

Management's Discussion and Analysis and Financial Statements September 30, 2011 and 2010

Pawhuska Hospital, Inc.

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### **Independent Auditor's Report**

The Board of Trustees Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. Pawhuska, Oklahoma

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets of Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. (the Hospital) as of September 30, 2011 and 2010 and the related statements of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets and statements of cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Hospital's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provided a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. as of September 30, 2011 and 2010 and the results of its operations, changes in net assets, and cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated April 30, 2012 on our consideration of Pawhuska Hospital, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audits.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis on pages 3 through 6 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such 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 context. We have applied

certain limited procedures to the supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Sake Saelly LLP
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

April 30, 2012

This discussion and analysis of the financial performance of Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. (the Hospital) provides an overall review of the Hospital's financial activities and balances as of and for the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to provide further information on the Hospital's performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and the notes thereto to enhance their understanding of the Hospital's financial status.

### **Financial Highlights – Financial Statements**

- The Hospital's net assets increased by \$148,126 or 7% percent in 2011 and decreased by \$178,464 or 8% in 2010.
- The Hospital reported a decrease in operating losses in 2011. Losses in 2011 decreased by \$344,102 or 105% compared to an increase in the operating losses of \$22,661 or 7% in 2010.
- Capital grants and contributions increased in 2011 by \$573 or 2% compared with a decrease of \$168,744 or 85% in 2010.

### **Organization Highlights**

- The Hospital continues to provide 24-hour emergency care in a timely manner to the community.
- The Hospital continues to increase service offerings, including the opening of a wound care clinic during 2011.
- The Hospital continues to upgrade equipment to provide the best care to patients.
- The Hospital provides charity care for those who are unable to pay for services.

### **Overview of the Financial Statements**

The financial statements include the balance sheets, statements of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets, and statements of cash flows.

The balance sheet at September 30, 2011 indicated total assets of \$3,700,829, total liabilities of \$1,480,173, and net assets of \$2,220,756. Total current assets were \$2,365,536 and total current liabilities were \$1,071,719 for a current ratio of 2.2:1.

The statements of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year ended September 30, 2011 indicated total operating revenues of \$3,798,889 and operating expenses of \$3,782,014, operating income of \$16,875, net non-operating revenues of \$(11,165), water fees from the City of Pawhuska of \$112,542, and capital grants and contributions of \$29,874. The net assets increased by \$148,126 from \$2,072,630 at September 30, 2010 to \$2,220,756 at September 30, 2011.

As reported in the statements of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents increased from \$382,879 at September 30, 2010 to \$504,331 at September 30, 2011.

Please review the notes to the financial statements included in the report.

The following table summarizes the Hospital's assets, liabilities, and net assets at September 30:

|   | 2011                      | 2010                    | 2009                    |
|---|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Assets Current assets Capital assets, net                               | \$ 2,365,536<br>1,335,293 | \$ 1,562,351<br>853,656 | \$ 1,472,815<br>932,001 |
| Assets limited as to use<br>Non-current assets                          |                           | <u> </u>                | 148,004<br>110,878      |
| Total assets  | \$ 3,700,829              | \$ 2,416,007            | \$ 2,663,698            |
| Liabilities Current liabilities Long-term debt outstanding              | \$ 1,071,719<br>408,354   | \$ 343,377              | \$ 412,604              |
| Total liabilities   | 1,480,073                 | 343,377                 | 412,604                 |
| Net Assets Invested in capital assets, net of related debt Unrestricted | 821,821<br>1,398,935      | 853,656<br>1,218,974    | 932,001<br>1,319,093    |
| Total net assets  | 2,220,756                 | 2,072,630               | 2,251,094               |
| Total liabilities and net assets  | \$ 3,700,829              | \$ 2,416,007            | \$ 2,663,698            |

The following table summarizes the Hospital's revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year ended September 30:

| •   | 1900                  | 1900                  | 1900                  |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Operating Revenue Net patient service revenue Other revenue | \$ 3,793,466<br>5,423 | \$ 2,913,951<br>6,985 | \$ 2,847,527<br>9,227 |
| Total operating revenue                                     | 3,798,889             | 2,920,936             | 2,856,754             |
| Operating Expenses  |                       |                       |                       |
| Daily patient services                                      | 733,422               | 715,705               | 677,244               |
| Other nursing services                                      | 311,472               | 254,568               | 261,909               |
| Other professional services                                 | 1,209,068             | 882,235               | 974,976               |
| General services  | 420,530               | 362,330               | 360,964               |
| Administrative services                                     | 943,324               | 910,840               | 774,263               |
| Depreciation  | 164,198               | 122,485               | 111,964               |
| Total operating expenses                                    | 3,782,014             | 3,248,163             | 3,161,320             |
| Operating Income (Loss)                                     | 16,875                | (327,227)             | (304,566)             |

|  | 1900                 | 1900                | 1900                 |  |
|--|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--|
| Non-Operating Revenue (Expense) Investment income Interest expense | \$ 8,143<br>(19,308) | \$ 9,526<br>(4,609) | \$ 23,349<br>(2,303) |  |
| Net non-operating revenue  | (11,165)             | 4,917               | 21,046               |  |
| Revenues in excess (less than) Expenses                            | 5,710                | (322,310)           | (283,520)            |  |
| Water fees - City of Pawhuska<br>Capital grants and contributions  | 112,542<br>29,874    | 114,545<br>29,301   | 114,707<br>198,045   |  |
| Change in Net Assets   | 148,126              | (178,464)           | 29,232               |  |
| Net Assets, Beginning of the Year                                  | 2,072,630            | 2,251,094           | 2,221,862            |  |
| Net Assets, End of the Year  | \$ 2,220,756         | \$ 2,072,630        | \$ 2,251,094         |  |

Total net patient service revenues were \$3,793,466 and \$2,913,951 for the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively. Factors impacting total patient service revenues in 2011 compared to 2010 include increased services and increased patient utilization.

Operating expenses for September 30, 2011 and 2010, totaled \$3,782,014 and \$3,248,163, respectively. The largest components of operating expenses are other professional services and administrative services. Other professional services expenses and administrative services expenses for the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010 accounted for 57% and 55%, respectively, of total operating expenses.

### **Capital Assets**

The Hospital had capital assets net of accumulated depreciation at September 30, 2011, amounting to \$1,335,293. The investment in capital assets includes land, land improvements, building and improvements, and equipment.

