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Fiscal Year 2015-16 Accountability Report

SUBMISSION FORM

AGENCY MISSION

Through innovative partnerships, comprehensive collections, and stimulating exhibits and programs, The South Carolina State Museum provides educational environments that entertain, inspire imagination and creativity, and enrich the lives of visitors.

AGENCY VISION

The South Carolina State Museum is an ever-changing, innovative institution reflecting the essence and diversity of South Carolina, a catalyst for the cultural and educational development of our state and a model among museums nationally.

Please state yes or no if the agency has any major or minor (internal or external) recommendations that would allow the agency to operate more effectively and efficiently.

**RESTRUCTURING
RECOMMENDATIONS:**

Yes

Please identify your agency's preferred contacts for this year's accountability report.

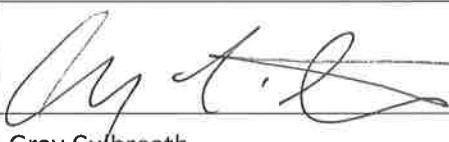
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I have reviewed and approved the enclosed FY 2015-16 Accountability Report, which is complete and accurate to the extent of my knowledge.

**AGENCY DIRECTOR
(SIGN AND DATE):****(TYPE/PRINT NAME):**

William Calloway

**BOARD/CMSN CHAIR
(SIGN AND DATE):****(TYPE/PRINT NAME):**

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AGENCY'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- *WINNER – 2016 Governor's Cup – Best Tourism Project in the State!!*
- *Voted Best Museum by the readers of The State*
- *Voted Best Museum by the readers of the Free Times*
- *Voted Best Museum by the readers of Columbia Metropolitan Magazine*
- *Achieved goal for attendance – 161,372*
- *Achieved goal for earned revenue – \$2,023,150*
- *School visitation was over 68,000 and grew by 10%!*
- *Received 4 more awards for "Windows to New Worlds" renovation project, now totaling 14!*
- *Used \$194,500 of Boeing grant money for observatory distance learning initiatives.*
- *Received Accommodations and Hospitality tax grants from Richland County and the City of Columbia in the amount of \$62,500*
- *Utilized planetarium in unique ways such as a Friday night rock 'n roll laser show promotion, a Valentines night time event, and a kids holiday event based on the movie "Frozen"*
- *Program and rental business was very strong as we presented events such as Museum Road Show, Art Day, History Day, Fall Festival, Growl at the Moon, Toy Soldier Day, Winterfest, Bluegrass Tuesday nights, Story Fest, and Black Expo.*
- *Summer Camps extremely successful with over 300 campers and \$55,000 in revenue!*
- *Family membership revenue was \$425,100 with over 4,000 members!*
- *We estimated we lost 2,700 visitors and around \$23,000 in gross revenues as a result of the October floods.*
- *Canal work will not be complete for a year and some preliminary concepts include making the canal an accessible greenspace with educational panels adding to the cultural destination complex product.*
- *Updated the building and collections security system with \$100,000 approved in the 2015.16 state budget.*
- *Developed concept plan for proposed 4th Floor (cultural history) renovations.*
- *South Carolina Museum Foundation received its largest grant in history of \$1,4000,000 from an individual estate. Funds are restricted to artifact acquisition and conservation.*
- *Senate oversight committee completed their review and a FINAL report was received with favorable comments.*
- *Presented blockbuster exhibit "Race – Are We So Different?" with funding support from Central Carolina Community Foundation.*

The key current and long term goal of the State Museum is to remain current, competitive, and unique in the market place while maintaining its educational point of difference. The State Museum is competing for discretionary dollars and leisure time with a multitude of other various attractions, events, and places. We must remain diligent listeners to the needs and expectations of the citizens of South Carolina who are the "owners" of the facility. We must remain respectful of the past but committed to the future.

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Key Comprehensive Goals Include:

- Increasing attendance and revenues in order to become more self-sustaining and to self-fund desperately needed core improvements and renovations to the permanent exhibits.
- Increasing citizen, corporate, and foundation private financial support for the museum including increasing the corporate, family, and individual membership base.
- Build, preserve and use collections of distinction.
- To improve exhibits, educational programs and public programs that provides lasting experiences and impact.
- To provide assistance to the statewide museum community and to forge strategic alliances and partnerships that will magnify the museum's ability to provide benefits to the public.
- Provide facilities and technology that meet customer expectations, museum standards and programming needs.
- To secure a growing and diverse funding base to meet operational needs and to enable the museum to fulfill its vision of an ever-changing institution that is a model among museums nationally.
- Recapitalization and Renovation of dated core product.
- Maximize limited resources (time, staff, money, supplies, collateral)

2. Situation Analysis

Marketing-

Fiscal year 2015-2016 marketing plans centered on general museum promotion and branding. Post grand opening in 2014, the SCSM was dealing with a new identity due to the elements it added and the additional opportunities it was afforded by adding these elements, programs, staff and more. It was essential that after the grand opening that marketing concentrated on brand development and awareness. Although attendance and revenues hit their goal, as defined in these plans, for the year, launching a general awareness campaign does not yield immediate results on attendance. Brand development results in awareness which is converted later as attendance but is not immediate. The marketing department will always concentrate on brand development but not as heavily as in 2015-2016. It was crucial to establish the museum in the marketplace so the community understood the new identity and offerings since grand opening. This year, immediate attendance and revenue will be the focus more than general awareness.

