HEERF Funding

The following information is provided per U.S. Department of Education reporting requirements and represents our reporting for these funds for the quarter ended March 31, 2022, and is our final report regarding emergency financial aid grants for students.

1. Duke University (the University) acknowledges that it has signed and returned to the U.S. Department of Education the Certification and Agreement and has used the applicable amount of funds designated under Section 314(a)(1) of the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA) and Section 2003(a)(1) of the American Rescue Plan (ARP) to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.

2. The University was awarded $4,694,243 under Section 314(a)(1) of CRSSAA, of which $3,357,011 is to be provided to make Emergency Financial Aid Grants. Additionally, the University was awarded $17,487,008 under Section 2003(a)(1) of the ARP, of which $8,743,505 is to be provided to make Emergency Financial Aid Grants.

3. For the quarter ended March 31, 2022, $862,245 of CRRSAA institutional funds and $3,747,755 of ARP Emergency Financial Aid Grants were distributed under to Duke University students.

4. Approximately 7,695 students were estimated to have Title IV eligibility under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965.

5. For the quarter ended March 31, 2022, 2,677 Duke University students received Emergency Financial aid grant distributions.

6. For the quarter ended March 31, 2022, undergraduate students whose financial circumstances would render them eligible to receive a Pell Grant and were not previous recipients under earlier distributions of HEERF III received an emergency financial aid grant in the amount of $3,000. Additionally, students whose financial circumstances would not render them eligible to receive a Pell Grant, but with EFC’s of $25,000 or less and were not previous recipients under HEERF III received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant in the amount of $1,750. Following the disbursements described above, the administration distributed additional emergency financial aid grants in the amount of $800 to students whose financial circumstances would render them eligible to receive a Pell grant. All student distributions during the quarter ended March 31, 2022 were based on fall 2021 enrollment.

7. Emails were sent to enrolled undergraduate and graduate students on November 16, 2021 providing details of the HEERF III grants and directing them to the Office of Undergraduate Financial Support’s HEERF website for instructions to receive funding, or to request a financial aid adjustment if they have experienced recent changes in their financial circumstances. Instructions, answers to frequently asked questions, and eligibility requirements were included on the website. Eligible students received regular email reminders regarding the availability of emergency grants and the steps required to receive funding.