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# **BOARD MEETING**



Monday, April 20 | 1:30 p.m. Telephonic Conference



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#### Agenda

- Who is on the Call?
- Brief Recap
- Cohort 4 Eligible Applicant Numbers
- New Grant
  - Terms and Conditions of the Grant
  - Implications of New Grant
  - Grant Model
- Vote on Acceptance of Grant and Cohort 4 Funding



#### **Brief Recap**

- At March 17, 2015 Board meeting, Scholarship Services announced a 36% increase in WSOS Applications this year.
- Board discussed increase the number of awards to 1000 Scholars.
- Conference call set-up in advance of May 1, 2015 Scholarship award notification deadline.

## Cohort 4 Eligible Students



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• 38% increase over Cohort 3

	# Eligible
HS Senior	799
Freshmen	278
Sophomore	164
Total	1241

#### **New Grant** – Rubens Family Foundation (RFF)



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WSOS receives new grant for \$20M over five years!!

- Donor: Gary Rubens, Rubens Family Foundation
  - Angel investor
  - Philanthropist
  - Current CSF Donor to L1000
    Scholarship
- Wants to dramatically increase access to college for young people seeking a STEM degree!



### RFF Grant – Terms & Conditions



 Grant funds will significantly expand # of WSOS awardees at the Freshman level by awarding WSOS Rubens' Scholars and having those students "matched" by other funds:

Cohort/Yr	WSOS Rubens' Scholars (incoming freshmen)	Matched by WSOS Board thru State and private funding (incoming freshmen)	Total
Cohort 4 / 2015-16	400	400	800
Cohort 5 / 2016-17	600	600	1200
Cohort 6 / 2017-18	800	800	1600
Cohort 7 /2018-19	800	800	1600
Cohort 8 / 2019-20	800	800	1600
TOTAL	3400	3400	6800

### RFF Grant – Terms & Conditions



- Grant Funds cover first and second years of study <u>only</u>; if there is attrition, funds may be used to cover the third and fourth years of study for previous awardees.
- 100% of State median\* income for Rubens' Scholars (WSOS is currently at 125%).
- Washington State, Major and GPA align with current requirements.

\*Median income used is determined by Washington Student Achievement Council (WSAC) and is used by WSAC for a state funded programs.

### RFF Grant – Important Implications



- Total needed to cover Scholarship Obligation = \$183M (see next slide for Scholarship Model)
  - With RFF gift and other new sources, we have raised ~\$83M in private funds, which will be matched by the State
- We will need to significantly increase the number of freshman who are eligible for the award (this year, we have exactly 799 eligible freshman (800 awardees needed under RFF Grant))
  - We saw the 36% increase, and we would need to see an even greater rate of increase to fund enough freshmen

## **Projected WSOS Scholarship Model**



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	Number of							
First Fall Enrollment	Scholarships First Year Enrollment	New Freshmen	New Soph.	New Juniors	New Seniors	Projected Costs Per Cohort	Program/Admin Costs	Total Program Fee by Cohort
2012	2,897	756	770	794	577	\$19,864,604	\$1,911,226	\$21,775,830
2013	716	469	106	141	0	\$8,520,780	\$1,911,226	\$10,432,006
2014	751	502	150	99	0	\$10,037,909	\$1,959,007	\$11,996,915
2015	1,009	759	150	100	0	\$13,456,267	\$2,107,982	\$15,564,249
2016	1,450	1200	150	100	0	\$19,288,340	\$2,260,681	\$21,549,021
2017	1,850	1600	150	100	0	\$24,576,156	\$2,417,198	\$26,993,355
2018	1,850	1600	150	100	0	\$24,576,156	\$2,577,628	\$27,153,785
2019	1,850	1600	150	100	0	\$24,576,156	\$1,350,000	\$25,926,156
2020	750	450	150	150	0	\$10,050,221	\$1,350,000	\$11,400,221
2021	750	450	150	150	0	\$10,050,221	\$900,000	\$10,950,221
	13,872	9,386	2,076	1,834	577	\$164,996,811	\$18,744,949	\$183,741,760

#### Language for Proposed WASHINGTON STATE OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

- Accept the terms of the Rubens' Family Foundation Grant Agreement.
- For Cohort 4, award 799 freshmen (all eligible freshmen), 153 sophomores, and 102 juniors.



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