The Metropolitan Community College (MCC) Foundation was established in 1977 as a separate, not-for-profit, IRS approved 501(c)3 corporation to provide financial support for students, faculty, staff, programs and facilities. The Foundation’s mission to provide resources and support education at MCC is promoted and accomplished by an outstanding volunteer Board of Directors and professional staff.

The Board of Directors is comprised of 18 community leaders representing a broad cross-section of businesses within the College’s four-county service area. Board members represent leadership and community service and share the Foundation’s value of ensuring opportunities for success at MCC.
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As you may know, MCC is growing—rapidly. With an enrollment increase of more than 20 percent this past year, MCC is striving to continue to provide the highest quality education and training for the best value in Nebraska.

Yet, as our institution has grown to become the second largest postsecondary institution in Nebraska, our ability to provide that value is becoming more challenging.

The Metropolitan Community College Foundation provides our institution with resources that advance our values of opportunity and dependability in these challenging economic times.

Without the critical scholarships and program growth support that the Metropolitan Community College Foundation provides, our institution would find it difficult to continue to provide the best educational value in the state of Nebraska.

After 35 years of service, the community has come to expect a lot from MCC—and we have delivered; however, with new financial challenges on the horizon, the Metropolitan Community College Foundation has never been so vital to the future development and success of our students, faculty and staff.

MCC’s future success relies on continued community support through the Foundation. From cutting-edge workforce development programs to alleviating urban poverty through our developmental education, the commitment from the community to the Metropolitan Community College Foundation demonstrates the belief that our institution’s future is rising to the challenges of the 21st century.

Yours truly,

Randy Schmailzl
MCC President
Just as MCC has experienced double-digit enrollment growth in the last few years, the Metropolitan Community College Foundation has also experienced significant success in our efforts to advance the critical mission of MCC.

From operational improvements, such as modernizing our scholarship process to reach more students, to successful major gift campaigns, such as that which supported the new Institute for the Culinary Arts building on the Fort Omaha Campus, the Metropolitan Community College Foundation has consistently answered the call to ensure access to opportunity and help MCC become a nationally recognized community college that continues to meet local needs.

The College’s growth has also led to academic program innovation and partnerships. The addition of the Midwest’s first ‘green’ data center management training program at our Fremont Area Center is just one example of how the Foundation worked with the College to support both economic development and educational attainment for communities in our service area.

As we reflect on the successes, we must also be mindful of the challenges of the future.

- Record enrollments bring an even greater need for additional scholarships and financial assistance.
- Continued economic challenges will require more workers to learn new trades and skills to stay competitive in the new global economy.
- More class offerings require more facility space to accommodate the growth of the student body.

While we understand we have more to accomplish, we are humbled and grateful for all of the support received as MCC continues to ensure access to high-quality educational opportunities.

Yours truly,
## THE METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### AUDITED FINANCIALS FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009

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| **EXPENSES**   |                   |                             |                             |            |            |
| MCC Initiatives/Grants | $1,550,707     | $1,550,707                  | $54,290                     |            |
| Student Scholarships | $175,453         | $175,453                    | $203,290                    |            |
| Faculty/Staff   |                   |                             | $26,223                     | $22,051    |
| Department/Program Support | $30,524       | $30,524                     | $48,178                     |            |
| Special Events  |                   |                             | $52,807                     | $58,749    |
| Bad Debts       |                   |                             |                             | $11,364    |
| Other Operating Expenses | $291          | $291                        | $219                        |            |
| **Total Expenses** | $1,836,005       |                             |                             | $398,141   |

|                |                   |                             |                             |            |            |
| **Change in Net Assets** | $33,379         | ($241,045)                  | ($207,666)                  | $922,324   |

|                |                   |                             |                             |            |            |
| **FUND BALANCES** |                   |                             |                             |            |            |
| Beginning of Year | $243,460         | $2,795,655                  | $3,039,115                  | $2,116,791 |
| Transfers in (out) | $1,132           | ($101,132)                  | $100,000                    |            |
| **End of Year**   | $277,971         | $2,453,478                  | $100,000                    | $2,831,449 |
|                   |                   |                             |                             | $3,039,115 |
The Institute for the Culinary Arts’ enrollment has grown steadily since its inception in 1974 and is projected to continue growing well into the future. Due to its reputation as one of the premier community college culinary arts and management programs in the Midwest, the Institute’s enrollment—now standing at 650 students annually—outpaced its facilities’ capacity.

With lead gifts from the Pegler Family Foundation and the Merle and Joy Swanson Fund at the Omaha Community Foundation, the new Institute for the Culinary Arts and Conference Center is now a reality.

