# EXHIBIT A FORM OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE ANNUAL REPORT

Name of Issuer: Washington Higher Education Facilities Authority

Name of Bond Issuer: Revenue and Refunding Bonds

(Seattle Pacific University), Series A and

Taxable Revenue Bonds

(Seattle Pacific University Project), Series 2020 B

(collectively, the "Bonds")

Name of Borrower: Seattle Pacific University (the "University")

Date of Issuance: March 2, 2020

Report for Period Ending: December 24, 2024

Please answer each of the following questions:

a) Has there been a change in name and titles of officers since the last annual report?

Yes No X If yes, please indicate name and title

b) Has there been a change in accreditation since the last annual repot? See the description below contained in the Official Statement for the Bonds.

Since 1936, the University has been accredited by the Northwest Commission of Colleges and Universities (NWCCU). NWCCU's last review of the University was in Spring 2023 with the action being to reaffirm accreditation. The next future evaluations: Ad Hoc Report in Spring 2025 and Mid-Cycle Review in Spring 2026. The University is also a collaborative partner with the Council of Christian Colleges and Universities.

Please also review the table of secondary accreditations in the Official Statement for Bonds,

Yes X No If yes, please describe

NWCCU conducted a comprehensive review Spring 2023 and the University's accreditation was affirmed.

c) Please describe any new litigation, or material result in litigation since the date of the last report.

In May 2023, Hammond Law, P.C. filed a class action complaint against SPU with one named plaintiff, Ebersole, seeking damages for unreimbursed necessarily incurred business expenses, for employees required to work remotely form home in Seattle at any time from three years prior. In March 2024, the parties entered into a preliminary settlement agreement with a maximum settlement fund of \$65,660 (plus employer-side payroll taxes). On Friday, December 13th, the Court gave final approval to this settlement agreement. As a result, the case has been substantially resolved.

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In July 2022, Seattle Pacific University (SPU) filed a lawsuit claiming that the Washington State Attorney General's Office (AGO) had launched an unconstitutional probe seeking

information about internal religious matters and decisions. The litigation is ongoing. The AGO has not assessed any fines or made any counterclaims against SPU. SPU does not believe the AGO would be able to recover attorney fees from SPU even if the AGO prevailed in the litigation. SPU did not disclose this matter last year because SPU understood the disclosure request to relate to litigation in which SPU is the defendant, but SPU is disclosing the matter this year for completeness.

- d) Please describe significant sale, destruction, or loss of real property or other material assets since the date of the last report.
  - Multi-family housing located at 68 W Etruria. This property is outside of the university's Major Institution Overlay boundary and had been gifted to the university.
  - Single family house located at 3304 7th Ave W.
  - Single family house located at 415 W Dravus.
  - Casey Conference Center (Whidbey Island)
  - Fort Casey Inn (Whidbey Island)
- e) Please review Section 5 of the Continuing Disclosure Agreement dated March 2, 2020 (the "Continuing Disclosure Agreement"), between the University and U.S. Bank National Association, and confirm that no Listed Event required to be disclosed pursuant to Section 5 of Continuing Disclosure Agreement that has occurred since the date of the last report for which notice has not previously been provided in accordance therewith.

#### No Listed Event occurred since SPU reported in December 2023.

- f) Please update the tables containing financial, Statistical, and operating date in Appendix of the Official Statement under the captions: SEE ATTACHED TABLES
  - 1. "Student Body";
  - 2. "Student Admissions";
  - 3. "Tuition and Fees"
  - 4. "Financial Aid";
  - 5. "Gifts and Grants";
  - 6. "Physical Property"; and
  - 7. "Summaries of Statement of Activities."

Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in the Continuing Disclosure Agreement. The University hereby certifies that the financial and operating information contained herein is the information required by the Continuing Disclosure Agreement.

SEATTLE PACIFIC UNIVERITY a Washington nonprofit corporation

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Please update the tables containing financial, Statistical, and operating date in Appendix of the Official Statement under the following captions:

# (f)(1) Student Body Fall Quarter Headcount Enrollment:

#### **Graduate and Unclassified Post-**Undergraduate baccalaureates Fall Quarter Total 2015 3,202 973 4,175 2016 3,095 966 4,061 3,813 2017 2,911 902 2018 2,876 812 3,688 2019 2,717 812 3,529 2020 2,702 899 3,601 2021 2,640 849 3,489 2022 2,428 722 3,150 2023 2,081 602 2,683 2024 1,776 485 2,261

### **Fall Quarter Full-time Equivalent Enrollment:**

		Graduate and Unclassified Post-	
Fall Quarter	Undergraduate	baccalaureates	Total
2015	3,123	578	3,701
2016	3,030	577	3,607
2017	2,826	535	3,361
2018	2,813	500	3,313
2019	2,663	526	3,189
2020	2,638	540	3,178
2021	2,555	486	3,041
2022	2,362	439	2,801
2023	2,030	354	2,385
2024	1,730	279	2,009

# (f)(2) Student Admissions Undergraduate

Fall	Completed			Acceptance	Matriculation
Quarter	<b>Applications</b>	Acceptances	<b>Matriculations</b>	Rate	Rate
2015	5,227	4,266	688	82%	16%
2016	4,034	3,521	685	87%	19%
2017	3,692	3,355	647	91%	19%
2018	4,172	3,758	714	90%	19%
2019	4,387	3,975	638	91%	16%
2020	3,920	3,555	657	91%	18%
2021	4,359	4,008	579	92%	14%
2022	3,895	3,533	538	91%	15%
2023	2,806	2,556	381	91%	15%
2024	2,885	2,406	380	83%	16%

