

# ARMSTRONG BACKUS & CO., LLP

Certified Public Accountants

### **AMERICAN PECAN COUNCIL**

**Compiled Financial Statements** 

For the One Month and Eight Months Ended
May 31, 2022



To the Board of Directors of American Pecan Council

#### ACCOUNTANTS' COMPILATION REPORT

Management is responsible for the accompanying financial statements of American Pecan Council (a government), which comprise the statement of net position – enterprise fund as of May 31, 2022 and the related statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in net position – enterprise fund, and statement of cash flows – enterprise fund for the one month and eight months then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have performed a compilation engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. We did not audit or review the financial statements nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by management. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on these financial statements.

Management has omitted the Management Discussion and Analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical content.

Management has elected to omit substantially all of the disclosures required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. If the omitted disclosures were included in the financial statements, they might influence the user's conclusions about the government's net position, results of operations, and cash flows. Accordingly, the financial statements are not designed for those who are not informed about such matters.

#### **Supplementary Information**

The supplementary information included in the operating budget for the one month and eight months ended May 31, 2022 and year ended September 30, 2022 and the eight months budgetary comparison schedule and operating budget are presented for the purpose of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. This information is the representation of management. The information was subject to our compilation engagement; however, we have not audited or reviewed the supplementary information and, accordingly, do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on such supplementary information.

We are not independent with respect to the American Pecan Council.

Armstrong, Backus & Co., L.L.P.

San Angelo, Texas June 22, 2022



### **Statement of Net Position - Enterprise Fund**

# As of May 31, 2022

#### **ASSETS**

Current Assets:		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	4,552,165
Accounts Receivable		442,545
Prepaid Expenses		40,120
Total Current Assets	\$	5,034,830
Noncurrent Assets:		
Depreciable Capital Assets	\$	35,697
Accumulated Depreciation	(	21,629)
Total Noncurrent Assets	\$	14,068
Other Assets:		
Security Deposit	\$	5,875
Total Other Assets	\$	5,875
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	5,054,773
LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts Payable	\$	31,040
Payroll Liability		3,544
Total Current Liabilities	\$	34,584
Total Liabilities	\$	34,584
Net Position:		
Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$	14,068
Unrestricted		5,006,121
Total Net Position	\$	5,020,189
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION	\$	5,054,773

# Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Net Position - Enterprise Fund

### For the One Month and Eight Months Ended May 31, 2022

		ne Month	Ei	Eight Months			
Operating Revenues:	<b></b>	00.750	<b>d</b>	2.250.000			
Assessment Income	\$	88,753	\$	2,259,899			
Total Operating Revenue	\$	88,753	\$	2,259,899			
Operating Expenses:							
General Administrative:							
Staff and Administrative	\$	76,909	\$	635,483			
Insurance		195		7,086			
Compliance		18,900		97,657			
Other General Administrative		35,435		187,448			
Industry Relations:							
Industry Relations Activities		7,800		56,718			
Industry Research		2,144		27,244			
International Relations		95,000		225,287			
Marketing		95,296		2,651,661			
Grades and Standards		14,758		118,109			
Total Operating Expenses	\$	346,437	\$	4,006,693			
Operating Income (Loss)	(\$	257,684)	(\$	1,746,794)			
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses):							
Interest Earned	\$	4,171	\$	6,515			
Total Nonoperating Revenues	\$	4,171	\$	6,515			
Change in Net Position	(\$	253,513)	(\$	1,740,279)			
Net Position, Beginning as Previously Stated	\$	5,225,284	\$	7,028,955			
Prior Period Adjustment		48,418	(	268,487)			
Net Position, Beginning as Restated	\$	5,273,702	\$	6,760,468			
Net Position, Ending	\$	5,020,189	\$	5,020,189			