Capital assets consisted of the following at September 30:

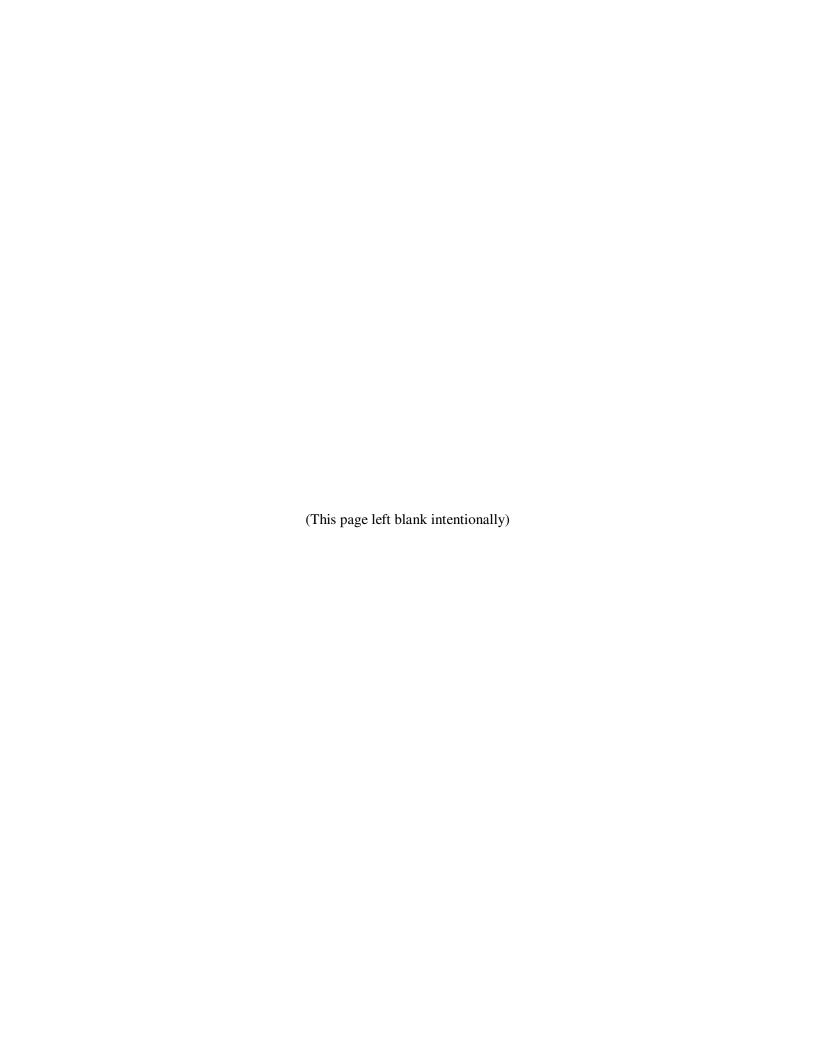
|                            | <br>1900        | 1900            | 1900            |
|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Land                       | \$<br>34,360    | \$<br>34,360    | \$<br>34,360    |
| Construction in progress   | -               | 27,124          | -               |
| Land improvements          | 35,979          | 35,979          | 35,979          |
| Buildings and improvements | 973,428         | 939,309         | 939,310         |
| Equipment                  | 2,477,323       | 1,838,483       | 1,820,914       |
| Accumulated depreciation   | <br>(2,185,797) | <br>(2,021,599) | <br>(1,898,562) |
| Total capital assets, net  | \$<br>1,335,293 | \$<br>853,656   | \$<br>932,001   |

### **Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget**

The Hospital has increased their rates and expanded services, which should increase revenues for the upcoming year. The Hospital continues to monitor costs throughout the year. The 2012 operating budget indicates a conservative net revenue of \$129,806. The Hospital's continued mission is to provide acute care to Pawhuska and the surrounding area.

### **Requests for Information**

This financial report is designed to provide our patients, suppliers, taxpayers, and creditors with a general overview of the Hospital's finances and to show the Hospital's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, contact Pawhuska Hospital, Inc., 1101 E 15th St, Pawhuska, Oklahoma 74056.



|   | <br>2011        | _               |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| Assets  |                 |                 |
| Current Assets  |                 |                 |
| Cash and cash equivalents                             | \$<br>504,331   | \$<br>382,879   |
| Short-term investments                                | 1,024,121       | 667,352         |
| Patient receivables, net of estimated uncollectibles  |                 |                 |
| of \$304,941 in 2011 and \$216,698 in 2010            | 673,445         | 374,747         |
| Related-party receivable                              | 8,852           | 12,428          |
| Supplies  | 136,334         | 109,865         |
| Prepaids  | <br>18,453      | <br>15,080      |
| Total current assets                                  | <br>2,365,536   | <br>1,562,351   |
| Capital Assets  |                 |                 |
| Land  | 34,360          | 34,360          |
| Construction in progress                              | -               | 27,124          |
| Depreciable capital assets, net of accumulated        |                 |                 |
| depreciation  | <br>1,300,933   | <br>792,172     |
| Total capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation | <br>1,335,293   | <br>853,656     |
| Total assets  | \$<br>3,700,829 | \$<br>2,416,007 |

|   | 1    | 1900      |                 |
|---|------|-----------|-----------------|
| Liabilities and Net Assets                      |      |           |                 |
| Current Liabilities                             |      |           |                 |
| Current maturities of long-term debt            | \$   | 105,118   | \$<br>-         |
| Accounts payable - trade                        |      | 52,679    | 91,785          |
| Accrued expenses                                |      |           |                 |
| Payroll and taxes                               |      | 91,989    | 131,579         |
| Vacation  |      | 53,140    | 49,468          |
| Estimated third-party payor settlements         |      | 768,793   | 70,545          |
| Total current liabilities                       | 1    | ,071,719  | 343,377         |
| Long-term Debt, Less Current Maturities         |      | 408,354   | <br>            |
| Total liabilities                               | 1    | ,480,073  | <br>343,377     |
| Net Assets                                      |      |           |                 |
| Invested in capital assets, net of related debt |      | 821,821   | 853,656         |
| Unrestricted                                    | 1    | ,398,935  | 1,218,974       |
|   |      | .,        |                 |
| Total net assets                                | 2    | 2,220,756 | 2,072,630       |
| Total liabilities and net assets                | \$ 3 | 3,700,829 | \$<br>2,416,007 |

