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## REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH *GOVERNMENTAL AUDITING STANDARDS*

### Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Trustees  
Southwest Texas Junior College  
2401 Garner Field Road  
Uvalde, Texas 78801

Members of the Board:

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Southwest Texas Junior College as of and for the year ended August 31, 2012 and 2011, which collectively comprise the Southwest Texas Junior College's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated November 9, 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. The financial statements of the Southwest Texas Junior College Foundation, Inc., a component unit of Southwest Texas Junior College, included in the accompanying basic financial statements, were not audited in accordance with standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Governmental Auditing Standards* and accordingly this report does not extend to that component unit.

### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

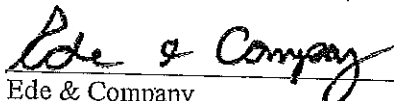
A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, 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.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Southwest Texas Junior College's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance 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 disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

This report is intended for the information of the College's Trustees, the audit committee, the administration, federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be used and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

  
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November 9, 2012