# **Statement of Cash Flows - Enterprise Fund**

### For the One Month and Eight Months Ended May 31, 2022

		ne Month	Ei	ght Months
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:				
Cash Received from Assessments	\$	231,811	\$	2,759,872
Cash Paid for Salaries and Benefits	(	76,909)	(	635,483)
Cash Paid for Operating Expenses		347,802)	(	3,783,739)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	(\$	192,900)	(\$	1,659,350)
Cash Flows From Capital and Related Financing Activities:				
Acquistion of Capital Assets	\$	-0-	(\$	1,347)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Capital and Related Financing Activities	\$	-0-	(\$	1,347)
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:				
Cash Received from Interest Earned	\$	4,171	\$	6,515
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities	\$	4,171	\$	6,515
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash	(\$	188,729)	(\$	1,654,182)
Cash, Beginning of Period		4,740,894		6,206,347
Cash, End of Period	\$	4,552,165	\$	4,552,165
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash				
Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:				
Income (Loss) from Operations	(\$	257,684)	(\$	1,746,794)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operation Income (Loss) to				
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:				
Depreciation Expense		595		4,692
Changes in Assets and Liabilities:				
(Increase) Decrease in Accounts Receivable		143,058		499,973
(Increase) Decrease in Prepaid Expenses	(	30,850)		363,187
(Increase) Decrease in Other Current Assets		-0-		500
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable	(	51,563)	(	784,452)
Increase (Decrease) in Payroll Tax Payable		3,544		3,544
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	(\$	192,900)	(\$	1,659,350)

# **Budgetary Comparison Schedule**

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	Bu	dget			Favorable (Unfavorable)		
	Original		Amended	Actual			
Operating Revenue:							
2021-2022 Improved	\$ 2,100,000	\$	2,100,000	\$ 2,259,899	\$	159,899	
Total Operating Revenue	\$ 2,100,000	\$	2,100,000	\$ 2,259,899	\$	159,899	
Operating Expenses:							
General Administration:							
Staff and Administration:							
Salaries	\$ 524,336	\$	524,336	\$ 491,377	\$	32,959	
Benefits:							
IRA	16,400		16,400	13,486		2,914	
Health	96,664		96,664	96,973	(	309)	
Taxes	 41,336		41,336	33,647		7,689	
Total Staff and Administration	\$ 678,736	\$	678,736	\$ 635,483	\$	43,253	
Insurance:							
Travel	\$ 1,800	\$	1,800	\$ 1,233	\$	567	
General	5,136		5,136	5,853	(	717)	
D&O/Members	8,664		8,664	-0-		8,664	
Fidelity	 2,936		2,936	 -0-		2,936	
Total Insurance	\$ 18,536	\$	18,536	\$ 7,086	\$	11,450	

# **Budgetary Comparison Schedule**

	Bu			Favorable		
	 Original		Amended	Actual	(Ur	ıfavorable)
Compliance:						
Attorney/Crisis Management	\$ 16,664	\$	16,664	\$ -0-	\$	16,664
Audit Financial	13,336		13,336	-0-		13,336
Compliance Travel	30,000		30,000	-0-		30,000
Sheller/Handler Audits	83,336		83,336	94,500	(	11,164)
Printing/Forms/Postage	 6,664		6,664	 3,157		3,507
Total Compliance	\$ 150,000	\$	150,000	\$ 97,657	\$	52,343
Accounting/Financials	\$ 52,000	\$	52,000	\$ 37,870	\$	14,130
Telephone/Mobile/Internet	13,336		13,336	13,528	(	192)
Travel Office	23,336		23,336	20,144		3,192
Travel Committee	57,448		57,448	7,508		49,940
Supplies	6,664		6,664	2,122		4,542
Maintenance/Buildout	10,000		10,000	-0-		10,000
Printing	13,336		13,336	16,938	(	3,602)
IT/Furniture/Software	16,664		16,664	17,623	(	959)
Subscriptions	13,336		13,336	5,862		7,474
Depreciation	-0-		-0-	4,692	(	4,692)
Miscellaneous	3,336		3,336	4,245	(	909)
Rent	 58,000		58,000	56,916		1,084
Total General Administration	\$ 1,114,728	\$	1,114,728	\$ 927,674	\$	187,054
Contingency Fund	\$ 387,288	\$	387,288	\$ -0-	\$	387,288
Technology Upgrades	\$ 66,664	\$	66,664	\$ -0-	\$	66,664