In 2015-2016, the marketing department set out to increase and improve communications with schools and achieved this goal. 2016-2017 will focus on continuing to communicate with these teachers on a more regular basis and promote more opportunities to them throughout the year.

Since the grand opening in 2014, we have had the opportunity to learn a lot of valuable lessons. One of which being the promotion of the 4D theater. With Polar Express and now a successful Rio spring campaign, we are seeing that the 4D Theater works well as a main marketing message and can be used to attract attendance for the museum. With this learned trend, 2016-2017 will focus keeping consistent main marketing messages in order to not have any "dark" periods. This will allow the museum to have a larger presence in the marketplace at all times. There are 5 campaigns planned for 2016-2017, 4 of which are centered on 4D movies.

Education-

The education staff completed its first year as a unit, running the planetarium, observatory and all museum education school programs. In addition, the department is now responsible birthday parties and summer camps, previously part of public programs. One important area of improvement has been

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in intra- and interdepartmental communication. Scheduling of school and public programs, room use and staff needs is much improved, leading to better quality experiences and repeat visitation, particularly with birthdays and camps. The marketing of education programs and coordination between education and marketing has greatly improved awareness of and interest in museum programs.

All education programs are growing, as we prepare to add staff and expand offerings. New state funds will support three new full-time educators, part-time staff, supplies, and travel for outreach activities. The department is in the process of prioritizing museum-wide education responsibilities in order to develop roles for new staff. New staff will ease existing scheduling concerns, particularly after-hour public programs, events and rentals.

Though total education attendance is experiencing excellent growth, there are key areas in which we are not meeting goals. Planetarium attendance, as a percentage of total attendance experienced a decline in the summer of 2016. Likewise, high numbers of students, teachers and general attendance guests experienced a variety of formal classes and drop-in activities in the Boeing Observatory. However, teacher retention and follow-up distance learning participation is just 10 percent of teachers trained, far below the grant metric established.

Collections-

The Collections staff adjusted to structural changes that included merging the Collections Department with the Programming Department, and separating from the Education Department. Collections staff continues to clear registration of backlogged acquisitions and updating incoming and outgoing loans. Programs Manager has managed new quarterly, monthly and weekly evening programs that were developed utilizing the new facility.

This past year had unexpected challenges within collections department. The storage areas and artifacts suffered little damage during the October flood, just minor leaks, and we had prepared for this possibility in advance. A few months following, the collections staff discovered that the habitat areas on the 2nd floor had been affected by an insect infestation which quickly became the primary project for the entire collections staff for 2015/2016. While these issues are being corrected and addressed, this will continue to be one of our primary focuses for this coming year as well, ensuring the safety, long term care and ongoing monitoring of all items in the museum collection.

The department worked collaboratively to install artwork, artifacts and specimens in changing and permanent exhibitions throughout the museum. The department continues to adjust to the restructuring of the new museum model and developed many multi-disciplinary opportunities with the planetarium, observatory, 4d theater, and new and existing galleries, with public programs and exhibits. We continue to maintain our connection to the museum's core mission and focus through the development of content.

The department has faced a number of challenges to meet the demands of the new facility, collections care, programming opportunities and exhibition schedule. 3.5 new positions were approved and will be filled this fiscal year to accommodate the demand.

Membership-

Membership steadied itself this last fiscal year. After the massive success of grand opening year, membership was expected to even out around \$400,000 in revenue but due to the BCBS of SC campaign partnership, were able to exceed that goal. However, in the recent months, as we get farther away from

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grand opening, we are finding member attendance to decrease which could result in fewer renewing members in the future. Revenue is always a goal of membership, but member attendance will also be an important goal for 16-17.

Operations-

The past year did not produce revenue growth as expected. It represented a small step back after the substantial growth brought about by the Windows to New Worlds expansion. With external challenges such as extreme weather, and internal challenges brought about by staff changes, there were many periods of adjustment during the past year. The most pressing need for 2016 is to resume growth, not only in revenue and attendance, but professionally and as a world class guest service institution.

This growth must come from management dedication, hard work, and new ideas. New federal wage restrictions will require a new approach to scheduling and time management. Old paradigms must be broken, and fresh concepts need to be introduced throughout the department. Continuing to do things the way they have been done will leave us at the mercy of the same variables that dictated negative growth last year. Innovation and the enthusiasm to try new things and make data driven decisions will facilitate new growth, and new ways to embrace the challenges we face.

Administration-

The Administrative staff has had to temporarily adjust its workload due to vacancies left by the Foundation accountant and the Purchasing Manager in an effort to ensure duties and responsibilities are supported throughout the department and Museum needs are met. Technology security, IT needs and support continue to be a day to day challenge. Maintaining ever changing State IT standards and policy updates is also challenging and time consuming.