|  | 1900         |              |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Operating Revenue                                      |              |              |
| Patient service revenue, net of provision for bad debt |              |              |
| of \$480,821 for 2011 and \$386,236 for 2010           | \$ 3,793,466 | \$ 2,913,951 |
| Other revenue  | 5,423        | 6,985        |
| Total operating revenue                                | 3,798,889    | 2,920,936    |
| Operating Expenses                                     |              |              |
| Daily patient services                                 | 733,422      | 715,705      |
| Other nursing services                                 | 311,472      | 254,568      |
| Other professional services                            | 1,209,068    | 882,235      |
| General services                                       | 420,530      | 362,330      |
| Administrative services                                | 943,324      | 910,840      |
| Depreciation   | 164,198      | 122,485      |
| Total operating expenses                               | 3,782,014    | 3,248,163    |
| Operating Loss   | 16,875       | (327,227)    |
| Non-operating Revenue (Expense)                        |              |              |
| Investment income                                      | 8,143        | 9,526        |
| Interest expense                                       | (19,308)     | (4,609)      |
| Net non-operating revenue                              | (11,165)     | 4,917        |
| Net non-operating revenue                              | (11,103)     | 4,917        |
| Revenues in excess (less than) Expenses                | 5,710        | (322,310)    |
| Water fees - City of Pawhuska                          | 112,542      | 114,545      |
| Capital contributions                                  | 29,874       | 29,301       |
| Change in Net Assets                                   | 148,126      | (178,464)    |
| Net Assets, Beginning of the Year                      | 2,072,630    | 2,251,094    |
| Net Assets, End of the Year                            | \$ 2,220,756 | \$ 2,072,630 |

|   | 1900  |   |
|---|---|---|
| Operating Activities Patients and third-party payors Other revenue Payments to vendors and suppliers Payments to employees  | \$ 4,193,016<br>8,999<br>(1,794,919)<br>(1,927,763)   | \$ 3,589,323<br>4,045<br>(1,390,719)<br>(1,769,347)             |
| Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities   | 479,333   | 433,302   |
| Capital and Capital Related Financing Activities Principal payments on notes payable Purchase of equipment Interest paid Water fees - City of Pawhuska Capital contributions Proceeds from issuance of debt | (52,940)<br>(79,423)<br>(19,308)<br>112,542<br>29,874 | (242,000)<br>(44,140)<br>(4,609)<br>114,545<br>29,301<br>97,000 |
| Net Cash used for Capital and Capital-Related<br>Financing Activities   | (9,255)   | (49,903)  |
| Investing Activities Proceeds from sale of investments Purchases of investments Interest income   | 665,106<br>(1,021,875)<br>8,143                       | 376,378<br>(667,352)<br>9,526                                   |
| Net Cash used for Investing Activities  | (348,626)   | (281,448)   |
| Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents   | 121,452   | 101,951   |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Year  | 382,879   | 280,928   |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Year  | \$ 504,331  | \$ 382,879  |
| Supplementary Disclosure of Cash Flow Information  Non each Investing Capital and Financing Activities  |   |   |
| Non-cash Investing, Capital, and Financing Activities<br>Property and equipment purchased through capital leases  | \$ 566,412  | \$ -  |

|  | 1900 |           | 2010 |           |
|--|------|-----------|------|-----------|
| Reconciliation of Operating Loss to            |      |           |      |           |
| Net Cash from Operating Activities             |      |           |      |           |
| Operating loss                                 | \$   | 16,875    | \$   | (327,227) |
| Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net |      |           |      |           |
| cash from operating activities                 |      |           |      |           |
| Provision for bad debt                         |      | 480,821   |      | 386,236   |
| Depreciation                                   |      | 164,198   |      | 122,485   |
| Changes in assets and liabilities              |      | ,         |      | ,         |
| Patient receivables                            |      | (779,519) |      | (426,409) |
| Related party receivable                       |      | 3,576     |      | (2,940)   |
| Supplies and prepaid expenses                  |      | (29,842)  |      | (39,616)  |
| Estimated third-party payor settlements        |      | 698,248   |      | 715,545   |
| Accounts payable                               |      | (39,106)  |      | 1,532     |
| Accrued expenses                               |      | (35,918)  |      | 3,696     |
| Net Cash from Operating Activities             | \$   | 479,333   | \$   | 433,302   |

### Note 1 - Organization and Significant Accounting Policies

### **Organization**

Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. (the Hospital) is a private, not-for-profit corporation organized on January 7, 1972, under the laws of the State of Oklahoma, for the purpose of operating a medical care institution. The Board of Trustees consists of five members. These members are appointed and approved by the Board of Incorporators. The Board of Incorporators is determined by the City Council of Pawhuska. As the City Council of Pawhuska indirectly determines the Hospital's Board of Trustees, the Hospital must adhere to standards set by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. The Hospital earns revenue by providing inpatient and outpatient care and community services to meet the patients physiological, emotional, chronological maturation process, and spiritual needs.

### **Income Taxes**

The Hospital is organized as an Oklahoma nonprofit corporation and has been recognized by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) as exempt from federal income taxes under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3). The Hospital is annually required to file a Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax (Form 990) with the IRS. In addition, the Hospital is subject to income tax on net income that is derived from business activities that are unrelated to its exempt purpose. The Hospital has determined it is not subject to unrelated business income tax and has not filed an Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return (Form 990T) with the IRS.

The Hospital believes that it has appropriate support for any tax positions taken affecting its annual filing requirements and, as such, does not have any uncertain tax positions that are material to the financial statements. The Hospital would recognize future accrued interest and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits and liabilities in income tax expense if such interest and penalties are incurred.

### **Proprietary Fund Accounting**

The Hospital uses proprietary fund accounting. Revenues and expenses are recognized on the accrual basis. Based on Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 20, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Proprietary Funds and Other Governmental Entities that Use Proprietary Fund Accounting*, as amended, the Hospital has elected to apply the provisions of all relevant pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB), including those issued after November 30, 1989 that do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements.

### **Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Estimates also affect the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents include highly liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less.

### **Short-term investments**

Short-term investments include certificates of deposit and U.S. Treasury securities with an original maturity of three to twelve months.

### **Patient Receivables**

Patient receivables are uncollateralized non-interest bearing customer and third-party payor obligations.

Payments of patient receivables are allocated to the specific claims identified on the remittance advice or, if unspecified, are applied to the earliest unpaid claim.

