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| 1 | IRVINE, CALIFORNIA; WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31, 2005 |
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| 3 | (DUE TO TECHNICAL DIFFICULTY WITH THE |
| 4 | TELECONFERENCE CONNECTION, PROCEEDINGS HEARD PREVIOUS |
| 5 | TO THIS POINT WERE NOT REPORTED, NOR HEREIN |
| 6 | TRANSCRIBED. AN EXCERPT OF THE PROCEEDINGS IS PROVIDED |
| 7 | AS FOLLOWS:) |
| 8 | CHAIRPERSON LANSING CALLED THE MEETING TO |
| 9 | ORDER AND WELCOMED EVERYONE TO THE SECOND MEETING OF |
| 10 | THE GOVERNANCE SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE ICOC, INDICATING |
| 11 | PARTICIPANTS FROM SIX LOCATIONS, AND THANKING MEMBERS |
| 12 | FOR THEIR PARTICIPATION. |
| 13 | AMY DUROSS THEN CALLED THE ROLL, AFTER WHICH |
| 14 | CHAIRPERSON LANSING ASKED IF THERE WERE QUESTIONS OR |
| 15 | COMMENTS FROM SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS IN ALL LOCATIONS. |
| 16 | THE PUBLIC WAS THEN INVITED TO COMMENT AND ASKED TO |
| 17 | LIMIT THEIR COMMENTS TO THREE MINUTES. |
| 18 | CHAIRPERSON LANSING THEN INTRODUCED AGENDA |
| 19 | ITEM 3 AND ASKED ZACH HALL TO LEAD THE DISCUSSION. |
| 20 | FIRST ITEM: INTERNAL CIRM ORGANIZATION CHART |
| 21 | WAS AGREED UPON BY THE MEMBERS. |
| 22 | ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS OF THE CHART: |
| 23 | 1. OFFICE OF THE CHAIR REPORTS TO THE |
| 24 | PRESIDENT THROUGH THE CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIR. |
| 25 | 2. ALL OTHER UNITS REPORT TO THE PRESIDENT. |

| 1 | DR. PIZZO ASKED A QUESTION: HOW DOES THE |
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| 2 | OFFICE OF THE CHAIR ACTUALLY RELATE TO THE PRESIDENT? |
| 3 | DR. HALL ANSWERED AS FOLLOWS: WITH REGARD TO |
| 4 | THE ASSIGNMENT OF DUTIES AND THE ALLOCATION OF TIME, |
| 5 | THE CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIR ARE RESPONSIBLE. THEY REPORT |
| 6 | TO THE PRESIDENT REGARDING OFFICES OF THE CHAIR. |
| 7 | FOR ISSUES REGARDING PERSONNEL, THESE GO |
| 8 | DIRECTLY TO THE PRESIDENT. ALL FINAL DECISIONS ON |
| 9 | MERIT INCREASES AND PROMOTIONS, FOR EXAMPLE, WOULD BE |
| 10 | SUBJECT TO FINAL APPROVAL BY THE PRESIDENT. |
| 11 | THE PRESIDENT WILL HAVE FINAL SAY ON |
| 12 | BUDGETARY MATTERS, SUBJECT TO FINAL APPROVAL BY THE |
| 13 | I COC. |
| 14 | BUDGETING IS UNDERWAY INTERNALLY AT THE |
| 15 | CIRM. UNITS AT THE CIRM HAVE BEEN TASKED WITH |
| 16 | DEVELOPING THEIR OWN BUDGETS. |
| 17 | I HAVE CREATED A SENIOR STAFF MEETING TO DEAL |
| 18 | WITH OPERATIONAL ISSUES. THIS CONSISTS OF THE |
| 19 | PRESIDENT, THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER, THE |
| 20 | SCIENCE OFFICER, THE DEPUTIES TO THE CHAIR AND |
| 21 | VICE-CHAIR, AMY DUROSS, MARY MAXON, AND AMY LEWIS. |
| 22 | |
| 23 | (AFTER PHONE CONNECTION WAS MADE, THE |
| 24 | PROCEEDINGS WERE THEN HEARD AND REPORTED AS FOLLOWS:) |
| 25 | |

- 1 DR. PIZZO: ... THE CIRM UNDER THE OFFICE OF
- 2 THE PRESIDENT WOULD INCLUDE PERSONNEL. WE SURELY DON'T
- 3 WANT TO BRING BACK --
- 4 CHAI RPERSON LANSING: NO. NO. NO. BECAUSE
- 5 THEN IT WOULD BE AN APPROVED ITEM IN THE BUDGET, AND WE
- 6 WOULDN'T HAVE TO. SO YOU ARE QUITE RIGHT. I MEAN THIS
- 7 IS ALL GOING TO GO AWAY ONCE WE HAVE THE APPROVED
- 8 BUDGET, OR MOST OF IT ANYWAY, SO IT WOULD BE FOR JUST A
- 9 RARE SITUATION THAT WASN'T IN THE BUDGET.
- 10 DR. PIZZO: RIGHT. OKAY. SO IT'S REALLY AN
- 11 INTERIM PROCEDURE.
- 12 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: ABSOLUTELY. LOOK, I
- 13 DON'T WANT TO OVERREACT. I JUST WANT TO BE AS
- 14 CONSERVATIVE AS POSSIBLE, YOU KNOW, ONLY BECAUSE YOU
- 15 RAISED THE QUESTION OF THE FURNITURE.
- 16 DR. STEWARD: EXCUSE ME. THIS IS IRVINE. WE
- 17 HAD THE WRONG PHONE NUMBER AND CODE AND HAVE BEEN
- 18 LISTENING TO TERRIBLE MUSAK HERE.
- 19 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I'M GLAD YOU'RE HERE.
- 20 SO WE HAVE MORE THAN A QUORUM. WE'RE DISCUSSING
- 21 WHETHER OR NOT THE APPROVAL UNTIL WE GET A BUDGET IS
- 22 FOR EVERYTHING, NOT JUST CONTRACTS, FOR ANY PURCHASES.
- 23 AND I THINK NOW CLAIRE AT DAVIS.
- 24 DR. POMEROY: THANK YOU. I HAVE A COUPLE OF
- 25 QUESTIONS. I WOULD SUPPORT AS AN INTERIM PROCEDURE

- 1 THAT WE ADD ANY EXPENDITURE TO THE CONTRACTS AND USING
- THE SAME RULE. MY RECOLLECTION IS THE SAME AS DR.
- 3 HALL'S, WHICH WAS THAT WE HAD LIMITED IT TO SERVICE
- 4 CONTRACTS AT THE MEETING, BUT I THINK THIS IS A GOOD
- 5 MOVE.
- 6 I HAVE A QUESTION AND THEN A COMMENT. THE
- 7 FIRST QUESTION IS SINCE WE BROUGHT IT UP, COULD SOMEONE
- 8 PLEASE GIVE US AN ESTIMATE OF WHAT WE AGREED TO IN THE
- 9 BID FOR THE FURNITURE EXPENDITURE? HOW MUCH MONEY ARE
- 10 WE TALKING ABOUT?
- 11 MR. BARNES: THAT'S ACTUALLY SOMETHING WE'RE
- 12 GOING TO GO THROUGH WITH THE BUDGET, BUT JUST TO ANSWER
- 13 YOUR QUESTION, THE ACTUAL COST OF THE FURNITURE IS
- 14 ESTIMATED AT 240,000, OF WHICH HALF WILL BE PAID AT THE
- 15 TIME OF DELIVERY OF ALL OF THE FURNITURE IN OCTOBER,
- 16 AND THE OTHER HALF WILL BE DEFERRED PAYMENT UNTIL NEXT
- 17 FI SCAL YEAR.
- DR. POMEROY: AND THAT FIGURE IS FOR ENOUGH
- 19 FURNITURE FOR THE 50 OR SO EMPLOYEES THAT WILL
- 20 ULTIMATELY BE AT THIS SITE?
- 21 DR. HALL: WELL, THAT'S AT THE DISCOUNT.
- DR. POMEROY: I UNDERSTAND, THAT THAT'S THE
- 23 DISCOUNTED PRICES FOR THE ENTIRE FURNITURE.
- 24 MR. BARNES: CONFERENCE ROOMS AND THE
- TRAINING PROGRAMS AND THE CONFERENCE AREAS, SO IT'S

- 1 EVERYTHI NG.
- DR. POMEROY: OKAY.
- 3 DR. HALL: WE FIGURE AN 85-PERCENT DISCOUNT;
- 4 IS THAT RIGHT?
- 5 MR. BARNES: IT'S ABOUT 84-PERCENT DISCOUNT.
- 6 DR. POMEROY: AND THAT MAKES IT MAKE MORE
- 7 SENSE BECAUSE I WAS JUST IMPRESSED YOU WERE GOING TO
- 8 GET ALL THAT FURNITURE FOR THAT MUCH MONEY.
- 9 MY SECOND IS A COMMENT, WHICH IS WHEN WE DO
- 10 HAVE A DETAILED BUDGET, I WOULD SUGGEST THAT THIS
- 11 COMMITTEE CONSIDER THAT OUR APPROVED BUDGET WOULD NOT
- 12 HAVE -- ITEMS WOULD NOT HAVE TO COME BACK HERE, BUT WE
- 13 MIGHT CONSIDER WHAT MOST ORGANIZATIONS DO, WHICH IS
- 14 DEFINING WHAT VARIANCE WOULD REQUIRE A CONSIDERATION BY
- 15 THE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE.
- 16 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I THINK THAT'S AN
- 17 EXCELLENT I DEA.
- DR. HALL: LET ME JUST SAY THAT I WOULD LIKE
- 19 TO CONSIDER THE BUDGET WE'RE GOING TO DISCUSS TODAY AS
- 20 THE PRELIMINARY BUDGET. AND WHAT OUR HOPE IS IS TO
- 21 BRING BACK TO YOU A BETTER ESTIMATE THAT IS BASED ON
- 22 THE PROCESS THAT I'VE JUST DESCRIBED. WE HAVE NOT YET
- 23 COMPLETED THE PROCESS OF ASKING EACH OF THE UNITS TO
- 24 MAKE A TOUGH ESTIMATE OF WHAT THEY WILL NEED AND THEN
- 25 TO JUSTIFY THAT, AND THEN TO HAVE THEM HAVE A BUDGET

- 1 ASSIGNED TO THEM. I WOULD VERY MUCH LIKE TO PROCEED
- 2 THAT WAY. I THINK THAT'S THE BEST WAY FOR THE UNITS
- 3 WITHIN THE INSTITUTE TO BE ACCOUNTABLE AND THE BEST WAY
- 4 FOR WALTER AND I TO BE ACCOUNTABLE TO YOU.
- 5 DR. POMEROY: SO I WOULD THEN JUST AMEND MY
- 6 SUGGESTION THAT THIS INTERIM PROCESS STAY IN PLACE
- 7 UNTIL WE HAVE THAT FINAL BUDGET THAT YOU REFER TO,
- 8 ZACH, AND THEN GO WITH THE VARIANCE APPROACH.
- 9 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: IRVINE, ARE THERE ANY
- 10 COMMENTS FROM ANY OF YOU?
- DR. STEWARD: NO.
- 12 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: ALL RIGHT. SO LET'S
- 13 CONTINUE THEN.
- 14 MR. BARNES: THE ONLY OTHER INFORMATION I
- 15 PROVIDED WAS THAT THE EDELMAN CONTRACT AND THE REMCHO
- 16 JOHANSEN THAT WAS APPROVED.
- 17 THE REPORTER: MR. BARNES, COULD YOU GET
- 18 CLOSER TO A MICROPHONE, PLEASE?
- 19 DR. STEWARD: WALTER, CAN YOU GET A LITTLE
- 20 CLOSER TO THE MI CROPHONE? WE CAN'T HEAR YOU DOWN HERE
- 21 AT IRVINE.
- 22 THE REPORTER: AND THAT'S WHERE THE RECORD IS
- BEING MADE.
- 24 MR. BARNES: ALL RIGHT. ZACH, YOU KNOW,
- 25 TALKED TO YOU A LITTLE BIT ABOUT THE INTRODUCTION TO

- 1 THIS, AND YOU SHOULD HAVE WITH YOU A PACKET THAT
- 2 INDICATES AT THE TOP THE ICOC GOVERNANCE SUBCOMMITTEE
- 3 MEETING OF AUGUST 31ST, AGENDA LITEM 3(B). THE COVER
- 4 SHEET JUST GIVES YOU A LITTLE BIT OF BACKGROUND AND
- 5 INTRODUCTION TO THE THREE BUDGET ALTERNATIVES THAT
- 6 WE'VE PROVIDED TO YOU. AND I THINK THAT WHAT WE NEED
- 7 TO DO IS REMEMBER, AS ZACH SAID, THAT TO A CERTAIN
- 8 EXTENT, ALL BUDGETS HAVE TO MAKE CERTAIN ASSUMPTIONS
- 9 ABOUT COSTS WHICH DEPEND IN LARGE PART ON HOW MUCH
- 10 FUNDING IS GOING TO BE AVAILABLE.
- 11 AND WITH NO FUNDING FOR GRANT PROGRAMS, BASED
- 12 ON THE DISCUSSION THAT ZACH AND I HAVE HAD WITH THE
- 13 MANAGEMENT TEAM, THE EXPECTATION IS THAT WE SHOULD
- 14 REALLY BE PLANNING FOR MINIMAL OPERATIONAL COSTS NEEDED
- 15 TO KEEP THE DOORS OPEN AND BASICALLY MOVE US INTO OUR
- 16 NEW LOCATION, HEADQUARTERS LOCATION.
- 17 AS FUNDING FOR GRANTS BECOME AVAILABLE, THEN
- 18 WE NEED A PLAN TO ADDRESS THE WORKLOAD THAT'S GOING TO
- 19 COME WITH NOT ONLY THE AWARD OF THE GRANTS, BUT THE
- 20 FOLLOWING UP AND ADMINISTRATION OVERSIGHT OF THE
- 21 GRANTS. SO IN A SENSE, WHILE THESE ARE ALTERNATIVE
- 22 BUDGETS, IN EFFECT, THEY'RE MORE LIKE SUCCESSIVE
- 23 BUDGETS THAT WILL BE EITHER CAST ASIDE AND ADOPTED
- 24 DEPENDING UPON HOW MUCH FUNDING WE HAVE AVAILABLE.
- THE FIRST ALTERNATIVE THAT WE HAVE, AND THAT

- 1 ALTERNATIVE IS EXPLAINED ON THE SECOND TWO PAGES, PAGE
- 2 AND 3, IS A BUDGET THAT ASSUMES THAT THE ONLY MONEY
- 3 THAT'S AVAILABLE TO US IS WHAT'S LEFT OF THE \$3 MILLION
- 4 LOAN AND THE \$5 MILLION DOLBY GRANT. UNDER THOSE
- 5 FUNDING ASSUMPTIONS, BASICALLY UNDER PERSONAL SERVICES,
- 6 AND IF YOU RECALL I SAID THERE WERE TWO MAJOR
- 7 CATEGORIES OF OPERATIONAL EXPENSES, THERE'S PERSONAL
- 8 SERVICES, YOUR SALARIES AND BENEFITS, AND OPERATING
- 9 EXPENSE AND EQUIPMENT, WHICH IS EVERYTHING ELSE.
- 10 UNDER THIS PARTICULAR FUNDING LEVEL, OUR
- 11 EXPECTATION IS THAT THERE WOULD BE 20 PERSONS EMPLOYED
- 12 BY THE INSTITUTE DURING THE YEAR. CURRENTLY THERE ARE
- 13 17 THAT ARE ON BOARD, AND THEN THERE WOULD BE THREE
- MORE HIRED BY OCTOBER 1ST OF 2005. AND, IN FACT, ONE
- 15 OF THEM, AS YOU CAN SEE, THE SENIOR EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT
- 16 TO THE CHAIR, HAS ALREADY BEEN HIRED.
- 17 IN ADDITION, WE WOULD BE HIRING A CHIEF
- 18 INFORMATION SERVICES OFFICER AND THE FACILITIES
- 19 PROCUREMENT OPERATIONS. AND THESE TWO POSITIONS ARE TO
- 20 SATISFY TWO GOALS THAT ZACH HAS SET OUT FOR US. ONE IS
- 21 THAT WE WANT TO MAKE SURE THAT WE MOVE INTO THE
- 22 HEADQUARTERS OFFICE ON TIME AND UNDER BUDGET AND, YOU
- 23 KNOW, IN A WAY THAT CAUSES AS LITTLE DISRUPTION AS WE
- 24 POSSIBLY CAN. THAT'S THE FACILITIES PROCUREMENT AND
- 25 OPERATIONS.

- 1 IN ADDITION, THE CHIEF INFORMATION SERVICES
- 2 OFFICER WE'RE PROPOSING BECAUSE THAT PERSON IS GOING TO
- 3 BE CRITICAL TO OUR BEING ABLE TO START WORK ON
- 4 DEVELOPING A TRUE GRANTS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM.
- 5 AND SO THAT'S OUR SECOND GOAL IS TO TRY AND MOVE
- 6 OURSELVES AS CLOSE TO GRANTS MANAGEMENT PROGRAM
- 7 OPERATIONS AS WE CAN EVEN THOUGH WE DON'T HAVE ANY
- 8 FUNDING FOR GRANTS UNDER THIS PARTICULAR BUDGET.
- 9 DR. HALL: THE THIRD GOAL, JUST TO ADD TO
- 10 THIS, WALTER, IS TO GIVE ALL POSSIBLE SUPPORT TO THE
- 11 CHAIR BECAUSE OUR MOST CRITICAL NEED RIGHT NOW ABOVE
- 12 ALL OTHERS IS RAISING MONEY. SO WE ALL WANT TO DO
- 13 EVERYTHING WE CAN TO HELP BOB AND TO EMPOWER HIM. SO
- 14 THAT'S -- WE SAW THAT AS A CRITICAL NEED, THE SENIOR
- 15 EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE CHAIR, TO ALLOW THAT TO
- 16 HAPPEN.
- 17 MR. BARNES: NOW, AS I SAID BEFORE, THE MAJOR
- 18 EXPENDITURES IN THIS PARTICULAR BUDGET ARE EITHER
- 19 PERSONAL SERVICES, THE SALARIES AND BENEFITS, OF THE 20
- 20 STAFF THAT WE'RE TALKING ABOUT HERE AND CONTRACTS. AND
- 21 KEEP IN MIND, REMEMBER, I SAID VERY OFTEN BEFORE, BUT
- 22 IT BEARS SAYING AGAIN, THERE'S A REAL SYNERGY BETWEEN
- OUR CONTRACTORS AND OUR STAFFING BECAUSE TO THE CERTAIN
- 24 EXTENT SOME OF THE CONTRACTS, AS ZACH MENTIONED, WITH
- 25 REGARD TO PAT OLSON, BY HAVING THAT CONTRACT IN PLACE,

- 1 IT AVOIDS HAVING TO PUT IN PLACE A PERMANENT STAFF
- 2 PERSON.
- THE MAJOR INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT AND CONTRACT
- 4 EXPENDITURES WILL BE FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE,
- 5 270,000; REMCHO, 480,000, SO THERE'S YOUR TWO LEGAL
- 6 OFFICES WHICH ARE BASICALLY TIED INTO ALL THE
- 7 LITIGATION AND THINGS THAT WE HAVE; EDELMAN, WHICH IS
- 8 OUR COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE; AND THEN BASICALLY THE STATE
- 9 CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, WHICH IS CONTINUING TO PROVIDE US
- 10 WITH A NUMBER OF DETAILED SUPPORT SERVICES RELATED TO
- 11 OUR PROCUREMENT PROGRAMS AND SOME OF OUR HUMAN
- 12 RESOURCES PROGRAM.
- 13 SO THOSE ARE THE MAJOR FACTORS THAT GO INTO
- 14 THE INTERAGENCY AGREEMENTS AND EXTERNAL CONTRACTS.
- 15 THE SECOND CATEGORY THAT WE HAVE IS MEETINGS
- 16 AND CONFERENCES. THIS INCLUDES TWO SPECIFIC
- 17 CATEGORIES. ONE IS THE ICOC MEETINGS, AND KEEP IN MIND
- 18 THIS GOES BACK TO ZACH'S COMMENT ABOUT TRYING TO
- 19 COORDINATE AND GET ALL FUNCTIONS AND ALL COSTS UNDER A
- 20 PARTICULAR FUNCTION AS OPPOSED TO AN OBJECT ACTIVITY AS
- 21 THEY ARE RIGHT NOW. ONE ASPECT OF THIS IS THE COST OF
- THE ICOC MEETINGS; BUT BECAUSE OF THE WAY OUR
- 23 ACCOUNTING SYSTEM IS SET UP RIGHT NOW, THIS ONLY
- 24 INCLUDES THE COST ASSOCIATED WITH THE ROOM, THE CATERED
- 25 LUNCH, AND SOME OF THE AUDIOVISUAL. THE ACTUAL TRAVEL

- 1 EXPENDITURES ASSOCIATED WITH LCOC MEMBERS AND STAFF ARE
- 2 INCLUDED DOWN IN TRAVEL.
- 3 SO OUR INTENT IS TO TRY AND GO TO A POINT
- 4 WHERE WE CAN MOVE THOSE CLOSER TOGETHER AND TRACK THEM
- 5 ALL AS A BUNDLE.
- THE OTHER MAJOR ACTIVITY THAT'S IN HERE,
- 7 THOUGH, IS SOMETHING NEW. IT'S AN ESTIMATE OF 215,000
- 8 FOR THE COST OF THE OCTOBER 1ST TO 2D SCIENTIFIC
- 9 CONFERENCE. THIS IS SOMETHING THAT I THINK ZACH HAS
- 10 TALKED ABOUT FOR SOME TIME NOW. IT'S GOING TO BE HELD
- 11 IN SAN FRANCISCO. WE'VE BEEN WORKING VERY CLOSELY, AND
- 12 THIS IS A VERY GOOD BUDGET FOR THIS PARTICULAR
- 13 ACTIVITY.
- 14 IN ADDITION, TO CARRY OUT THE GOAL OF TRYING
- TO MOVE TOWARDS OUR GRANTS PROGRAMS, WE ARE FUNDING AND
- 16 PUTTING MONEY HERE, FUNDING FOR ALL THE WORK GROUPS.
- 17 AND THESE ARE PRETTY MUCH A FULL BOAT AS FAR AS ALL OF
- 18 THE EXPENDITURES. THIS INCLUDES THE PER DIEM AMOUNTS
- 19 FOR BOTH THE ICOC AND NON-ICOC MEMBERS. IT INCLUDES
- 20 THE TRAVEL EXPENDITURES FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS. IT
- 21 INCLUDES THE ROOM. IT INCLUDES, YOU KNOW, ANY SUPPORT
- 22 ACTIVITIES THAT HAVE TO GO ON WITH IT AT ALL AS WELL.
- 23 SO BASICALLY FOR THE FIRST GRANT PROGRAM, THE
- 24 GRANTS MEETING, WE'VE HELD ONE, AND THE ESTIMATE,
- 25 THERE'S STILL SOME COSTS COMING IN ON THAT, BUT IT'S

- 1 ABOUT \$55, 500.
- THE FACILITIES MEETING, WHICH IS YET TO BE
- 3 HELD, BUT THERE IS A PLAN FOR THAT, IS GOING TO BE
- 4 28,500; AND THEN THE STANDARDS MEETING, THAT'S THE ONE
- 5 THAT YOU HAD ACTUALLY THIS MORNING, THE FIRST ONE WAS
- 6 ESTIMATED AT 28,600. SINCE WE DON'T HAVE ANY MONEY TO
- 7 GIVE OUT GRANTS, WE'RE NOT PROPOSING UNDER THIS BUDGET
- 8 TO CONDUCT ANY MORE GRANTS PROGRAMS. AND BUT WE DO
- 9 THINK, OR ZACH AND, AGAIN, THE SENIOR STAFF FEEL THAT
- 10 WE SHOULD MOVE AHEAD ON THE STANDARDS BECAUSE WE NEED
- 11 THOSE ANYWAY. SO THAT'S WHY THEY'RE FUNDED AT THE FULL
- 12 NUMBER OF SIX MEETINGS, ONE OF WHICH WOULD BE A LITTLE
- 13 BIT MORE BECAUSE OF THE ADDITIONAL STAY-OVER THAT HAS
- 14 TO BE DONE WITH THAT.
- 15 DR. HALL: AS EVERYBODY IS AWARE, WE HAVE AN
- ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES ACT AND PROP 71 DEADLINE TO
- 17 WORK ON THERE TOO, SO THAT WE MORE OR LESS HAVE TO DO.
- 18 MR. BARNES: TRAVEL IS BASICALLY, THESE ARE
- 19 EXPENSES FOR THE ICOC MEMBERS AND CIRM STAFF. WE
- 20 PROJECTED THESE BASED ON ACTUAL EXPENDITURES THAT WE'VE
- 21 HAD IN THE PAST YEAR AND PROJECTED THEM BY CONSIDERING
- 22 NEW STAFF THAT WE'RE PROPOSING TO HIRE AS WELL.
- FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT, AS I MENTIONED, THE
- 24 MAJOR COST HERE IS THE \$120,000 DOWNPAYMENT FOR THE NEW
- 25 FURNITURE AT THE HEADQUARTERS. AND BASICALLY THE REST

- 1 OF IT IS JUST MINOR EQUIPMENT FOR THE NEW STAFF THAT
- 2 WOULD COME ON BOARD.
- 3 INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, THIS INCLUDES THE
- 4 COSTS RELATED TO OUR WEB PROGRAM AND OUR WEBSITE AND
- 5 THAT KIND OF THING, BUT IT ALSO INCLUDES AN ESTIMATE,
- 6 AND THIS IS AN ESTIMATE AT THIS TIME, OF \$150,000 TO
- 7 DEVELOP A NEW GRANTS MANAGEMENT PROGRAM. WE DON'T HAVE
- 8 THE SPECIFICS OF THIS RIGHT NOW, BUT WE'VE ALL KIND OF
- 9 TALKED TO PEOPLE THAT WE'VE BEEN CONSULTING WITH, AND
- 10 THEIR FEELING IS THAT THIS IS A REASONABLE AMOUNT OF
- 11 MONEY TO BE THINKING ABOUT IN TERMS OF THE TECHNOLOGY
- 12 ASSOCIATED WITH THE GRANTS MANAGEMENT PROGRAMS THAT WE
- 13 EVENTUALLY WANT TO GO TO.
- 14 FINALLY, THERE'S WHAT WE CALL OTHER OE&E, AND
- 15 THAT'S THE OPERATING EXPENDITURES AND EQUIPMENT. THIS
- 16 IS THE SUPPLIES, THE PAPER, PENCILS, EQUIPMENT
- 17 MAINTENANCE, POSTAGE, PHONE SERVICES, PRINTING,
- 18 TRAINING, ALL THAT KIND OF STUFF. AGAIN, WE PROJECTED
- 19 THIS BASED ON ACTUAL USAGE AND NEW STAFFING LEVELS. SO
- 20 THAT'S WHAT THAT IS.
- 21 UNDER THIS PROGRAM, UNDER THIS BUDGET, YOU
- 22 CAN SEE THAT IF WE SPEND AT THIS LEVEL, WE WILL RUN OUT
- 23 OF MONEY BEFORE THE END OF THIS FISCAL YEAR. THERE'S A
- 24 NEGATIVE AMOUNT OF ABOUT \$568,000. NOW, SINCE WE'RE
- 25 SPENDING MONEY AT THE RATE OF ABOUT \$600,000 A MONTH,

- 1 THAT MEANS THAT PROBABLY ABOUT MID-MAY, WE WOULD RUN
- 2 OUT OF MONEY, WHICH IS WHY ZACH HAS INDICATED THAT BY
- 3 JANUARY, IF WE DON'T HAVE ANY MORE MONEY TO PUT INTO
- 4 OUR ADMINISTRATIVE BUDGET, WE NEED TO START TAKING
- 5 ACTIONS TO CUT BACK.
- 6 PROBABLY SOME OF THE AREAS THAT WE WOULD CUT
- 7 BACK ON IS SOME OF THE CONTRACTS. WE WOULD TALK ABOUT
- 8 TRYING TO SCALE BACK OUR USE OF THE CONTRACTS. WE
- 9 MIGHT HAVE TO CHECK ON WHETHER OR NOT WE NEED SIX
- 10 WORKING GROUPS FOR THE STANDARDS. WE ALSO SHOULD LOOK
- 11 AT WHETHER OR NOT, IF THERE'S NO GRANTS PROGRAMS, DO WE
- 12 NEED TO HAVE THE MONTHLY MEETING OF THE ICOC AS WELL.
- 13 SO THERE'S A NUMBER OF THINGS THAT WE COULD
- 14 DO TO SCALE OUR FUNDING BACK IN JANUARY TO MAKE SURE
- 15 THAT WE END THE FISCAL YEAR IN THE BLACK.
- 16 DR. HALL: I THINK WE'D ALSO HAVE TO LOOK AT
- 17 OUR PERSONNEL NEEDS VERY CAREFULLY AT THAT POINT.
- 18 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: WE RUN OUT OF MONEY IN
- 19 JANUARY.
- DR. HALL: NO.
- 21 MR. BARNES: MAY.
- DR. HALL: IF WE DON'T GET MORE MONEY BY
- 23 JANUARY --
- 24 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: JANUARY, YOU'RE GOING
- 25 TO SCALE BACK SO THAT YOU CAN GO FOR LONGER THAN THAT.

- 1 MR. BARNES: AT LEAST THROUGH THE END OF THE
- 2 FI SCAL YEAR.
- 3 MR. KLEIN: THROUGH JUNE 30TH, SO WE FINISH
- 4 THE FISCAL YEAR.
- 5 DR. PIZZO: BUT CLEARLY MISSING FROM THIS
- 6 BUDGET, AND UNDERSTANDING WHY, IS THE AWARD OF ANY OF
- 7 THE TRAINING GRANTS. I KNOW WE'RE GOING TO COME TO
- 8 THAT, BUT THAT OBVIOUSLY IS GOING TO BE AN IMPORTANT
- 9 ISSUE SINCE WE HAVE A LOT OF EXPECTATIONS SURROUNDING
- 10 THAT.
- 11 DR. HALL: IT'S THE AWARD OF ANY TRAINING
- 12 GRANTS. IF WE DON'T HAVE MONEY --
- DR. PIZZO: I KNOW THE AWARDS ARE HAPPENING,
- 14 BUT THE FUNDING OF THEM IS THE ISSUE.
- 15 MR. KLEIN: THAT'S CORRECT. ESSENTIALLY IF
- 16 WE FUND THE TRAINING GRANTS, CONCURRENT WITH THAT THE
- 17 BOND ANTICIPATION NOTE SALE WOULD INCLUDE APPROXIMATELY
- 18 1.5 -- A LITTLE LESS THAN \$1.2 MILLION IN OVERHEAD
- 19 FUNDING, PORTION BEING -- GENERAL OVERHEAD PORTION
- 20 BEING RESEARCH OVERSIGHT. SO THAT WOULD BE AN
- 21 AUGMENTATION OF SOURCES, BUT THE INTENT, PHIL, WAS TO
- 22 START WITH THE MOST CONSERVATIVE POSITION POSSIBLE AND
- THEN THERE'S AN INTERMEDIATE CASE.
- 24 DR. PLZZO: RIGHT. I NOTICE THAT. I SEE
- 25 ALTERNATIVE 2 THAT INCLUDES THAT.

- 1 DR. HALL: THAT'S RIGHT. NOW, LET ME JUST
- 2 POINT OUT THAT I THINK WALTER SAID THAT THIS SHOULD BE
- 3 REGARDED AS A PROGRESSIVE BUDGET; AND THAT IF WE DO
- 4 THAT, THAT WILL GIVE US A COUPLE MONTHS MORE LIFE, BUT
- 5 NOT MORE THAN THAT. SO WE WILL HAVE TO CONTINUALLY
- 6 EVALUATE AS WE GO ALONG AND SEE WHERE WE ARE AND MAKE
- 7 JUDGMENTS ABOUT IT. BUT THE NICE THING ABOUT THIS IS
- 8 THAT WE HAVE OUR THREE TRACKS, IN ESSENCE, WHICH WE'RE
- 9 DEVELOPING OVER THE YEAR, AND THE POINT IS WE SHOULD BE
- 10 ABLE TO MOVE BACK AND FORTH BETWEEN THEM. BUT THESE
- ARE OUR PREDETERMINED TIMES OF ESTIMATE FOR HOW ARE WE
- 12 DOING AND WHAT ARE OUR PROSPECTS.
- 13 MR. KLEIN: THE NATURAL PROGRESSION OF ZACH'S
- 14 STATEMENT IS THAT AFTER THE TRAINING GRANTS WITH A
- 15 PROVEN ABILITY TO FUND TRAINING GRANTS, WE RUN TO THE
- 16 BAN PROGRAM, FOR EXAMPLE, FOR SEED MONEY, THAT THOSE
- 17 BAN'S WOULD THEN GIVE US MORE OVERHEAD FUNDS, AND WE
- 18 PROGRESSIVELY INTEGRATE THOSE BUDGETS WITH REPORTS AND
- 19 PARTICIPATION OF THE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE IN HOW TO
- 20 MODEL THOSE ADJUSTMENTS. IS THAT ACCURATE, ZACH?
- 21 DR. HALL: YES, IT IS. PHIL, LET ME JUST SAY
- 22 THE OTHER POINT IS THAT IF WE HAVE, LET'S CALL IT, A
- 23 DELAY IN GETTING THE FUNDING IN, WE FEEL IT'S VERY
- 24 IMPORTANT THAT, TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, WE TRY TO
- 25 CONTINUE WITH OUR STRATEGIC PLANNING SO THAT WHEN THE

- 1 MONEY DOES COME, WE ARE PREPARED FOR IT. AND SO FOR
- 2 THAT REASON, OUR CONFERENCE WE VERY MUCH WANT TO GO
- 3 FORWARD WITH, AND THEN WE WILL DISCUSS AND WORK OUT
- 4 STRATEGIC PLANNING ACTIVITIES THAT ARE IN PART
- 5 DEPENDENT UPON OUR BUDGET, BUT WE DON'T WANT TO GIVE
- 6 THAT UP ENTIRELY. THAT IS, WE DON'T WANT TO BEHAVE AS
- 7 IF WE'RE NEVER GOING TO GET MONEY AGAIN.
- 8 SO WE ARE TRYING TO BALANCE ON THE ONE HAND
- 9 BEING ECONOMICAL WITH ON THE OTHER BEING PREPARED
- 10 SHOULD A REASONABLY OPTIMISTIC SCENARIO PREVAIL.
- DR. MEYER: ZACH, WE HAVE HERE THREE FINITE
- 12 PLANS, SORT OF NO MONEY, 21 MILLION, OR A HUNDRED
- 13 MILLION. LET'S SAY BOB'S FUND-RAISING EFFORTS ARE
- 14 SUCCESSFUL AND YOU GET 5 OR 10 OR 15 AND IT FALLS
- 15 SOMEWHERE IN BETWEEN THESE INDIVIDUAL MILESTONES. THE
- 16 PLAN WOULD BE JUST SORT OF TO PLAY IT BY EAR AT THAT
- 17 POINT?
- DR. HALL: RI GHT.
- 19 MR. KLEIN: AND IT'S IMPORTANT TO NOTE THAT
- 20 EVEN THOUGH WE HAVE AT THIS POINT A SUCCESSFUL HISTORY
- 21 WITH A MAJOR OUTSIDE CONTRIBUTOR AS VERSUS THE BOND
- 22 ANTICIPATION NOTES, BUT AN ACTUAL CONTRIBUTOR FROM THE
- 23 DOLBY FAMILY FOR \$5 MILLION, WHICH IS SIGNIFICANT,
- 24 WHICH WE'RE VERY APPRECIATIVE OF, ZACH AND I AND WALTER
- 25 AND ED PENHOET MADE A VERY CLEAR DECISION WE WOULD NOT

- 1 DEPEND UPON ANY CONTRIBUTIONS. SO WE HAVE IT. THE
- 2 BUDGET'S SET UP NOT ASSUMING WE WON'T HAVE ADDITIONAL
- 3 CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS, BUT CERTAINLY THAT'S AN
- 4 ADDITIONAL OPTION THAT CAN AUGMENT THE BAN SALE AS
- 5 WELL.
- 6 DR. HALL: LET ME JUST ADD AS AN ADDENDUM TO
- 7 THE REPLY TO DAVID. WHAT'S IMPLIED IN THAT ANSWER,
- 8 DAVID, WE DON'T INTEND TO GIVE OUT \$5 MILLION. WE'RE
- 9 NOT GOING TO BREAK UP THE TRAINING GRANTS PROGRAM TO
- 10 SAY, OKAY, WE'VE APPROVED 15 MILLION. LET'S AWARD THE
- 11 TOP THREE AND THEN WE'LL WAIT AND SEE IF WE HAVE SOME
- 12 MORE MONEY AND AWARD THE NEXT. WE'RE NOT GOING TO DO
- 13 THAT. SO IF WE HAVE THAT SMALL AMOUNT OF MONEY, IN
- 14 ESSENCE, ALL THAT MEANS IS WE HAVEN'T HIT OUR FIRST
- 15 BENCHMARK. AND WE NEED TO HIT THE FIRST BENCHMARK
- 16 BEFORE WE CHANGE OUR BUDGET BEHAVIOR.
- 17 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I FEEL OBLIGATED TO ASK
- 18 THIS QUESTION, THOUGH I THINK I KNOW THE ANSWER.
- 19 BECAUSE THE FIRST ONE THAT YOU'RE PRESENTING IS
- 20 OBVIOUSLY THE WORST-CASE SCENARIO, DO YOU FEEL THAT
- 21 THIS IS THE TIGHTEST BUDGET THAT WE COULD LIVE WITH?
- 22 MR. BARNES: YES. THERE ARE OBVIOUSLY SOME
- 23 THINGS THAT ARE BASED ON ESTIMATES, LIKE WHEN WE WOULD
- 24 HIRE THE THREE PEOPLE AND THINGS LIKE THAT THAT COULD
- 25 CHANGE IT, BUT I THINK IT'S FAIRLY CLOSE. THIS IS

- 1 BASI CALLY WHAT WE CAN GET THROUGH.
- 2 DR. HALL: WHAT WE'RE DOING FOR THE MOMENT,
- 3 SHERRY, IS BALANCING OUR NEED TO BE ECONOMICAL WITH OUR
- 4 NEED TO BE PREPARED IN CASE WE DO GET MONEY, AND THAT
- 5 WILL BE EVALUATED AT THE END OF THE YEAR AT THAT POINT.
- 6 SO THAT'S SORT OF THE POINT AT WHICH WE SAY WE START
- 7 ADJUSTING OUR OWN PROTEIN. THAT IS, IF BY THE END OF
- 8 THE YEAR, WE DON'T HAVE MONEY AND SAY, GEE, THIS MAY GO
- 9 ON FOR ANOTHER SIX MONTHS, THEN WE HAVE TO TIGHTEN UP
- 10 FURTHER AND SAY, WELL, WE'RE JUST NOT GOING TO BE AS
- 11 PREPARED. WE'LL SACRIFICE THAT IN ORDER TO STAY ALIVE.
- 12 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: WE MUST STAY ALIVE. WE
- 13 WILL PREVAIL, BUT NOTHING WOULD BE WORSE. THAT WOULD
- 14 BE A DI SASTER.
- DR. HALL: WE'LL KEEP REDEFINING OUR CORE
- 16 FUNCTIONS UNDER THAT SCENARIO. AS TIMES GET MORE AND
- 17 MORE DIFFICULT, WE WILL JETTISON, BUT WE WILL STAY
- 18 ALIVE. THAT'S EXACTLY THE IDEA. FOR THOSE OF US
- 19 WHO' VE HAD START-UP EXPERIENCE, THIS IS NOT AN
- 20 UNFAMILIAR MODE OF THINKING. JUST HAVE TO WORRY WHEN
- 21 IT'S GOING TO GO AND THEN JUST START CUTTING DOWN.
- DR. PIZZO: SHERRY, THIS IS PHIL CAN I MAKE
- A COMMENT?
- 24 CHAI RPERSON LANSING: YES. AND THEN WE'LL GO
- 25 AROUND TO EVERYBODY.

- 1 DR. PIZZO: I THINK WE'VE -- FIRST OF ALL, I
- 2 THINK FRAMING THE BUDGET PROPOSAL THIS WAY MAKES A LOT
- 3 OF SENSE. AND I HAVE TO AGREE WITH THE WAY ZACH AND
- 4 OTHERS HAVE COMMENTED ON THIS, THAT I THINK WE SHOULD
- 5 BE REASONABLY FRONT-LOADING IN ANTICIPATING THAT WE'RE
- 6 GOING TO BE SUCCESSFUL BECAUSE IF WE STOP DOING THAT,
- 7 WE WILL REALLY MISS THE OPPORTUNITIES WHEN FUNDING
- 8 ARI SES.
- 9 THAT SAID, FROM A PUBLIC RELATIONS POINT OF
- 10 VIEW, AND I THINK, SHERRY, THIS IS WHAT YOU'VE BEEN
- 11 TOUCHING ON, THE WORST NIGHTMARE IS THAT WE WIND UP
- 12 WITH OPTION 1 BECAUSE WE DON'T REALLY ACHIEVE A LIFE
- 13 UNTIL WE HIT AT LEAST OPTION 2 AND WE'VE FUNDED
- 14 SOMETHING. SO IT SEEMS TO ME THAT PART OF THE STRATEGY
- 15 SURROUNDING THIS HAS TO BE A VERY THOUGHTFUL
- 16 COMMUNICATIONS PLAN SO THAT WE'RE BEING PROACTIVE AND
- 17 NOT BEING ACCUSED OF FAILING IN WHAT IS OBVIOUSLY THE
- 18 PRIMARY SET OF GOALS THAT WE HAVE, WHICH IS TO AT LEAST
- 19 GET TO ALTERNATIVE 2 AND THEN BEYOND THAT.
- 20 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I AGREE. ZACH AND
- 21 WALTER HAVE ASKED THAT BEFORE WE GO AROUND AND GET
- 22 COMMENTS, WE HEAR BUDGET NO. 2 AND 3 SO THAT THEY CAN
- 23 EXPLAIN IT SO WE CAN TALK ABOUT IT.
- 24 MR. BARNES: SO THAT'S ALTERNATIVE 1.
- 25 BASICALLY IF WE DON'T GET ANY MORE FUNDING, WE'LL HAVE

- 1 TO DO BELT TIGHTENING BEGINNING IN JANUARY. THERE
- 2 WON'T BE ANY GRANTS GIVEN OUT DURING THE FISCAL YEAR,
- 3 BUT WE'D START MAKING SOME MOVEMENT TOWARDS OUR GRANTS
- 4 PROGRAMS THROUGH SOME OF THE WORK GROUPS AND BY
- 5 STARTING TO WORK ON OUR GRANTS TECHNOLOGY.
- 6 UNDER ALTERNATIVE 2, AND ALTERNATIVE 2 WAS
- 7 KIND OF DEVELOPED WITH THE IDEA OF THE TRAINING GRANTS
- 8 IN MIND. HOW MUCH MONEY IS NEEDED TO FUND THOSE
- 9 TRAINING GRANTS? AND THEN SORT OF BACKING INTO IT IN
- 10 TERMS OF HOW MUCH MONEY OVERALL DO WE NEED TO BE ABLE
- 11 TO PROVIDE THOSE TRAINING GRANTS? AND SO YOU CAN SEE
- 12 THAT THE ASSUMPTION ON FUNDING AT THE TOP IS, AGAIN,
- 13 THE SAME THREE MILLION GENERAL FUND, THE FIVE MILLION
- 14 DOLBY GRANT, PLUS WHAT WE'VE ENTERED INTO HERE IS THE
- 15 ASSUMPTION THAT THERE WOULD BE 21.5 MILLION OF PROCEEDS
- 16 COMING IN FROM THE SALE OF BAN'S, OR BOND ANTICIPATION
- 17 NOTES.
- 18 UNDER THIS PROGRAM YOU EXPECT THAT THE BAN
- 19 MONEY GETS DIVIDED UP IN A NUMBER OF DIFFERENT WAYS.
- 20 FIRST OFF, THERE ARE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE
- 21 I SSUANCE. SO THE I SSUANCE COSTS AND THE CAPITALIZED
- 22 INTEREST COST ASSOCIATED WITH THE ISSUANCE OF THESE
- 23 BONDS, IF YOU SEE IN FOOTNOTE 3, IS ABOUT 3.9 MILLION.
- 24 THAT'S AN ESTIMATE ON OUR PART. THAT COMES OFF THE
- 25 TOP. IN ADDITION, THE 5.8 PERCENT OF FUNDING, AS BOB