Exhibits-

Challenging opportunities continue: developing, maintaining, and enhancing the changing exhibitions and the permanent exhibit areas; coordinating the building's maintenance and scheduled upgrades with General Services; providing visual and logistical support for revenue opportunities. The ongoing purpose of the Public Safety Staff is to provide security for the building, security and safety response for our Guests, staff and the collections, provide staff safety training as well as to ensure artifacts, exhibits, and facilities are secure and protected. All to ensure Guests are provided with a safe environment for a great experience.

Foundation-

The absence of a capital campaign and the vacancy of the Foundation Executive Director position has given an opportunity for us to reorganize responsibilities and priorities. Without a specific project or program to fund, the past structure has struggled to generate sufficient income to offset the expenses incurred. The proposed business plan focus solely on fundraising initiatives and the Foundation organization with emphasis on reestablishing, retaining and enhancing donor relationships. The Foundation will be getting back to their grassroots and simplifying its focus.

Risk Assessment and Mitigation Strategies –

There are two main risks to the museum – damage to the artifact collection and public/staff safety.

- A. Artifact Collection (Value in excess of \$5 million)

Due to the aging of the building and the building systems, the collection is subject to negative environmental impacts including fluctuations in temperature and humidity, water damage due to roof

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leaks, and insect damage due to deteriorating windows and doorways which allow easy access.

Remediation options offered:

1. Replace all windows
 2. Replace the roof
 3. Replace and upgrade the HVAC systems
- B. Public and Staff Safety

As a publically attended attraction, the museum risks exposure to its visitors and staff to harm from outside agitators ranging from active shooters to armed robbery.

Remediation options offered:

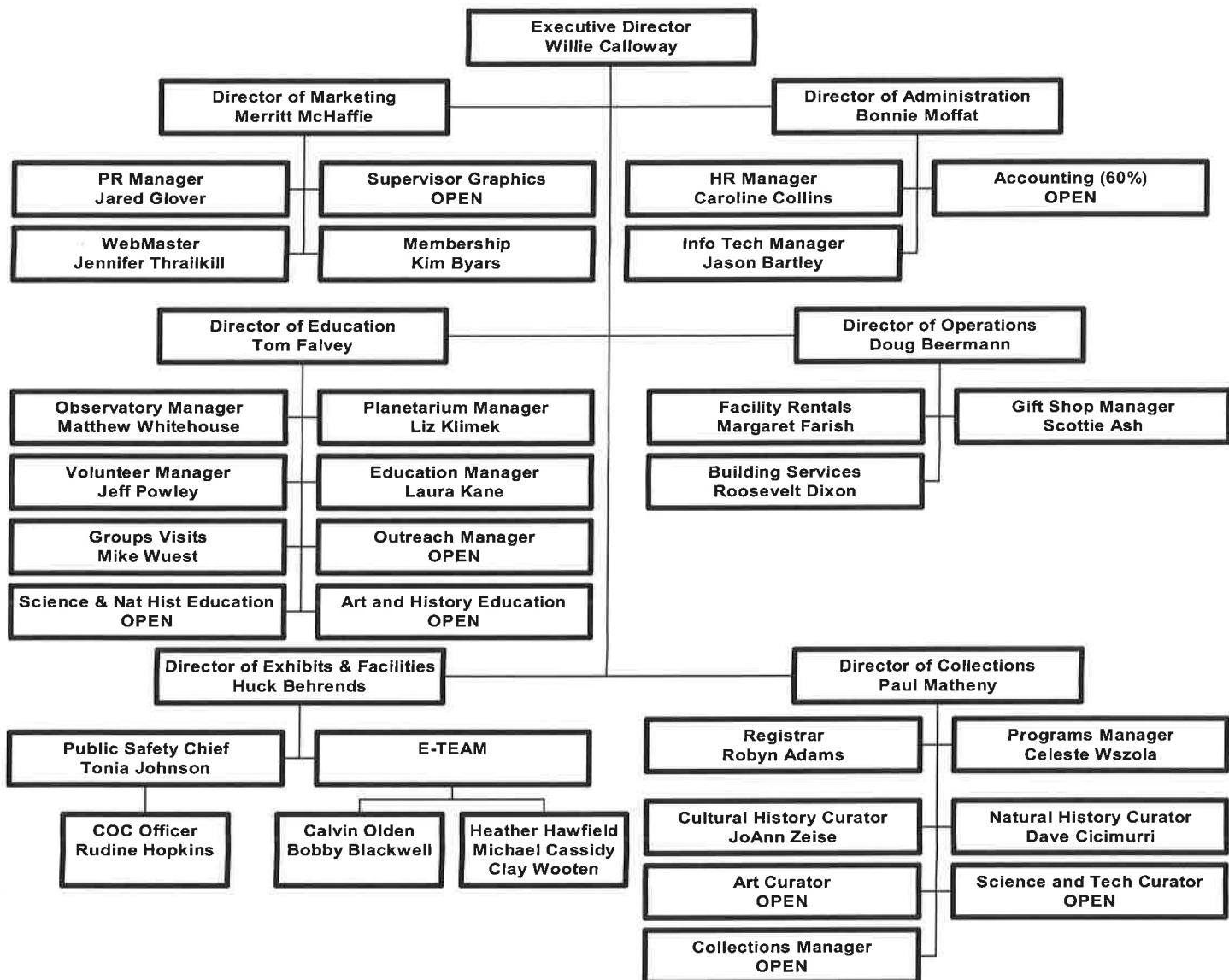
1. Fund an armed and trained officer for the lobby (provided and managed by SLED or BPS) and additional museum public safety officers
2. Fund the addition of metal detectors to entrances
3. Direct SLED to develop, present, and monitor training and reaction programs for all applicable state agencies such as museums and state parks.