# **Budgetary Comparison Schedule**

		Bue	dget			F	avorable
		Original	I	Amended	Actual	(Un	ıfavorable)
Industry Relations:	·						_
Compliance:							
Compliance Materials	\$	3,336	\$	3,336	\$ -0-	\$	3,336
Workshops		3,336		3,336	 -0-		3,336
Total Compliance	\$	6,672	\$	6,672	\$ -0-	\$	6,672
Industry Relations Activities:							
Annual Reports	\$	5,336	\$	5,336	\$ -0-	\$	5,336
Communication Materials		33,336		33,336	19,600		13,736
Travel		33,336		33,336	16,000		17,336
WS-Field Events		166,664		166,664	-0-		166,664
Association Sponsorship		46,664		46,664	8,883		37,781
Handler Portal Maintenance		6,664		6,664	-0-		6,664
Fishhook:							
Prior Year Carry-over		44,936		44,936	235		44,701
Meltwater		8,000		8,000	 12,000	(	4,000)
Total Industry Relations Activities	\$	344,936	\$	344,936	\$ 56,718	\$	288,218
Industry Research:							
Land IQ	\$	-0-	\$	-0-	\$ 2,144	(	2,144)
Research Contingency		144,000		144,000	 25,100		118,900
Total Industry Research	\$	144,000	\$	144,000	\$ 27,244	\$	116,756
Total Industry Relations	\$	495,608	\$	495,608	\$ 83,962	\$	411,646
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# **Budgetary Comparison Schedule**

	Bue	dget			Favorable		
	Original		Amended	Actual	(U	(Unfavorable)	
International Relations:							
International Nut Congress-Nut Health Research	\$ 66,664	\$	66,664	\$ 100,000	(\$	33,336)	
Travel	43,336		43,336	5,037		38,299	
International Consulting - Grant Writing	63,336		63,336	-0-		63,336	
Weber Shandwick - China	433,336		433,336	-0-		433,336	
Weber Shandwick - Germany	300,000		300,000	-0-		300,000	
Emerging Market Program Research	333,336		333,336	118,750		214,586	
Market Access Program	-0-		-0-	1,500	(	1,500)	
Contingency Fund	433,336		433,336	 -0-	· ·	433,336	
Total International Relations	\$ 1,673,344	\$	1,673,344	\$ 225,287	\$	1,448,057	
Marketing:							
Aspire IQ	\$ 33,336	\$	33,336	\$ 93,706	(\$	60,370)	
iHeart Media/Digital Magnet	533,336		533,336	800,000	(	266,664)	
Eat Well Global	53,336		53,336	194,677	(	141,341)	
NPSA Chef's Summit	66,664		66,664	80,000	(	13,336)	
IRI Reporting	100,000		100,000	-0-		100,000	
Weber Shandwick	666,664		666,664	1,418,684	(	752,020)	
Research - Nut Health	256,664		256,664	64,594		192,070	
Total Marketing	\$ 1,710,000	\$	1,710,000	\$ 2,651,661	(\$	941,661)	

# **Budgetary Comparison Schedule**

# For the Eight Months Ended May 31, 2022

		Bud	dget			Favorable		
		Original		Amended		Actual	(U	nfavorable)
Grades and Standards:		_		_		_		
Research Contingency (FAIR):								
Prior Year Carry-over	\$	66,664	\$	66,664	\$	-0-	\$	66,664
Travel		13,336		13,336		41		13,295
Shelf-Life Study:								
Prior Year Carry-over		113,408		113,408		-0-		113,408
Carbon Assessment Services		80,000		80,000		-0-		80,000
Economic Study		66,664		66,664		-0-		66,664
Pricing Through Marketing Channels		26,664		26,664		-0-		26,664
Quality Assurance Program		43,336		43,336		118,068	(	74,732)
Total Grades and Standards	\$	410,072	\$	410,072	\$	118,109	\$	291,963
Total Operating Expenses	\$	5,857,704	\$	5,857,704	\$	4,006,693	\$	1,851,011
Operating Income (Loss)	(\$	3,757,704)	(\$	3,757,704)	(\$	1,746,794)	\$	2,010,910
Nonperating Revenues and Expenses:								
Interest Earned	\$	-0-	\$	-0-	\$	6,515	\$	6,515
Management Fee		533,336		533,336		-0-	(	533,336)
Past Outstanding		266,664		266,664		-0-	(	266,664)
Prior Year Carry-over - 2020 Expense Offset		481,672		481,672		-0-	(	481,672)
Other Income:								
Reserve		1,453,336		1,453,336		-0-	(	1,453,336)
EMP Funding		333,336		333,336		-0-	(	333,336)
Marketing Access Program (MAP)		833,328		833,328		-0-	(	833,328)
Total Nonoperating Revenue	\$	3,901,672	\$	3,901,672	\$	6,515	(\$	3,895,157)
Change in Net Position	\$	143,968	\$	143,968	(\$	1,740,279)	(\$	1,884,247)

See Accountants' Compilation Report.