- 1 SAID, GOES IN TO HELP OUR STATE OPERATIONS, WHICH IS
- 2 1. 247, SO THAT MONEY GOES UP THERE. AND WHAT IT LEAVES
- 3 US WITH IS BOND PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR ISSUANCE AS
- 4 GRANTS OF 16, 353, 000, WHICH IS MORE THAN ENOUGH TO
- 5 ADDRESS WHAT WE'VE HEARD AS THE ESTIMATE ON THE
- 6 TRAINING GRANTS OF 15.6 MILLION.
- 7 NOW, SINCE WE'RE TALKING ABOUT ISSUING GRANTS
- 8 HERE, WE HAVE TO START THINKING ABOUT WHAT ARE WE GOING
- 9 TO DO IN OUR BUDGET, OUR OPERATIONAL BUDGET, TO MAKE
- 10 SURE THAT WE CAN OVERSEE THOSE GRANTS AND GET THE MOST
- 11 OUT OF THEM. AND SO THERE ARE SOME ASSUMPTIONS ABOUT
- 12 CHANGES TO THE PRIOR EXPENDITURES IN THE PRIOR BUDGET.
- 13 UNDER THIS ONE WE'RE ASSUMING THAT THERE'S GOING TO BE
- 14 22 PERSONS EMPLOYED BY CIRM. THE TWO ADDITIONAL
- 15 PERSONS WILL BE HIRED BY THE 1ST OF OCTOBER, AND THESE
- 16 WOULD BOTH BE DIRECTED AT GRANTS MANAGEMENT ACTIVITY,
- 17 THE GRANTS TECHNICAL ASSISTANT AND THE GRANTS
- 18 MANAGEMENT OFFICER.
- 19 IN ADDITION, THERE WOULD BE SOME CHANGES WITH
- 20 REGARD TO THE OPERATING EXPENSE AND EQUIPMENT. THE
- 21 FIRST CHANGE UNDER EXTERNAL CONTRACTS IS THAT WE HAVE
- 22 BUDGETED \$250,000, WHICH WOULD BE USED TO ACQUIRE
- 23 SERVICES TO ASSIST CIRM IN DEVELOPING A STRATEGIC PLAN.
- 24 THIS IS SOMETHING THAT, AGAIN, THIS GOVERNANCE
- 25 COMMITTEE AND THE LCOC HAS BEEN ASKING US TO DO, AND WE

- 1 FEEL THAT WE'LL NEED SOME OUTSIDE HELP TO DO THIS. SO
- 2 ESSENTIALLY WE'RE PUTTING THIS IN AT THIS POINT. WE
- 3 DON'T ACTUALLY HAVE A CONTRACTOR. WE HAVEN'T STARTED
- 4 THE WORK OF EVEN LOOKING FOR IT, BUT BASICALLY, BASED
- 5 ON OUR OWN PRIOR EXPERIENCES IN DEALING WITH OUTSIDE
- 6 CONTRACTORS FOR SIMILAR TYPES OF THINGS, WE THINK
- 7 \$250,000 IS AN APPROPRIATE LEVEL.
- 8 AS FOR THE MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES, THE
- 9 SCIENCE PEOPLE HAVE INDICATED THAT THEY WOULD LIKE TO
- 10 TRY AND HOLD SOME WHAT THEY CALL SCIENCE PROJECT
- 11 MEETINGS. THESE WOULD BE MEETINGS WHERE THERE WOULD BE
- 12 SMALL GROUPS OF SCIENTISTS CALLED TOGETHER TO SLT DOWN
- 13 AND HELP THEM THINK THROUGH SOME OF THE ISSUES AND
- 14 PROBLEMS ASSOCIATED WITH THE GRANTS PROGRAM. WE
- 15 BUDGETED FOR SIX OF THOSE AT \$15,000 PER MEETING.
- 16 FOR THE WORKING GROUPS WE'VE ADDED ONE
- 17 ADDITIONAL GRANTS WORK GROUP TO BE HELD, THE
- 18 EXPECTATION BEING THAT WE'VE GOT ONE GRANT OUT THE
- 19 DOOR. WE SHOULD START PLANNING FOR ISSUING ANOTHER SET
- 20 OF GRANTS AS WELL. AND THEN BASICALLY INCREASES IN THE
- 21 OTHER CATEGORIES TO ADDRESS THE EXPENDITURES FOR THE
- 22 NEW STAFF. AND THOSE ARE THE MAJOR CHANGES FROM THE
- 23 PREVIOUS BUDGET TO THIS ONE.
- 24 NOW, WHAT IT SHOWS ON THE CHART THAT I GAVE
- 25 YOU THAT GOES ALONG WITH THIS IS THAT WE CAN GET

- 1 THROUGH THE FISCAL YEAR WITH ALL OF THESE NEW
- 2 EXPENDITURES. WE ALSO HAVE THE \$15.6 MILLION IN GRANTS
- 3 THAT WILL BE PAID FOR. WE WILL HAVE STARTED WORK ON A
- 4 STRATEGIC PLAN, AND THE CIRM WOULD BEGIN WORK ON
- 5 ANNOUNCING A SECOND ROUND OF GRANTS AND DEVELOPING
- 6 RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MOVING FORWARD.
- 7 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: WALTER, I THINK -- AND
- 8 I KNOW WE SAID TO DO THIS, BUT I THINK I'M NOT
- 9 UNDERSTANDING IT, AND THAT'S YOUR STRATEGIC PLAN. TELL
- 10 US WHAT THAT'S GOING TO BE SO I UNDERSTAND IT A LITTLE
- 11 BETTER.
- 12 DR. HALL: LET ME SPEAK TO THAT. SO WE ARE
- 13 CHARGED WITH SPENDING \$3 BILLION TO GET THIS HUGE
- 14 PROJECT GOING. I TALKED ABOUT THIS AT THE ICOC IN THE
- 15 CLOSED SESSION LAST TIME. AND THE QUESTION IS IT'S NOT
- 16 JUST ENOUGH TO SAY LET'S PUT OUT SOME RFA'S AND LET
- 17 PEOPLE COME IN. WE NEED TO THINK ABOUT DO WE NEED TO
- 18 SET UP BANKS? DO WE NEED TO SET UP STATEWIDE
- 19 REGISTRIES? DO WE NEED TO HAVE AN SCNT PRODUCTION
- 20 CENTER? HOW MUCH OF OUR BUDGET ARE WE GOING -- FIRST
- 21 OF ALL, WHAT ARE OUR SCIENTIFIC OBJECTIVES? AND THEN
- 22 HOW DO WE DESIGN A BUDGET TO ACCOMPLISH THESE AIMS?
- 23 AND ALSO, WE NEED TO THEN TIE THAT INTO THE FINANCIAL
- 24 PLAN SO THAT WE HAVE THE APPROPRIATE AMOUNT OF MONEY AT
- 25 THE APPROPRIATE AMOUNT OF TIME. IT MAKES NO SENSE

- 1 OBVIOUSLY TO SPEND MONEY FOR BUILDINGS IN YEARS EIGHT
- 2 OR NINE OR TO START TRAINING GRANTS THEN. WE WANT TO
- 3 DIFFERENTIATE BETWEEN THE THINGS THAT WE NEED EARLY ON
- 4 AND THE MIDDLE AND LATE.
- 5 IN ORDER TO -- THIS IS A HUGE ISSUE FOR HOW
- 6 WE WILL SORT OF PROCEED TO SPEND OUR MONEY TO
- 7 ACCOMPLISH THESE AIMS. AND THE SCIENTIFIC MEETING IS
- 8 THE FIRST STEP, BUT WE ALSO WILL WANT TO, WE THINK,
- 9 CONSULT A NUMBER OF OTHER GROUPS. WE WANT TO BRING
- 10 PATIENT ADVOCATES INTO THE PROCESS. WE WANT TO HEAR
- 11 FROM THE PRIVATE SECTOR MAYBE. WE MAY HAVE SOME IP
- 12 ISSUES THAT WE NEED TO RESOLVE IN AND AROUND THAT. SO
- 13 IN ORDER TO PUT ALL OF THIS INTO A COHERENT PLAN THAT
- 14 LOOKS FORWARD, I MEAN RIGHT NOW WE'RE LOOKING FOR ONE
- 15 GRANT CYCLE. IF WE CAN GET THE MONEY FOR THIS, THEN WE
- 16 GET ONE MORE, AND WHAT WE REALLY WANT TO DO IS SAY,
- 17 NOW, WHAT DO WE EXPECT TO DO OVER THE NEXT FIVE YEARS?
- 18 HOW ARE WE GOING TO DO THIS?
- 19 AND SO THAT IS A PLANNING PROCESS THAT WILL
- 20 BE QUITE COMPLICATED. IT WILL BE VERY -- WE'LL HAVE
- 21 VERY CLOSE PUBLIC ATTENTION PAID TO IT. AND SO IT IS
- 22 SOMETHING WE'LL HAVE TO DO CAREFULLY AND THOUGHTFULLY
- 23 AND ALMOST ALWAYS -- PARTICULARLY WITH OUR LIMITS ON
- 24 STAFF, THERE'S NO WAY THAT OUR CURRENT STAFF COULD RUN
- 25 THIS. AND WE WOULD ALMOST CERTAINLY HAVE TO CONTRACT

- 1 WITH OUTSIDE PEOPLE TO HELP US WITH IT AND TO SPONSOR
- 2 SOME ANCILLARY MEETINGS.
- 3 SO THAT'S -- THE IDEA IS IF WE CAN GET
- 4 THAT -- THIS IS A STATEMENT OF OPTIMISM, THAT WE CAN
- 5 GET THAT FIRST BOLUS OF MONEY IN, WE NOW HAVE A GRANTS
- 6 PROGRAM. THEN WE ARE CONFIDENT AND FEEL THAT AFTER WE
- 7 GET AN INITIAL GIFT, THEN THE NEXT -- IT WILL BE EASIER
- 8 PAST THAT TIME. DON'T FORGET, ALSO OUR LEGAL SITUATION
- 9 WILL BE BECOMING MORE AND MORE CLARIFIED WITH TIME. SO
- 10 THE EXPECTATION IS THAT IF WE GET THAT FIRST BOLUS,
- 11 THIS IS THE FIRST STEP, AND THEN WE NEED TO START WITH
- 12 THIS PLAN.
- 13 WHAT WE CAN'T DO IS WAIT UNTIL WE GET A
- 14 HUNDRED MILLION AND NOW SAY, WELL, OKAY. NOW LET'S
- 15 TAKE A NINE-MONTH PLANNING PROCESS. WE NEED TO BE
- 16 READY FOR IT. SO OUR VIEW IS THAT IF WE GET THAT FIRST
- 17 BOLUS, THAT THAT'S SUFFICIENTLY ENCOURAGING THAT WE NOW
- 18 CAN SAY, ALL RIGHT, SORT OF PLANNING AHEAD ONE LITTLE
- 19 BUMP AT A TIME, WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO?
- 20 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I TOTALLY UNDERSTAND.
- 21 I GUESS MY IMMEDIATE REACTION IS THE NUMBER. IT JUST
- 22 IS A BIG NUMBER. AND I GUESS -- AGAIN, I DON'T KNOW
- 23 HOW IT BREAKS OUT. I'M SURE YOU ARE CORRECT, BUT THAT
- 24 NUMBER JUST GRABBED ME.
- 25 AND THE SECOND THING IS IS THAT SOME OF THE

- 1 STRATEGIC PLANS AND STUFF ARE COMING INTO
- 2 SUBCOMMITTEES, AS YOU LISTEN TO WHAT PEOPLE SAY.
- 3 COMING TO YOU, I DO TOTALLY AGREE YOU NEED OUTSIDE
- 4 PEOPLE AND YOU NEED OUTSIDE HELP. IT'S JUST A QUARTER
- 5 OF A MILLION DOLLARS SEEMS HIGH TO ME. MAYBE IT ISN'T.
- 6 DR. HALL: YOU CAN IMAGINE THAT WE WILL HAVE
- 7 MORE THAN ONE MEETING TO BRING IN PEOPLE TO FIGURE IT
- 8 OUT. AND WE MAY HAVE SOME VERY SPECIALIZED PROBLEMS.
- 9 I MEAN WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO ABOUT FDA? OR WHAT ARE
- 10 WE GOING TO DO ABOUT THIS? AND SO WE WILL WANT TO
- 11 ASSEMBLE SOME PEOPLE. HOW ARE WE GOING TO MAKE THE
- 12 TRANSITION FROM THE LABORATORY INTO THE CLINIC? HOW
- ARE THESE THINGS GOING TO BE COORDINATED, SCHEDULED?
- 14 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I HEAR YOU.
- 15 DR. HALL: SO IT'S NOT JUST THAT WE'RE GOING
- 16 TO HIRE MCKINSEY AND SAY HERE'S \$250,000. GIVE US A
- 17 STRATEGIC PLAN. BUT IT INCLUDES MONEY THAT WE WILL
- 18 NECESSARILY HAVE TO PAY, I THINK, TO CONSULTANTS TO
- 19 HELP US WITH IT, AND THEN ALSO MONEY THAT WILL PROVIDE
- 20 FOR THESE MEETINGS. SO AS I THINK I SAID, I SEE IT AS
- 21 ONE OF THE GREAT CHALLENGES OF THE NEXT NINE MONTHS OF
- 22 THIS ORGANIZATION. THE TWO THINGS ARE TO GET US FROM
- 23 ADMINISTRATION INTO SCIENCE AND THEN TO HAVE A
- 24 STRATEGIC PLAN SO THAT WE REALLY HAVE A ROAD MAP, IF
- 25 YOU WILL.

- 1 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I AGREE WITH YOU. I'M
- 2 ENCOURAGED WITH WHAT YOU ARE SAYING IS THAT WE'RE NOT
- 3 GOING TO HIRE MCKINSEY AND GIVE THEM 200. THAT'S THE
- 4 WAY -- THAT'S WHAT I WAS ASKING.
- 5 MR. KLEIN: SHERRY, I DON'T KNOW IF COMMENTS
- 6 ARE IN ORDER, BUT I THINK THAT ACTUALLY FOR THE SCALE
- 7 OF THE PROBLEM AND THE COMPLEXITY, THE 250,000 WILL
- 8 HELP US BUILD A GOOD FUNDAMENTAL STRATEGIC PLAN, BUT
- 9 WE'LL HAVE TO CONTINUE TO REFINE IT OVER TIME. IT WILL
- 10 BE AN ONGOING EFFORT BECAUSE REALLY FOCUSING THIS MONEY
- 11 IS CRITICAL TO EFFECTIVENESS, AND WE'LL NEED TO HAVE
- 12 SOME EXTRAORDINARY INPUT. ARE WE AT A POINT WHERE --
- 13 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I JUST WANT TO ASK ON
- 14 BUDGET 2 I HAD A QUESTION. ANY OTHER QUESTIONS FROM
- 15 THE BOARD AT CEDARS?
- 16 DR. STEWARD: THIS IS OSSIE DOWN AT IRVINE.
- 17 COULD I ASK A QUESTION?
- 18 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I'M SORRY. WE'LL GO
- 19 AROUND. CAN YOU I DENTIFY YOURSELF? I CAN'T HEAR YOU.
- 20 DR. STEWARD: THIS IS OS STEWARD AT IRVINE.
- 21 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: IRVINE NEXT. GO AHEAD.
- DR. STEWARD: I'M PROBABLY JUST MISSING
- 23 SOMETHING, BUT WE WENT THROUGH BUDGET 1, AND THE SORT
- 24 OF BOTTOM LINE OF THAT WAS AT THE END OF THE YEAR, WE'D
- 25 BE IN THE RED \$568,000. BUT THEN WHEN WE LOOK AT

- 1 BUDGET 2, THE PROJECTION IS FOR A POSITIVE BALANCE OF
- 2 MILLION THREE FIFTY. I JUST DON'T UNDERSTAND IT. I
- 3 MUST BE MISSING SOMETHING.
- 4 MR. BARNES: I'M NOT SURE WHERE YOU'RE COMING
- 5 UP WITH THE MILLION THREE FIFTY.
- 6 DR. STEWARD: THIS IS IN THE YEAR-END
- 7 FINANCIAL STATEMENT ON THAT --
- 8 MR. BARNES: THAT'S ACTUALLY LAST YEAR'S
- 9 FINANCIAL STATEMENT.
- 10 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: IT'S 835. IT'S THE
- 11 NEXT COLUMN.
- MR. BARNES: THAT 130, THAT 1350 FROM LAST
- 13 YEAR THAT ENDED JUNE 30TH GOES UP AND IS NOW AVAILABLE
- 14 FOR THE CURRENT BUDGET YEAR.
- 15 DR. STEWARD: THEN THAT STILL LEAVES ME
- 16 PUZZLED AT WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THAT 835 IN
- 17 THE POSITIVE AND THE 568 IN THE NEGATIVE IN THE
- 18 PROJECTION FROM BUDGET 1.
- 19 MR. BARNES: BASICALLY THE MAJOR CHANGE IS
- THE 1.247 MILLION THAT WOULD BE AVAILABLE TO PROVIDE
- 21 ADMINISTRATIVE COST WOULD COME FROM THE 21.5 MILLION.
- 22 MR. KLEIN: OS, WHAT YOU'RE CONFUSING IS HE'S
- 23 THINKING THAT YOU'VE -- OS, I THINK YOU'RE THINKING YOU
- 24 HAVE A NEGATIVE CARRY-OVER BALANCE.
- DR. STEWARD: EXACTLY.

- 1 MR. KLEIN: WELL, IN THE 2004-2005 YEAR, IN
- 2 EACH CASE, YOU'VE GOT A MILLION THREE FIFTY AT THE END
- 3 OF THE YEAR. YOU SEE THE FIRST LEFT-HAND COLUMN? SO
- 4 THE SECOND -- UNDER THE SECOND BUDGET ASSUMPTION, HE'S
- 5 TOTALLY RECONSTRUCTED YEAR 2005-6 SO ALL OF THE COSTS
- 6 THAT ENDED UP WITH A 568 NEGATIVE ARE INCLUDED IN THAT,
- 7 BUT YOU HAVE NEW SOURCES. SO IT IS A NEW RESULT FOR
- 8 THAT YEAR BASED UPON THE NEW SOURCES IS WHAT WALTER IS
- 9 SAYING.
- 10 MR. BARNES: RIGHT. YOUR EXPENDITURES GO UP,
- 11 BUT YOU HAVE MORE MONEY, AND IT COVERS BOTH THE DEFICIT
- 12 AS WELL AS THE ADDITIONAL EXPENDITURES THAT I TALKED
- 13 ABOUT.
- DR. HALL: THE TOTAL EXPENDITURES, OSSIE,
- 15 DON'T GO UP THAT MUCH, ALTHOUGH WE'VE ADDED SOME
- 16 FUNCTIONS. JUST LOOK AT HALFWAY DOWN THE PAGE, TOTAL
- 17 OPERATIONS EXPENDITURES, IT GOES UP A HALF MILLION
- 18 DOLLARS.
- 19 DR. STEWARD: YEAH. I DON'T MEAN --
- 20 MR. KLEIN: THE SOURCES HAVE GONE UP
- 21 APPROXIMATELY A MILLION TWO, SO IT'S SUFFICIENT TO
- 22 OFFSET THE INCREASE IN EXPENDITURES PLUS WHAT WOULD
- 23 HAVE BEEN A DEFICIT. WITH US, OS?
- DR. STEWARD: YEAH, I THINK SO.
- 25 MR. KLEIN: THE MILLION TWO IN ADDITIONAL

- 1 SOURCES, BUT YOU ONLY HAVE ROUGHLY A HALF MILLION BY
- 2 ZACH'S ESTIMATE OF ADDITIONAL EXPENDITURES, SO YOU CAN
- 3 COVER YOUR ADDITIONAL EXPENDITURES PLUS WHAT WOULD HAVE
- 4 BEEN A DEFICIT.
- 5 DR. STEWARD: SO JUST TO CLEAR. THAT A
- 6 MILLION TWO IS IN ADDITION TO THE 16,353 BOND PROCEEDS
- 7 THAT SHOWS UP ABOUT TWO-THIRDS OF THE WAY DOWN THE
- 8 PAGE?
- 9 MR. BARNES: YES.
- 10 DR. STEWARD: OR IS THAT INCLUDED WITHIN?
- 11 MR. BARNES: YES. THE BOND PROCEEDS, IF YOU
- 12 RECALL, GET DIVIDED UP BETWEEN A CERTAIN AMOUNT WHICH
- 13 WE'VE ESTIMATED ABOUT 5.8 PERCENT OF THE BOND PROCEEDS
- 14 ARE AVAILABLE TO US FOR ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES.
- 15 DR. STEWARD: I SEE. GOOD. I'M CLEAR NOW.
- 16 SORRY.
- 17 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: ANY MORE FROM IRVINE?
- 18 STANFORD?
- 19 DR. PI ZZO: NO.
- 20 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: UCLA?
- DR. FONTANA: NO.
- 22 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: UC DAVIS?
- DR. POMEROY: THIS IS CLAIRE. JUST A COUPLE
- 24 OF COMMENTS. WALTER, ON PLAN 1, JUST TO CLARIFY THAT
- 25 THERE'S A MISSTATEMENT. THE WORKSHOP -- THE WORK

- 1 GROUPS ARE ACTUALLY 259, 000. AND THAT'S SHOWN
- 2 CORRECTLY ON THE ACCOUNTING SHEET, BUT INCORRECTLY ON
- 3 THE WRITTEN MATERIAL. THE 331 IS INCORRECT, RIGHT?
- 4 MR. KLEIN: THE 331 IS TOTAL MEETINGS AND
- 5 CONFERENCES.
- 6 DR. POMEROY: AND YOU HAVE IT LISTED AS WORK
- 7 GROUPS ON THE FIRST PAGE, SO THAT SHOULD BE CHANGED TO
- 8 THE 259.
- 9 MR. BARNES: YES, YOU'RE RIGHT. CHANGE THAT
- 10 AROUND.
- 11 DR. POMEROY: SECOND COMMENT IS THAT I WOULD
- 12 LIKE TO STRONGLY SUPPORT ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR
- 13 STRATEGIC PLANNING. I ACTUALLY THINK THAT 250,000 IS
- 14 NOT THAT MUCH MONEY FOR ENSURING THAT ALL OF OUR
- 15 CONSTITUENCIES HAVE INPUT INTO A PROPER STRATEGIC
- 16 PLANNING PROCESS. AND I THINK A GOOD STRATEGIC PLAN
- 17 WHERE WE OUTLINE OUR APPROACH TO WHAT -- HOW WE WANT TO
- 18 DO THIS PROPERLY IS ABSOLUTELY THE THING THAT WE SHOULD
- 19 BE CONCENTRATING ON, ESPECIALLY IF WE HAVE A LITTLE BIT
- 20 OF TIME BEFORE WE HAVE MONEY TO DISTRIBUTE.
- 21 AND THEN I WONDER IF I COULD GET
- 22 CLARIFICATION. WE'VE ASKED AT SEVERAL PREVIOUS ICOC
- 23 MEETINGS TO BRING IN OUR BOND COUNSEL TO GET AN
- 24 EXPLANATION OF BONDS AND BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES AND
- 25 TAX-EXEMPT VERSUS TAXABLE BONDS. AND I WONDER WHEN

- 1 THAT'S GOING TO BE ON THE AGENDA. WE WERE TOLD IT WAS
- 2 GOING TO HAPPEN.
- 3 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: BOB'S GOING TO ANSWER
- 4 THAT. HE'S JUST GETTING THE INFORMATION.
- 5 MR. KLEIN: THE ISSUE HAS BEEN THAT -- IT'S
- 6 GOTTEN PUSHED OFF THE AGENDA BECAUSE OF OTHER
- 7 OPERATIONAL ITEMS THAT HAVE BEEN ON THE AGENDA. BUT,
- 8 YOU KNOW, WHEN -- WE COULD ACTUALLY, IF ANYONE WOULD
- 9 LIKE TO, IS GET SOME WRITTEN MATERIALS DISTRIBUTED AND
- 10 WE COULD SCHEDULE A SEPARATE MEETING, AN INFORMATIONAL
- 11 MEETING, WHICH MIGHT BE BENEFICIAL, THAT WE BRING
- 12 MEMBERS OF THE STATE TREASURER'S OFFICE, AS WELL AS THE
- 13 ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE TOGETHER BECAUSE IT IS AN
- 14 IMPORTANT TOPIC.
- 15 AND ONE OF THE PROBLEMS IS IS THAT TO PRESENT
- 16 IT INTELLIGENTLY AND DEAL WITH TAX ISSUES AS WELL, IT'S
- 17 AN HOUR AND A HALF OR TWO HOURS OF DETAILED
- 18 INFORMATION, DANGER OF FRAGMENTED PRESENTATIONS, OR
- 19 PRESENTATIONS THAT ARE TOO SUMMARY IN NATURE. IT
- 20 LEAVES PEOPLE WITH INFORMATION THAT MIGHT LEAD THEM TO
- 21 INCORRECT ASSUMPTIONS OR CONCLUSIONS.
- 22 BUT THE -- CLAIRE, LET ME WORK HERE WITH AMY
- 23 DUROSS AND CALL YOU AND BOUNCE SOME I DEAS OFF OF YOU ON
- 24 HOW WE CAN BEST GET THIS INFORMATION TO THE BOARD AND
- THE PUBLIC.