The new Pegler Center instructional facility contains seven fully equipped kitchens ranging from a state-of-the-art demonstration laboratory to a cutting-edge chocolate kitchen.

The new Merle and Joy Swanson Conference Center, spanning the building’s second floor, offers much-needed conference space for up to 400 people at an event and will provide students hands-on learning experiences. The well-known JoJo’s Sage Student Bistro, with seating for 65, is open to the public when classes are in session.
The Pegler Family Foundation, out of Lincoln, Neb. was founded by Donald Pegler, Jr. and his wife JoAnn in 1996 for the purpose of supporting children and youth, community development and higher education. According to family spokesman Donald H. Pegler III, the MCC gift is the largest in the foundation’s history.

“It is the right time for us to contribute in a significant way to support culinary education in our state. Metropolitan Community College’s program is one of the best of its kind in the nation, and we feel privileged to be able to help it grow into the future. We have enjoyed working with the people at Metro, and we know they will do our family proud.”

- Donald H. Pegler III
Merle and Joy Swanson were pioneers in the food industry in Nebraska and demonstrated their dedication and commitment to regional community service and education. They built the Swanson Corporation, a food service, vending and dining business, together over a period of 40 years. Having had no children, they gave their full energies and creativity to developing their company and their employees. The Swanson’s focus on food and fellowship will continue as the Merle and Joy Swanson Conference Center brings people and the community together at MCC.
Supporting our students in their pursuits is the cornerstone of Metropolitan Community College Foundation’s mission.

Over the last few years, MCC has seen a dramatic double-digit increase in enrollment, which has significantly increased the need for more financial assistance for students, as evidenced by a 300% percent increase in the number of applications for scholarships.

The following students received a privately funded scholarship from the Metropolitan Community College Foundation during the past year:

**SPRING 2009**

Andrea Aken - Hites Family Foundation Scholarship

Ehite Allison - Omaha World-Herald Scholarship

Benjamin Atack - M.L. ‘Buck’ Bohn Memorial Scholarship

Nichole Bartlett - Nursing Assistant Scholarship

Karen Berghauser - MCC Foundation Memorial Scholarship

Daniel Billings - R.E. Whitmyre Memorial Scholarship

Preston Bolte - James M. Cox Memorial Scholarship

Jordan Lee Whitney Memorial Scholarship

Morgan Bro - Vietnam Veterans Scholarship

Gabriel Busch - Carriage House Foundation Tool Club Scholarship

Ryan Chappelear - Business Administration Division Scholarship

Chad Colburn - Business Alliance for Students Education Scholarship

Sheila Cornett - Candy Lynn Kegley Memorial Scholarship

Kristina Cusumano - Cox Communications Pioneer Scholarship

Cheryl Dawson - Metropolitan Utilities District Culinary Arts Scholarship

Ishwor Dhakal - St. Paul Companies Minority Scholarship

Krystin Dobbs - Fran Elseman Memorial Scholarship
William Dukat - Nebraska Trucking Association Diesel Technology Scholarship
Hannah Elliott - Culinary Arts Management Scholarship
Andrew Faughn - Gary Downing Memorial Scholarship
Michele Fuller - Walt Allen Memorial Scholarship
Jennifer Godfrey - Culinary Arts Management Scholarship
Ryan Grandgenett - gloria Menard Osborn Scholarship
Noe Guardado - Carriage House Foundation Tool Club Scholarship
Tracy Hagge - Nebraska Trucking Association CDL Scholarship
Chris Hanlon - AIM Institute/Fremont Tribune Scholarship
Tyler Hinkel - Culinary Arts Management Scholarship
                        Ron Sailors Memorial Scholarship
Kimberly Hoschar - Ward Memorial Nursing Scholarship
Tiffany Hungerford - Ruth Buck Kissel Memorial Scholarship
Steve Jacobs - Nebraska Trucking Association CDL Scholarship
Brian Johnson - Carriage House Foundation Tool Club Scholarship
Felicia Jorgensen - Nebraska Trucking Association Diesel Technology Scholarship
Leta Kindred - Betty Barr Memorial Scholarship
                        John Vautravers Scholarship
Daniel Klosowski - Hites Family Foundation Scholarship
Cathrine Livingston - Robert H. Storz Foundation Scholarship
Lisa (Parker) Lobbes - Audrey Swanson Memorial Scholarship
                        Dr. Jerry Moskus Scholarship
Jose Maes - Vietnam Veterans Scholarship
Michael Mendez - St. Paul Companies Minority Scholarship
Chauncey Patton - Todd McHenry Memorial Scholarship
Sherrie Porter - Don Peterson Associates Real Estate Company Scholarship
Kayla Randall - Douglas Weber Memorial Scholarship
Lamain Rucker - Nebraska Trucking Association CDL Scholarship
Isaac Serafino - Information Technology Scholarship
Jacob Shudak - Joseph Hughes Memorial Engineering Scholarship
Paul Smith - Nebraska Trucking Association Diesel Technology Scholarship
Jill Stackhouse - Karen Schnepf Memorial Scholarship
Christine Steele - St. Paul Companies Minority Scholarship
Robert Strange - Carriage House Foundation Tool Club Scholarship
Michaela Swartzell - Nebraska Trucking Association CDL Scholarship
Kimberly Taylor - AIM Institute/Fremont Tribune Scholarship
Corrissa Thomas - Gallup Organization Early Childhood Education Scholarship
St. Paul Companies Minority Scholarship
Debra Thurlby - Betty Hightower Memorial Nursing Scholarship
Shar Hansen Memorial Scholarship
Lisa Trosper - Nursing Assistant Scholarship
Mark Walker - Carriage House Foundation Tool Club Scholarship
Cynthia Watts - Beth Nimmo Social Sciences Scholarship

