

Minutes of the Open Session of the Investment Committee of the Board of Directors Monday, August 13, 2018 El Camino Hospital, 2500 Grant Road, Mountain View, California Conference Room A

Members Present

John Conover Jeffrey Davis, Chair Gary Kalbach Brooks Nelson Members Absent Nicola Boone **Members Excused**

A quorum was present at the El Camino Hospital Investment Committee on Monday, August 13, 2018 meeting.

Agenda Item		Comments/Discussion	Approvals/Action
1.	CALL TO ORDER/ ROLL CALL	The open session meeting of the Investment Committee of El Camino Hospital (the "Committee") was called to order at 5:30pm by Chair Mr. Jeff Davis. Ms. Boone was absent. All other Committee members were present.	None
2.	POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURES	Chair Davis asked if any Committee member or anyone in the audience believes that a Committee member may have a conflict of interest on any of the items on the agenda. No conflict of interest was reported.	None
3.	PUBLIC COMMUNICATION	Chair Davis asked if there was any public communication to present. None were noted.	None
4.	CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS	Chair Davis asked if any Committee member wished to remove any items from the consent calendar for discussion. None were noted. Motion: To approve the consent calendar Open Minutes of the May 14, 2018 Investment Committee Meeting. Movant: Kalbach Second: Nelson Ayes: Conover, Davis, Kalbach, Nelson Abstentions: None Absent: Boone Excused: None Recused: None	The Open Minutes of the May 14, 2018 Investment Committee Meeting were approved.
5.	REPORT ON BOARD ACTIONS	Chair Davis briefly reviewed the Report on Board Actions as further detailed in the packet. He stated our Capital FY 19 operating and capital budget was approved by ECH Board. Lastly, El Camino Hospital increased the Community Benefit spending.	

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	Mr. Kuhlman further reported that the Cash Balance Plan returned +2.0% for the quarter, outperforming its benchmark by 100 bps. Over the trailing one year period, the Plan returned +8.9%, outpacing the benchmark by approximately 180 bps. Relative outperformance during the quarter was driven by favorable manager results, particularly within the Domestic and International Equity Composites, which outperformed their benchmarks by 220 and 110 bps, respectively. Notable outperformers included large cap managers Touchstone Sands Large Cap Growth (+10.4%) and Barrow Hanley Large Cap Value (+5.1%), which outperformed their benchmarks by 460 and 390 bps, respectively. Small cap growth manager, Conestoga (+10.0%), outperformed its benchmark by 280 bps. Within the Alternatives composite, hedge fund-of-funds manager Pointer Offshore outpaced the HFRI Fund of Funds Composite by 200 bps.	
	4. Hedge Funds : The Surplus Cash Direct Hedge Fund Portfolio returned +0.7% during the second quarter, outperforming the HFRI Fund of Funds Composite Index by 0.3%. Each of the Portfolio's four strategies delivered positive absolute returns. Relative Value (+2.0%) and Credit (+1.8%) delivered strong gains while Macro (+0.2%) and Equity (+0.1%) made a small contribution. The Macro and Relative Value composites outperformed their reference indices by +0.3%, and +1.1% while Credit and Equity underperformed their reference indices by -0.9% and -0.8%, respectively.	
	Chair Davis asked how much of recent economic growth and market performance could be attributed to tax cuts. Mr. DiCosola explained it certainly has helped drive earnings growth, while Mr. Kuhlman stated the onetime benefit from repatriation of cash has strengthened the US dollar.	
	Chair Davis noted that the recent growth of the hospital's excess cash and investment portfolio has become a political issue. Mr. Hussain stated there are two factors: we're growing and beating our targets because volume is growing and physician/patients want to be within our community. Mr. Kalbach added Dan Woods, CEO and himself was interviewed by the Town Cryer on the extraordinary profits for 2018. We stated it was a great year; however we're investing, to increase and maintain quality with the excess funds by investing in buildings and community programs. It should be a great article to explain our political issue on the hospital performance.	
,	Pavilion recommended the Surplus Cash Direct Hedge Fund Portfolio make a new investment of \$10 million in the Carlson Black Diamond Arbitrage Fund. Carlson's event driven team has worked together for 10+ years over many market cycles. Throughout the Fund's long track record, it has exhibited low beta to traditional equity and credit markets and notably has not experienced a calendar year with negative performance, to date. Pavilion believes the Fund is a good candidate for investors looking for a merger arbitrage/special situations fund with very low market correlation run by a seasoned investment team and	