The carrying amount of patient receivables is reduced by a valuation allowance that reflects management's estimate of amounts that will not be collected from patients and third-party payors. Management reviews patient receivables by payor class and applies percentages to determine estimated amounts that will not be collected from third parties under contractual agreements and amounts that will not be collected from patients due to bad debts. Management considers historical write-off and recovery information in determining the estimated bad debt provision.

### **Supplies**

Supplies are stated at lower of cost (first-in, first-out) or market.

### **Capital Assets**

Capital asset acquisitions in excess of \$5,000 are capitalized and recorded at cost. Depreciation is provided over the estimated useful life of each depreciable asset and is computed using the straight-line method. Equipment under capital lease obligations is amortized on the straight-line method over the shorter period of the lease term or the estimated useful life of the equipment. Amortization is included in depreciation and amortization in the financial statements. The estimated useful lives of capital assets are as follows:

| Land improvements          | 3-15 years |
|----------------------------|------------|
| Buildings and improvements | 5-40 years |
| Moveable equipment         | 5-20 years |

Gifts of long-lived assets such as land, buildings, or equipment are reported as additions to unrestricted net assets, and are excluded from revenues in excess (less than) expenses, unless explicit donor stipulations specify how the donated asset must be used. Gifts of long-lived assets with explicit restrictions that specify how the assets are to be used and gifts of cash or other assets that must be used to acquire long-lived assets are reported as restricted net assets. Absent explicit donor stipulations about how long those long-lived assets must be maintained, expirations of donor restrictions are reported when donated or when acquired long-lived assets are placed in service.

### **Grants and Contributions**

From time to time, the Hospital receives contributions from individuals and private organizations. Revenues from grants and contributions, including contributions of capital assets, are recognized when all eligibility requirements, including time requirements, are met. Grants and contributions may be restricted for either specific operating purposes or for capital purposes. Amounts that are unrestricted or that are restricted to a specific operating purpose are reported as non-operating revenues. Amounts restricted to capital acquisitions are reported after non-operating revenues and expenses.

### **Revenues Less Than Expenses**

Revenues less than expenses excludes water fees provided by the City of Pawhuska and capital contributions.

### **Net Patient Service Revenue**

The Hospital has agreements with third-party payors that provide for payments to the Hospital at amounts different from its established rates. Payment arrangements include prospectively determined rates, reimbursed costs, discounted charges, and per diem payments. Net patient service revenue is reported at the estimated net realizable amounts from patients, third-party payors, and others for services rendered, including estimated retroactive adjustments under reimbursement agreements with third-party payors. Retroactive adjustments are accrued on an estimated basis in the period the related services are rendered and adjusted in future periods, as final settlements are determined.

### **Operating Revenues and Expenses**

The Hospital's statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets distinguishes between operating and non-operating revenues and expenses. Operating revenues result from exchange transactions associated with providing health care services – the Hospital's principal activity. Non-exchange revenues, including taxes, grants, and contributions received for purposes other than capital asset acquisition, are reported as non-operating revenues. Operating expenses are all expenses incurred to provide health care services, other than financing costs.

### **Charity Care**

To fulfill its mission of community service, the Hospital provides care to patients who meet certain criteria under its charity care policy without charge or at amounts less than its established rates. Because the Hospital does not pursue collection of amounts determined to qualify as charity care, they are not reported as patient service revenue.

### **Advertising Costs**

The Hospital expenses advertising costs as incurred.

### **Compensated Absences**

The Hospital's employees earn vacation at varying rates depending on years of service. Vacation times accrue during the year and any days not used at year-end roll over to the next year, up to the maximum allowance which is also determined by years of service. Additionally, employees earn sick leave benefits based on varying rates depending on years of services up to a maximum. If proper notice of termination is given, employees can receive

75 percent of accumulated time. Employees have the option to sell back up to 40 hours of accrued paid time off at 100% of their pay rate; however, this option is restricted to the employee's anniversary date only.

### **Risk Management**

The Hospital is exposed to various risks of loss from torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; business interruption; errors and omissions; employee injuries and illnesses; natural disasters; medical malpractice; and employee health, dental, and accident benefits. Commercial insurance coverage is purchased for claims arising from such matters. Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the three preceding years.

### Reclassification

Certain amounts in the 2010 financial statements have been reclassified to conform to the 2011 presentation. The reclassification had no impact on previously reported changes in net assets.

### **Note 2 - Charity Care**

The Hospital maintains records to identify and monitor the level of charity care it provides. These records include the amount of charges foregone for services and supplies furnished under its charity care policy and equivalent service statistics. Uninsured individuals are eligible to receive an upfront 25% charity care discount. Additional discounts are available based on the individual's income. The amounts of charges foregone, based on established rates, were \$106,667 and \$82,097 for the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively.

### **Note 3 - Net Patient Service Revenue**

The Hospital has agreements with third-party payors that provide for payments to the Hospital at amounts different from its established rates. A summary of the payment arrangements with major third-party payors follows:

Medicare: The Hospital is licensed as a Critical Access Hospital (CAH). The Hospital is reimbursed for most inpatient and outpatient services at cost with final settlement determined after submission of an annual cost report by the Hospital and are subject to audits thereof by the Medicare intermediary. The Hospital's Medicare cost reports have been audited by the Medicare fiscal intermediary through the year ended September 30, 2010. The Hospital's classification of patients under the Medicare program and the appropriateness of their admission are subject to an independent review by a peer review organization under contract with the Hospital.

Medicaid: Inpatient services rendered to Medicaid program beneficiaries are paid at prospectively determined rates per discharge. These rates vary according to a patient classification system that is based on clinical, diagnostic, and other factors. Outpatient services related to Medicaid beneficiaries are paid based on the lower of customary charges, allowable costs as determined through the Hospital's Medicare cost report, or rates as established by the Medicaid program.

Other: The Hospital has also entered into payment agreements with certain commercial insurance carriers and other organizations. The basis for payment to the Hospital under these agreements includes prospectively determined rates per discharge, discounts from established charges, and prospectively determined daily rates.

Revenue from the Medicare and Medicaid programs accounted for approximately 55% and 15%, respectively, of the Hospital's net patient service revenue for the year ended September 30, 2011 and 54% and 18%, respectively, for the year ended September 30, 2010. Laws and regulations governing the Medicare, Medicaid, and other programs are extremely complex and subject to interpretation. As a result, there is at least a reasonable possibility that recorded estimates will change by a material amount in the near term. The net patient service revenue for the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010 was not impacted due to changes in allowances as a result of final settlements and for years that are no longer likely subject to audits, reviews, and investigations.