- 1 DR. POMEROY: OKAY.
- 2 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: ANYONE ELSE AT DAVIS?
- 3 THANK YOU, CLAIRE. SALK?
- DR. MURPHY: RICH MURPHY. I TOO, SHERRY, AM
- 5 A LITTLE BIT TROUBLED BY THE 250 FOR STRATEGIC
- 6 PLANNING. THAT NUMBER MAY BE RIGHT. I DON'T HAVE A
- 7 SENSE OF THAT. BUT I GUESS, ZACH, AS WE BEGIN THE
- 8 STRATEGIC PLANNING PROCESS, I WOULD LIKE TO LOOK INSIDE
- 9 BEFORE WE LOOK OUTSIDE. WE'VE GOT A VERY TALENTED
- 10 STAFF, WE'VE GOT A VERY TALENTED COMMUNITY OF STEM CELL
- 11 PEOPLE WHO I THINK COULD BE INVALUABLE IN HELPING US
- 12 LOOK AT A STRATEGIC PLAN AND DO SO WITHOUT REALLY BEING
- 13 IN CONFLICT BECAUSE WE'RE LOOKING AT THE LONG-TERM VIEW
- 14 OF WHERE THE INSTITUTE IS GOING.
- 15 AND MY EXPERIENCE WITH OUTSIDE CONSULTANTS
- 16 HAS BEEN MUCH LESS HOPEFUL THAT THEY WOULD GIVE US THE
- 17 KIND OF CREATIVE, INSIGHTFUL DIRECTION, GUIDANCE THAT
- 18 OUR OWN COMMUNITY COULD DO. WHEN I SAY OUR OWN
- 19 COMMUNITY, I'M THINKING ABOUT THE EXTERNAL ADVISORS WHO
- 20 ARE COMING IN AS WELL.
- 21 DR. HALL: RICH, THE POINT IS NOT THAT WE'RE
- 22 GOING TO ASK THEM TO TELL US WHAT TO DO, BUT WE'RE
- 23 GOING TO -- THEY WILL MANAGE THE PROCESS AND --
- DR. MURPHY: WHO'S THEY?
- 25 DR. HALL: -- IT'S A TREMENDOUS AMOUNT OF

- 1 WORK. WE WILL HAVE, I THINK, MULTIPLE MEETINGS, WE'LL
- 2 CONSULT WITH DIFFERENT PEOPLE, WE'LL NEED TO PUT ALL OF
- 3 THIS INTO SOME FINAL DOCUMENT IN A COORDINATED WAY.
- 4 WE'LL NEED TO BRING IT -- WE'LL NEED TO HAVE THAT
- 5 DOCUMENT REVIEWED. THERE WILL BE UNDOUBTEDLY CHANGES.
- 6 AND JUST TO HELP US KEEP TRACK OF ALL THAT AND TO
- 7 ORGANIZE THAT AND TO PAY FOR THE DIFFERENT MEETINGS,
- 8 EVEN IF WE CALL ON THE PEOPLE IN THE STATE, WE CAN'T DO
- 9 IT BY E-MAIL. WE --
- 10 DR. MURPHY: I'M NOT DISAGREEING. I DON'T
- 11 KNOW IF THE NUMBER IS RIGHT OR WRONG, BUT I --
- 12 DR. HALL: I AGREE WITH CLAIRE. I ACTUALLY
- 13 THINK FOR A PROGRAM OF THIS SIZE, THAT'S PROBABLY A
- 14 VERY BARE-BONES BUDGET FOR DOING IT. I THINK GIVEN OUR
- 15 CIRCUMSTANCES, WE DIDN'T FEEL COMFORTABLE IN GOING IN
- 16 FOR MORE. BUT I SUSPECT WHEN WE ACTUALLY TAKE A LOOK
- 17 AT IT, THAT THAT WILL BE A PRETTY -- I DON'T THINK
- 18 WE'RE GOING TO GO -- I DON'T THINK IT WILL TAKE HUGELY
- 19 MORE THAN THAT, BUT I DON'T THINK THAT'S EXCESSIVE,
- 20 QUITE HONESTLY.
- 21 DR. MURPHY: I'M NOT SAYING IT IS. AS I SAY,
- 22 I DON'T KNOW IF THAT'S THE NUMBER, BUT I GUESS
- 23 PHILOSOPHICALLY I WOULD RATHER LOOK TOWARDS THE
- 24 STRENGTH WE HAVE INTERNALLY WITHIN OUR COMMUNITY THAT
- WE' RE PUTTING TOGETHER.

- DR. HALL: ARE YOU GOING TO DONATE PERSONNEL
- 2 TO US?
- 3 DR. MURPHY: I CERTAINLY WOULD -- I CERTAINLY
- 4 WOULD KNOW THAT MY SCIENTISTS, IF ASKED, WOULD BE
- 5 ABSOLUTELY WILLING TO PARTICIPATE IN MEETINGS TO HELP
- 6 DESIGN A STRATEGIC PLAN.
- 7 DR. HALL: THE POINT IS THE MONEY -- WE HAVE
- 8 OUR BIG MEETING OCTOBER 1ST AND 2D, AND OUR INTENT IS
- 9 NOT TO REPLICATE THAT AGAIN AND AGAIN, BUT WE WILL HAVE
- 10 THAT MEETING. WE HAVE SCIENTISTS FROM ALL OVER THE
- 11 WORLD COMING, WE WILL HAVE CALIFORNIA REPRESENTATIVES,
- 12 WE WILL COME OUT OF THAT WITH A PRODUCT, BUT THAT
- 13 REALLY IS THE FIRST STEP, AS YOU KNOW. AS WE DO THESE
- 14 OTHER THINGS, WE WILL CERTAINLY CALL ON YOUR
- 15 SCIENTISTS, BUT JUST LOGISTICALLY PUTTING TOGETHER A
- 16 MAJOR SCIENTIFICALLY STRATEGIC AND FINANCIAL PLAN AND
- 17 HAVING THEM WORK TOGETHER FOR A BUDGET OF ALMOST \$3
- 18 BILLION IS REALLY A MAJOR, MAJOR, MAJOR JOB.
- 19 DR. POMEROY: THIS IS CLAIRE POMEROY. IF I
- 20 MIGHT JUST SAY, HAVING RECENTLY GONE THROUGH A
- 21 STRATEGIC PLANNING PROCESS FOR MY OWN INSTITUTION, I
- 22 ASSUMED, AND MAYBE ZACH CAN CLARIFY THIS, BUT I ASSUMED
- 23 THAT THIS WAS FUNDS FOR THINGS LIKE FACILITATORS,
- 24 RECORDERS, DOCUMENTERS, THE EXPENSES OF BRINGING IN
- 25 COMMUNITY GROUPS TO GET THEIR INPUT, ALL OF THOSE KIND

- 1 OF THINGS.
- 2 DR. HALL: EXACTLY. ALSO, JUST THE WRITING
- 3 AND THE RECORDING, SYNTHESIZING, TRYING TO PUT IT
- 4 ALTOGETHER. YOU NEED PEOPLE TO RUN THESE THINGS, AND
- 5 THIS IS MORE THAN ONE PERSON CAN DO. AND, YOU KNOW,
- 6 THESE ORGANIZATIONS BRING SKILL TO THE PROCESS. I
- 7 HAVEN'T HAD A LOT OF EXPERIENCE WITH STRATEGIC PLANS,
- 8 BUT MY SENSE IS THIS IS A PRETTY REASONABLE BUDGET
- 9 ESTIMATE.
- 10 LET ME JUST SAY THAT, BY THE WAY, OUR INTENT
- 11 IS NOT TO GO OFF AND THEN COME BACK FIVE MONTHS LATER
- 12 AND SAY, "AHA, LOOK AT OUR GREAT STRATEGIC PLAN. I
- 13 HOPE YOU LIKE IT." WE WILL ACTUALLY PRESENT TO THE
- 14 I COC A PLAN FOR HOW WE PLAN TO DEVELOP THE PLAN.
- 15 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: THAT'S WHAT I WAS JUST
- 16 GOING TO SAY.
- 17 DR. HALL: AND THEN OUR ESTIMATES WILL BECOME
- 18 MORE REALISTIC, AND WE CAN TIE THESE COSTS TO REAL
- 19 THINGS THAT WE INTEND TO DO. I THINK AT THAT POINT IF
- 20 YOU WANT TO SAY, LOOK, I DON'T -- THIS SEEMS LIKE IT'S
- 21 WASTEFUL IN THE FOLLOWING WAYS, I'D BE HAPPY, OR IF YOU
- 22 SAY YOU DON'T NEED TO DO THAT MEETING OR THAT ASPECT OF
- 23 IT, THEN WE CAN DISCUSS IT. I THINK FOR THE MOMENT
- 24 THAT'S A PRETTY GOOD PLACEHOLDER. AND WE WILL COME TO
- 25 YOU WITH A DETAILED PLAN FOR HOW WE INTEND TO GO ABOUT

- 1 IT.
- 2 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I THINK THAT'S THE MOST
- 3 HEALTHY WAY TO APPROACH IT. I THINK WITH THE GREATEST
- 4 RESPECT FOR YOU, I REMAIN CONVINCED NOW AND UNDERSTAND
- 5 WHAT THE STRATEGIC PLAN IS, WHICH I DIDN'T WHEN IT WAS
- 6 JUST A LINE ITEM. AND SO I APPRECIATE YOUR TAKING THE
- 7 TIME TO EXPLAIN IT, AND I THINK THAT IS A WORK IN
- 8 PROGRESS. YOU KNOW, YOU'RE GOING TO COME TO US WITH
- 9 HOW YOU ARE GOING TO SPEND THE MONEY. WE'LL HAVE -- IT
- 10 ACTUALLY FALLS INTO WHAT WE WERE TALKING ABOUT WE'D
- 11 NEED TO GO TO THE BOARD ANYWAY, AND, YOU KNOW, WE CAN
- 12 REEVALUATE IT, BUT THE NEED FOR A STRATEGIC PLAN I
- 13 THINK WE'RE ALL AGREEING ON. DICK, ARE YOU THERE?
- DR. MURPHY: I AM. I'M NOT DISAGREEING WITH
- 15 THAT. AGAIN, I JUST THINK THAT THE -- THIS CAN BE --
- 16 GO WELL BEYOND 250, 000 IF IT'S NOT CAREFULLY
- 17 ORCHESTRATED. I DON'T KNOW HOW TO DO IT EITHER, BUT I
- 18 GUESS I WOULD JUST ENCOURAGE US TO RELY ON THE
- 19 RESOURCES THAT ARE AVAILABLE TO US FOR THE RIGHT PRICE,
- 20 MUCH OF WHICH WILL BE VOLUNTARY, BEFORE WE GO OFF ONTO
- 21 SOMETHING THAT COULD BE AN UNENDING EFFORT, WHICH COULD
- 22 GO WELL BEYOND TWO FIFTY.
- 23 CHAI RPERSON LANSING: POINT WELL TAKEN. HAVE
- 24 I LEFT OUT ANYBODY? I LOST TRACK WHERE I WAS.
- DR. NOVA: SHERRY, THIS IS TINA AT SALK. ON

- 1 BUDGET NO. 1, I JUST WANT TO CHALLENGE THE TEAM A
- 2 LITTLE BIT ON THE NEGATIVE \$500,000 AT THE END OF -- AT
- 3 MID-MAY. I'VE HAD TO LIVE WITH BUDGETS LIKE THIS
- 4 BEFORE; AND LOOKING AT THE EXPENSES FOR THE FIRST FEW
- 5 MONTHS, AND A LOT OF THEM GET TAKEN UP RIGHT AWAY,
- 6 LIKE, FOR EXAMPLE, THE MEETING IN OCTOBER, THE SENIOR
- 7 EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT HAS ALREADY BEEN HIRED. AND JUST
- 8 TO MAKE SURE THAT YOU CAN REALLY IN A JANUARY TIME
- 9 FRAME, ZACH WAS SAYING, LOOK, IF WE HAVEN'T RAISED ANY
- 10 MORE MONEY, WE'RE GOING TO CUT BACK AND BE ABLE TO TRY
- 11 TO MAKE IT TO THE END OF THE FISCAL YEAR.
- 12 AND MY CHALLENGE IS THAT JUST SOMETIMES IT'S
- 13 VERY, VERY DIFFICULT HALFWAY THROUGH A BUDGET CYCLE TO
- 14 RECOVER OVER \$100,000 PER MONTH AT THE END JUST BECAUSE
- 15 OF THE WAY THE ALLOCATIONS AND THE FINANCIALS WILL
- 16 FALL. AND I WOULD JUST GO THROUGH AND LOOK AT THE
- 17 TIMING AND MAKE SURE YOU CAN REALLY RECOVER THAT
- 18 BECAUSE, AS YOU KNOW, EVEN IF YOU LAY OFF PERSONNEL,
- 19 YOU DON'T CHANGE THE INFRASTRUCTURE OR THE COST OF THE
- 20 INFRASTRUCTURE DOES NOT GO DOWN AT ALL. SO THERE'S
- 21 ALWAYS A MISNOMER THERE ON PEOPLE FEEL LIKE THEY CAN
- 22 CUT BACK, AND IT'S A TRUE CUT-BACK TO THE DOLLARS, BUT
- 23 IN REALITY A TRUE CUT-BACK DOESN'T WORK OUT DOLLAR FOR
- 24 DOLLAR, AND IT'S VERY DIFFICULT TO RECOVER A HALF
- 25 MILLION DOLLARS IF YOU WAIT TOO LONG.

- 1 I WOULD JUST BE VERY CAREFUL FOR THE NEXT FEW
- 2 MONTHS AND WATCH THAT VERY CLOSELY. I'M SURE WALTER
- 3 KNOWS THIS MUCH BETTER THAN I DO.
- 4 DR. HALL: I APPRECIATE THAT. WE DO HAVE ONE
- 5 WONDERFUL ADVANTAGE, AND THAT IS WE'RE NOT PAYING RENT.
- 6 SO THAT PART OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE IS NOT FIXED. AND
- 7 THE OTHER, IF YOU JUST LOOK AT THE BUDGET, THE TWO BIG
- 8 ITEMS ARE CONTRACTS AND PERSONNEL, AND THAT'S WHERE WE
- 9 WOULD LOOK FIRST, TINA. AND I THINK -- AND FOR GOOD
- 10 REASON, I THINK OUR ACTIVITIES WILL CURTAIL, AND SO I
- 11 WOULD -- MY GUESS IS WE WILL SORT OF GO INTO NOT
- 12 HIBERNATION, WE'LL GO INTO A LOW METABOLIC STATE. WE
- 13 WILL CUT DOWN ON ICOC MEETINGS, WE'LL HAVE LESS NEED OF
- 14 REMCHO, WE WILL CUT DOWN ON THE OP ED PIECES, AND THE
- 15 WHOLE WORKS. WE REALLY WILL -- I THINK WE CAN DO IT.
- 16 IT'S -- WE ARE PROCEEDING NOW IN A VERY, I
- 17 WOULD SAY, OPTIMISTIC WAY. THIS IS NOT A BARE-BONES
- 18 BUDGET BETWEEN NOW AND THE END OF THE YEAR. AND WE
- 19 CAN -- THERE'S NO QUESTION.
- 20 DR. PIZZO: ZACH, THIS IS PHIL. COULD I JUST
- 21 QUESTION ONE PART OF YOUR LAST COMMENTS? IT SEEMS TO
- 22 ME THAT IF, IN FACT, WE WIND UP WITH ALTERNATIVE 1
- 23 BEING WHERE WE'RE AT, GIVEN THE FACT THAT YOU'VE JUST
- 24 GONE THROUGH THE PROCESS OF REVIEWING THE TRAINING
- 25 GRANTS, ONE OF THE MOST POWERFUL, AT LEAST FROM MY

- 1 POINT OF VIEW, COMMUNICATION ISSUES THAT WE HAVE IS
- 2 THAT WE NOW HAVE HAD A SCIENTIFIC REVIEW TAKE PLACE OF
- 3 TRAINING GRANT PROPOSALS. AND, IN ESSENCE, WE'VE GOT
- 4 THE REVIEWS DONE AND WE CAN'T FUND THEM, AND SO THE
- 5 MESSAGE IS TO THE CITIZENS OF CALIFORNIA THAT THE
- 6 PROMISE THAT COULD BE OFFERED BY RECRUITING THIS NEW
- 7 PIPELINE OF INVESTIGATORS IS REALLY BEING SQUANDERED
- 8 BECAUSE OF ALL THE THINGS THAT ARE GOING ON.
- 9 SO TO THE LAST STATEMENT THAT YOU MADE OF
- 10 WHERE WE CUT BACK, IT SEEMS TO ME THAT THE PLACE THAT
- 11 WE WANT TO KEEP RESOURCES AVAILABLE IS TO MAKE SURE
- 12 THAT WE HAVE THE ABILITY TO GET OUR MESSAGE OUT SO THAT
- 13 WE CAN CONTINUE THE FIGHT. BECAUSE IF WE WIND UP WITH
- 14 NOTHING LEFT TO COUNTER ALL THE PUBLIC RELATIONS STUFF,
- 15 IN ESSENCE, WE COULD LITERALLY RUN OUT OF EXISTENCE;
- 16 WHEREAS, IF WE HAVE RESOURCES TO MAKE OUR COMMUNICATION
- 17 STRATEGY ROBUST AND DO THE ADVOCACY RELATED TO THAT,
- 18 ESPECIALLY SINCE WE NOW HAVE THINGS THAT WE'VE REVIEWED
- 19 EXTERNALLY AND COULD FUND, YOU KNOW, WE'LL POTENTIALLY
- 20 MISS THE OPPORTUNITY TO DO WHAT WE NEED TO DO TO STAY
- 21 IN BUSINESS AND TO GROW.
- DR. HALL: LET ME ANSWER THAT, PHIL. I THINK
- 23 THAT'S A GREAT POINT. AND I ABSOLUTELY UNDERSTAND, BUT
- 24 I THINK THE TIMING OF IT IS CRITICAL. THAT IS, WE HAVE
- 25 A MESSAGE THAT WE'RE GOING TO SEND OUT. UNLESS BOB

- 1 WORKS A MIRACLE, WE ARE NOT GOING TO HAVE \$21 MILLION A
- 2 WEEK FROM FRIDAY. LET ME SAY THAT IS A BIG IF. OUR
- 3 CHAIR HAS DONE THIS BEFORE, WORKED MIRACLES BEFORE, BUT
- 4 LET'S JUST ASSUME, GIVE HIM A REALISTIC TIME FRAME, IT
- 5 SEEMS VERY UNLIKELY THAT WE WILL HAVE THAT MONEY.
- 6 WE'RE GOING TO COME OUT OF THAT MEETING A WEEK FROM
- 7 FRIDAY AND SAY WE HAVE A FABULOUS TRAINING PROGRAM HERE
- 8 THAT IS GOING TO PROVIDE A WONDERFUL WORKFORCE FOR
- 9 CALIFORNIA AND THE COUNTRY.
- 10 WE ARE GEOGRAPHICALLY DISTRIBUTED, WE'VE GOT
- 11 A VARIETY OF INSTITUTIONS, WE'RE BRINGING IN SKILLS ALL
- 12 THE WAY FROM CHEMISTRY TO ENGINEERING TO ETHICS TO
- 13 WHATEVER. WE WILL PLAY THAT UP. AND WE'VE MADE THE
- 14 INTERNAL DECISION, BY THE WAY, THAT OUR EMPHASIS IN
- 15 THAT IS GOING TO BE ON THE TRAINING PROGRAM, NOT ON THE
- 16 WINNERS AND LOSERS IN THE PROCESS, BUT ON THE FACT THAT
- 17 WE HAVE A WONDERFUL TRAINING PROGRAM.
- DR. PIZZO: GREAT. SOUNDS LIKE WE'RE ON THE
- 19 SAME PAGE.
- 20 DR. HALL: AND WE'LL GET THAT MESSAGE OUT
- 21 RIGHT THEN AND THERE, AND WE CAN KEEP WORKING ON IT.
- 22 IF WE'RE STILL SAYING THAT BY THE END OF THE YEAR, IT'S
- 23 A DIFFERENT THING. WHAT I WOULD SUGGEST IS IF YOU WILL
- 24 LET US, THEN, AT THE END OF THE YEAR, IF WE'RE IN THAT
- 25 UNFORTUNATE SITUATION, COME IN AND TALK ABOUT WHAT WE

- 1 SEE AS THE NEEDS, THEN I THINK WE'LL BE ABLE TO DO IT
- 2 IN A MUCH MORE REALISTIC WAY.
- 3 BUT YOUR BASIC POINT THAT WE'VE GOT TO SELL
- 4 THAT IS THE FACT THAT WE'VE GOT A GREAT PROGRAM HERE.
- 5 I DON'T KNOW EXACTLY WHICH INSTITUTIONS ARE GOING TO BE
- 6 FUNDED BECAUSE WE DON'T KNOW WHAT THE ICOC IS GOING TO
- 7 DO. I CAN ASSURE YOU THAT WE WILL COME OUT OF THAT
- 8 MEETING WITH A WONDERFUL PROGRAM, AND WE'RE GOING TO
- 9 TOUT IT TO THE SKY.
- 10 MR. KLEIN: IT'S A SUBSTANTIAL MOTIVATOR TO
- 11 POTENTIAL BAN PURCHASERS THAT THE TRAINING PROGRAM IS
- 12 EXTENSIVE, THAT IT IS EXTRAORDINARILY HIGH IN QUALITY.
- 13 AND FROM A MODELING STANDPOINT, IT'S ONE OF THE FINEST
- 14 INTELLECTUAL TRAINING PROGRAMS, DOCTORAL AND
- 15 POSTDOCTORAL PROGRAMS, IN THE HISTORY OF THE COUNTRY,
- 16 THE WORLD FOR THAT MATTER, OF OVER 18 INSTITUTIONS ON A
- 17 STATEWIDE BASIS AT THE FRONTIER OF A NEW AREA OF
- 18 MEDICAL AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH. SO THERE'S A REAL
- 19 LEGACY VALUE TO BEING PIVOTAL IN ENABLING THIS; BUT
- 20 EVEN ON AN AGGRESSIVE TIMETABLE, WE'RE LOOKING AT
- 21 TRYING TO GET THIS ACTUAL FUNDING DONE AS A GOAL IN
- 22 OCTOBER, BUT THAT IS AN AGGRESSIVE TIMETABLE.
- DR. PIZZO: RIGHT. BOB AND ZACH, I AGREE
- 24 WITH YOU PRECISELY WITH REGARD TO THE VALUE OF THE
- 25 TRAINING PROGRAM. I AGREE WITH YOU WITH REGARD TO THE

- 1 COMMUNICATIONS THAT WILL COME OUT NEXT WEEK. MY
- 2 CONCERN IS NOT THAT. I THINK THOSE ARE THE RIGHT
- 3 THINGS TO DO. MY WORRY IS THAT WE FIND A WAY TO SAVE
- 4 SOME RESOURCES SO THAT WE CAN CONTINUE, IF WE NEED TO,
- 5 OUR EXTERNAL ADVOCACY AND COMMUNICATION; THAT IS, NOT
- 6 BE WITHOUT ANY --
- 7 DR. HALL: WE'RE NOT GOING TO TAKE THEM OUT
- 8 ENTIRELY, PHIL. BUT I WOULD FIND IT DIFFICULT TO
- 9 DEFEND A \$27,000 A MONTH EDELMAN CONTRACT IN DECEMBER
- 10 IF WE HAVE NOT BROUGHT IN ANY NEW FUNDS BY THEN. I
- 11 THINK WE HAVE TO RETHINK OUR CORE MISSION AND TRIM IT
- 12 DOWN AND SAY HERE ARE THE COMMUNICATIONS FUNCTIONS WE
- 13 ABSOLUTELY NEED, AND IT MAY BE JUST WHAT YOU SAY, AND
- 14 THEN THESE OTHER THINGS WE ARE JUST GOING TO HAVE TO
- 15 LET GO FOR THE MOMENT.
- 16 DR. PIZZO: WE CAN CONTINUE TO -- WE SHOULD
- 17 CONTINUE TO DISCUSS THAT. WHAT I AM OBVIOUSLY FOCUSING
- ON IS MAKING SURE THAT WE HAVE A WAY TO FIGHT BACK SO
- 19 THAT WE DON'T GET EXTERMINATED.
- 20 DR. HALL: WE'RE NOT GOING TO JETTISON OUR
- 21 COMMUNICATIONS, BUT ALL OF OUR OPERATIONS, I THINK
- 22 WE'RE GOING TO HAVE TO LOOK AND SAY WHAT DO WE REALLY
- NEED TO DO TO SURVIVE.
- DR. PIZZO: ALL RIGHT. WE'RE ON THE SAME
- 25 PAGE.

- 1 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: ANY OTHER COMMENTS?
- 2 DR. PIZZO: ARE YOU GOING TO DO PUBLIC
- 3 COMMENTS TOO, SHERRY?
- 4 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I'M GOING TO GO TO
- 5 BUDGET 3, AND THEN I'M GOING TO DO PUBLIC COMMENT.
- 6 DR. PI ZZO: OKAY. VERY GOOD. THANK YOU.
- 7 MR. BARNES: ALTERNATIVE 3, THIS IS ACTUALLY
- 8 THE GOOD NEWS BUDGET.
- 9 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: IT'S THE ONE THAT WE'RE
- 10 GOING TO GET.
- DR. PIZZO: LET'S NOT SPEND TOO MUCH TIME ON
- 12 THIS ONE.
- 13 MR. BARNES: EVERYBODY IS HAPPY. ACTUALLY
- 14 IT'S THE \$3 MILLION LOAN, THE \$5 MILLION DOLBY GRANT,
- 15 AND WE'RE ASSUMING A HUNDRED MILLION IN BOND PROCEEDS.
- 16 NOW, I PUT THIS IN AS BOND PROCEEDS AS OPPOSED TO
- 17 BAN'S. THERE'S A LITTLE BIT OF DIFFERENCE IN TERMS OF
- 18 WHAT YOU CAN USE -- WHAT YOU HAVE TO DO WITH BOND
- 19 PROCEEDS WITH REGARD TO ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES VERSUS
- 20 BAN'S. AND I'LL EXPLAIN THAT AS WE GO THROUGH.
- 21 ESSENTIALLY UNDER THIS ONE, AND KEEP IN MIND
- 22 \$100 MILLION IN BOND PROCEEDS IS ONLY ONE-THIRD OF WHAT
- 23 WAS EXPECTED TO BE ABLE TO HAVE EVERY FISCAL YEAR. SO
- 24 THIS IS STILL KIND OF A LOW EXPECTATIONS BUDGET, BUT
- WE'LL GO WITH THAT FOR NOW.

- 1 UNDER THIS, WE WOULD BE, YOU KNOW, HAVING A
- 2 MUCH MORE FULLY REALIZED GRANT PROGRAM. AND SO MOST OF
- 3 THE ADDITIONAL STAFF THAT WE WOULD HIRE, AND WE'RE
- 4 TALKING ABOUT 13 ADDITIONAL POSITIONS, WOULD BE RELATED
- 5 TO THAT GRANT PROGRAM. WE HAVE SENIOR PROGRAM
- 6 OFFICERS, SENIOR REVIEW OFFICERS, ADMINISTRATIVE
- 7 ASSISTANTS FOR WORK GROUPS, GRANTS MANAGEMENT
- 8 SPECIALISTS, ASSISTANTS, CHIEF COUNSEL. AND THEN
- 9 BASICALLY WE HAVE FOUR OTHERS THAT ARE CHIEF COUNSEL,
- 10 COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER, HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICER,
- 11 RECEPTIONIST, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT.
- 12 THESE ARE FOUR ITEMS THAT ARE -- KEEP IN MIND
- 13 THAT RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CONTRACTS AND PERSONNEL, THAT
- 14 TO A CERTAIN EXTENT, GETTING THESE POSITIONS ON BOARD
- 15 ALLOW US TO BEGIN TO THINK ABOUT REDUCING OUR
- 16 DEPENDENCE ON SOME OF OUR CONTRACTORS, PARTICULARLY THE
- 17 REMCHO, EDELMAN, AND THE STATE CONTROLLER'S OFFICE.
- 18 NOW, IN THIS BUDGET WE'VE LEFT THEM IN AT
- 19 THEIR FULL AMOUNT. OKAY. BECAUSE AT LEAST IN THE
- 20 INTERIM PERIOD, THIS PERIOD THROUGH JUNE 30TH, WE
- 21 PROBABLY WOULDN'T MAKE THAT MUCH DIFFERENCE HERE. IT'S
- 22 IN THE YEAR GOING FORWARD THAT YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO
- 23 START TO SEE THE IMPACT OF THAT. BUT THAT'S BASICALLY
- 24 THE 35 POSITIONS.
- 25 AS FAR AS OPERATING EXPENSES AND EQUIPMENT,

- 1 WE'VE ADDED AN ADDITIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE. THIS
- 2 WOULD BE SORT OF A PARTNER TO THE ONE THAT'S BEING HELD
- 3 IN OCTOBER. IT WOULD BE AT A LOWER COST BECAUSE
- 4 ESSENTIALLY THIS ONE HERE, WE'RE HAVING TO PAY SOME OF
- 5 THE EXPENSES RELATED TO GETTING PEOPLE IN HERE THAT WE
- 6 WANT. THE EXPECTATION IS THAT WE COULD CHARGE HIGHER
- 7 FEES AND REDUCE THE NET COST TO US, SO THERE'S ONE MORE
- 8 SCIENCE CONFERENCE PROJECTED UNDER THIS BUDGET.
- 9 AND THE WORKING GROUPS WOULD BE FULLY
- 10 REALIZED, SO WE'D HAVE TWO ADDITIONAL MEETINGS, SO A
- 11 TOTAL OF FOUR WORKING GROUP MEETINGS FOR THE GRANTS,
- 12 AND THE FACILITIES OPERATIONS WORKING GROUPS COULD ALSO
- 13 BEGIN MEETING. THEY WOULD HAVE TWO ADDITIONAL MEETINGS
- 14 FOR A TOTAL OF THREE DURING THE YEAR.
- 15 THEN THERE WOULD BE USUAL INCREASES IN
- 16 CATEGORIES TO ADDRESS EXPENDITURES FOR THE NEW STAFF,
- 17 THE TRAVEL AND EXPENDITURES. SO THIS ONE HERE, WE'RE
- 18 BASICALLY ABLE TO MEET ALL OF OUR ADMINISTRATIVE
- 19 OBLIGATIONS. CIRM WOULD HAVE SOMEWHERE AROUND 74 TO
- 20 \$75 MILLION AVAILABLE FOR GRANTS PROGRAMS AND, YOU
- 21 KNOW, THIS WOULD ALSO INCLUDE THE STRATEGIC PLAN AS
- 22 WELL.
- THE ONLY COMMENT I'D MAKE WITH REGARD TO THE
- 24 BOND PROCEEDS VERSUS BAN PROCEEDS HAS TO DO WITH THE
- 25 TOP LINE OF THE PROPOSED BUDGET. WHERE YOU SEE A

- 1 NEGATIVE AMOUNT FOR THE LOAN, IF THERE ARE BAN'S
- 2 PROCEEDS, WE'RE NOT OBLIGATED TO USE THE BAN PROCEEDS,
- 3 AS I UNDERSTAND IT, TO PAY BACK THE LOAN. BUT WHEN
- 4 BOND PROCEEDS START COMING IN, THEN THE AMOUNT THAT IS
- 5 AVAILABLE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES, WE NEED TO USE
- 6 THAT TO START PAYING BACK THE LOAN. UNDER THIS
- 7 SCENARIO, THAT'S WHY, EVEN THOUGH WE GET 5.8 MILLION
- 8 MORE IN BOND PROCEEDS, A LARGE PART OF THAT GOES TO PAY
- 9 BACK THE LOAN, BUT IT STILL LEAVES US WITH MORE THAN
- 10 ENOUGH TO OPERATE UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES.
- DR. HALL: ONE SMALL POINT. DAVID MEYER
- 12 POINTED OUT THERE'S A TYPO ON PAGE 3, IF I'M NOT
- 13 MISTAKEN. GRANTS MANAGEMENT ASSISTANT LISTED TWICE,
- AND ONE OF THEM SHOULD BE A GRANTS TECHNICAL ASSISTANT;
- 15 IS THAT RIGHT, WALTER?
- MR. BARNES: YES, YOU ARE CORRECT.
- 17 MR. KLEIN: ANOTHER JUST HISTORICAL POINT,
- 18 THE ACTUAL PROJECTIONS THAT WERE SUBMITTED TO THE
- 19 LEGISLATIVE ANALYST'S OFFICE ASSUME A RAMP-UP. IT
- 20 WASN'T AS IF WE WOULD BOUNCE IMMEDIATELY UP TO A \$300
- 21 MILLION EXPENDITURE LEVEL. SO THE FIRST FULL
- 22 OPERATIONAL YEAR, ASSUMING WE HAD FULL ACCESS TO BONDS,
- 23 WAS GOING TO BE IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF 150 MILLION, AND
- 24 A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF THAT WOULD GO TOWARDS
- 25 FACILITIES BECAUSE LARGE PORTIONS ARE ABLE TO BE

- 1 EXPENDED WISELY BASED UPON ACTUAL DETAILED PLANS BY
- 2 INSTITUTIONS, BUT WE'RE NOT MOVING FORWARD ON THE
- 3 FACILITIES PROGRAM UNTIL WE KNOW WE HAVE A FUNCTIONING
- 4 BOND PROGRAM IN PLACE.
- 5 DR. HALL: THAT CONCLUDES THE PRESENTATION.
- 6 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: THAT CONCLUDES THE
- 7 PRESENTATION. AND BEFORE WE MOVE FOR A MOTION, I'D
- 8 LIKE TO JUST HEAR IF THERE'S PUBLIC COMMENT. SO PUBLIC
- 9 COMMENT IN DOWNTOWN L.A.?
- 10 MS. SHREVE: NONE.
- 11 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: CEDARS-SINAI? WE HAVE
- 12 TWO MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC HERE. IRVINE?
- DR. STEWARD: NO PUBLIC HERE.
- 14 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: STANFORD?
- DR. PI ZZO: YES, WE DO.
- 16 MR. REED: I HAVE TWO QUESTIONS JUMPING BACK.
- 17 ONE IS PROBABLY JUST A SIMPLE MISUNDERSTANDING ON MY
- 18 PART. BUT WASN'T SAN FRANCISCO GOING TO PAY FOR THE
- 19 FURNITURE? WHY ARE WE PAYING FOR SOMETHING I THOUGHT
- 20 WAS PART OF THEIR OFFER?
- 21 DR. HALL: THEY'RE PAYING 84 PERCENT OF IT.
- MR. REED: BUT THAT 16 PERCENT IS WHAT WE'RE
- 23 TALKING ABOUT?
- 24 MR. BARNES: THE BLD ACTUALLY SALD THAT THE
- 25 HOWARTH FURNITURE WAS FURNITURE THAT WAS 90 TO 80

- 1 PERCENT DISCOUNTED. IT DID NOT SAY THAT IT WAS FREE.
- 2 MR. KLEIN: THEY'RE ACTUALLY NOT PAYING FOR
- 3 IT. JUST SO WE'RE ALL TOGETHER, IT'S A NEGOTIATED
- 4 DISCOUNT THAT WOULD BE REFERENCED THAT WAS A PART OF
- 5 THE BID ITSELF TO REDUCE OUR CAPITAL COST AT INCEPTION
- 6 ON THE MOVE-IN.
- 7 MR. REED: SECONDLY, SOMEBODY MENTIONED THE
- 8 LAWSUIT EARLIER. DOES THE REQUEST FOR A CHANGE OF
- 9 VENUE FROM ALAMEDA COUNTY TO SACRAMENTO, IS THAT A
- 10 DELAY?
- 11 MR. KLEIN: NO, IT IS NOT A DELAY. THE
- 12 CHANGE IN VENUE ESSENTIALLY HELPS US CONSOLIDATE THESE
- 13 CASES. AND, IN FACT, IN SACRAMENTO, THERE IS A MAJOR
- 14 BACKLOG IN LITIGATION. OUR INFORMATION, AND, JAMES,
- 15 I'LL CHECK WITH YOU ON THIS, IS THAT IN ALAMEDA COUNTY,
- 16 WE CONTINUE TO GET INFORMATION THAT UNDER THIS PILOT
- 17 PROGRAM WHICH WE'RE IN ALAMEDA COUNTY, WHICH WAS
- 18 DESIGNED TO ELIMINATE LITIGATION DELAYS, WE ARE NOT
- 19 FACING A BACKLOG CONSTRAINT. IS THAT CORRECT, JAMES?
- 20 MR. HARRISON: THAT'S CORRECT. WE HAVE
- 21 WHAT'S KNOWN AS A SINGLE ASSIGNMENT IN ALAMEDA COUNTY,
- 22 WHICH MEANS THAT A SINGLE JUDGE TO WHOM WE HAVE ALREADY
- 23 BEEN ASSIGNED WILL HEAR ALL MOTIONS PERTAINING TO THE
- 24 ACTIONS AND ALSO PRESIDE OVER ANY TRIAL.
- 25 MR. REED: IF HE SHOULD WIN THAT AND IT IS

- 1 MOVED UP TO SACRAMENTO, THAT WOULD NOT DELAY ANYTHING
- 2 OR WOULD THAT?
- 3 MR. HARRISON: THE COURT HAS ALREADY GRANTED
- 4 THE MOTION TO TRANSFER. AND, IN FACT, THE SACRAMENTO
- 5 ACTION WILL BE OFFICIALLY TRANSFERRED FROM SACRAMENTO
- 6 TO ALAMEDA OVER THE NEXT FEW DAYS.
- 7 MR. REED: SO IT'S COMING BACK HERE BECAUSE
- 8 IT WAS ALAMEDA, THEN HE ASKED IT BE MOVED TO
- 9 SACRAMENTO, NOW IT'S COMING BACK?
- 10 MR. KLEIN: WE HAVE WON THIS COURT ACTION,
- AND THE DECISION HAS BEEN MADE TO TRANSFER SACRAMENTO
- 12 TO ALAMEDA.
- MR. REED: THANK YOU.
- 14 CHAI RPERSON LANSI NG: UCLA?
- DR. FONTANA: NO PUBLIC COMMENT.
- 16 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: UC DAVIS?
- 17 DR. POMEROY: NO.
- 18 CHAI RPERSON LANSING: SALK?
- DR. MURPHY: NO.
- 20 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: THEN I JUST WANT TO SAY
- 21 I THINK THESE ARE REALLY VERY, VERY WELL THOUGHT OUT
- 22 BUDGETS. AND I REALLY THANK YOU FOR GIVING US THREE
- 23 CONTINGENCIES. AND I WONDER IF WE COULD HAVE A MOTION
- 24 TO BRING THESE FORWARD, THE THREE BUDGETS, TO THE LCOC.
- 25 MR. KLEIN: I'LL MAKE THAT MOTION TO BRING --

- 1 I THINK IT WOULD BE VERY HELPFUL TO BRING ALL THREE
- 2 FORWARD AND --
- 3 DR. HALL: I WOULD JUST LIKE THE ONE THING,
- 4 TO MAKE IT A PROVISIONAL BUDGET IN THE SENSE THAT WE
- 5 WILL --
- 6 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: YES.
- 7 DR. HALL: -- DO AN ANALYSIS BY FUNCTION THAT
- 8 WE WOULD LIKE TO COME BACK TO YOU TO HELP US MAKE IT
- 9 MORE APPARENT WHERE EXPENSES ARE GOING TO BE.
- 10 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: BUT I LIKE THE FACT
- 11 THAT WE CAN BRING SOMETHING FORWARD NOW.
- 12 MR. KLEIN: I MAKE THE MOTION THAT
- 13 PROVISIONAL BUDGETS, SUBJECT TO ADDITIONAL REFINEMENT,
- 14 ARE BEING BROUGHT FORWARD WITH THREE DIFFERENT
- 15 VARI ATI ONS.
- 16 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: DO I HAVE A SECOND?
- DR. MEYER: SECOND.
- 18 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: DO I HAVE DISCUSSION
- 19 FROM THE BOARD IN CEDARS? IRVINE?
- 20 DR. STEWARD: JUST A QUESTION. WHO WAS THE
- 21 SECOND FOR OUR RECORDER HERE?
- DR. MEYER: DAVID MEYER.
- THE REPORTER: THANK YOU.
- 24 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: STANFORD?
- DR. PIZZO: THIS IS PHIL SPEAKING. IT'S NOT

- 1 A QUESTION AS MUCH AS -- WELL, GIVEN THE DISCUSSION
- 2 THAT WE HAD ABOUT THE CONSULTING, EVEN THOUGH I THINK
- 3 I'M COMFORTABLE WITH THE WAY ZACH PRESENTED IT, BUT TO
- 4 AVOID A LONG DISCUSSION AT THE ICOC WHEN WE COME THERE,
- 5 I WONDER WHETHER, ZACH, YOU AND THE GROUP COULD DO A
- 6 LITTLE BIT MORE GRANULARITY ANALYSIS AROUND THAT IN
- 7 TERMS OF WHAT WOULD GO INTO THE TWO FIFTY, SO TO SPEAK,
- 8 JUST SO THAT WE CAN OFFSET A LONG DIALOGUE AROUND THAT.
- 9 DR. HALL: ALL RIGHT.
- 10 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I THINK THE IMPORTANT
- 11 THING IS JUST TO SAY THEY'RE GOING TO COME BACK TO US.
- 12 IT'S A PLACEHOLDER.
- 13 DR. HALL: WE'RE GOING TO BRING IT BACK TO
- 14 YOU WITH A PLAN FOR THE STRATEGIC PLAN.
- DR. PIZZO: I THOUGHT THAT WAS THE MOST
- 16 HELPFUL COMMENT.
- 17 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: UCLA?
- DR. FONTANA: NO COMMENT.
- 19 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: DAVIS?
- DR. POMEROY: NO COMMENTS.
- 21 CHAI RPERSON LANSI NG: SALK?
- DR. MURPHY: NO COMMENT.
- 23 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: PUBLIC COMMENT FROM
- 24 SALK?
- DR. MURPHY: NO.

- 1 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: CLAIRE, PUBLIC COMMENT
- 2 FROM DAVIS?
- 3 DR. POMEROY: NONE.
- 4 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: ANY PUBLIC COMMENT AT
- 5 DAVIS?
- 6 DR. POMEROY: NONE.
- 7 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: UCLA?
- 8 DR. FONTANA: NONE.
- 9 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: STANFORD?
- DR. PI ZZO: NONE.
- 11 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: IRVINE?
- DR. STEWARD: NO PUBLIC.
- 13 CHAI RPERSON LANSING: CEDARS-SINAI? DOWNTOWN
- 14 L. A. ?
- MS. SHREVE: NONE.
- 16 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: OKAY. CAN WE HAVE A
- 17 ROLL CALL VOTE. AMY. SORRY.
- 18 MR. BARNES: JUST ONE QUESTION TO MAKE SURE
- 19 THAT I UNDERSTAND WHAT THE DECISION WILL BE. THE
- 20 EXPECTATION THAT WE'VE LAID OUT HERE IS A PLAN TO MOVE
- 21 FROM ONE BUDGET TO THE OTHER DEPENDING. AND SO
- 22 ESSENTIALLY YOU'RE ASKING -- YOU'RE APPROVING, IN
- 23 EFFECT, THE BUDGET 1 WHICH WILL OPERATE UNTIL WE GET TO
- THE POINT TO MOVE TO BUDGET 2.
- 25 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: ABSOLUTELY. JUST AS

- 1 YOU PRESENTED IT. I THINK IT'S GREAT BECAUSE YOU
- 2 PROVIDED FOR ALL THREE CONTINGENCIES, AND I'M GOING TO
- 3 CONVINCE MYSELF THAT CONTINGENT NO. 3 IS WHAT'S GOING
- 4 TO HAPPEN. I'D LIKE TO VOTE ON THAT.
- 5 AMY, CAN YOU CALL THE ROLL?
- 6 MS. DUROSS: DAVI D MEYER.
- 7 DR. MEYER: YES.
- 8 MS. DUROSS: BOB KLEIN.
- 9 MR. KLEIN: YES.
- 10 MS. DUROSS: SHERRY LANSING.
- 11 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: YES.
- 12 MS. DUROSS: RI CHARD MURPHY.
- DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 14 MS. DUROSS: RI CHARD MURPHY.
- DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 16 MS. DUROSS: TINA NOVA.
- 17 DR. NOVA: YES.
- 18 MS. DUROSS: PHIL PIZZO.
- 19 DR. PIZZO: YES. AND I WOULD LIKE CONTINGENT
- 20 NO. 4, WHICH MEANS WE HAVE FULL FUNDING.
- 21 CHAIRPERSON LANSINGL I AGREE WITH YOU THERE.
- MS. DUROSS: CLAIRE POMEROY.
- DR. POMEROY: YES.
- 24 MS. DUROSS: OS STEWARD.
- DR. STEWARD: YES.

- 1 MS. DUROSS: JEANNIE FONTANA.
- 2 DR. FONTANA: YES.
- 3 MR. KLEIN: ON THE -- JUST ONE SECOND. ON
- 4 THE BUDGET SUBJECT, I THINK IT MIGHT BE GOOD ON THE
- 5 BUDGET SUBJECT, SHERRY, SINCE THE SCIENTIFIC MEETING IS
- 6 215,000 AND WE HAVE DISCUSSED THAT, TO ACTUALLY HAVE A
- 7 MOTION APPROVING THAT SCIENTIFIC MEETING AS A PART OF
- 8 THIS BUDGET SINCE IT'S A LARGE EXPENDITURE.
- 9 DR. HALL: IT'S IN THE BUDGET.
- 10 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: IF IT'S IN THE BUDGET,
- 11 IT'S APPROVED.
- DR. HALL: I THINK WHAT THAT RAISES IS THAT
- 13 EVEN IF IT IS APPROVED --
- 14 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: YOU HAVE TO GO BACK.
- DR. HALL: SO I'D LIKE TO HAVE IT --
- 16 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: AND THAT WILL GET US TO
- 17 WHERE CLAIRE WAS SUGGESTING IS THAT WHEN WE APPROVE THE
- 18 BUDGET, WE DON'T HAVE TO KEEP COMING BACK FOR
- 19 INDIVIDUAL ITEMS.
- 20 DR. HALL: I THINK THE IDEA OF HAVING SOME
- 21 VARIANCE GUIDELINES, THAT WITHIN THESE BOUNDS AND
- 22 WITHIN CATEGORIES, YOU CAN'T MOVE MONEY AROUND WITHIN
- 23 CATEGORIES EXCEPT WITHIN THESE BOUNDS.
- 24 MR. KLEIN: I WAS GOING TO SAY THAT IT'S THE
- 25 FIRST SCIENTIFIC MEETING, AND YOU MIGHT FIND SOME

- 1 VARIANCE BECAUSE IT'S THE FIRST TIME YOU'VE DONE THIS
- 2 MEETING. IT'S NOT EXACTLY A MATHEMATICAL PROCESS,
- 3 SO --
- 4 DR. HALL: IT'S PRETTY GOOD. IT'S PRETTY
- 5 GOOD. WE MAY BE OFF A LITTLE BIT, BUT I THINK WE'LL
- 6 HAVE TO -- WHY DON'T WE THINK, SHERRY, BEFORE THE ICOC
- 7 MEETING ABOUT AN APPROPRIATE VARIANCE. AND I THINK
- 8 THAT THAT -- I MEAN THE VARIANCE IS NOT GOING TO BE
- 9 \$100,000. IT WILL BE MAYBE TEN AT WORST.
- 10 DR. PIZZO: WE KNOW HOW TO ESTIMATE THE COST
- 11 OF MEETINGS.
- DR. HALL: AND A LOT OF THESE THINGS ARE
- 13 ALREADY CONTRACTED OUT, AND WE HAVE A VERY GOOD AND
- 14 AGGRESSIVE CONTRACT WITH THE HOTEL. WE HAVE JUST
- 15 GOTTEN, BY THE WAY, A CONTRIBUTION FROM BAY BIO WHO'S
- 16 AGREED TO PAY FOR OUR WEBCASTING. WE'VE GOTTEN -- SO
- 17 WE ARE REALLY PUSHING EVERYWHERE WE CAN TO HOLD
- 18 EXPENSES DOWN. AND WALTER MAKES SURE THAT THOSE
- 19 REQUESTS FOR BUSINESS CLASS TRAVEL BECAUSE OF PAINFUL
- 20 BACK CONDITIONS COME WITH A DOCTOR'S LETTER.
- 21 MR. KLEIN: LET ME JUST CHECK IN HERE.
- 22 CLAIRE, IS CLAIRE ON?
- DR. POMEROY: SORRY. I WAS MUTED.
- 24 MR. KLEIN: CLAIRE, YOU HAD MADE A STATEMENT,
- 25 I THOUGHT, THAT SAID THAT THE ISSUE OF DEALING WITH THE

- 1 BUDGET, YOU WANTED -- UNTIL WE GET GOT THE FINAL
- 2 BUDGET, TO BE DEALING WITH IT ON A MORE DISCREET BASIS.
- 3 AND I'M ACTUALLY FINE WITH A PROVISIONAL BUDGET, HAVING
- 4 HAD A FULL DISCUSSION OF THE SCIENTIFIC MEETING, NOT TO
- 5 GO THROUGH A SEPARATE PROCESS, BUT I WANT TO MAKE
- 6 CERTAIN THAT YOU'RE FINE AS WELL.
- 7 DR. POMEROY: WE DID SAY THAT WE WERE GOING
- 8 TO APPROVE EVERYTHING UNTIL WE HAD THE FINAL OFFICIAL
- 9 BUDGET, SO YOUR RECOLLECTION IS CORRECT. BUT I
- 10 PERSONALLY AM QUITE COMFORTABLE WITH THIS ALLOCATION
- 11 FOR THE SCIENTIFIC MEETING. IT MIGHT JUST BE EASY TO
- 12 HAVE A VOTE ON IT.
- 13 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I THINK YOU'RE RIGHT.
- 14 LET'S DO A VOTE. BETTER SAFE THAN SORRY. CAN I HAVE A
- 15 MOTION FOR APPROVAL OF THE SCIENTIFIC MEETING?
- DR. MURPHY: SO MOVED.
- MR. KLEIN: SECOND.
- 18 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: OKAY. LET'S DO A ROLL
- 19 CALL VOTE.
- 20 DR. HALL: WAIT. LET ME, THE BUDGET, LET'S
- 21 BE CAREFUL NOW THAT WE'RE ACTUALLY GOING TO DO IT, THAT
- 22 YOU APPROVE THE STATED AMOUNT, WHICH IS \$255,000 --
- 23 215, I'M SORRY, FOR THE MEETING, AND YOU WANT TO GIVE A
- 24 PLUS AND MINUS TO THAT?
- 25 MR. KLEIN: I'D SAY ADD A 10-PERCENT PLUS OR

- 1 MI NUS.
- DR. HALL: OKAY. PLUS 10 PERCENT.
- 3 MR. BARNES: LET WE ALSO THEN ASK, IN THE
- 4 INTEREST OF MAKING SURE YOU'RE COMPLETELY AWARE OF IT,
- 5 BUT ONE COST ASSOCIATED WITH THE BUDGET IS NOT IN THE
- 6 215. IT'S ACTUALLY IN CONTRACTS, AND THAT'S THE
- 7 CONTRACT THAT WE HAVE WITH MOSAIC, WHICH IS ACTUALLY
- 8 COORDINATING THE BUDGET FOR US. SO IF YOU REALLY WANT
- 9 TO APPROVE A BUDGET FOR THIS MEETING ITSELF, YOU REALLY
- 10 HAVE TO TAKE THAT INTO ACCOUNT, IN WHICH CASE YOU'RE
- 11 TALKING ABOUT 260, 000.
- 12 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: THEN YOU HAVE TO GO
- 13 BACK TO THE FULL ICOC.
- DR. HALL: THAT'S THE REASON I SAID 255.
- 15 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: SO THEN YOU HAVE TO GO
- 16 BACK TO THE FULL ICOC.
- 17 MR. HARRISON: THAT'S RIGHT. AND THE OTHER
- 18 THING TO KEEP IN MIND, THAT THE CONTRACT APPROVAL
- 19 POLICY THAT THE ICOC ADOPTED AT THE LAST MEETING
- 20 APPLIES TO INDIVIDUAL CONTRACTS; WHEREAS, I ASSUME THE
- 21 SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE AND THE COST ASSOCIATED WITH IT
- 22 INVOLVE SEVERAL DIFFERENT VENDORS.
- 23 MR. KLEIN: NUMEROUS CONTRACTS, THAT'S RIGHT.
- 24 SO THE --
- 25 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: JAMES, WHAT DO WE HAVE

- 1 TO DO? YOU TELL ME.
- 2 MR. KLEIN: I THINK JAMES IS SAYING IS THAT
- 3 ZACH SHOULD HAVE THE ABILITY TO DEAL WITH THE \$50,000
- 4 CONTRACT OR \$45,000 CONTRACT FOR ADMINISTRATION SINCE
- 5 IT'S LESS THAN A HUNDRED THOUSAND. BUT WHAT WE'RE
- 6 DOING IS PASSING A \$215,000 BUDGET FOR THE SCIENTIFIC
- 7 MEETING.
- 8 DR. HALL: WELL, OKAY. HERE'S THE -- I THINK
- 9 IT DEPENDS ON HOW YOU WANT TO HANDLE THESE THINGS. SO
- 10 THIS IS TRAVEL, WHICH IS A BIG CHUNK OF IT, HOTEL
- 11 ROOMS. IT IS -- WE'RE ACTUALLY RUNNING IT, WE'RE
- 12 ASKING ALL REGISTRANTS, EXCEPT SPEAKERS AND ICOC
- 13 MEMBERS, TO SPEND -- PAY A HUNDRED DOLLARS TO PAY FOR
- 14 THEIR LUNCH WHILE THEY'RE THERE, THEIR BOX LUNCH,
- 15 BECAUSE WE'RE HAVING TWO WORKING MEETINGS. I DON'T
- 16 HAVE THE REST OF THE BREAKOUT. WE HAVE SOME -- WE ARE
- 17 HAVING A WRITER BECAUSE WE'RE GOING TO PRODUCE A
- 18 DOCUMENT OUT OF THIS, AND THAT'S A CONTRACT FOR ABOUT
- 19 \$25,000 OR 20, SOMETHING LIKE THAT. SO IT IS ALL THESE
- 20 SMALL CONTRACTS.
- 21 AND I GUESS THE ISSUE THAT JAMES RAISES IS A
- 22 GOOD ONE. IF WE DO IT BY FUNCTION RATHER THAN BY
- 23 SEPARATE CONTRACTS, I'M HAPPY FOR YOU TO DO IT HOWEVER
- 24 YOU WANT TO DO IT.
- 25 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: WELL, THE THING IS IF

- 1 WE DID IT BY FUNCTION, WE WOULD NOT NEED TO COME -- YOU
- 2 WOULD NOT NEED TO COME TO US. IF WE DO IT BY THE
- 3 OVERALL FUNCTIONS ALL PUT TOGETHER, THEN YOU NEED TO
- 4 COME TO US.
- 5 SINCE WE'VE OPENED IT UP, I THINK WE'RE SAFER
- 6 IF WE TAKE THE VOTE. IT WILL TAKE US ONE MINUTE. AND
- 7 HOPEFULLY WE'RE GOING TO HAVE AN APPROVED BUDGET REALLY
- 8 SOON, AND WE WON'T HAVE TO DO THIS AGAIN.
- 9 DR. HALL: LET ME SUGGEST, THEN, THAT WE
- 10 LEAVE THE MOSAIC CONTRACT OUT OF IT. WANT TO DO THAT?
- 11 DR. MAXON: THIS IS MARY. I'M ACTUALLY HERE
- 12 IN EMERYVILLE. I FEEL I NEED TO MAKE A CORRECTION
- 13 HERE. IF YOU LOOK AT THE CONFERENCE BUDGET FOR
- 14 \$215,000 THAT I BUILT, IT HAS THE MOSAIC FEE IN IT, AND
- 15 IT HAS THE SCIENCE WRITER'S FEE IN IT.
- 16 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: YOU'RE THE GREATEST.
- 17 MR. KLEIN: YEAH, THAT WAS MY UNDERSTANDING,
- 18 MARY. I'M GLAD TO HEAR THAT NEWS.
- 19 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: SO WE VOTE ON THE WHOLE
- THI NG.
- 21 DR. HALL: SO THIS TAKES CARE OF THE BAY BIO
- 22 DROP, RIGHT, OR NOT?
- 23 MS. MAXON: IT DOES NOT YET INCLUDE THAT.
- 24 THAT'S NOT QUITE A DONE DEAL.
- 25 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: SO WE'LL GET IT TO A

- 1 POINT WE DON'T EVEN NEED TO COME TO US.
- 2 MR. KLEIN: SO THERE IS A MOTION AND A SECOND
- 3 ON THE FLOOR.
- 4 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: LET'S HAVE A ROLL CALL
- 5 VOTE.
- 6 MR. KLEIN: THE PUBLIC COMMENT.
- 7 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: SORRY. I NEED TO HAVE
- 8 PUBLIC COMMENT FIRST.
- 9 DR. HALL: WE DO NOT NEED TO GO TO THE I COC.
- 10 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: CAN I HAVE PUBLIC
- 11 COMMENT DOWNTOWN L. A.?
- 12 MS. SHREVE: THERE ARE NO LONGER MEMBERS OF
- 13 THE PUBLIC HERE IN DOWNTOWN L. A.
- 14 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: CEDARS? IRVINE?
- DR. STEWARD: NO PUBLIC.
- 16 CHAI RPERSON LANSI NG: STANFORD.
- 17 DR. PIZZO: THREE PUBLIC, NO COMMENT.
- 18 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: UCLA?
- 19 DR. FONTANA: NO PUBLIC.
- 20 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: DAVIS?
- DR. POMEROY: NO PUBLIC.
- 22 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: SALK?
- DR. NOVA: NO PUBLIC.
- 24 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: OKAY. SORRY, GUYS.
- 25 LET'S HAVE A ROLL CALL.

- 1 MS. DUROSS: DAVI D MEYER.
- DR. MEYER: YES.
- 3 MS. DUROSS: BOB KLEIN.
- 4 MR. KLEIN: YES.
- 5 MS. DUROSS: SHERRY LANSING.
- 6 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: YES.
- 7 MS. DUROSS: RI CHARD MURPHY.
- 8 DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 9 MS. DUROSS: TI NA NOVA.
- 10 DR. NOVA: YES.
- 11 MS. DUROSS: PHIL PIZZO.
- DR. PI ZZO: YES.
- MS. DUROSS: CLAIRE POMEROY.
- DR. POMEROY: YES.
- 15 MS. DUROSS: JEANNIE FONTANA.
- 16 DR. FONTANA: YES.
- 17 MS. DUROSS: OS STEWARD.
- DR. STEWARD: YES.
- 19 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: THE MOTION PASSES.
- 20 MR. KLEIN: MOTION PASSES. DO WE ALSO NEED
- TO DEAL WITH THE 240,000 FOR THE FURNITURE?
- 22 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: NO. THAT WE SAID --
- 23 MR. BARNES: 120,000 THIS YEAR.
- 24 MR. KLEIN: THE OBLIGATION IS 120,000 THIS
- 25 YEAR?

- 1 MR. BARNES: THIS YEAR. AND I THOUGHT WE
- 2 AGREED THAT THAT WAS INCLUDED WITHIN THE APPROVAL THAT
- 3 WAS --
- 4 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: THIS WAS THE FULL I COC.
- 5 THAT HAD ALREADY GONE WHEN WE APPROVED. WE ALL SAID
- 6 THAT THAT HAD ALREADY GONE WHEN WE APPROVED THE --
- 7 MR. KLEIN: OKAY. CLAIRE, HOW DO YOU WANT --
- 8 WHAT IS YOUR PERSPECTIVE ON THIS?
- 9 DR. POMEROY: I AGREE WITH THE DECISION THAT
- 10 WE MADE, THAT WHEN THE APPROVED THE BID, WE APPROVED
- 11 THAT EXPENDITURE.
- 12 MR. KLEIN: GREAT. I JUST WANTED TO CONFIRM
- 13 THAT WE ALL HAVE A CONSENSUS.
- 14 DR. POMEROY: THANKS FOR CHECKING.
- 15 CHAI RPERSON LANSING: GREAT. THANKS AGAIN.
- 16 NOW, I KNOW EVERYBODY IS ON A TIME SCHEDULE,
- 17 SO BEAR US WITH LITTLE BIT MORE. I'D LIKE BOB, IF YOU
- 18 CAN LEAD US THROUGH THE NAMING PROGRAMS.
- 19 MR. KLEIN: CERTAINLY. WITH THE BOND
- 20 ANTICIPATION NOTE STRUCTURE, I HOPE THAT EVERYONE
- 21 RECALLS THAT, BASED ON OUR PRIOR PRESENTATIONS TO THE
- 22 ICOC, THAT THE BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES ARE STRUCTURED
- 23 SO THAT THESE ARE MAJOR PHILANTHROPIC FOUNDATIONS OR
- 24 PHILANTHROPIC INDIVIDUALS WHO WILL BE PURCHASING THESE
- 25 BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES WITH A CLEAR DISCLOSURE THAT

- 1 IF, IN FACT, THE LAWSUIT WERE LOST BY THE CIRM, THAT
- 2 THEIR BOND ANTICIPATION NOTE, WHICH IS A BOND OR FORM
- 3 OF A LOAN, WOULD THEN BECOME A GRANT TO THE STATE SO
- 4 THE STATE HAS NO RISK.
- 5 AND GIVEN THAT THESE INSTITUTIONS ARE
- 6 PRIMARILY -- THEIR PRIMARY MISSION IS MEDICAL AND
- 7 SCIENTIFIC EDUCATION, SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, THEY WILL
- 8 HAVE ACCOMPLISHED THEIR PRIMARY MISSION, BUT THIS IS A
- 9 SIGNIFICANT COMMITMENT TO OUR PROGRAMS TO SUPPORT US IN
- 10 MOVING FORWARD.
- 11 AND THE THOUGHT IS THAT IN THE CASE WHERE
- 12 THEY BUY THE BONDS AND IT BECOMES A CONTRIBUTION
- 13 BECAUSE WE'VE LOST THE LAWSUIT, WHICH WE DO NOT EXPECT
- 14 TO DO, OR AT THE END OF THE BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES, A
- 15 TIME PERIOD WHEN BONDS ARE ISSUED AND THEY COULD BE
- 16 PAID BACK, IF THEY WERE TO VOLUNTARILY MAKE THAT MONEY
- 17 A CONTRIBUTION TO THE CIRM, IN EITHER OF THOSE CASES,
- 18 IF THE PROPOSAL THAT THE FOUNDATION OR THE INDIVIDUAL
- 19 MAY BE ABLE TO DESIGNATE THAT PROGRAM OF FELLOWSHIPS
- 20 WOULD BE NAMED AFTER THAT INSTITUTION.
- 21 SO, FOR EXAMPLE, LET US SAY THAT THE DOLBYS
- 22 OR THE FISHERS, DIFFERENT INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE
- 23 CONTRIBUTED SIGNIFICANTLY TO THE CIRM, EITHER THE
- 24 HEADQUARTERS EFFORT OR TO OUR OPERATING FUND, IF THEY
- 25 WERE TO BUY \$29 MILLION IN BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES, IT

- 1 WOULD BE THAT THE DOLBY/CIRM SCHOLARS WERE NOT TO BE
- 2 SUCCESSFUL OR IF THEY WERE AT THE TIME WE PAID THE
- 3 FUNDS BACK TO THEM, CAN CONVERT THAT INTO A
- 4 CONTRIBUTION TO FURTHER THIS PROGRAM AS THE CIRM
- 5 ADVANCES. THAT PROVIDES A RECOGNITION FOR THE
- 6 TREMENDOUS CONTRIBUTION THOSE INSTITUTIONS WOULD HAVE
- 7 MADE. IT IS NOT A FINANCIAL COST TO OUR INSTITUTION,
- 8 BUT THAT RECOGNITION WOULD BE WELL EARNED IN EITHER OF
- 9 THOSE CASES. SO THAT IS THE PROPOSAL.
- 10 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: CAN I HAVE BOARD
- 11 COMMENT FROM SALK?
- DR. MURPHY: I MISSED SOMETHING. IF THE
- 13 BONDS ARE ISSUED AND WE PAY THESE FOLKS AND THEY GET
- 14 BOND INCOME OFF OF IT, ARE YOU STILL SUGGESTING THERE
- 15 BE A NAMING OPPORTUNITY THERE?
- 16 MR. KLEIN: IF THEY ARE PAID BACK AND THEY DO
- 17 NOT CONTRIBUTE THE MONEY TO CIRM, THEY WOULD NOT BE --
- 18 THERE WOULD NOT BE A NAMING OF THE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM
- 19 AFTER THEM.
- 20 DR. MURPHY: BUT IF THEY DID NOT GET MONEY
- 21 BACK, IT WOULD BE NAMED, BUT IT WOULD BE NAMED
- 22 CENTRALLY, SO IT WOULD BE A CIRM DONOR, SLASH DONOR
- 23 DESIGNATION SO THAT THOSE MONIES COULD GO TO ANY
- 24 ORGANIZATION THAT COMPETES SUCCESSFULLY FOR THOSE
- TRAINING GRANTS?

