





# VISION 2020-21

- Successfully navigate COVID-19
- Recruitment/student success
- Telling our story
- Positioning Montana Tech for the future



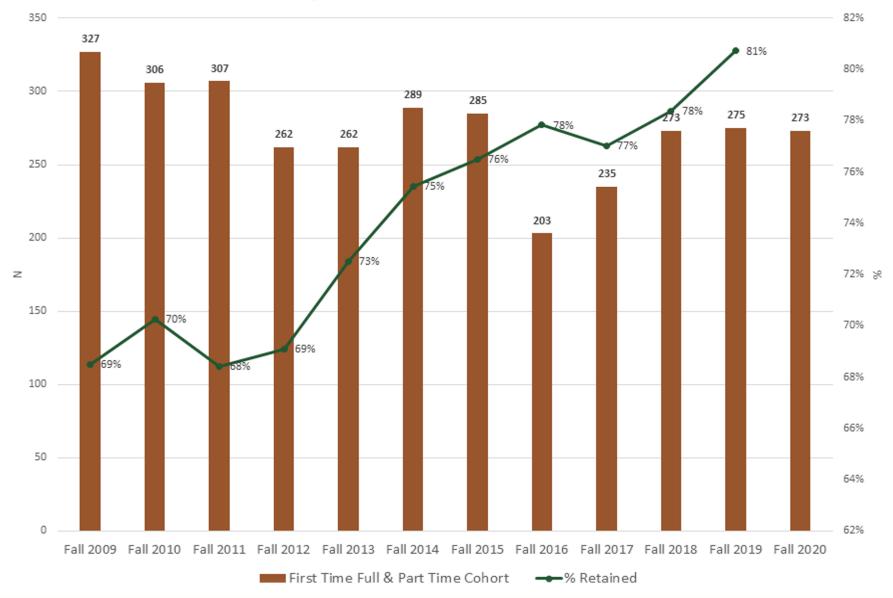
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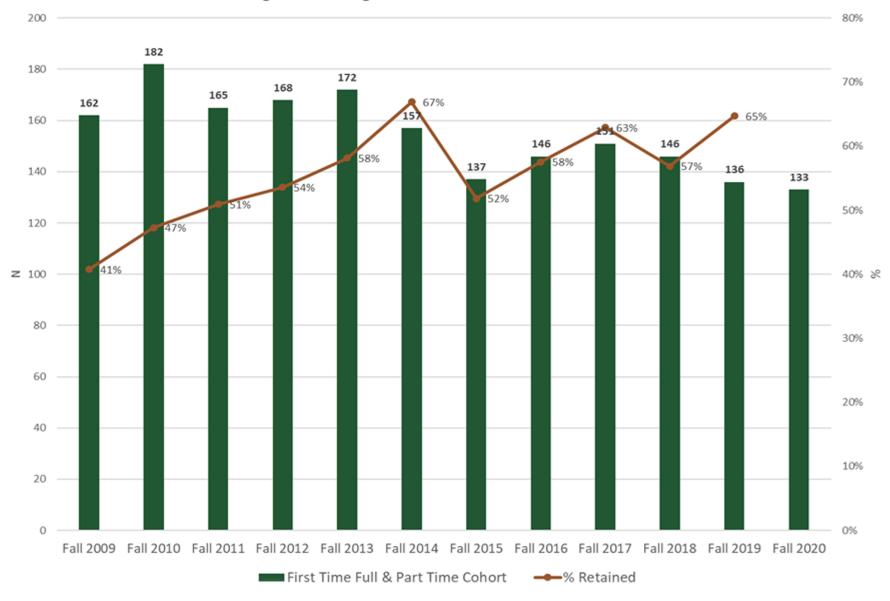


#### North Campus Cohort Size and 2nd Fall Retention





#### Highlands College Cohort Size and 2nd Fall Retention





# Fall Enrollment

Overall FTE Enrollment down 81 students (new and continuing) = 4%

Headcount by college:

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2020 2019
College of Letters, Sciences, and Professional									
Studies	632	595	575	593	559	610	589	587	(2)
Studies	032	333	373	333	333	010	303	307	(2)
Graduate School	161	192	205	210	246	247	218	216	(2)
Highlands	628	569	549	473	456	413	376	337	(39)
Non Degree	309	316	328	322	336	338	343	358	15
School of Mines & Engineering	1193	1273	1323	1211	1081	975	895	831	(64)
TOTAL	2923	2945	2980	2809	2678	2583	2421	2329	(92)



## Other Achievements

- New in-state students are up
- Number of new females increased both in- and out-of-state
- New first-time students flat with last year