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) has implemented a Recovery Audit Contractor (RAC) program under which claims subsequent to October 1, 2007 are reviewed by contractors for validity, accuracy, and proper documentation. A demonstration project completed in several other states resulted in the identification of potential overpayments, some being significant. If selected for audit, the potential exists that the Hospital may incur a liability for claims overpayment at a future date. The Hospital is unable to determine if it will be audited and, if so, the extent of the liability of overpayments, if any. As the outcome of such potential reviews is unknown and cannot be reasonably estimated, it is the Hospital's policy to adjust revenue for deductions for overpayment amounts or additions from underpayment amounts determined under the RAC audits at the time a charge reimbursement is agreed upon between the Hospital and CMS.

A summary of net patient service revenue for the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010 is as follows:

|   | <br>1900                 |                      |
|---|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Total patient service revenue                   | \$<br>4,138,142          | \$<br>2,733,690      |
| Contractual adjustments Provision for bad debts | <br>136,145<br>(480,821) | 566,497<br>(386,236) |
| Net patient service revenue                     | \$<br>3,793,466          | \$<br>2,913,951      |

It should be noted that many of the Hospital's charges are set at levels less than the prevailing rates paid by Medicare and Medicaid; therefore, the contractual adjustments for these account classifications increase total revenue.

### Note 4 - Investments and Investment Income

### **Short-term Investments**

Short-term investments include certificates of deposit with an original maturity date between three and twelve months. Short-term investments are stated at their historical cost, plus accrued interest.

### **Investment Income**

Investment income and gains and losses on short-term investments and cash equivalents consist of the following for the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010:

|                                   | 1900 |       |    |       |
|-----------------------------------|------|-------|----|-------|
| Other income<br>Investment income | \$   | 8,143 | \$ | 9,526 |

### **Note 5 - Capital Assets**

Capital assets additions, retirements, and balances for the year ended September 30, 2011 and 2010 were as follows:

|                                   | Balance<br>September 30, | Additions  | Disposals/<br>Transfers | Balance<br>September 30, |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Land                              | \$ 34,360                | \$ -       | \$ -                    | \$ 34,360                |
| Land improvements                 | 35,979                   | -          | -                       | 35,979                   |
| Buildings and improvements        | 939,309                  | 34,119     | _                       | 973,428                  |
| Equipment                         | 1,838,483                | 611,716    | 27,124                  | 2,477,323                |
| Construction in progress          | 27,124                   | 011,710    | (27,124)                | 2,177,323                |
| Construction in progress          | 27,124                   |            | (27,124)                |                          |
| Total, at historical cost         | 2,875,255                | 645,835    |                         | 3,521,090                |
| Less accumulated depreciation for |                          |            |                         |                          |
| Land improvements                 | 28,004                   | 984        | _                       | 28,988                   |
| Buildings and improvements        | 567,060                  | 36,889     | 13,743                  | 617,692                  |
| Equipment                         | 1,426,535                | 126,325    | (13,743)                | 1,539,117                |
| Equipment                         | 1,420,333                | 120,323    | (13,743)                | 1,557,117                |
| Total accumulated                 |                          |            |                         |                          |
| depreciation                      | 2,021,599                | 164,198    | _                       | 2,185,797                |
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| Capital assets, net               | \$ 853,656               | \$ 481,637 | \$ -                    | \$ 1,335,293             |

|                                   | Balance<br>September 30, Additions |    | oosals/<br>nsfers | Balance<br>September 30, |    |           |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|----|-------------------|--------------------------|----|-----------|
| Land                              | \$<br>34,360                       | \$ | -                 | \$<br>-                  | \$ | 34,360    |
| Land improvements                 | 35,979                             |    | -                 | -                        |    | 35,979    |
| Buildings and improvements        | 939,309                            |    | -                 | -                        |    | 939,309   |
| Equipment                         | 1,821,467                          |    | 17,016            | -                        |    | 1,838,483 |
| Construction in progress          | <br>                               |    | 27,124            | <br>                     |    | 27,124    |
| Total, at historical cost         | 2,831,115                          |    | 44,140            | <br>                     |    | 2,875,255 |
| Less accumulated depreciation for |                                    |    |                   |                          |    |           |
| Land improvements                 | 27,020                             |    | 984               | -                        |    | 28,004    |
| Buildings and improvements        | 530,260                            |    | 36,800            | -                        |    | 567,060   |
| Equipment                         | <br>1,341,834                      |    | 84,701            | <br>                     |    | 1,426,535 |
| Total accumulated                 | 1,899,114                          |    | 122,485           |                          |    | 2,021,599 |
| depreciation                      | <br>1,099,114                      |    | 122,403           | <br>                     |    | 4,041,399 |
| Capital assets, net               | \$<br>932,001                      | \$ | (78,345)          | \$<br>-                  | \$ | 853,656   |

### **Note 6 - Cash and Deposits**

At September 30, 2011 and 2010, the Hospital had bank balances as follows:

|  | 1900         |              |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Insured (FDIC) Collateralized by securities held by the pledging financial | \$ 1,115,260 | \$ 829,720   |
| institution's trust department in the Authority's name                     | 507,479      | 293,341      |
| Total  | \$ 1,622,739 | \$ 1,123,061 |
| Carrying value   | \$ 1,528,452 | \$ 1,050,231 |

The Hospital's bank balances at September 30, 2011 and 2010 are shown on the balance sheets as follows:

| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 504,331   | \$ 382,879   |
|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Short-term investments    | 1,024,121    | 667,352      |
| Total                     | \$ 1,528,452 | \$ 1,050,231 |

### **Custodial Credit Risk**

Exposure to custodial credit related to deposits exists when the Hospital holds deposits that are uninsured and uncollateralized; collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution, or by its trust department or agent but not in the Hospital's name; or collateralized without a written or approved collateral agreement. Exposure to custodial credit risk related to investments exists when the Hospital holds investments that are uninsured and unregistered, with securities held by the counterparty or by its trust department or agent but not in the Hospital's name.

### **Investment Credit Risk**

Investment credit risk is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. The Hospital's investment policy limits investments to certificates of deposit, savings accounts, and other trusted funds.