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	where the firm's principal and employees have significant (10%) capital invested alongside external investors. Pavilion Advisory asked the Committee for feedback and a brief discussion ensued. There was a general consensus with the recommendation. Mr. Kuhlman presented an updated pacing analysis for the Surplus Cash and Cash Balance Plan real estate allocations. The Surplus Cash real estate allocation is currently at 2.8%, which is below the 5% target. The Surplus Cash has historically committed roughly \$10 million to \$15 million per fund, but this has not been done on a consistent basis from year to year. Pavilion recommended making a \$20 million commitment in 2018 in order to maintain a 5% allocation. Pavilion recommended this commitment be allocated to Angelo Gordon Reality Value Fund X, L.P., a private fund which will make value-add and opportunistic real estate investments primarily in the United States and will be diversified by property type.	
	Pavilion Advisory asked the Committee for feedback and a brief discussion ensued regarding the illiquid nature of the recommended investment. There was a general consensus with the recommendation. The Cash Balance Plan real estate allocation is currently above its target allocation. The pacing analysis determined that no allocation is necessary in 2018 to maintain the target. Going forward, Pavilion and El Camino will review the pacing strategy for both portfolios annually.	
7. EDUCATIONAL GOAL: INVESTING STRATEGY IN VOLATILE MARKETS	Pavilion Advisory Group briefly reviewed the materials in the packet on Investing in Volatile Markets. The presentation included Pavilion's Market Outlook and Asset Class Considerations, noting that markets are shifting and volatility is expected to increase going forward. The presentation also reviewed Surplus Cash Portfolio allocation and positioning, noting that the portfolio is highly liquid and well diversified. Overall, Pavilion believes the portfolio is positioned to withstand periods of market duress. Mr. Nelson asked if Pavilion has completed any research on ETF liquidity. Mr. Kuhlman stated he was unsure, but will check to see if Pavilion had released a white paper or done any work on the subject. Mr. Nelson is interested in receiving the white paper if it exists.	information

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8. ADJOURN TO CLOSE SESSION	Motion: To adjourn to close session at 7:07 pm. Movant: Kalbach Second: Nelson Ayes: Conover, Davis, Kalbach, Nelson Abstentions: None Absent: Boone Excused: None Recused: None	A motion to adjourn to the Investment Committee meeting at 7:07 pm was approved.
9. AGENDA ITEM 12 RECONVENE OPEN SESSION	Agenda Item 10 was conducted in closed session. Chair Davis reported that the Closed Minutes of the May 14, 2018 were approved. Ms. Boone was absent. All other Committee members were present. Chair Davis requested to the Committee & Pavilion Advisory Group, to change the February Investment Committee meeting date. The Committee (Conover, Davis, Kalbach and Nelson), and Pavilion Advisory Group unanimously agreed to move the meeting, to February 25 th 2019. Nicola Boone was not present.	
10. AGENDA ITEM 13 ADJOURMENT	Motion: To adjourn the Investment Committee meeting at 7:10 pm. Movant: Nelson Second: Conover Ayes: Conover, Davis, Kalbach, Nelson Abstentions: None Absent: Boone Excused: None Recused: None	A motion to adjourn to the Investment Committee meeting at 7:10 pm was approved.

Attest as to the approval of the Foregoing minutes by the Investment Committee of El Camino Hospital:

Jeffery Davis, MD, Chair ECH Investment Committee of the Board of Directors