Restructure Recommendations -

The Rent paid to the Dept. of Admin of \$1,800,000 is 62% of the museum's State appropriation. The biggest potential for cost savings to our budget would be a different approach to our building occupancy (rent) costs.

1. Pay Actual operating costs to Dept. of Admin (\$1,000,000)
 - a. The remaining \$800,000 goes into Dept. of Admin as "other" funds to fund General Services and all state building maintenance needs.
 - b. Dept. of Admin should be appropriated these funds directly to their budget rather than inflating cost to state agencies to fund.
2. Place all costs in Dept. of Admin and totally remove the cost from the museum's budget.
3. Sell the building to a private developer or the museum's foundation.

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Type	Goal	Item #	Strat	Object	Associated Enterprise Objective	Description	
S	G 1	1.1	1.1.1		Maximize impact of Museum Operations		Effectively Market State Museum
O			1.1.1.1		<i>Increase General Attendance</i>		
O			1.1.1.2		<i>Reach a state wide audience</i>		
O			1.1.1.3		<i>Increase Special attraction attendance</i>		
S	G 1	1.2	1.2.1		Maximize Earned revenues		Ticket Revenue
O			1.2.2				Gift shop
O			1.2.3				Facility Rentals
O			1.2.4				Paid programs
S	G 2	1.3			Be efficient with allocated resources		
O			1.3.1				Use volunteers
O			1.3.2				<i>Minimize cost per visitor</i>
S	G 2	1.4			Thru Museum Foundation garner citizen, corporate, and private financial support.		
O			1.4.1				Membership
O			1.4.2				Community Partners
O			1.4.3				Annual Fund and Donations
S	G 2	2.1			Be a primary educational resource for SC schools		
O			2.1.1				Teach standards-based lessons and classroom programs
O			2.1.2				<i>Reach every county in the state</i>
S	G 2	2.2			Provide multi-grade level experiences		
O			2.2.1				Offer outreach programs to schools, libraries and other institutions throughout the state.
O			2.2.2				TEP
O			2.2.3				STARLAB
S	G 2	2.3			Partner with state-wide education organizations		
O			2.3.1				ETV and Dept. of Ed
O			2.3.2				Organizations such as SC Science Council SELA, NASA
S	G 3	3.1			Be the caretaker of South Carolina's History		
O			3.1.1				Acquire, preserve and use collections of distinction
O			3.1.2				<i>Increase accessions</i>
S	G 3	3.2			Provide curatorial expertise		
O			3.2.1				Thru ongoing Research, the publishing of papers, and community presentations
O			3.2.2				Respond to citizen inquiries
G	G 4	4.1			Deliver quality content		
S	G 4.1	4.1.1			Develop and provide Exhibits of relevance and quality		
O			4.1.1.1				<i>Procure and install blockbuster exhibits</i>
O			4.1.1.2				<i>Develop, write, produce and install changing exhibits in rotating galleries</i>
S	G 4.2	4.2			Provide Unique Program opportunities		
O			4.2.1				<i>Develop and make available overnight camp-ins, birthday parties and summer camps</i>
S	G 4.3	4.3			Create Signature Events specifically for the museum		
O			4.3.1				<i>Develop and hold multiple events including Museum Road show, Art Day, Tricks and Treats, Fa</i>

Performance Measurement Template

Item	Performance Measure	Target Value	Actual Value	Future Target Value	Time Applicable	Data Source and Availability	Calculation Method	Associated Objective(s)
1	Attendance	200,000	161,372	160,000	July 1 - June 30	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	1.1.1
2	Richland and Lexington County All other SC	55% 30%	53% 32%	55% July 1 - June 30 30% July 1 - June 30	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	1.1.2	
3	Out of State	15%	10%	15% July 1 - June 30	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	1.1.2	
4	Blockbuster	45,000	26,435	30,000	July 1 - June 30	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	1.1.1, 1.1.2
5	Planetarium	67,500	53,480	60,000	July 1 - June 30	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	1.1.3
6	4D Theater	55,000	46,296	50,000	July 1 - June 30	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	1.1.3
7	Ticket Revenue	\$ 700,000	\$ 555,662	\$ 525,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.1.3
8	Blockbuster Revenue	\$ 175,000	\$ 85,711	\$ 75,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.2.1
9	Planetarium Revenue	\$ 240,000	\$ 178,214	\$ 175,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.2.1
10	4D Theater Revenue	\$ 200,000	\$ 159,980	\$ 150,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.2.1
11	Store Revenue	\$ 850,000	\$ 661,906	\$ 650,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.2.2
12	Facility Events Revenue	\$ 250,000	\$ 216,224	\$ 210,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.2.3
13	Programs Revenue	\$ 125,000	\$ 136,144	\$ 140,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.2.4
14	Number of Volunteers	150	238	200	July 1 - June 30	Manual Count/Annual	Actual Count	1.3.1
15	Volunteer Hours	10,000	12,212	10,000	July 1 - June 30	Manual Count/Annual	Actual Count	1.3.1
16	Volunteer Hours Value	\$ 200,000	\$ 251,079	\$ 200,000	July 1 - June 30	Manual Count/Annual	Actual Count	1.3.1
17	Cost per Visitor (no rent)	\$ 25	\$ 21	\$ 25	July 1 - June 30	SCEIS	Actual Count	1.3.2
18	Paid MEDIA/Visitor	\$ 1.95	\$ 2.15	\$ 2.15	July 1 - June 30	SCEIS	Actual Count	1.3.2
19	Total Marketing Costs/Visitor	\$ 3.25	\$ 3.53	\$ 3.00	July 1 - June 30	SCEIS	Actual Count	1.3.2
20	% Paid Media of Earned Revenue	15.0%	17.0%	15.0%	July 1 - June 30	SCEIS	Actual Count	1.3.2
21	% Marketing Costs of Earned Revenue	25.0%	28.0%	25.0%	July 1 - June 30	SCEIS	Actual Count	1.3.2
22	Number of Memberships	6,000	4,005	4,500	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.4.1
23	Community Partners	50	29	35	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.4.2
24	Community Partners Revenue	\$ 75,000	\$ 62,050	\$ 75,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.4.2
25	Grant Revenue to Museum	\$ 200,000	\$ 231,327	\$ 250,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	1.4.3
26	Schools Attendance	75,000	68,534	75,000	July 1 - June 30	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	2.1.1, 2.1.2
27	Counties Represented	46	46	46	July 1 - June 30	Manual Count/Annual	Actual Count	2.2.1
28	Grades Represented	K-12	K-12	K-12	July 1 - June 30	Manual Count/Annual	Actual Count	2.2.1
29	# of TEP's Available	20	17	20	July 1 - June 30	Manual Count/Annual	Actual Count	2.2.1
30	TEP bookings	20	21	25	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	2.2.1
31	Science Theater	9,880	10,000	10,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	2.1.2
32	Stem Programs	1,5560	1,500	1,500	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	2.1.2
33	On-Floor Lessons	3,548	3,500	3,500	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	2.1.2
34	Observatory Classes (on-site)	3,178	3,500	3,500	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	2.1.2
35	Observatory Distance Learning	1,706	5,000	5,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	2.2.3
36	StarLab Participants	3,960	5,000	5,000	July 1 - June 30	Point of Sale/Daily	Actual Count	2.2.2
37	Number of Accessions Recorded	50	62	50	July 1 - June 30	Collections Software/Annual	Actual Count	3.1.1
38	Number of Objects Collected	500	1,049	500	July 1 - June 30	Collections Software/Annual	Actual Count	3.1.2
39	Number of Papers Submitted	5	2	5	July 1 - June 30	Manual Count/Annual	Actual Count	3.2.1
40	Number of Inquiries Answered	1,500	1,500	1,500	July 1 - June 30	Manual Count/Annual	Actual Count	3.2.2
41	Number of Changing Exhibits Produced	8	11	10	July 1 - June 30	Manual Count/Annual	Actual Count	4.1.1, 4.1.2
42	Dive Reports Received		780	500	July 1 - June 30	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	3.2.2
43	Camp-In Participants	1,000	417	500	July 1 - June 30	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	4.2.1
44	Summer Camp Participants	300	309	350	June, July August	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	4.2.1
45	Birthday Party Participants	1,000	1,421	1,500	July 1 - June 30	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	4.2.1
46	Attendance by Event:							
47	Winter Road Show	500	428	500	23-Jan	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	4.3.1
48	Spring Road Show	1,000	467	500	11-Jul	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	4.3.1
49	Art Day	750	393	500	7-Mar	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	4.3.1
	History Day	1000	689	500	14-Feb	Admissions Software/Daily	Actual Count	4.3.1

Performance Measurement Template	Associated Objective(s)
Goal	

Item	Performance Measure	Data Source and Availability			Calculation Method	Associated Objective(s)
		Target Value	Actual Value	Future Target Value	Time Applicable	
50	Muzzle-Loader	500	N/A	N/A 11-Apr	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
51	Cinco de Mayo	1200	720	750 3-May	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
52	Tricks and Treats (2 days)	1,200	600	600 10-18,25	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
53	Fall Festival	600	2,000	1,000 20-Sep	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
54	Miniature Show	1,000	540	500 9-Aug	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
55	Story Fest	2,000	2423	2000 6-Jul	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
56	Growl at the Moon	300	380	300 30-Oct	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
57	Quadrivium	150	N/A	N/A 30-Apr	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
58	Through the Fire	350	N/A	N/A 29-Jan	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
59	College Art Day			150 4-Mar	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
60	Toy Soldier Show			120	Admissions Software/Daily	4.3.1
61	Caesar Opening Day			397	400 8-Aug	Admissions Software/Daily
62	Saturnalia/Caeser			450	N/A 26-Sep	Admissions Software/Daily
63	Winterfest			510	N/A 5-Dec	Admissions Software/Daily
64	Holocaust Program			1,553	1,500 Var. through Dec.	Admissions Software/Daily
65	Bluegrass night			148	N/A 3-Apr	Admissions Software/Daily
66	Tasting Tuesday			643	N/A Last Tues. of Month	Admissions Software/Daily
67	Frozen Sing-a-long			348	350 8,15,22 Dec	Admissions Software/Daily
68	That's Amore Y'all			259	300 29-Dec	Admissions Software/Daily
				218	250 12-Feb	Admissions Software/Daily

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Agency Name:	SC Museum Commission	Purpose	FY 2015-16 Expenditures (Actual)	FY 2016-17 Expenditures (Projected)			Associated Objective(s)			
Agency Code:	H95	Section:	029	General	Federal	TOTAL	General	Other	Federal	TOTAL
I. Administration	Human Resources, procurement, \$1.8 million of bldg. rent, general overhead	\$ 1,796,638	\$ 472,585	\$ 2,269,223	\$ 1,740,969	\$ 450,000	\$ 2,190,969		All goals -1,2,3,4 objectives	
II. Programs - Museum Operations	All facets of Museum Operations including - Educational programming and content, Collections, Curators, Marketing, Operations, Public safety, exhibit fabrication, janitorial, facility rentals, gift shop, school visit facilitation, artifact storage and conservation, public programs and signature events, volunteer management, 4D theater operation, Planetarium operation, Observatory programming and hosting, Web site, Graphic Design, Public Relations	\$ 1,075,369	\$ 1,712,189	\$ 2,787,558	\$ 1,574,907	\$ 1,650,000	\$ 3,224,907		All goals -1,2,3,4 objectives	
III C. Employee Benefits	Employee Benefits	\$ 437,159	\$ 131,373	\$ 568,532	\$ 556,442	\$ 138,000	\$ 694,442			
	Total	\$ 3,309,166	\$ 2,316,147	\$ 5,625,313	\$ 3,872,318	\$ 2,238,000	\$ 6,110,318			

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Item #	Law Number	Jurisdiction	Type of Law	Statutory Requirement and/or Authority Granted	Legal Standards Template	Associated Program(s)
1	60-13-10	State	Statute	South Carolina Museum Commission created; membership; chairman; vacancies; terms of office.		
2	60-13-20	State	Statute	There is hereby created the South Carolina Museum Commission composed of ten members appointed by the Governor for terms of four years and until their successors are appointed and qualify. One member shall be appointed from each congressional district of the State and three members shall be appointed at large. One of the at-large members shall be appointed chairman of the commission by the Governor. Vacancies for any reason shall be filled in the manner of original appointment for the unexpired term.		Administration and Museum Operations
3	60-13-30	State	Statute	Notwithstanding the provisions above prescribing four-year terms for members of the commission, the members appointed from even-numbered congressional districts and one at-large member other than the chairman shall be initially appointed for terms of two years only.		
4	60-13-40	State	Statute	Meetings and officers of commission; compensation of members.		
5	60-13-50	State	Statute	The Commission shall meet at least quarterly and at such other times as the chairman shall designate. Members shall elect a vice-chairman and such other officers as they may deem necessary. They shall be paid such per diem, mileage and subsistence as provided by law for boards, committees and commissions of the commission.		Administration and Museum Operations
				Primary function of Commission.		
				The primary function of the Commission shall be the creation and operation of a State Museum reflecting the history, fine arts and natural history and the scientific and industrial resources of the State, mobilizing expert professional advice and guidance and utilizing all available resources in the performance of this function.		
				To carry out its assigned functions, the Commission is authorized to:		
				(1) Establish a plan for, create and operate a State Museum;		
				(2) Elect an executive officer for the Commission, to be known as the Director;		
				(3) Make rules and regulations for its own government and the administration of its museum;		
				(4) Appoint, on the recommendation of the Director, all other members of the staff;		
				(5) Adopt a seal for use in official Commission business;		
				(6) Control the expenditure in accordance with law of such public funds as may be appropriated to the commission;		
				(7) Accept gifts, bequests and endowments for purposes consistent with the objectives of the Commission;		
				(8) Make annual reports to the General Assembly of the receipts, disbursements, work and needs of the Commission; and		
				(9) Adopt policies designed to fulfill the duties and attain the objectives of the Commission as established by law.		
				The Director of the Commission shall be the Director of the State Museum, when such facility comes into existence and his qualifications shall reflect an ability to serve in that capacity. Compensation for the Director shall be determined by the General Assembly.		Administration and Museum Operations

