Missouri Higher Education Savings Program Minutes of the MOST Board Meeting

Harry S. Truman Building, Room 500 Jefferson City, Missouri Wednesday, May 1, 2013

Item I: Call to Order

Treasurer Clint Zweifel called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Item II: Roll Call

MOST Board Members present were Treasurer Clint Zweifel, Deputy Commissioner Walter Pearson (for Commissioner Doug Nelson), Commissioner David Russell, Director Mike Downing, and

Jason Lawless.

Treasurer Zweifel's office staff present were: Meg Lewis, Bruce Ring, Debbie Schertzer and Sarah Swoboda.

UPromise/Vanguard/DAWM staff present were: Miriam Broaddus, George DuCasse, Stewart Duffield, Kevin Green, Nicole Grogan, Janet Kottman, Abby Litchen, Christine Johnson and Lindsey McKnight.

Items III: Approval of Minutes

Mike Downing moved to approve the March 13, 2013 Board meeting minutes. Walter Pearson seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously. Treasurer Zweifel congratulated Mike Downing on being appointed the Department of Economic Development Acting Director.

Item IV: Direct-Sold Marketing Plan Approval

Miriam Broaddus highlighted key points of the Direct-Sold Marketing Plan.

Item V: Advisor-Sold Marketing Plan Approval

Nicole Grogan, Lindsey McKnight, and Abby Litchen highlighted key points of the Advisor-Sold Marketing Plan.

Treasurer Zweifel moved to approve the Direct-Sold Marketing Plan and the Advisor-Sold Marketing Plan. Director Mike Downing seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

Item VI: Quarterly MOST Report

George DuCasse and Stewart Duffield reported 1st quarter direct plan results noting strong cash flow and positive returns. Miriam Broaddus reported 1st quarter direct plan marketing results noting the Awareness Survey key findings. Janet Kottman reported outreach results. Nicole Grogan reported 1st quarter advisor plan results and Lindsey McKnight described current advisor plan marketing efforts.

Item VII: Quarterly WATCH Report

Bruce Ring reported DWS Dremen Small Cap performance improved enough to be removed from the Watch List.

Treasurer Zweifel moved to adjourn. Director Mike Downing seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned.