BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE COLORADO SCHOOL OF MINES MINUTES OF THE BOARD MEETING Friday, February 9, 2018 COLORADO SCHOOL OF MINES 1500 Illinois Street, Coors Boardroom

I. Trustee Breakfast - 8:00 a.m., Ballroom C, Student Center

Executive Session

8:00 a.m. Motion to move into executive session by Trustee Haddon; motioned seconded by Trustee Truly. Motion approved 6-0.

The purpose of the Executive Session was to receive legal advice pursuant to §24-6-402 (3)(a)(II). C.R.S. and discuss

personnel matters per §24-6-402(3)(b)(I) C.R.S.

9:15 a.m. Motion to adjourn executive session and move into regular session by Trustee; seconded by Trustee. Motion approved 6-0.

II. Special Presentation

	a. Consent Agend	ja				
		s from the December 8, 2017 meeting were submitted for approval. Trustee Haddon papprove; seconded by Trustee McNeil. Motion approved 6-0.				
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	b. Reports and Updates					
Investr and the last yea noting	e current internal au ar. The committee a that international m	Trustee Haddon reported that the Finance and Audit Committee (FAC) and the nittee (IAC) met on February 1, 2018. The committee reviewed financial statements, dits. They received an update on endowed fund performance noting it performed well pproved FY18 audits and looked at the outstanding audits that have fallen behind, lanagement issues are outstanding and being addressed. Chairman Jorden asked that at here be enough time included for discussion of debt capacity, no less than an hour.				
	ent's Report ent for Research and	President Johnson introduced and welcomed Dr. Stefanie Tompkins, the new Vice Technology Transfer who starts employment at Mines on February 15, 2018.				
	ial Report	Ms. Volpi briefly reviewed the financial report. She noted that the operating				

and USGS (via a COOP agreement USGS where USGS labs and staff begin to move to Mines this year. She provided the projected building costs of \$80-90 million and noted proposed funding sources. There was discussion of the transformational opportunities for Mines and funding sources could include naming opportunities, support from students and state support. Ms. Volpi reviewed the priorities moving forward, the critical priority being to obtain Federal commitment to gain legislative authority for USGS to enter into a long-term lease. The second priority is to secure up front funding commitment of \$8-10 million for architectural and engineering design. Ms. Volpi noted there are multiple steps in the process and that timing may need to be sooner than anticipated noting the goal is proposed location and early rendering. There was discussion regarding the opportunities and the risks of this Adings will continue with due diligence and maying the initiative forward. The Roard agreed that

Dr. Priscilla Nelson (Department Head, Mining Engineering) provided an overview of the Mining Engineering as						
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- 1) a purchase and sale agreement pursuant through which Mines would acquire the land from Confluence;
- 2) a ground lease, pursuant to which Mines would lease the land to Confluence for the sole purpose of Confluence's constructing the residence hall and leasing it back to Mines;
- 3) a design development agreement; and
- 4) a sublease, pursuant to which Confluence would sublease the property and completed residence hall to Mines.

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