Item #	Law Number	Jurisdiction	Type of Law	Statutory Requirement and/or Authority Granted	Legal Standards Template Associated Program(s)
7	29.1	State		(MUSM: Removal From Collections) The commission may remove accessioned objects from its museum collections by gift to another public or non-profit institution, by trade with another public or non-profit institution, by public sale, by transfer to the commission's education, exhibit, or study collections or to its operating property inventory; or as a last resort, by intentional destruction on the condition that the objects so removed meet with one or more of the following criteria: (1) they fall outside the scope of the South Carolina Museum Commission's collections as defined in the Collection Policy; (2) they are unsuitable for exhibition or research; (3) they are inferior duplicates of other objects in the collection; or (4) they are forgeries or were acquired on the basis of false information; funds from the sale of such objects will be placed in a special revolving account for the commission to use solely for the purpose of purchasing objects for the collections of the State Museum.	Administration and Museum Operations
8	29.2	State	Proviso	(MUSM: Museum Store) The Museum Commission shall establish and administer a museum store in the State Museum. This store may produce, acquire, and sell merchandise relating to historical, scientific, and cultural sources. All profits received from the sale of such merchandise shall be retained by the Museum Commission in a restricted fund to be carried forward into the following fiscal year. These funds may be used for store operations, publications, acquisitions, educational programs, exhibit production and general operating expenses provided that the expenditures for such expenses are approved by the General Assembly in the annual Appropriation Act	Administration and Museum Operations
9	29.3	State	Proviso	(MUSM: Retention of Revenue) The Museum Commission may retain revenue received from admissions, program fees, facility rentals, professional services, donations, food service, exhibits and exhibit components, and other miscellaneous operating income generated by or for the museum and may expend such revenue for general operating expenses provided that such expenditures are approved by the General Assembly in the annual Appropriation Act. Any unexpended revenue from these sources may be carried forward into the current fiscal year to be expended for the same purposes.	Administration and Museum Operations
10	29.4	State	Proviso	(MUSM: School Tour Fee Prohibition) The commission may not charge admission fees to groups of children from South Carolina who have made reservations that are touring the museum as part of a school function.	Administration and Museum Operations
11	29.5	State	Proviso	(MUSM: Dining Area Rent) Of the space currently vacant in the Columbia Mills Building, space large enough for the museum to have dining space for school-aged children shall be provided to the State Museum at no cost.	Administration and Museum Operations
12	29.6	State	Proviso	(MUSM: Remittance to General Services) The State Museum is directed to remit not less than \$1,800,000 to the Budget and Control Board, Division of General Services as compensation for expenses associated with the premises it leases in the Columbia Mills Building. In the event the General Assembly or the Budget and Control Board implements a mid-year across-the-board budget reduction, the rent that the State Museum remits to the Budget and Control Board shall be reduced by the same percentage as the assessed budget reduction.	Administration and Museum Operations

Agency Name:	SC Museum Commission
Agency Code:	H55
Divisions or Major Programs	Section: 29
Description	All facets of Museum Operations including - Educational programming and content, Collections, Curators, Marketing, Operations, Public safety, exhibit fabrication, janitorial, facility rentals, gift shop, school visit facilitation, artifact storage and conservation, public programs and signature events, volunteer management, 4D theater operation, Planetarium operation, Observatory programming and hosting, Web site, Graphic Design, Public Relations
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Specify only for the following Segments: (1) Industry: Name; (2) Professional Organization: Name; (3) Customer Segments

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All demographics would be included as potential visitors and users of the State Museum. Families, seniors, young professionals, empty nesters, all races, all economic levels, all genders, all educational levels.

General Public

American Alliance of Museums, Southeast Museum Association, International Association of Theme parks and Attractions, South Carolina Museum Federation, Smithsonian Affiliates, Astronomy Associations, SC Squared, Columbia CVB

Agency Name:	SC Museum Commission		
Name of Partner Entity	Type of Partner Entity	Description of Partnership	Partner Template Associated Objective(s)
Department of Education	State Government	School field trips and content support	All Goals 1-4
AAM (American Alliance of Museums)	Professional Association	Reaccreditation and support services	All Goals 1-4
ETV	State Government	Use of museum content broadcast thru ETV hardware and dedicated space inside museum	All Goals 1-4
PRT	State Government	Cross marketing and dedicated exhibit space inside museum	All Goals 1-4
Confederate Relic Room	State Government	Joint Ticketing and Programming	All Goals 1-4
State Library	State Government	Story Fest Annual Event	All Goals 1-4
State Archives	State Government	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
State Arts Commission	State Government	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Archaeology and Anthropology	State Government	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
NASA	Federal Government	Astronomy Content and programming	All Goals 1-4
Columbia Visitors Bureau	Local Government	Marketing and Advertising ands dedicated space inside museum	All Goals 1-4
Congaree Vista Guild	Non-Governmental Organization	Marketing and Advertising Collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Columbia Museums	Non-Governmental Organization	Joint Ticketing and Promotion	All Goals 1-4
Columbia Attractions	Non-Governmental Organization	Joint Ticketing and Promotion	All Goals 1-4
Smithsonian	Federal Government	Affiliation member and use of memberships for museum members	All Goals 1-4
City of Columbia	Local Government	Hospitality Tax funding for marketing	All Goals 1-4
Richland County	Local Government	Hospitality Tax funding for marketing	All Goals 1-4
SC Museum Foundation	Non-Governmental Organization	Private Fundraising for the museum	All Goals 1-4
Central Carolina Community Foundation	Non-Governmental Organization	Fund source and program collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Media Providers	Private Business Organization	Media trade	All Goals 1-4
SC Federation of Museums	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
SC Science Teachers Education Leadership Association	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
SC Science Council	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
STEM Centers SC	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
SC Council for the Social Studies	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Harvard Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Smithsonian Affiliations Program	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Midlands Astronomy Club	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Astronomical Society of the Pacific	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
International Astronomical Union	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
SC Council on Competitiveness Aerospace Taskforce	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Carolina Area Planetarium Educators	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Southeastern Planetarium Association	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
International Planetarium Society	Professional Association	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Richland Library	Local Government	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
City of Columbia Parks	Local Government	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Girl Scouts of SC: Mountains to the Midlands	Non-Governmental Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
South Carolina Boy Scouts	Non-Governmental Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
SC Autism Association	Local Government	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Historic Columbia	Private Business Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Sonoco Recycling	Private Business Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4

