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OICF ELECTS NEW BOARD CHAIR AND TRUSTEES

PORTLAND, Ore. — The Oregon Independent College Foundation (OICF) is pleased to announce that Robert E. Maloney, Jr., Shareholder at Lane Powell PC, was elected Chair of the OICF Board of Trustees at the Foundation's Annual Meeting on October 3. Maloney replaces Peggy Fowler, CEO and President of Portland General Electric, who chaired the OICF from January 2002 to September 2005. Colin Diver, President of Reed College, was elected Vice Chair, replacing David Brandt, President of George Fox University.

Individuals elected as new OICF Trustees included: Robert Hirshon, CEO of Tonkon Torp LLP; Roy Lambert, Partner at Schwabe Williamson & Wyatt PC; Donald Rainer, Sr. VP of Ferguson Wellman Capital; Dennis Rawlinson, Partner at Miller Nash LLP; and Darin Vick, President & CEO of USI Northwest.

Individuals elected to the OICF Executive Committee include: Robert E. Maloney, Jr., Shareholder, Lane Powell PC (Chair); Colin S. Diver, President, Reed College (Vice Chair); Peggy Fowler, CEO and President, Portland General Electric (Past Chair); H. David Brandt, President, George Fox University (Past Vice Chair); Grieg L. Anderson, Portland General Electric-retired (Treasurer); Kerry Tymchuk, State Director, Office of Senator Gordon H. Smith (Secretary); Shawn O. Higley, SVP & Regional Manager, Wells Fargo Bank (At-Large); Thomas J. Hochstettler, President, Lewis & Clark College (At-Large); and Jon H. Wiener, Senior Associate, SRG Partnership PC (At-Large).

The Oregon Independent College Foundation, founded in 1950, is a nonprofit, fundraising and programmatic consortium of Oregon's ten leading private colleges and universities. Since its' founding, the OICF has raised more than \$42 million for the member colleges from top corporations and private foundations in Oregon and beyond. Current OICF priorities include connecting students with professional internship opportunities, increasing diversity on the member college campuses, and programs that showcase the colleges' focus on student ethics and leadership development. OICF members include: Concordia University, George Fox University, Lewis & Clark College, Linfield College, Marylhurst University, Pacific University, Reed College, University of Portland, Warner Pacific College, and Willamette University.

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