WINTER 2008

Liza Allison - Omaha District Dental Society Scholarship
Lettie Johnson Dental Assisting Scholarship
Zachary Bluvas - Rex Stacy Memorial Scholarship
Steven Carey - MCC Foundation General Scholarship
Drew Cuva - Nebraska Auto Dealers Association Carriage House Foundation Scholarship
Rory Franco - Culinary Arts and Management Scholarship
Ilias Gibigaye - M.L. ‘Buck’ Bohn Memorial Scholarship
Jennifer Godfrey - Ron Sailors Culinary Arts Memorial Scholarship

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John Hilton - St. Paul Companies Minority Scholarship
Kaino Iipinge - MCC Foundation General Scholarship
Sherri Kellogg - MCC Foundation General Scholarship
Jose Maes, Jr. - Catalan-Latino Scholarship
MCC Custodial Staff Scholarship
Pamela Mayhue - MCC Foundation General Scholarship
Cheryl Moldenhauer - Omaha District Dental Society Scholarship
Majaree Moore - MCC Foundation General Scholarship
Chauncy Patton - Todd McHenry Memorial Scholarship
Kevin Pekas - MCC Foundation General Scholarship
Joshua Peterson - Culinary Arts and Management Scholarship
Ashley Salem - MCC Foundation General Scholarship
Christine Steele - St. Paul Companies Minority Scholarship
Kimberly Taylor - AIM Institute/Fremont Tribune Scholarship
Phung Tran - MCC Foundation General Scholarship
Dallas Vogt - ConAgra Foods Excellence in Education Scholarship
Aquila Scholarship
Ashley Webster - St. Paul Companies Minority Scholarship
Cynthia Wingert - TierOne Bank Scholarship
Audra Yates - Anne K. Harter Memorial Scholarship
Culinary Arts and Management Scholarship

THE GENEROSITY OF OUR CAMPUS, CORPORATE AND COMMUNITY SUPPORTERS PROVIDES THESE STUDENTS WITH BOTH OPPORTUNITY AND HOPE: OPPORTUNITY TO ADVANCE THEIR EDUCATION AND HOPE FOR A BRIGHTER FUTURE.
ANNUAL GIVING

Every year, hundreds of community supporters who believe in the mission of MCC provide financial support to our foundation and campus initiatives.

The Metropolitan Community College Foundation gratefully recognizes the support of the following individuals and corporations:

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The Merle and Joy Swanson Foundation
The Pegler Family Foundation

$500,000 – 250,000
The Peter Kiewit Foundation

$249,000 - 100,000
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$99,000 – 25,000
William and Ruth Scott Family Foundation

$24,999 – 10,000
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American Culinary Federation
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Antonio Tiller
Barbara Kantor
Barry Anderson
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The Metropolitan Community College Foundation offers many options for those in the community who wish make a financial gift to support MCC.

Areas of need at MCC include:

- Student Scholarship Funds
- Program/Department Growth Funds
- Student Support Funds
- Building/Facility Funds
- Unrestricted Fund

Those wishing to make a gift in support of MCC’s students can do so through gifts of cash, securities/stock/ personal property, life insurance or a bequest.

Gifts may be designated for a currently established fund, or donors may create a new endowment fund for a pledge of $5,000 or more, which may be paid over a period of five years. Contact the Metropolitan Community College Foundation at (402) 457-2346 for more information.