### **Concentration of Investment Credit Risk**

Exposure to concentration of credit risk is considered to exist when investments in any one issuer represent a significant percent of total investments. Investments issued or explicitly guaranteed by the U.S. government and investment in mutual funds, external investment pools, and other pooled investments are excluded from this consideration.

### Note 7 - Leases

The Hospital leases certain equipment under non-cancelable, long-term lease agreements. Certain leases have been recorded as capitalized leases and others as operating leases. For the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010, total lease expense for all operating leases was \$37,757 and \$39,985, respectively. The capitalized leased assets consisted of:

| Major movable equipment   | \$<br>566,412 | \$<br>- |
|---|---------------|---------|
| Less accumulated amortization (included as depreciation on the accompanying financial statements) | <br>(47,201)  |         |
| Total   | \$<br>519,211 | \$<br>  |

### Note 8 - Long-term Debt

A summary of long-term debt as of September 30, 2011 and 2010, follows:

|   | Balance<br>September 30, | Additions  | Reductions | Balance<br>September 30,<br>2011 | Amounts Due Within One Year |
|---|--------------------------|------------|------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Notes payable                                   |                          |            |            |                                  |                             |
| Capital leases (2)                              | \$ -                     | \$ 566,412 | \$ 52,940  | \$ 513,472                       | \$ 105,118                  |
|   | Balance                  |            |            | Balance                          | Amounts                     |
|   | September 30,            |            |            | September 30,                    | Due Within                  |
| Notes payable:                                  |                          | Additions  | Reductions |                                  | One Year                    |
| Line of credit with a financial institution (1) | \$ 145,000               | \$ 97,000  | \$ 242,000 | \$ -                             | \$ -                        |

The terms and due dates of the Hospital's long-term debt at September 30, 2011 and 2010 were as follows:

- (1) 2.74% line of credit; due September 2010; secured by certificate of deposit; maximum balance on line is \$145,000
- (2) Capital lease obligations; imputed interest of 4.6%; collateralized by leased equipment with a cost of \$566,412

Scheduled principal and interest repayments on capital lease obligations are as follows:

| V . P. I'                 | Capital Leases |    |          |  |  |  |
|---------------------------|----------------|----|----------|--|--|--|
| Year Ending September 30, | Principal      |    | Interest |  |  |  |
| 2012                      | \$ 105,118     | \$ | 21,422   |  |  |  |
| 2013                      | 110,057        |    | 16,483   |  |  |  |
| 2014                      | 115,228        |    | 11,312   |  |  |  |
| 2015                      | 120,641        |    | 5,899    |  |  |  |
| 2016                      | 62,428         |    | 840      |  |  |  |
| Total                     | \$ 513,472     | \$ | 55,956   |  |  |  |

### Note 9 - Retirement Plan

The Hospital offers a 403(b) tax sheltered annuity plan to employees. Currently, the Hospital does not make contributions on behalf of the employee. Employees are allowed to make elective or after-tax contributions to the plan; there are certain limitations imposed by the IRS for the total amount of annual contributions that may be made to an employee's 403(b) account and limits on the amount of elective deferrals that employee may make to a 403(b) plan. Distributions may generally be made because of the employee's death, disability, severance from employment, attainment of age  $59 \frac{1}{2}$ , or, in the case of salary reduction, financial hardship.

### **Note 10 - Related Party Transactions**

The Hospital has a management agreement with Jane Phillips Medical Center. For the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010, the Hospital incurred expenses of \$184,740 and \$137,276, respectively, under this contract. Total amounts due to Jane Phillips Medical Center as of September 30, 2011 and 2010 were \$22,088 and \$29,921, respectively.

The City of Pawhuska passed an ordinance to assess a meter fee on residential water meters. For the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010, the City of Pawhuska transferred \$112,542 and \$114,545, respectively, to the Hospital. Total amounts due from the City of Pawhuska as of September 30, 2011 and 2010 were \$8,852 and \$12,428, respectively.

### **Note 11 - Concentrations of Credit Risk**

The Hospital grants credit without collateral to its patients, most of who are insured under third-party payor agreements. The mix of receivables from third-party payors and patients at September 30, 2011 and 2010 was as follows:

|                          | 1900 |      |
|--------------------------|------|------|
| Medicare and Medicaid    | 36%  | 38%  |
| Other third-party payors | 34%  | 38%  |
| Patients                 | 30%  | 24%  |
| Total                    | 100% | 100% |

### **Note 12 - Contingencies**

### **Malpractice Insurance**

The Hospital has malpractice insurance coverage to provide protection for professional liability losses on a claims-made basis subject to a limit of \$1,000,000 per claim and an annual aggregate limit of \$3,000,000. Should the claims-made policy not be renewed or replaced with equivalent insurance, claims based on occurrences during its term, but reported subsequently, would be uninsured.

### Litigation

The Hospital is subject to the usual contingencies in the normal course of operations relating to the performance of its tasks under its various programs. In the opinion of management, the ultimate settlement of any litigation, claims, and disputes in process will not be material to the financial position, operations, or cash flows of the Hospital.

The health care industry is subject to numerous laws and regulations of federal, state, and local governments. Compliance with these laws and regulations, specifically those relating to the Medicare and Medicaid programs, can be subject to government review and interpretation, as well as regulator actions unknown and unasserted at this time. Federal government activity has increased with respect to investigations and allegations concerning possible violations by health care providers of regulations which could result in the imposition of significant fines and penalties, as well as significant repayments of previously billed and collected revenues from patient and resident services.