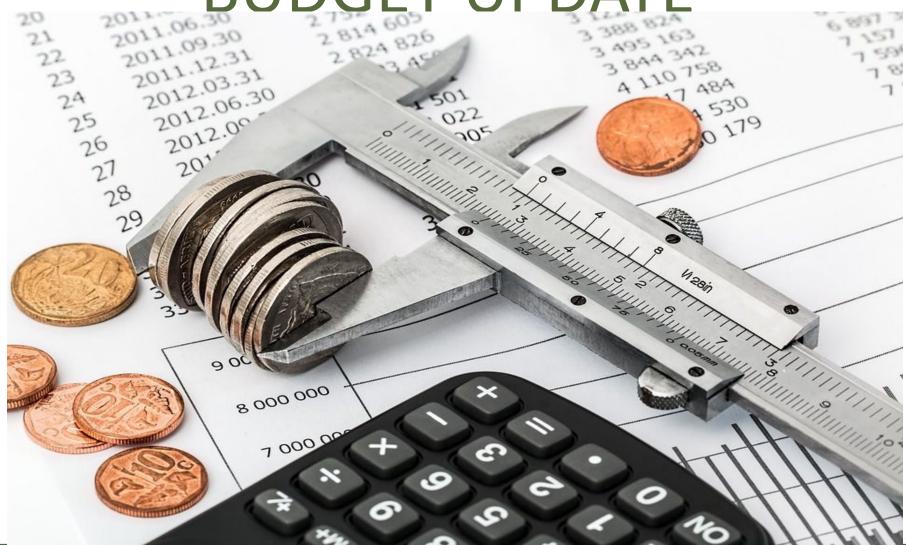


# Other News From the Admissions & Enrollment Management Department

- Applications for Fall 2021 are up
- Adapting recruitment strategies to COVID-19
- Building partnerships with 2-year schools
- Continued work with RNL on the Recruitment Plan and Strategic Enrollment Plan
- New scholarship model/process: True Cost Calculator
- Implementing DegreeWorks Spring 2021



## BUDGET UPDATE





# FY 2021 Budget

- Uncertainties due to COVID-19
- FY 21 Enrollment projected to be down 6% of FY 20 Actual Enrollment
- FY 21 Budget \$630,000 less than our FY 20 Budget
- FY 21 Revenue Includes-
  - \$850,000 Revolving Reserve Account
  - \$200,000 CARES funding Summer Tuition Student Discount
- Fall Tuition Revenue is within \$28k of Projected \$6.7M



#### **Montana Technological University**

Current Unrestricted Budget

		Differ	ence				
					FY21		
REVENUE	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20	Budget	1 Yr	5 Yr
State Support	\$15,924,638	\$15,171,959	\$15,244,296	\$15,639,208	\$15,971,359	2%	0%
State Support (OTO)				\$82,155	\$0		
Net Tuition Revenue	\$16,207,814	\$14,559,996	\$14,075,856	\$12,727,415	\$11,172,588	-12%	-31%
Transfers/Other	\$733,319	\$966,942	\$984,013	\$772,937	\$1,866,847	142%	155%
Total Operating Revenue	\$32,865,771	\$30,698,897	\$30,304,165	\$29,221,715	\$29,010,794	-1%	-12%
Scholarships/Discounts/Waivers	\$2,040,124	\$2,018,345	\$2,227,644	\$2,131,685	\$2,513,363		
Total Current Unrestricted	\$34,905,895	\$32,717,242	\$32,531,809	\$31,353,400	\$31,524,157		
Student FTE	2,510	2,309	2,178	2,031	1,918	-6%	-24%
Resident Students	1,812	1,732	1,644	1,581	1,537	-3%	-15%
Non-resident Students	698	577	534	450	381	-15%	-45%



# Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security (CARES) Act Funding

#### **US Department of Education**

Emergency Relief Funds – Students 838,100

Emergency Relief Funds – Institution 838,099

Emergency Relief Funds – Strengthening Institution 83,815

TOTAL DOEd \$1,760,014

#### **Governor's Coronavirus Relief Funds**

Mitigation and Monitoring 1,618,580

TOTAL GCRF \$1,618,580

#### **Governor's Education Emergency Relief Funds**

1-2-Free (Dual Credit) 101,722

Workforce Development 15,000

Technology <u>100,000</u>

TOTAL GEER \$216,722



### **Grant Data**

- FY19: 113 proposals submitted, 63 funded for \$8 million
- FY20: 127 proposals submitted, 68 funded to date for \$12.1 million [many still under review]
- FY21: 22 proposals submitted in the first 3 months; 7 funded for \$114 K

More than 75 faculty, MBMG, and staff prepared these proposals. Congratulations all!



# Development & Alumni Engagement



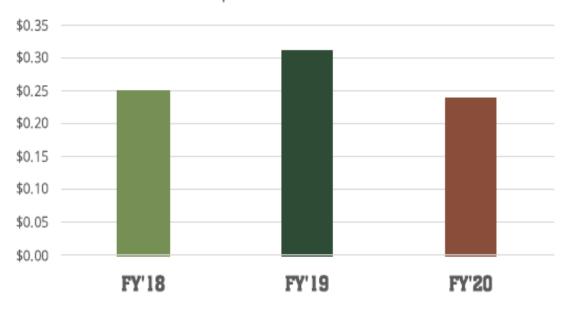
# Montana Technological University Foundation Performance Management