#### Graduate

Fall	Completed			Acceptance	Matriculation
Quarter	Applications	Acceptances	Matriculations	Rate	Rate
2015	689	377	241	55%	64%
2016	679	372	270	55%	73%
2017	574	357	226	62%	63%
2018	511	355	244	69%	69%
2019	541	363	207	67%	57%
2020	425	684	219	161%	32%
2021	730	279	279	38%	100%
2022	797	512	257	64%	50%
2023	618	379	180	61%	47%
2024	441	330	189	75%	57%

# Degrees awarded for the past five years (academic year basis):

Academic Year	Undergraduate	ergraduate Graduate	
2014-15	759	362	1,121
2015-16	793	355	1,148
2016-17	788	335	1,123
2017-18	717	360	1,077
2018-19	723	295	1,018
2019-20	653	303	956
2020-21	619	310	929
2021-22	671	317	988
2022-23	599	273	872
2024-25	615	248	863

(f)(3) Tuition and Fees Charges for Full-time Resident Undergraduate Students

Academic	<b>Tuition and</b>			Housing and			
Year	Mandatory			Dining Fees	Total		
2015-16	\$	37,086	\$	10,353	\$	47,439	
2016-17	\$	38,940	\$	10,824	\$	49,764	
2017-18	\$	40,893	\$	11,232	\$	52,125	
2018-19	\$	42,939	\$	11,796	\$	54,735	
2019-20	\$	45,078	\$	12,285	\$	57,363	
2020-21	\$	47,244	\$	12,687	\$	59,931	
2021-22	\$	35,646	\$	13,404	\$	49,050	
2022-23	\$	37,158	\$	14,409	\$	51,567	
2023-24	\$	38,814	\$	15,498	\$	54,312	
2024-25	\$	40,407	\$	16,492	\$	56,899	

# (f)(4) Financial Aid Financial Aid Awarded by Fiscal Year (in thousands):

Fiscal Year										
<b>Ended June</b>	State	Federal		SPU	Stafford/Plus			Total		
2015	\$ 4,483	\$	15,907	\$ 49,266	\$	28,586	\$	98,242		
2016	\$ 4,151	\$	15,829	\$ 51,793	\$	26,667	\$	98,440		
2017	\$ 4,202	\$	15,598	\$ 55,389	\$	26,038	\$	101,227		
2018	\$ 4,733	\$	15,497	\$ 54,417	\$	24,296	\$	98,943		
2019	\$ 5,110	\$	15,382	\$ 58,255	\$	23,056	\$	101,803		
2020	\$ 6,450	\$	13,944	\$ 60,084	\$	22,305	\$	102,783		
2021	\$ 8,076	\$	12,628	\$ 66,631	\$	21,887	\$	109,222		
2022	\$ 8,393	\$	11,741	\$ 41,292	\$	20,057	\$	81,483		
2023	\$ 8,116	\$	11,145	\$ 42,687	\$	17,693	\$	79,641		
2024	\$ 7,513	\$	10,674	\$ 39,756	\$	14,384	\$	72,327		

# (f)(5) Gifts and Grants

# Gifts and grants received from federal, state, and private sources (in thousands)

Fiscal Year			7	<b>Temporarily</b>	Pe	rmanently	
<b>Ended June</b>	U	nrestricted	Restricted		Restricted		Total
2015	\$	7,326	\$	6,278	\$	1,713	\$ 15,317
2016	\$	5,647	\$	4,831	\$	1,025	\$ 11,503
2017	\$	5,907	\$	3,414	\$	1,550	\$ 10,871
2018	\$	5,907	\$	1,177	\$	1,316	\$ 8,400
2019	\$	4,642	\$	2,173	\$	1,393	\$ 8,208
2020	\$	7,053	\$	1,773	\$	1,236	\$ 10,062
2021	\$	8,850	\$	960	\$	939	\$ 10,749
2022	\$	11,609	\$	2,582	\$	1,206	\$ 15,397
2023	\$	4,082	\$	2,844	\$	1,040	\$ 7,966
2024	\$	8,024	\$	1,856	\$	2,969	\$ 12,849

# (f)(6) Physical Property

University's investment, on an original cost basis, in plant with recognition of accumulated depreciation and net investment (in thousands):

					Or	iginal Cost	
Fiscal Year			A	ccumulated		Less	
<b>Ended June</b>	<b>Original Cost</b>		D	epreciation	Depreciation		
2015	\$	212,990	\$	73,066	\$	139,924	
2016	\$	215,811	\$	77,439	\$	138,372	
2017	\$	212,990	\$	77,598	\$	135,392	
2018	\$	213,594	\$	79,576	\$	134,018	
2019	\$	218,209	\$	85,545	\$	132,664	
2020	\$	219,920	\$	91,617	\$	128,303	
2021	\$	221,872	\$	98,369	\$	123,503	
2022	\$	218,729	\$	100,679	\$	118,050	
2023	\$	224,371	\$	111,529	\$	112,842	
2024	\$	226,634		118,244	\$	108,389	