### **Note 13 - Subsequent Events**

The Hospital has evaluated subsequent events through April 30, 2012, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

Supplementary Information September 30, 2011 and 2010

## Pawhuska Hospital, Inc.





### **Independent Auditor's Report on Supplementary Information**

The Board of Trustees Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. Pawhuska, Oklahoma

We have audited the financial statements of Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. as of and for the years ended September 30, 2011 and 2010 and our report dated April 30, 2012, which expresses an unqualified opinion on those financial statements, appears on page 1. Our audits were performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The schedules of net patient service revenue, other revenue, and expenses on page 23-25 are presented for the purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and related directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Ed Saelly LLP

April 30, 2012

Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. Schedules of Net Patient Service Revenue Years Ended September 30, 2011 and 2010

|   |  | 1900  |   |   |  |  |
|---|--|---|---|---|--|--|
|   | Inpatient  | Outpatient  | Total   | <u>Inpatient</u>  | Outpatient   | Total  |
| Daily Patient Services Routine care Swing beds  | \$ 171,300<br>333,738  | \$ -<br>-   | \$ 171,300<br>333,738   | \$ 128,224<br>349,355   | \$ -<br>-  | \$ 128,224<br>349,355  |
| Total daily patient services  | 505,038  |   | 505,038   | 477,579   |  | 477,579  |
| Other Nursing Services<br>Emergency room  |  | 1,063,846   | 1,063,846   | <u>-</u>  | 860,483  | 860,483  |
| Other Professional Services Laboratory Pharmacy Physical therapy Radiology Respiratory therapy Wound care Central supply  Total other professional services | 134,928<br>170,298<br>110,398<br>59,719<br>127,911<br>-<br>3,109 | 609,608<br>217,912<br>193,435<br>683,243<br>10,910<br>340,923<br>13,531 | 744,536<br>388,210<br>303,833<br>742,962<br>138,821<br>340,923<br>16,640<br>2,675,925 | 48,726<br>114,474<br>137,447<br>18,123<br>196,046<br>-<br>2,038 | 268,953<br>136,911<br>263,608<br>274,556<br>4,462<br>-<br>12,381 | 317,679<br>251,385<br>401,055<br>292,679<br>200,508<br>-<br>14,419 |
| Charity care  | (106,667)  |   | (106,667)   | (82,097)  |  | (82,097)   |
| Gross Patient Services Revenue  | \$ 1,004,734   | \$ 3,133,408  | 4,138,142   | \$ 912,336  | \$ 1,821,354   | 2,733,690  |
| Less Adjustments Medicare and Medicaid contractual Other contractuals Provision for bad debts   |  |   | (626,927)<br>490,782<br>480,821   |   |  | (648,737)<br>82,240<br>386,236                                     |
| Total adjustments   |  |   | 344,676   |   |  | (180,261)  |
| Net Patient Service Revenue   |  |   | \$ 3,793,466  |   |  | \$ 2,913,951   |

|   | <br>1900          |                    |
|---|-------------------|--------------------|
| Other Revenue Cafeteria Medical records | \$<br>5,139<br>65 | \$<br>6,288<br>264 |
| Vending                                 | <br>219           | 433                |
| Total Other Revenue                     | \$<br>5,423       | \$<br>6,985        |

Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. Schedules of Expenses Years Ended September 30, 2011 and 2010

|   |  | 2011   |  |   | 2010   |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|---|--|--|--|--|
|   | Salaries   | Supplies and Expenses                                  | Total  | Salaries  | Supplies and Expenses                                  | Total  |  |  |
| Daily Patient Services Routine care Swing beds  | \$ 699,078<br>15,900                                   | \$ 18,124<br>320                                       | \$ 717,202<br>16,220   | \$ 681,163<br>14,886                                | \$ 19,656  | \$ 700,819<br>14,886   |  |  |
| Total patient services  | 714,978  | 18,444   | 733,422  | 696,049   | 19,656   | 715,705  |  |  |
| Other Nursing Services<br>Emergency room  | 290,755  | 20,717   | 311,472  | 245,334   | 9,234  | 254,568  |  |  |
| Other Professional Services Laboratory Pharmacy Physical therapy Radiology Respiratory therapy Wound care Professional fees | 111,809<br>32,899<br>78,311<br>127,439<br>12,343<br>95 | 176,343<br>70,585<br>3,909<br>15,607<br>-<br>579,728   | 288,152<br>103,484<br>82,220<br>143,046<br>12,343<br>95<br>579,728 | 90,782<br>31,943<br>77,614<br>119,977<br>11,563     | 88,668<br>29,014<br>2,622<br>13,424<br>-<br>416,628    | 179,450<br>60,957<br>80,236<br>133,401<br>11,563<br>-<br>416,628 |  |  |
| Total professional services   | 362,896  | 846,172  | 1,209,068  | 331,879   | 550,356  | 882,235  |  |  |
| General Services Central supply Dietary Housekeeping Laundry and linen Medical records Operation of plant                   | 32,969<br>51,662<br>30,892<br>-<br>57,093<br>56,384    | 9,801<br>34,091<br>6,354<br>18,053<br>2,307<br>120,924 | 42,770<br>85,753<br>37,246<br>18,053<br>59,400<br>177,308          | 31,910<br>55,882<br>24,313<br>-<br>59,844<br>45,210 | 11,138<br>28,371<br>8,035<br>16,954<br>2,726<br>77,947 | 43,048<br>84,253<br>32,348<br>16,954<br>62,570<br>123,157        |  |  |
| Total general services  | 229,000  | 191,530  | 420,530  | 217,159   | 145,171  | 362,330  |  |  |
| Administrative Services Administrative Employee benefits  | 294,216  | 126,358<br>522,750                                     | 420,574<br>522,750   | 285,435   | 138,848<br>486,557                                     | 424,283<br>486,557   |  |  |
| Total administrative services   | 294,216  | 649,108  | 943,324  | 285,435   | 625,405  | 910,840  |  |  |
| Depreciation  |  | 164,198  | 164,198  |   | 122,485  | 122,485  |  |  |
| Total expenses  | \$ 1,891,845   | \$ 1,890,169   | \$ 3,782,014   | \$ 1,775,856  | \$ 1,472,307   | \$ 3,248,163   |  |  |



# Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

The Board of Trustees Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. Pawhuska, Oklahoma

We have audited the financial statements of Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. (the Hospital), as of and for the year ended September 30, 2011, and have issued our report thereon dated April 30, 2012. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

### **Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Pawhuska Hospital, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Pawhuska Hospital, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Pawhuska Hospital, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses and therefore there can be no assurance that all such deficiencies have been identified; however, as discussed below, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses.

A *deficiency in internal* control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. We consider items 2011-01 through 2011-03 to be material weaknesses.

### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Hospital's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, non-compliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts; however, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests did not disclose any instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

Pawhuska Hospital, Inc.'s response to the findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings. We did not audit Pawhuska Hospital, Inc.'s response and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Trustees, management, others within the organization and regulatory agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Side Sailly LLP Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

April 30, 2012

### Findings - Financial Statements Audit - Internal Controls over Financial Reporting

### **2011-1** Preparation of Financial Statements

*Condition:* As auditors, we were requested to draft the financial statements and accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Criteria: Statement on Auditing Standards (SAS) 115 requires the auditor to assess the Hospital's accounting staff's ability to apply General Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) on an ongoing basis. The Hospital does not have an internal control system over financial reporting designed to provide for the preparation of the financial statements, including the accompanying footnotes as required by generally accepted accounting standards, on a periodic or annual basis. This circumstance is not unusual in an organization of your size. It is the responsibility of management and those charged with governance to make the decisions whether to accept the degree of risk associated with this condition because of cost or other considerations.