### **Operating Budget**

	One Month Ended May 31, 2022					Eight Mo May 3				al Year Ended ember 30, 2022
		Actual	Opera	ating Budget		Actual	Оре	erating Budget	Ope	rating Budget
Operating Revenue:										
2021-2022 Improved	\$	88,753	\$	262,500	\$	2,259,899	\$	2,100,000	\$	3,150,000
<b>Total Operating Revenue</b>	\$	88,753	\$	262,500	\$	2,259,899	\$	2,100,000	\$	3,150,000
Operating Expenses:										
General Administration:										
Staff and Administration:										
Salaries	\$	61,422	\$	65,542	\$	491,377	\$	524,336	\$	786,500
Benefits:										
IRA		1,691		2,050		13,486		16,400		24,595
Health		9,203		12,083		96,973		96,664		145,000
Taxes		4,593		5,167		33,647		41,336		62,000
Total Staff and Administration	\$	76,909	\$	84,842	\$	635,483	\$	678,736	\$	1,018,095
Insurance:										
Travel	\$	-0-	\$	225	\$	1,233	\$	1,800	\$	2,700
General		195		642		5,853		5,136		7,700
D&O/Members		-0-		1,083		-0-		8,664		13,000
Fidelity		-0-		367		-0-		2,936		4,400
Total Insurance	\$	195	\$	2,317	\$	7,086	\$	18,536	\$	27,800

## **Operating Budget**

	One Mor May 3			Eight Mo May 3				cal Year Ended ember 30, 2022
	Actual	Ope	rating Budget	Actual	\$ 150,000 \$ 52,000 13,336		Op	erating Budget
Compliance:								
Attorney/Crisis Management	\$ -0-	\$	2,083	\$ -0-	\$	16,664	\$	25,000
Audit Financial	-0-		1,667	-0-		13,336		20,000
Compliance Travel	-0-		3,750	-0-		30,000		45,000
Sheller/Handler Audits	18,900		10,417	94,500		83,336		125,000
Printing/Forms/Postage	 -0-		833	 3,157		6,664		10,000
Total Compliance	\$ 18,900	\$	18,750	\$ 97,657	\$	150,000	\$	225,000
Accounting/Financials	\$ -0-	\$	6,500	\$ 37,870	\$	52,000	\$	78,000
Telephone/Mobile/Internet	1,985		1,667	13,528		13,336		20,000
Travel Office	5,050		2,917	20,144		23,336		35,000
Travel Committee	-0-		7,181	7,508		57,448		86,171
Supplies	3		833	2,122		6,664		10,000
Maintenance/Buildout	-0-		1,250	-0-		10,000		15,000
Printing	15,694		1,667	16,938		13,336		20,000
IT/Furniture/Software	1,512		2,083	17,623		16,664		25,000
Subscriptions	359		1,667	5,862		13,336		20,000
Depreciation	595		-0-	4,692		-0-		-0-
Miscellaneous	341		417	4,245		3,336		5,000
Rent	 9,896		7,250	56,916		58,000		87,000
Total General Administration	\$ 131,439	\$	139,341	\$ 927,674	\$	1,114,728	\$	1,672,066
Contingency Fund	\$ -0-	\$	48,411	\$ -0-	\$	387,288	\$	580,934
Technology Upgrades	\$ -0-	\$	8,333	\$ -0-	\$	66,664	\$	100,000

## **Operating Budget**

	One Mor May 3			Eight Months Ended May 31, 2022					Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2022		
	Actual		rating Budget		Actual		erating Budget		perating Budget		
Industry Relations: Compliance:		1	3 5				0 0				
Compliance Materials Workshops	\$ -0- -0-	\$	417 417	\$	-0- -0-	\$	3,336 3,336	\$	5,000 5,000		
Total Compliance	\$ -0-	\$	834	\$	-0-	\$	6,672	\$	10,000		
Industry Relations Activities:											
Annual Reports	\$ -0-	\$	667	\$	-0-	\$	5,336	\$	8,000		
Communication Materials	3,800		4,167		19,600		33,336		50,000		
Travel	4,000		4,167		16,000		33,336		50,000		
WS-Field Events	-0-		20,833		-0-		166,664		250,000		
Association Sponsorship	-0-		5,833		8,883		46,664		70,000		
Handler Portal Maintenance	-0-		833		-0-		6,664		10,000		
Fishhook:											
Prior Year Carry-over	-0-		5,617		235		44,936		67,400		
Meltwater	 -0-		1,000		12,000		8,000		12,000		
Total Industry Relations Activities	\$ 7,800	\$	43,117	\$	56,718	\$	344,936	\$	517,400		
Industry Research:											
Land IQ	\$ 2,144	\$	-0-	\$	2,144	\$	-0-	\$	-0-		
Research Contingency	-0-		18,000		25,100		144,000		216,000		
Total Industry Research	\$ 2,144	\$	18,000	\$	27,244	\$	144,000	\$	216,000		
Total Industry Relations	\$ 9,944	\$	61,951	\$	83,962	\$	495,608	\$	743,400		