- 1 MR. KLEIN: THAT'S RIGHT.
- 2 DR. MURPHY: I'M VERY COMFORTABLE WITH THAT.
- 3 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: TINA.
- 4 DR. NOVA: I'M FINE AS WELL.
- 5 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I'M ACTUALLY CONFUSED
- 6 BECAUSE I THOUGHT I UNDERSTOOD IT. I'M CONFUSED.
- 7 SOMEONE DOES A BOND ANTICIPATION NOTE. THEY'RE NOT
- 8 PAID BACK. WE NAME IT. NOW, THEY HELPED US IN A
- 9 CRISIS. AND, YOU KNOW, THE BONDS COME THROUGH.
- 10 MR. KLEIN: AT THIS POINT, WE DON'T BELIEVE
- 11 WE NEED THE EXTRA INCENTIVE OF GIVING THEM THE NAMING
- 12 RIGHTS FOR PURCHASING THE BAN'S, IF THEY ARE, IN FACT,
- 13 PAID BACK AND DO NOT CONTRIBUTE THE FUNDS. THIS IS A
- 14 MORE CONSERVATIVE POSITION AT THIS POINT. AS WE
- 15 ADVANCE OUR PROGRAM, WE MIGHT COME BACK WITH A
- 16 DIFFERENT PROPOSAL, BUT AT THIS MOMENT --
- 17 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I DEFER TO YOU, BOB,
- 18 BECAUSE YOU KNOW THIS FAR BETTER THAN I DO, BUT I ALSO
- 19 WANT TO SAY THAT IF YOU FIND, IF YOU FIND IT'S NOT
- 20 GOING AS WELL AS YOU LIKE, I HAVE A GREAT DEAL OF
- 21 RESPECT FOR PEOPLE WHO ARE BUYING THEM WITH NO ASSURETY
- 22 THAT THEY'RE GOING TO GET THEIR MONEY BACK. AND I
- 23 DON'T THINK IT'S TERRIBLE TO DO SOMETHING NICE FOR THEM
- 24 IF THEY TOOK THE RISK.
- 25 MR. KLEIN: OKAY. I THINK THAT'S A

- 1 LEGITIMATE OPTION, WHICH MIGHT BE VERY HELPFUL. AT THE
- 2 MOMENT, THOUGH, WHAT WE'RE TRYING TO DO IS GET -- WELL,
- 3 I MAY NEED IT, BUT AT THE MOMENT WE'RE TRYING TO GET
- 4 VALIDATION OF THIS MORE LIMITED CONCEPT.
- 5 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: YOU GOT IT. OKAY.
- 6 TINA, DID YOU HAVE ANYTHING?
- 7 DR. NOVA: NO. THANK YOU.
- 8 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: CLAIRE?
- 9 DR. POMEROY: CAN I GET AN EXPLANATION OF HOW
- 10 THIS WORKS? IS THE CIRM A 501(C)(3)?
- 11 MR. KLEIN: THE CIRM IS A TAX-EXEMPT ENTITY,
- 12 AND WE'RE QUALIFIED AS THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO
- 13 RECEIVE TAX-EXEMPT CONTRIBUTIONS. AND THE CONTRIBUTION
- 14 IN THIS CASE, IN THE CASE WE WERE TO LOSE THE
- 15 LITIGATION, THE CONTRIBUTION WOULD GO TO THE STATE OF
- 16 CALIFORNIA TO REPAY THE BAN'S.
- 17 DR. POMEROY: IS THERE ANY PRECEDENT FOR
- 18 NAMING OPPORTUNITIES TO STATE-ASSOCIATED AGENCIES THAT
- 19 ARE TAX-EXEMPT? HAS THIS EVER BEEN DONE BEFORE?
- 20 MR. KLEIN: JAMES, DO YOU KNOW THE ANSWER TO
- 21 THAT?
- 22 MR. HARRISON: I WOULD SAY THAT PROBABLY THE
- 23 CLOSEST ANALOGY WOULD BE BUILDINGS NAMED BY THE
- 24 UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AFTER DONORS OR ALUMNI.
- DR. POMEROY: BUT WE'RE A 501(C)(3), WHICH IS

- 1 WHY I ASKED THE QUESTION.
- 2 MR. HARRISON: WELL, THE UNIVERSITY IS AN
- 3 AGENCY OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA AS WELL. AND
- 4 CONTRIBUTORS CAN MAKE TAX-EXEMPT DONATIONS TO A
- 5 GOVERNMENT AGENCY.
- 6 DR. POMEROY: RIGHT. I'M STILL NOT CLEAR.
- 7 IF IT'S NOT A 501(C)(3), BUT IT'S TAX-EXEMPT, IS THERE
- 8 ANY PRECEDENT FOR DOING NAMING IN THAT AREA?
- 9 MR. KLEIN: WHAT JAMES IS REFERRING TO IS
- 10 WE'RE REALLY IN THE SAME POSITION AS UNIVERSITY OF
- 11 CALIFORNIA SYSTEM, AND HE'S REFERENCING THE EXAMPLE
- 12 THAT NUMEROUS BUILDINGS AND ROOMS WITHIN BUILDINGS AND
- 13 WINGS OF BUILDINGS ARE FREQUENTLY NAMED AFTER DONORS
- 14 WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO BUILDING PROJECTS AT THE
- 15 UNI VERSI TY.
- 16 DR. POMEROY: OF COURSE, BUT THERE'S A
- 17 501(C)(3) INVOLVED WITH THAT, RIGHT?
- 18 MR. KLEIN: NO. IT'S THE STATE OF
- 19 CALIFORNIA; ISN'T THAT CORRECT, JAMES?
- 20 MR. HARRISON: WELL, THE UNIVERSITY OF
- 21 CALIFORNIA IS AN AGENCY OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
- 22 THERE ARE FOUNDATIONS THAT SUPPORT THE WORK OF THE
- 23 UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, AND WE CAN CERTAINLY LOOK
- 24 INTO WHETHER THERE ARE CIRCUMSTANCES WHERE THE DONORS
- 25 GIVE TO AN OUTSIDE FOUNDATION THAT, IN ESSENCE,

- 1 SPONSORS THE BUILDING. BUT THE UNIVERSITY --
- 2 MR. KLEIN: THE REASON THE MONEY IS
- 3 ULTIMATELY TAX-EXEMPT IS IT'S GOING TO A FACILITY OWNED
- 4 BY AN AGENCY OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
- 5 DR. POMEROY: OKAY.
- 6 DR. PIZZO: CLAIRE, DO YOU HAVE A FOUNDATION
- 7 AT UC DAVIS? I KNOW THERE'S ONE AT UCSF.
- 8 DR. POMEROY: NO, WE DO NOT HAVE ONE AT UC
- 9 DAVIS.
- 10 DR. PIZZO: OKAY. WELL, THEN THAT WOULD BE
- 11 HELPFUL THEN. SO MAYBE THE SYSTEM DOES WORK AND YOU
- 12 DON'T HAVE TO GIVE IT TO THE FOUNDATION.
- 13 MR. KLEIN: JAMES' POSITION IS YOU DO NOT
- 14 HAVE TO GIVE --
- 15 MR. HARRISON: CERTAINLY FOR TAX-EXEMPT --
- 16 FOR A CONTRIBUTION TO BE TAX-EXEMPT, IT DOESN'T HAVE TO
- 17 GO TO A 501(C)(3) IF IT'S GIVEN TO A GOVERNMENTAL
- 18 AGENCY FOR A PUBLIC PURPOSE.
- 19 DR. POMEROY: I'M NOT SURE OF MY ANSWER,
- 20 PHI L.
- 21 MR. KLEIN: FOR EXAMPLE, THE DOLBY'S FIVE
- 22 MILLION WAS GIVEN TO US, IT'S GIVEN EFFECTIVELY TO THE
- 23 STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
- 24 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: CLAIRE, ANY MORE?
- DR. POMEROY: I GUESS I'M STILL NOT SURE IF I

- 1 GOT THE ANSWER, THAT IF IT'S GIVEN DIRECTLY TO THE
- 2 STATE, THAT NEED -- I JUST NEED TO HEAR JAMES SAY. IF
- 3 IT'S GIVEN DIRECTLY TO THE STATE, THE STATE IS ALLOWED
- 4 TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT WITH A NAMING OPPORTUNITY LEGALLY?
- 5 MR. HARRISON: I'M NOT AWARE OF ANYTHING THAT
- 6 PREVENTS THE STATE FROM DOING THAT. THE ONLY PRECEDENT
- 7 I'M AWARE OF IS THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SYSTEM.
- 8 IN OTHER WORDS, I CAN'T THINK OF ANOTHER STATE AGENCY
- 9 THAT HAS DONE SOMETHING SIMILAR, BUT I'M NOT AWARE OF
- 10 ANY PROHIBITION ON IT. THERE'S NO FINANCIAL GAIN TO
- 11 THE DONOR.
- 12 MR. KLEIN: CLAIRE, WHAT WE CAN DO IS
- 13 RECONFIRM THIS, BUT OUR OUTSIDE COUNSEL AND THE
- 14 TREASURER'S OFFICE, TO THE EXTENT WE'VE DISCUSSED WITH
- THEM, ARE NOT AWARE OF A PROBLEM EITHER. BUT PRIOR TO
- 16 THE BOARD MEETING, WE CAN CONFIRM THAT.
- 17 DR. POMEROY: OKAY. I JUST WANT TO MAKE SURE
- WE'RE DOING SOMETHING LEGITIMATE.
- 19 MR. KLEIN: RIGHT. WE ARE VERY CONCERNED
- 20 WITH THAT, SO WE WILL DOUBLE-CHECK IT.
- 21 DR. POMEROY: IN GENERAL I'M VERY SUPPORTIVE
- 22 OF THE CONCEPT OF ACKNOWLEDGING PEOPLE WHO GIVE
- DONATIONS.
- 24 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: STANFORD?
- DR. PIZZO: I DON'T HAVE A QUESTION, BUT

- 1 ACTUALLY I'LL REPRESENT A QUESTION THAT OR REPRESENT A
- 2 COMMENT FROM ONE OF OUR PUBLIC. IS THAT OKAY IN THE
- 3 EXPEDIENCY?
- 4 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: SURE. I THINK THAT'S
- 5 OKAY.
- 6 DR. PIZZO: THAT THERE MAY BE OTHER EXAMPLES,
- 7 LIKE THE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, THAT COULD BE LOOKED AT WHERE
- 8 NAMING OPPORTUNITIES ARISE. THIS COMES FROM MR. REED.
- 9 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: THANK YOU.
- 10 DR. POMEROY: THAT'S INTERESTING.
- 11 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: THANK YOU. IRVINE?
- DR. STEWARD: I HAVE A QUESTION. I GUESS I
- 13 WANT TO BE SENSITIVE TO THE CRITICISM THAT DOWN THE
- 14 ROAD A DONATION WOULD END UP ACTUALLY -- WELL, TURN
- 15 INTO A BOND AND THE INDIVIDUAL WOULD ACTUALLY BENEFIT
- 16 FROM THE BOND. AND MY QUESTION IS WHEN IS THE
- 17 THRESHOLD FOR MAKING IT A NAMED THING?
- 18 SO WHAT I'M THINKING ABOUT HERE IS SUPPOSE WE
- 19 GO INTO THIS PROCESS AND, IN FACT, THE LEGAL ISSUES
- 20 TAKE TWO YEARS TO BE RESOLVED OR THREE YEARS TO BE
- 21 RESOLVED OR WHATEVER, BUT EVENTUALLY ARE RESOLVED SO
- 22 THAT THE DONATIONS BECOME BONDS AND ARE REIMBURSED.
- 23 WOULD WE HAVE ALREADY CROSSED THE THRESHOLD FOR NAMING
- 24 AND, THEREFORE, RUN INTO SORT OF THAT ISSUE OF A CREDIT
- 25 THAT WAS FOR SOMETHING OTHER THAN A DONATION?

- 1 MR. KLEIN: WELL, FIRST OF ALL, IT IS
- 2 IMPORTANT BECAUSE AT SOME POINT WE WILL NEED TO MAKE A
- 3 DECISION. AND I THINK AS CLAIRE SAID -- I MEAN AS
- 4 SHERRY SAID, YOU KNOW, IF, IN FACT, WE END UP NAMING
- 5 SOMEONE -- THE PROGRAM AFTER SOMEONE AND THEY DON'T END
- 6 UP GETTING THEIR MONEY BACK FOR THREE YEARS, THEY WILL
- 7 HAVE DONE A MAJOR BENEFIT FOR US SO THAT I WOULD FEEL
- 8 PRETTY GOOD ABOUT GIVING THEM SOME RECOGNITION. IT
- 9 DIDN'T COST US ANYTHING, AND IT IS A VERY MEANINGFUL
- 10 POINT IN OUR EXISTENCE WHERE WE NEED PEOPLE TO GET
- 11 RECOGNITION WHO ARE STEPPING UP AND DOING SOMETHING
- 12 THAT IS WITHOUT PRECEDENT; THAT IS, BUYING THE BOND
- 13 ANTICIPATION NOTE WITH A SPECIFIC LITIGATION RISK
- 14 DI SCLOSURE THAT'S SIGNIFICANT.
- 15 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I THINK WE -- AS
- 16 OPTIMISTIC AS I AM, I THINK WE CANNOT, YOU KNOW, FROM A
- 17 BUSINESS POINT OF VIEW, UNDERESTIMATE THE RISK THAT AN
- 18 INDIVIDUAL IS TAKING TO HELP FUND THIS RESEARCH.
- 19 DR. STEWARD: I GUESS I WOULD JUST SAY CAN WE
- 20 PUT A TIME LINE ON IT SO THAT WE JUST UNDERSTAND WHEN
- 21 THAT --
- 22 MR. KLEIN: I THINK WE COULD SAY THAT IF
- 23 THEY'RE NOT PAID BACK WITHIN A YEAR, THEY CERTAINLY
- 24 WILL HAVE GONE BEYOND WHAT OUR EXPECTATION IS OF THE
- 25 COMMITMENT TO STEP FORWARD UNDER THIS PROGRAM. AND I

- 1 THINK WE SHOULD GIVE THEM THE NAMING BENEFIT.
- 2 DR. STEWARD: I JUST WOULD SAY THAT THE
- 3 PROBABLE -- YOU KNOW, REALISTICALLY THE PROBABLE
- 4 OUTCOME IS THAT, IN FACT, THEY WOULD GET THE NAMING
- 5 BENEFIT BECAUSE A YEAR IS A VERY OPTIMISTIC TIME LINE,
- 6 IF I UNDERSTAND MR. HARRISON'S PROJECTIONS.
- 7 MR. KLEIN: WE'RE TALKING ABOUT A YEAR FROM
- 8 THE TIME THAT THE BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES ARE ACTUALLY
- 9 SOLD, SO IT MAY BE 14 MONTHS FROM NOW, BUT STILL IT
- 10 IS -- IF SOMEONE STEPPED UP TO THE PLATE FOR 14 MONTHS
- 11 AND TAKES THIS KIND OF A RISK, WE INDIVIDUALLY, FOR THE
- 12 BENEFIT OF THE STATE, CAN SAY THAT IT'S NOT A MATERIAL
- 13 RISK BECAUSE OF PRECEDENT; BUT FOR AN INDIVIDUAL TO --
- 14 FOR AN INDIVIDUAL FOUNDATION TO SUFFER THAT RISK IS
- 15 PRETTY SIGNIFICANT.
- 16 DR. POMEROY: THIS IS CLAIRE POMEROY. YOU
- 17 KNOW, THE WAY WE DO THIS IN UC IS THAT WE HAVE A NAMING
- 18 COMMITTEE THAT REVIEWS THE AMOUNTS AND WHAT NAMES WOULD
- 19 BE APPROPRIATE BECAUSE, YOU KNOW, IF WE JUST SORT OF
- 20 ARBITRARILY ASSIGN AND SAY, YOU KNOW, FOR A \$100,000,
- 21 IT COULD BE A NAMING OPPORTUNITY AND SOMEONE ELSE GIVES
- 22 A MILLION. I MEAN IT'S VERY DIFFICULT TO CONTROL.
- 23 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: ONE OF THE QUESTIONS
- 24 FROM THE PUBLIC HERE, DO YOU WANT TO ASK YOUR QUESTION?
- 25 UNI DENTIFIED SPEAKER: THAT WAS ACTUALLY SORT

- 1 OF MY QUESTION, CLAIRE. I ASSUME ACCORDING TO OUR --
- DR. PIZZO: THAT'S A STANDARD PRACTICE. I
- 3 MEAN AT STANFORD, YOU KNOW, THERE IS A VERY SET NUMBER
- 4 THAT WOULD BE USED FOR A NAMING OPPORTUNITY FOR A
- 5 BUILDING, JUST AS THERE IS FOR A PROFESSORSHIP.
- 6 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: BOB, WHAT IS THE
- 7 MINIMUM?
- 8 MR. KLEIN: WE'RE LOOKING A 10 TO 20 MILLION.
- 9 SO, FOR EXAMPLE, IF TWO FOUNDATIONS DID 10 MILLION
- 10 EACH, THEY COULD HAVE A SHARED NAME, BUT WE'RE NOT
- 11 GOING TO GO ANY SHALLOWER THAN THAT.
- 12 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I HAVE TO SAY AGAIN, IF
- 13 SOMEONE GIVES US -- A FOUNDATION OR AN INDIVIDUAL GIVES
- 14 US \$10 MILLION, I THINK, AND I HEAR THAT YOU ARE NOT
- 15 ASKING FOR THIS NOW, BOB, AND THEY RISK THEIR MONEY FOR
- 16 A YEAR, I THINK IT IS LITTLE THAT WE COULD DO TO GIVE
- 17 THEM A NAMING OPPORTUNITY.
- DR. PI ZZO: AMEN.
- 19 DR. STEWARD: SO THIS IS OS AGAIN. SO I MEAN
- 20 I AGREE ACTUALLY WITH THIS, AND I JUST WONDER A LITTLE
- 21 BIT ABOUT THE CONTINGENCIES HERE. GIVEN THE LIKELIHOOD
- 22 THAT REALLY THE LEGAL ISSUES MAY GO BEYOND A YEAR AND
- 23 THAT THERE'S NOW MAYBE A GOOD PROBABILITY THAT YOU ARE
- 24 GOING TO END UP WITH A NAMING OPPORTUNITY ANYWAY, WHY
- 25 NOT JUST GO FORWARD WITH THAT IN THE BEGINNING?

- 1 MR. KLEIN: WELL, LET ME, IF I CAN, I
- 2 APPRECIATE THE EXPRESSION. IF WE CAN APPROVE THIS
- 3 MAYBE WITH THAT FLEXIBILITY, BUT I'D LIKE TO TAKE THE
- 4 MORE CONSERVATIVE POSITION; AND THEN IF WE NEED THE
- 5 POSITION, WE WILL. AND I WOULD ALSO SAY THAT THE
- 6 TREASURER IS GOING TO APPROVE QUALIFIED BIDDERS. AND I
- 7 WOULD INTEND TO GO THROUGH A PROCESS WITH ZACH TO MAKE
- 8 SURE THAT ALL THOSE QUALIFIED BIDDERS ARE SOMEONE THAT
- 9 HAVE A NAME THAT WE WANT ASSOCIATED BEFORE OFFERING
- 10 THAT.
- 11 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: THAT'S A GOOD POINT. I
- 12 SEE WHERE YOU ARE COMING FROM.
- 13 MR. KLEIN: JUST AS A FILTER. BUT I
- 14 APPRECIATE THE EXPRESSION FROM THE COMMITTEE.
- 15 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I UNDERSTAND THE
- 16 SUBTLETIES OF WHAT YOU'RE GOING THROUGH.
- 17 ARE THERE ANY MORE COMMENTS, JUST FOR TIME
- 18 NOW, ANY MORE COMMENT FROM OF THE BOARD MEMBERS?
- 19 DR. POMEROY: SHERRY, THIS IS CLAIRE. I
- 20 GUESS I'M STILL A LITTLE BIT UNCOMFORTABLE THAT THE
- 21 PROCESS FOR DETERMINING A NAMING OPPORTUNITY FEELS
- 22 QUITE BIG AT THIS POINT. COULD WE INCORPORATE SOME
- 23 LANGUAGE ABOUT THAT INTO THE MOTION?
- 24 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: SURE. AFTER WE GET TO
- THE PUBLIC, MAYBE YOU CAN PROPOSE A MOTION THAT MAKES

- 1 YOU FEEL COMFORTABLE, OR BOB CAN.
- 2 MR. KLEIN: EITHER WAY YOU WANT TO DO IT,
- 3 CLAIRE.
- 4 DR. POMEROY: OKAY.
- 5 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: ANY OTHER COMMENTS FROM
- 6 THE BOARD? ANY COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC AT ANY OF OUR
- 7 LOCATIONS?
- 8 DR. PIZZO: YES, AT STANFORD.
- 9 MR. REED: OBVIOUSLY THIS IS AN INCREDIBLE,
- 10 WONDERFUL THING. I UNDERSTAND WE HAVE TO DO IT, BUT
- 11 THE OBJECTION THAT'S BEING RAISED BY THE OPPOSITION,
- 12 WHO WILL SLING MUD EVERY OPPORTUNITY, IS THAT A
- 13 DONATION WOULD BUY INFLUENCE AS TO THE DIRECTION OF THE
- 14 RESEARCH. IS THERE GOING TO BE A POLICY STATED ON
- 15 THAT?
- 16 MR. KLEIN: WELL, FIRST OF ALL, AS YOU KNOW,
- 17 THE GRANTS GO THROUGH A PEER REVIEW SYSTEM THAT HAS
- 18 ALREADY OCCURRED. SO THEY CERTAINLY COULDN'T HAVE
- 19 INFLUENCED THAT.
- 20 AND SECONDLY, THE BOARD IS GOING TO VOTE ON
- 21 THIS BEFORE WE KNOW WHO'S GOING TO BUY THE BONDS. SO
- 22 THEY WON'T HAVE ANY INFLUENCE BECAUSE THE PROCESS WILL
- 23 BE COMPLETED BEFORE WE WOULD EVEN KNOW WHO IS BUYING
- 24 THE BAN'S. THOSE TWO WALLS SEEM TO BE VERY GOOD
- 25 I NSULATION.