#### **Investment to Raise a Dollar**

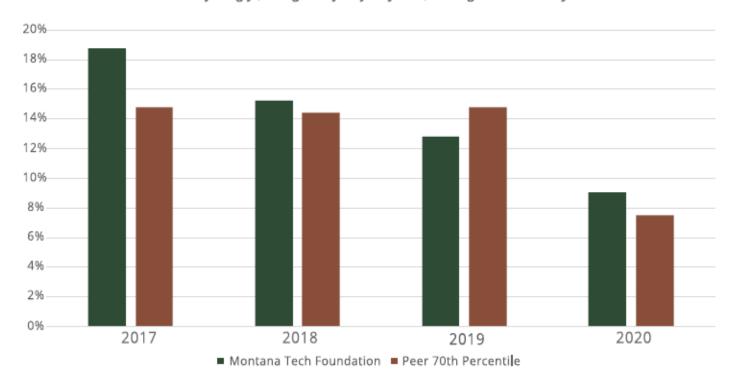
Total Expenses/Net Contributions







**Donor Aquisition**Gave first gift, or again after five years, during the selected year





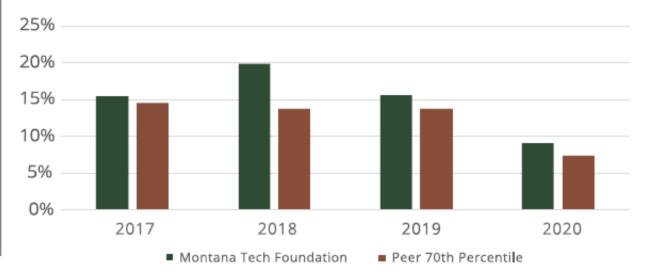


# Donor Retention Gave during the selected year and its previous year 50% 40% 30% 20% 10% 2017 2018 2019 2020

■ Peer 70th Percentile

■ Montana Tech Foundation

# **Recapture**Gave during the selected year and two-to-five years prior





# Summer/Fall Initiatives of Emphasis

#### **Strategic Initiatives**

**Implement Prospect Management System** 

**Implement Communication & Engagement Plan** 

Alignment of Outreach/Engagement, Governance



#### Strategic Initiatives

#### **Implement Prospect Management System**

Grow Montana Tech's annual, major, principal and planned giving performance over the next five years. Create metrics to measure the Office of Development and Alumni Relations.

**Action Steps** 

#### **Implement Communication & Engagement Plan**

Grow the culture of philanthropy. Expand engagement with external constituencies and key campus stakeholders and partners.

**Action Steps** 

#### Alignment of Outreach/Engagement, Governance

Realign development and alumni functions. Retool and modernize foundational documents and structures. Act as prudent fiduciaries of all entrusted funds.

**AGB** = Association of Governing Boards of Colleges and Universities

**EAB** = Educational Advisory Board

**Action Steps** 

#### Strategic Plan Goals

#### Goal: Grow Giving Pipelines, Participation and Funds Raised

- Implement Blackbaud Fundraiser Performance Management (FPM) & Metrics
- Develop and Implement Proposal System
- Forecast pipeline revenue
- Capture and record all substantive constituent interactions

#### Goal: Culture of Philanthropy through Energized Engagement Plan

- Increase ratio of touches to asks
- Increase quality of, acquire more contact data
- Build & implement a robust stewardship plan
- Organize and offer campus engagement retreat
- Implement **Ovrture** (digital engagement platform)
- Redo Office of Development and Alumni Engagement (OD&AE) Website
- More frequent and useful communication of development results with campus

#### Goal: Exceptional Infrastructure

- Restructure and rebrand as OD&AE
- Consult with AGB & EAB to potentially provide process review, best practices and development opportunities for board, Montana Tech Alumni Association, campus & staff
- Engage, support, energize and better connect and leverage alumni chapters
- Robust review and re-tool of foundational documents



# Our Charge: Providing You Service, Advancing Campus

All of our work and the initiatives we pursue align with the **overall broader strategic objectives of the campus** to empower the team to:

- Drive recruitment, retention and overall enrollment
- Increase access by lowering financial barriers, including student debt
- Create a student-centered ethos
- Maintain excellence in education and the student experience
- Develop a sustainable culture of philanthropy



## Recent Successes

#### **Completed Montana Access matching campaign**

- Fully-leveraged state match

#### Flexible student-focused funds in time of crisis

- Kasperick Student Emergency Fund
- Tech Vision Scholarship

#### **DayOne Giving Day**

- \$200,000 raised from 726 Gifts
  - 73% growth in donors
  - 21% growth in dollars
- Primary donor acquisition vehicle
- Growth in ambassadorship, donor-provided matching opportunities, campus participation

#### **Annual Scholarship Match Secured**

- 5-year/\$80,000 per year principal gift commitment



# Initiatives: Underway & Upcoming

#### **Scholarship Match Challenge**

- Drives enrollment, increases access
- Empowers recruiting team
- Drives annual giving, stretch and major gifts
- Incentivizes first-time donors

#### Be the First Initiative: \$250,000

- Local, first-generation students
- Featured during DayOne
- Message featuring CGA/MT Tax Credit

#### **Nursing Simulation Center**

Outreach, Marketing and Student Experience Initiatives

#### On the Horizon

- Strategic Plan