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Name of Partner Entity	Agency Code:	H95	Section:
			029
Congaree National Park	Type of Partner Entity		Description of Partnership
Midlands Association of Volunteer Administrators	Non-Governmental Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
AARP	Non-Governmental Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
United Way	Non-Governmental Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Urban League	Non-Governmental Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Benedict College	Higher Education Institute	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
USC English Programs for Internationals	Non-Governmental Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Retired Senior Volunteer Corps	Non-Governmental Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
USC Irvin Department of Rare Books and Special Collections	Higher Education Institute	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
AmeriCorps	Non-Governmental Organization	Educational Content and educational Programming collaboration	All Goals 1-4
Carolina Bridal Association	Professional Association	Sourcing Bridal Clients for Facility Rentals	Goal 1
Junior Leagues	Non-Governmental Organization	Generating Retail Sales off site	Goal 1
AMMC (American Museum Membership Conference)	Professional Association	Support services to membership program	Goal 1
PRAA (Public Relations Society of America)	Professional Association	Support services fro Public Relations	Goal 1
South Carolina Motor coach Association	Professional Association	Access to database and joint marketing to pre-formed groups	All Goals 1-4
North Carolina Motor coach	Professional Association	Access to database and joint marketing to pre-formed groups	Goal 1
Georgia Motor coach	Professional Association	Access to database and joint marketing to pre-formed groups	Goal 1

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Report Template

Item	Report Name	Name of Entity Requesting the Report	Type of Entity	Reporting Frequency	Submission Date (M/M/DD/YYYY)	Summary of Information Requested in the Report	Method to Access the Report
1	Accountability Report	Executive Budget Office	State	Annually	September 15, 2016	Results and responsibilities of agency	Museum WEB site
2	Budget Request	Executive Budget Office	State	Annually	September 30, 2016	Financial needs for next fiscal year	Paper Copy
3	Info Tech Inventory	DTO	State	Annually	October 1, 2016	Listing of all hardware and software	Paper Copy
4	Info Tech Plan	DTO	State	Annually	October 1, 2016	IT needs and issues for upcoming year	Paper Copy
5	Minority Utilization Plan	Dept. of Admin	State	Annually	December 15, 2016	Data on minority business use	Paper Copy
6	Year End GAAP reports	Comptroller	State	Annually	September 15, 2016	Specific Year-End Financial Data	Paper Copy
7	Bank Account Transparency	Comptroller	State	Annually	July 1, 2016	Use and balance of acquisitions checking account	Paper Copy
8	Affirmative Action Plan	Human Affairs	State	Annually	January 15, 2016	Plan on diversity of workforce	Paper Copy
9	Debt Collection Report	Dept. of Admin	State	Annually	August 15, 2016	Outstanding monies due museum	Paper Copy
10	Employment Wage	Dept. Employment & Workforce	State	Quarterly	Last day of quarter	Data on wages paid	Paper Copy
11	Sales Tax Returns	Dept. of Revenue	State	Monthly	21st of following month	Data on sales taxes collected	Paper Copy
12	State Fleet Mileage	Dept. of Admin	State	Monthly	3rd of following month	Data on vehicle mileage used	Paper Copy
13	Salary Supplements	OHR	State	Annually	August 15, 2016	Any supplements paid to museum staff from non-state sources	Paper Copy
14	Agency Head Review	Agency Head Commission	State	Annually	August 15, 2016	Performance appraisal of Agency Head	Paper Copy

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Oversight Review Template

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Item	Name of Entity Conducted Oversight Review	Type of Entity	Oversight Review Timeline (MM/DD/YYYY to MM/DD/YYYY)
1	State Auditor	State	07/01/2014 - 06/30/2015
2	Senate Oversight Committee	State	07/01/2014 - 06/30/2015
3	House Oversight Committee	State	07/01/2014 - 06/30/2015
4	Chicora - Integrated Pest Management Study	Outside Organization	03/01/2016 - 03/10/2016
5	University of W VA - Membership Study	Outside Organization	Sept 2015 - April 2016