### **Operating Budget**

	One Mor May 3			Eight Months Ended May 31, 2022					Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2022		
	Actual	Op	erating Budget		Actual	Or	perating Budget		Operating Budget		
International Relations:											
International Nut Congress-Nut Health Research	\$ -0-	\$	8,333	\$	100,000	\$	66,664	\$	100,000		
Travel	-0-		5,417		5,037		43,336		65,000		
International Consulting - Grant Writing	-0-		7,917		-0-		63,336		95,000		
Weber Shandwick - China	-0-		54,167		-0-		433,336		650,000		
Weber Shandwick - Germany	-0-		37,500		-0-		300,000		450,000		
Emerging Market Program Research	95,000		41,667		118,750		333,336		500,000		
Market Access Program	-0-		-0-		1,500		-0-		-0-		
Contingency Fund	 -0-		54,167		-0-		433,336		650,000		
Total International Relations	\$ 95,000	\$	209,168	\$	225,287	\$	1,673,344	\$	2,510,000		
Marketing:											
Aspire IQ	\$ 3,713	\$	4,167	\$	93,706	\$	33,336	\$	50,000		
iHeart Media/Digital Magnet	-0-		66,667		800,000		533,336		800,000		
Eat Well Global	26,989		6,667		194,677		53,336		80,000		
NPSA Chef's Summit	-0-		8,333		80,000		66,664		100,000		
IRI Reporting	-0-		12,500		-0-		100,000		150,000		
Weber Shandwick	-0-		83,333		1,418,684		666,664		1,000,000		
Research - Nuth Health	64,594		32,083		64,594		256,664		385,000		
Total Marketing	\$ 95,296	\$	213,750	\$	2,651,661	\$	1,710,000	\$	2,565,000		

## **Operating Budget**

	One Month Ended May 31, 2022					Eight Months Ended May 31, 2022				Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2022	
	Actual		Operating Budget			Actual	Operating Budget		Operating Budget		
Grades and Standards:											
Research Contingency (FAIR):											
Prior Year Carry-over	\$	-0-	\$	8,333	\$	-0-	\$	66,664	\$	100,000	
Travel		-0-		1,667		41		13,336		20,000	
Shelf-Life Study:											
Prior Year Carry-over		-0-		14,176		-0-		113,408		170,108	
Carbon Assessment Services		-0-		10,000		-0-		80,000		120,000	
Economic Study		-0-		8,333		-0-		66,664		100,000	
Pricing Through Marketing Channels		-0-		3,333		-0-		26,664		40,000	
Quality Assurance Program		14,758		5,417		118,068		43,336		65,000	
Total Grades and Standards	\$	14,758	\$	51,259	\$	118,109	\$	410,072	\$	615,108	
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>	\$	346,437	\$	732,213	\$	4,006,693	\$	5,857,704	\$	8,786,508	
Operating Income (Loss)	(\$	257,684)	(\$	469,713)	(\$	1,746,794)	(\$	3,757,704)	(\$	5,636,508)	
Nonperating Revenues and Expenses:											
Interest Earned	\$	4,171	\$	-0-	\$	6,515	\$	-0-	\$	-0-	
Management Fee		-0-		66,667		-0-		533,336		800,000	
Past Outstanding		-0-		33,333		-0-		266,664		400,000	
Prior Year Carry-over - 2021 Expense Offset		-0-		60,209		-0-		481,672		722,508	
Other Income:											
Reserve		-0-		181,667		-0-		1,453,336		2,180,000	
EMP Funding		-0-		41,667		-0-		333,336		500,000	
Marketing Access Program (MAP)		-0-		104,166		-0-		833,328		1,250,000	
<b>Total Nonoperating Revenue</b>	\$	4,171	\$	487,709	\$	6,515	\$	3,901,672	\$	5,852,508	
Change in Net Position	(\$	253,513)	\$	17,996	(\$	1,740,279)	\$	143,968	\$	216,000	