*Effect:* We noted a material weakness in the Hospital's internal controls over financial reporting and procedures related to the preparation of the financial statements.

Cause: The weakness is partially due to the resources of staff charged with financial reporting.

Auditor's Recommendation: We recommend that the Hospital periodically assess the accounting staffing and duties and that the Board review capabilities and resources required to prepare and examine the full set of financial statements and related disclosures.

Corrective Action Plan: Given the size of the Hospital, we do not think it would be cost-effective to fully cure this technical deficiency at this time. In addition, given the complex and constantly changing nature of financial reporting requirements, we believe that better results can be achieved by continuing to rely on the expertise of our outside auditors regarding these matters.

### **2011-2** Rollforward of Net Assets

Condition: Net assets did not properly include adjustments to net income from the prior-year audit.

*Criteria:* Net assets should rollforward from the prior year based on the audited results of the financial statements to verify proper posting of audit entries.

Effect: A material audit entry was required to properly state the balance in net assets.

Cause: Entries were posted from the audit based on conversations with the audit team instead of directly from the audit adjusting journal entries provided at the conclusion of the audit. Equity was not agreed to the audited financial statements of the prior year.

Auditor's Recommendation: It is recommended that the equity schedule created during the current fiscal year by the accounting team be utilized in the future, but compared to the information contained in the audit report to verify that all adjustments are recorded properly.

Management's Corrective Action Plan: The Regional Controller will complete an equity worksheet each year subsequent to the posting of any audit adjustments, but prior to the start of the next audit, to verify that all audit entries are properly posted and that equity agrees to the prior-year audited financial statements.

### 2011-3 Capital Leases:

Condition: The Hospital signed a lease that was not properly identified as a capital lease.

*Criteria:* Generally accepted account principles have established four criteria to determine if a lease should be considered a financing agreement (capital lease) or an operating lease. If the agreement constitutes a financing agreement, the associated asset should be capitalized and the corresponding debt recorded.

*Effect:* A material asset and the associated debt were not recorded, which resulted in material audit adjustments.

Cause: The Hospital does not have a procedure for evaluating leases to determine the proper treatment as either capital or operating.

Auditor's Recommendation: It is recommended that management design and implement a method for testing all approved leases. Documentation should be retained with the lease to indicate the conclusion.

*Management's Corrective Action Plan:* Management will discuss ways to track all new leases and review the accounting standards to determine which leases should be capitalized.

### **Prior-Year Findings**

### **2010-1** Preparation of Financial Statements:

Condition and Criteria: Auditing standard (SAS 115) lowers the threshold for identifying significant deficiencies for internal controls over financial reporting. Based on the new standard, Pawhuska Hospital, Inc. does not currently have the necessary staff resources to prepare the full set of financial statements, included related disclosures, and provide an internal control structure to properly prevent and detect related material misstatements.

*Effect:* We noted a significant deficiency in the Hospital's internal controls over financial reporting and procedures related to the preparation of the financial statements.

Cause: The weakness is partially due to the time resources of staff charged with financial reporting.

Auditor's Recommendation: We recommend that the Hospital periodically assess the accounting staffing and duties and the Board review capabilities and resources required to prepare and examine the full set of financial statements and related disclosures.

*Management Response:* Given the size of the Hospital, we do not think it would be cost-effective to fully cure this technical deficiency at this time. In addition, given the complex and constantly changing nature of

financial reporting requirements, we believe that better results can be achieved by continuing to rely on the expertise of our outside auditors regarding these matters.

*Status:* Management has continued to accept this risk and a finding has been noted for the current year at 2011-01.

### **2010-2** Prior-Year Audit Adjusting Entries:

Condition and Criteria: Professional standards require us to accumulate all known and likely misstatements identified during the audit and communicate them to the appropriate level of management. Management should then ensure the posting of the journal entries to the general ledger.

*Effect*: The Hospital's net assets accounts did not properly roll forward to the current period and internal financial statements were misstated throughout the current year.

*Cause*: The Hospital did not make the necessary adjusting journal entries to reverse the income statement effect of prior-year audit adjustments that were posted in the current period.

Auditor's Recommendation: We recommend that the Hospital post all audit adjustments proposed by the auditors. Full and proper posting should be verified prior to the start of the next audit.

*Management Response*: We will work on posting the entries at the end of each year and working with the auditors to determine if they have been properly posted.

*Status:* Management implemented a process for recording all journal entries provided as a part of the audit, including discussion with the audit team subsequent to issuance of the audit report.

### 2010-3 Current-Year Audit Adjusting Entries:

Condition and Criteria: During the course of our engagement, we proposed audit adjustments that would not have been identified as a result of Pawhuska Hospital, Inc.'s existing internal controls and, therefore, could have resulted in a misstatement of the Hospital's financial statements.

*Effect*: We noted the inventory count was performed at year-end, but the count was not reflected in the general ledger.

Cause: Management has not completed a full review of information prior to the start of the audit.

Auditor's Recommendation: We recommend a thorough review and reconciliation of all accounts should take place prior to the beginning of the audit. This review should be done at both the accounting staff level and supervisor level.

*Management Response*: We will work on reviewing all accounts and ensure entries are posted correctly and in timely manner before the beginning of the audit.

Status: Procedures were put into place during the year to reconcile all accounts on a periodic basis.

### 2010-4 Outdated Chargemaster:

*Condition and Criteria*: The Hospital should regularly update the chargemaster so that charges are equal to or exceed the reimbursement by Medicare or Medicaid.

*Effect*: The Hospital may not be maximizing reimbursement from other third-party payors due to charges being lower than what is reasonable and customary.

Cause: The chargemaster has not been fully updated to proper charge amounts.

Auditor's Recommendation: We recommend that the Hospital frequently update the chargemaster to take advantage of all possible reimbursements.

*Management Response*: We have updated the chargemaster during the year and will work to update it fully subsequent to year-end.

Status: Management is now working with an outside vendor to make regular updates to the chargemaster.

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