- 1 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: HOW MANY BAN'S ARE YOU
- 2 GOING FOR?
- 3 MR. KLEIN: WHILE WE NEED AT LEAST 21
- 4 MILLION, WE COULD POTENTIALLY, IF WE HAVE SUFFICIENT
- 5 BUYERS, SUBSCRIBE TO 50 MILLION, FOR EXAMPLE. NOW,
- 6 WE'RE NOT AT THE MOMENT PROPOSING A NAMING PROGRAM ON
- 7 THE SEED MONEY PROGRAM, WHICH WOULD BE WHAT ZACH IS
- 8 ADDRESSING; BUT IF YOU WANT TO EXTEND THE DISCUSSION TO
- 9 THAT PROGRAM, WHICH, FOR EXAMPLE, COULD BE \$30 MILLION,
- 10 THE PEER REVIEW COMMITTEE, AGAIN, WILL VOTE ON THIS
- 11 WITHOUT ANY INTEREST IN WHERE THE FUNDS ARE COMING
- 12 FROM. AND, OF COURSE, THE FUNDS WILL ALREADY BE IN THE
- 13 TREASURER'S HANDS WITHOUT ANY STRINGS ATTACHED. THE
- 14 TREASURER HAS TO NEGOTIATE THE FINAL BAN DOCUMENT, SO
- 15 WE HAVE ANOTHER STATE CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICER IN BETWEEN
- 16 THE INSTITUTE AND THE FINAL BAN PURCHASER WITHOUT ANY
- 17 STRINGS BEING ATTACHED BY THE PURCHASER WHO DIRECTS THE
- 18 MONEY, WHICH IS UNACCEPTABLE CLEARLY.
- 19 SECONDLY, WHEN IT GOES TO THE BOARD, THE
- 20 FUNDS WILL ALREADY BE IN THE TREASURER'S HANDS IF
- 21 THAT'S THE PROCESS, THAT WE'VE RAISED 50 MILLION
- 22 INSTEAD OF 20, AND THE BOARD WILL BE VOTING ON
- 23 RECOMMENDATIONS THAT COME FROM THE PEER REVIEW
- 24 COMMITTEE SO THAT THEY'LL BE VOTING ON SCIENTIFIC MERIT
- 25 WITHOUT NAMES ATTACHED TO THE DIFFERENT INSTITUTIONS,

- 1 BUT IDENTIFIED BY NUMBER WITH DESCRIPTIONS OF THE
- 2 VARIOUS GRANTS, WHICH ACT AS AN ADDITIONAL INSULATION.
- 3 SO IN EITHER FACT PATTERN, WHETHER WE RAISE
- 4 20 MILLION OR 50 MILLION, AND EVEN IF WE END UP
- 5 ATTACHING THE NAME, WE HAVE FIREWALLS THAT ARE THERE TO
- 6 PROTECT AGAINST BLAS.
- 7 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: ANY OTHER PUBLIC
- 8 COMMENT? THEN I THINK WHAT WE NEED, BOB OR CLAIRE,
- 9 WHOEVER WOULD PREFER TO DO IT, IS A MOTION TO BRING THE
- 10 NAMING CONCEPT TO THE FULL ICOC BOARD, AND WE NEED TO
- 11 MAKE SURE IT HAS ENOUGH DETAIL IN IT.
- 12 MR. KLEIN: SO THE MOTION COULD VERY
- 13 SPECIFICALLY STATE AS FOLLOWS: THAT THE GOVERNANCE
- 14 COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS TO THE BOARD THAT IN THE
- 15 DISCRETION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, WHICH IS THE
- 16 PRESIDENT, THE VICE CHAIR, AND THE CHAIR, OFFERING A
- 17 NAMING OPPORTUNITY FOR THE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM AND/OR
- THE SEED MONEY GRANT PROGRAM COULD BE MADE AVAILABLE.
- 19 IF THE BAN'S ARE NOT PAID BACK WITHIN THE YEAR, THE
- 20 NAMING WOULD ATTACH TO THE PROGRAM. OR IN THE CASE
- 21 THAT IT WAS NECESSARY TO PROVIDE THAT RECOGNITION UP
- 22 FRONT, THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE COULD DECIDE THAT FOR
- THE BENEFIT OF TAKING THIS RISK, THAT THE BAN'S COULD
- 24 BE NAMED AFTER -- THE PROGRAMS COULD BE NAMED AFTER THE
- 25 BAN PURCHASER.

- 1 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I THINK YOU NEED TO PUT
- 2 IN THAT'S IT'S NO LESS THAN \$10 MILLION.
- 3 MR. KLEIN: IT IS NO LESS THAN \$10 MILLION,
- 4 AND THAT THE TREASURER WILL NEGOTIATE THE FINAL TERMS
- 5 OF THE BAN PURCHASE SO THAT THERE IS A CONSTITUTIONAL
- 6 OFFICER THAT IS IMPLEMENTING THE BAN SALE, AND THERE
- 7 ARE NO CONDITIONS THAT INFLUENCE THE AWARD OF ANY
- 8 GRANT.
- 9 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: CLAIRE, YOU WANT TO ADD
- 10 OR MODIFY THAT?
- 11 DR. POMEROY: CAN YOU JUST CLARIFY WHAT
- 12 PROGRAM IS GOING NAMED FOR THIS 10 MILLION?
- MR. KLEIN: WELL, THE INFRASTRUCTURE TRAINING
- 14 PROGRAM WOULD BE -- IS A \$20 MILLION PROGRAM; AND IF
- 15 TWO INDIVIDUAL GROUPS WERE TO EACH PUT UP TEN, IT WOULD
- 16 BE CO-NAMED. AND WHAT WAS RAISED AS AN ISSUE, WHICH I
- 17 GUESS WE SHOULD -- I'VE INCORPORATED INTO MY MOTION
- 18 BECAUSE IT IS, IN FACT, AN OPPORTUNITY THAT MAY OCCUR,
- 19 IS THAT IF, IN FACT, WE RAISE 50 MILLION INSTEAD OF 20,
- 20 THAT IT WOULD ALSO APPLY TO THE SEED MONEY GRANT
- 21 PROGRAM.
- 22 DR. POMEROY: JUST SO THAT EVERYBODY REALLY
- 23 UNDERSTANDS WHAT WE'RE TALKING ABOUT HERE, THEN, SAY
- JDRF AND THE DOLBY FAMILY PUT THE MONEY UP, THESE
- 25 PEOPLE -- THE PEOPLE SUPPORTED THROUGH THE TRAINING

- 1 GRANTS AT UCLA WOULD BE CALLED THE DOLBY/JDRF SCHOLARS
- 2 IN STEM CELLS?
- 3 MR. KLEIN: THE DOLBY/JDRF/CIRM SCHOLARS.
- 4 ZACH HAS ASKED THAT THE TITLE "CIRM SCHOLARS" ALWAYS BE
- 5 THE BASIC NAME, AND THAT THIS WOULD BE MODIFIERS THAT
- 6 WOULD RUN AHEAD OF THE NAME.
- 7 DR. POMEROY: AND SOMEONE WORKING ON
- 8 PARKINSON'S MIGHT WELL BE THE JDRF/CIRM SCHOLAR?
- 9 MR. KLEIN: THAT'S RIGHT. THE BROAD SPECTRUM
- 10 OF DISEASES. EVERYONE IN ALL THE VARIOUS INSTITUTIONS
- 11 BENEFIT.
- 12 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I DON'T THINK THAT'S A
- 13 NEGATIVE. I THINK THAT'S ACTUALLY FINE BECAUSE IT
- 14 SHOWS THAT THE DECISIONS WERE MADE IN A BLIND
- 15 SI TUATI ON.
- 16 ANY OTHER QUESTIONS? DO I HAVE A SECOND ON
- 17 THE MOTION?
- DR. PI ZZO: SECOND.
- 19 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: CAN I THEN HAVE A ROLL
- 20 CALL VOTE.
- 21 MS. DUROSS: DAVI D MEYER.
- DR. MEYER: YES.
- MS. DUROSS: BOB KLEIN.
- MR. KLEIN: YES.
- MS. DUROSS: SHERRY LANSING.

- 1 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: YES.
- 2 MS. DUROSS: RI CHARD MURPHY.
- 3 DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 4 MS. DUROSS: TINA NOVA.
- 5 DR. NOVA: YES.
- 6 MS. DUROSS: PHIL PIZZO.
- 7 DR. PI ZZO: YES.
- 8 MS. DUROSS: CLAIRE POMEROY.
- 9 DR. POMEROY: YES.
- 10 MS. DUROSS: JEANNIE FONTANA.
- 11 DR. FONTANA: YES.
- 12 MS. DUROSS: OS STEWARD.
- DR. STEWARD: YES.
- 14 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: MOTION PASSES AND THANK
- 15 YOU.
- 16 ONE LAST ITEM, WHICH IS CONSIDERATION OF OUR
- 17 I COC BYLAWS. AND JAMES HARRISON, CAN YOU LEAD US
- 18 THROUGH THI S?
- 19 MR. HARRISON: YES. AND I WILL TRY TO DO IT
- 20 QUICKLY. WE HAVE DRAFTED THESE BYLAWS PURSUANT TO A
- 21 REQUIREMENT IN PROPOSITION 71 THAT THE ICOC ADOPT RULES
- 22 AND GUIDELINES TO GOVERN THE OPERATION OF THE ICOC.
- 23 AND IN DRAFTING THESE GUIDELINES -- EXCUSE ME -- THESE
- 24 BYLAWS, WE HAVE LOOKED AT THE BYLAWS OF OTHER STATE
- 25 AGENCIES AND MODELED THESE BYLAWS ON THE BYLAWS OF

- 1 THOSE AGENCIES.
- 2 LET ME JUST POINT OUT A COUPLE OF THINGS TO
- 3 YOU. THE BYLAWS GENERALLY ARE QUITE STRAIGHTFORWARD.
- 4 THEY DESCRIBE, BASED ON PROPOSITION 71 ITSELF, THE
- 5 AUTHORITY OF THE ICOC, THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE
- 6 ICOC, THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ICOC, INCLUDING THINGS LIKE
- 7 COMPENSATION, TERM, AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.
- 8 AND THEN BEGINNING IN OUR ARTICLE V, THE
- 9 BYLAWS PROVIDE FOR THE ICOC TO ESTABLISH SUBCOMMITTEES.
- 10 I WANT TO JUST POINT OUT ONE THING THERE BECAUSE
- 11 THERE'S A TYPO. THE BYLAWS PROVIDE FOR THE ICOC TO
- 12 ESTABLISH SUBCOMMITTEES AND TO DEFINE THE MISSION,
- 13 JURISDICTION, AND SIZE OF EACH SUBCOMMITTEE. THE
- 14 MEMBERS OF THE ICOC MAY VOLUNTEER FOR SERVICE ON A
- 15 SUBCOMMITTEE, AND THE FINAL MEMBERSHIP IS DETERMINED BY
- 16 THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE WITH THE
- 17 CONCURRENCE OF THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE ICOC.
- THE BYLAWS PROVIDE IN THE EVENT THAT A
- 19 SUBCOMMITTEE NEEDS THE SPECIFIC EXPERTISE OF A MEMBER,
- 20 THAT THE SIZE OF A SUBCOMMITTEE CAN BE EXPANDED IN
- 21 BETWEEN MEETINGS OF THE ICOC. THE ICOC, HOWEVER, WOULD
- 22 RETAIN THE AUTHORITY TO ULTIMATELY DETERMINE THE
- 23 APPROPRIATE SIZE OF THE COMMITTEE.
- 24 SO IF YOU LOOK ABOUT TWO-THIRDS OF THE WAY
- 25 THROUGH THE PARAGRAPH WITH A SENTENCE BEGINNING "THE

- 1 ICOC MAY EXPAND OR REDUCE THE SIZE OF A SUBCOMMITTEE AT
- 2 ANY MEETING OF THE ICOC, INCLUDING THE REVIEW OF ANY
- 3 INTERIM EXPANSION OF THE SIZE OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE BY
- 4 THE SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON, "AND THEN THERE'S A
- 5 SEMICOLON, "IF THE ICOC REDUCES THE SIZE OF A
- 6 COMMITTEE, " AND THAT SHOULD BE A COMMA RATHER THAN A
- 7 SEMICOLON, "THE ICOC SHALL DETERMINE THE MEMBERSHIP OF
- THE SUBCOMMITTEE, " AND WE NEED TO ADD A PERIOD THERE.
- 9 SO THOSE ARE THE TWO TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS I
- 10 WANTED TO POINT OUT SO WE CAN CHANGE THEM WHEN THIS
- 11 GOES TO THE BOARD.
- 12 THE ONLY OTHER THING THAT I'D LIKE TO DRAW
- 13 YOUR ATTENTION TO IS ARTICLE IX, WHICH PERTAINS TO
- 14 VOTING. AND WHAT WE'VE DONE HERE IS TO, IN ESSENCE,
- 15 IMPLEMENT A PRACTICE THAT THE BOARD HAS ALREADY
- 16 ADOPTED, WHICH IS TO PERMIT AMENDMENTS TO PENDING
- 17 MOTIONS TO BE MADE WITH THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAKER OF
- 18 THE MOTION AND THE SECOND UNLESS A MEMBER OF THE ICOC
- 19 REQUESTS A VOTE ON THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT, IN WHICH
- 20 CASE ACTION ON THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT TAKES PLACE
- 21 BEFORE A VOTE ON THE PRIMARY MOTION.
- 22 UNDER ROBERTS RULES OF ORDER, AMENDMENTS TO
- 23 MOTIONS ARE ACTED ON AND APPROVED BY A VOTE OF THE
- 24 ENTIRE BODY BEFORE ACTION IS TAKEN ON THE PENDING
- 25 MOTION. BUT GIVEN THE PRACTICE OF THE ICOC, WE THOUGHT

- 1 IT WISE TO CONTINUE THAT PRACTICE HERE AND TO DRAW THAT
- 2 EXCEPTION.
- THE ONLY OTHER EXCEPTION WE HAVE SET FORTH
- 4 HERE IS THE ONE THAT --
- 5 MR. KLEIN: JAMES, JUST TO BE CLEAR FOR
- 6 EVERYONE, THIS IS THE PRACTICE OF FRIENDLY AMENDMENTS
- 7 WHERE, AGAIN, IT TAKES THE CONCURRENCE OF THE PERSON
- 8 MAKING THE MOTION, AND IT PROVIDES A WAY TO EXPEDITE
- 9 BOARD BUSINESS NOT TO HAVE TO FORCE AN INDEPENDENT
- 10 VOTE. ALTHOUGH IT IS NOT ESSENTIAL TO CONDUCT BUSINESS
- 11 THAT WAY, IT HAS PROVEN EFFICIENT AND HAS WORKED OUT
- 12 WITH COLLEGIALITY AND CONSENSUS OF THE BOARD, WHICH IS
- 13 WHY WE FELT IT WAS WORTHWHILE PROPOSING THIS AS PART OF
- 14 OUR FORMAL PROCESS.
- 15 MR. HARRISON: RIGHT. AND IT'S IMPORTANT TO
- 16 NOTE THAT EVEN UNDER THE FRIENDLY AMENDMENT PROPOSAL
- 17 THAT WE'VE MADE HERE, ANY MEMBER OF THE ICOC CAN
- 18 REQUEST A VOTE OF THE ENTIRE BOARD ON AN AMENDMENT.
- 19 THE ONLY OTHER THING I'D LIKE TO POINT OUT IS
- 20 THAT WE HAVE SET FORTH IN THE BYLAWS A REQUIREMENT THAT
- 21 A VOTE OF 70 PERCENT OF A QUORUM OF THE ICOC BE
- 22 REQUIRED IN ORDER TO MODIFY THE POLICY ENHANCEMENTS
- 23 ADOPTED BY THE ICOC AT ITS JULY 12TH AND AUGUST 5TH
- 24 MEETINGS. AND THAT'S CONSISTENT WITH THE POSITION THAT
- 25 WE'VE TAKEN WITH THE LEGISLATURE.

- 1 MR. KLEIN: THE PURPOSE OF THAT IS TO FULFILL
- OUR REPRESENTATION TO THE LEGISLATURE THIS IS HOW WE
- 3 WOULD CONDUCT OURSELVES, AND IT WAS A PART OF THE
- 4 MOTIONS THAT WERE ADOPTED BY THE ICOC.
- 5 MR. HARRI SON: THAT'S CORRECT.
- 6 MR. KLEIN: SO WHAT WE'RE DOING IS PUTTING
- 7 THIS IN FORMAL DOCUMENTATION, WHICH IS FURTHER EVIDENCE
- 8 TO THE LEGISLATURE OF OUR INTENTION TO CARRY OUT THAT
- 9 COMMITMENT TO THEM.
- 10 AND ON THE PRIOR ITEM THAT YOU MENTIONED, AS
- 11 WELL, JAMES, PURPOSE OF THAT ITEM WHERE A CHAIR OF THE
- 12 COMMITTEE CAN ADD BETWEEN MEETINGS IF THEY HAVE A
- 13 SPECIFIC EXPERTISE THEY NEED, I'D LIKE TO POINT OUT
- 14 THAT THE BOARD CAN REVIEW THAT AT THE NEXT MEETING OF
- THE BOARD; AND IF THE BOARD DOESN'T FEEL IT'S
- 16 APPROPRIATE TO ADD PEOPLE TO THAT COMMITTEE, THEY CAN
- 17 REVERSE THAT ACTION. THE BOARD IS ALWAYS IN CONTROL OF
- THE ULTIMATE COMPOSITION AND SIZE OF EACH COMMITTEE.
- 19 MR. HARRI SON: THAT' S CORRECT.
- 20 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: IN THE ATTEMPT TO SAVE
- 21 SOME TIME, ANY COMMENTS FROM ANY OF THE BOARD MEMBERS?
- DR. MURPHY: RICH MURPHY IN SAN DIEGO. I
- 23 GUESS ONE AREA THAT LOOKS LIKE IT HAS ONLY BEEN TOUCHED
- 24 UPON, BUT WILL NEED FURTHER DEVELOPMENT, JAMES, ARE THE
- 25 ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CHAIR AND THE

- 1 PRESIDENT. HOW DO YOU EXPECT TO DO THAT, AND WHEN WILL
- 2 THAT BE DONE? AND DID YOU GIVE ANY THOUGHT TO THAT?
- 3 DR. PIZZO: I WONDER, JUST BEFORE YOU EVEN
- 4 ANSWER THAT QUESTION, AND IT'S SORT OF IN THE INTEREST
- 5 OF TIME, THIS IS OBVIOUSLY AN IMPORTANT TOPIC, AND I
- 6 WONDER IF WE'RE DOING DUE DILIGENCE TO IT BY RESPONDING
- 7 TO IT NOW WITHOUT HAVING A CHANCE TO REALLY GO THROUGH
- 8 IT MORE CAREFULLY?
- 9 MR. HARRISON: I CAN RESPOND TO RICH'S
- 10 QUESTION FIRST, AND THEN I'LL RESPOND TO PHIL'S. THE
- 11 DUTIES OF THE CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR AND PRESIDENT ARE
- 12 SET FORTH IN LARGE MEASURE IN THE PROPOSITION ITSELF.
- 13 OBVIOUSLY, AS ZACH HAS PRESENTED TO YOU, THE
- 14 ORGANI ZATI ONAL CHART WILL BE PRESENTED TO THE FULL
- 15 BOARD AT THIS MEETING. AND IF THERE ARE ASPECTS OF THE
- 16 ORGANIZATIONAL CHART THAT YOU WISH TO INCLUDE AS PART
- 17 OF THE BYLAWS, YOU CAN CERTAINLY AMEND THE BYLAWS, IF
- 18 YOU HAVEN'T ALREADY APPROVED THEM, TO INCLUDE THAT.
- 19 DR. MURPHY: LET ME JUST ADD TO THAT, JAMES.
- 20 I KNOW IN MY OWN WORLD, WE'RE ALWAYS GOING TO THE
- 21 BYLAWS FOR CLARIFICATION WHEN THINGS GET STICKY. AND I
- 22 GUESS I WOULD JUST ENCOURAGE US TO THINK ABOUT
- 23 EXPANDING THIS BECAUSE WE DO KNOW THAT FOR THE HEALTH
- OF THE ORGANIZATION, WE HAVE TO GET A BETTER SENSE OF
- 25 THESE DIFFERING ROLES. ADOPTION OF THIS REALLY DOES

- 1 HAVE TO BE EXPANDED.
- DR. POMEROY: RICH, I THINK YOUR POINT IS
- 3 KIND OF THE SAME AS PHIL'S, AND I WOULD ECHO PHIL'S
- 4 SUGGESTION THAT MAYBE WE DEFER THIS TO THE NEXT
- 5 GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE MEETING. IS THERE A RUSH TO
- 6 FINALIZE?
- 7 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: NO. ACTUALLY I THINK
- 8 IN -- I APOLOGIZE, BUT THIS MEETING OBVIOUSLY ON THE
- 9 BUDGET WAS REALLY THE MOST VITAL THING THAT WE COULD
- 10 DO. AND I THINK THERE IS NO RUSH AND MAYBE THIS SHOULD
- 11 BE THE TOP AGENDA MEETING FOR THE NEXT ONE. WE'LL THEN
- 12 HAVE THE BENEFIT -- I ACTUALLY THINK IT'S A VERY GOOD
- 13 SUGGESTION. WE'D ACTUALLY THEN HAVE THE BENEFIT OF THE
- 14 ORGANIZATIONAL CHART. WE'LL HAVE IT IN OUR HANDS TO
- 15 LOOK AT. WE CAN INCORPORATE IT AND REALLY SPEND SOME
- 16 TIME AND LET THIS BE THE TOPIC OF OUR NEXT GOVERNANCE
- 17 MEETING.
- DR. MURPHY: AND I WOULD HOPE, SHERRY, THAT
- 19 PRIOR TO THE GOVERNANCE MEETING THERE MIGHT BE OTHER
- 20 MEETINGS THAT CAN HELP US GET THE PROCESS GOING SO THAT
- 21 BY THE TIME WE GET TO THE GOVERNANCE MEETING, WE WOULD
- 22 HAVE SOME SUGGESTIONS TO WORK OUT WITH THE COMMITTEE AS
- 23 A WHOLE RATHER THAN STARTING AFRESH WITH THE COMMITTEE
- 24 AS A WHOLE, AND MAYBE SOME OF THAT WILL COME FROM BOB
- 25 AND FROM ZACH AND FROM DISCUSSIONS THEY'RE HAVING.

- 1 MR. KLEIN: WE CAN HAVE INDIVIDUAL PHONE
- 2 CALLS. WE ACTUALLY CAN'T HAVE MEETINGS.
- 3 DR. MURPHY: I UNDERSTAND THAT.
- 4 MR. KLEIN: WE CAN DO THAT. AND I WOULD ALSO
- 5 POINT OUT THAT BECAUSE DAVID SERRANO-SEWELL IS AN
- 6 ATTORNEY, HE WAS INVOLVED IN THE BYLAWS DRAFTING. AND
- 7 MY UNDERSTANDING IS THAT DAVID SERRANO-SEWELL REVIEWED
- 8 THIS WITH JOAN SAMUELSON AS WELL. BUT I'M ONLY LOOKING
- 9 AT E-MAIL MESSAGES, AND WE ASKED THAT HE DO THAT IN
- ORDER TO MAKE SURE THAT WE HAD HER COMMENTS, AND SHE'S
- 11 THE OTHER LAWYER ON THE BOARD.
- 12 THIS IS A PROCESS THAT HAS GOT AN URGENCY TO
- 13 IT, BUT THERE WAS A DESIRE TO SHOW REAL SUBSTANTIVE
- 14 PROGRESS.
- DR. MURPHY: I AGREE WITH CLAIRE AND PHIL,
- 16 THAT IT SHOULDN'T BE DONE NOW, BUT I THINK EVENTUALLY
- 17 IT SHOULD BE.
- 18 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I THINK -- AND I ALSO
- 19 TAKE, I THINK, RICH, THAT YOU SAID THIS, THAT YOU GO
- 20 BACK TO THE BYLAWS AND YOU LOOK AT THEM. SO LET'S TAKE
- 21 THE TIME. LET'S DO IT RIGHT. WE'RE IN ABSOLUTELY NO
- 22 RUSH, BUT WE STARTED THE PROCESS.
- DR. PI ZZO: THAT' S GREAT.
- 24 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: I THINK THAT'S GOOD.
- 25 SO UNLESS THERE'S ANY PUBLIC COMMENT OR ANY OTHER BOARD

- 1 COMMENT, I WOULD JUST LIKE TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME,
- 2 AND WE WILL MEET AGAIN AND GET INTO THE BYLAWS AND
- OTHER ISSUES RIGHT AWAY, BUT THANK YOU SO MUCH, AGAIN.
- 4 ANYTHING ELSE?
- 5 DR. PIZZO: THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
- 6 CHAIRPERSON LANSING: THIS MEETING IS
- 7 ADJOURNED.
- 8 (THE PROCEEDING WAS THEN CONCLUDED AT 5: 25
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