## HEERF III Quarterly Report For Quarter Ending December 31, 2021

TLU received funding from the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act and the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) to assist students who were affected financially due to disruption of university campus operations.

## FUND REPORTING:

- On May 24, 2021, the U.S. Department of Education issued TLU a Grant Award Notification for the third round of Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds (HEERF III) authorizing an additional \$1,969,104. TLU signed and returned to the U.S. Department of Education the Certification and Agreement that was issued with HEERF I (CARES Act) funds. TLU will use no less than 50 percent of the funds received under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to its students. These additional funds were authorized under the American Rescue Plan Act.
- At the beginning of the Fall 2021 semester, TLU estimated **1,417** students would be eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 and thus eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act.
- On November 4, 2021, TLU disbursed a total of \$1,646,604 HEERF III Awards to 1,385 students. This includes international, DACA, and U.S. citizens enrolled in degree-seeking programs, regardless of FAFSA application status.
- TLU did not require that students apply for the HEERF III Grant awards. Only that they be enrolled at the time eligibility was determined.
- All students who were currently enrolled as of 5 p.m. November 3, 2021, received a HEERF III Grant Award as follows:
  - Federal Pell Grant Recipients
    - 353 students received \$1,532 each
    - 140 students received \$1,531 each
  - All Other Degree-Seeking Students
    - 893 students received \$1,000 each
  - 52 of the 1,385 opted to have their grants applied to their student account balances while 1,333 had the funds disbursed directly to them through direct deposit or check.

As of December 31, 2021, all HEERF III funds have been awarded.