

July 23, 2021

Brian L. Johnson President Warner Pacific University 2219 S.E. 68th Avenue Portland, OR 97215

Dear President Johnson:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) at its meeting on June 23-25, 2021, concerning the Spring 2021 Ad Hoc Report of Warner Pacific University.

## Accreditation

Accept the Report

## Status of Previous Recommendations Addressed in this Evaluation

 Recommendation 2: Spring 2020 Evaluation of Institutional Effectiveness - Continued as Needs Improvement

## Recommendations Substantially in Compliance but in Need of Improvement

The Commission recommends that Warner Pacific University:

 Recommendation 2: Spring 2020 Evaluation of Institutional Effectiveness - Demonstrate short and longterm financial health and stability by strategically growing enrollment, controlling expenses, and becoming less dependent on unrestricted giving to cover operating deficits. (2020 Standard(s) 2.E.1;2.E.2)

## **Future Evaluations**

- Financial Resources Review Fall 2021
  - Recommendation 2: Spring 2020 Evaluation of Institutional Effectiveness
- Mid-Cycle Review Spring 2023
  - o Recommendation 1: Spring 2020 Evaluation of Institutional Effectiveness
  - Year 6 Standard 2 Policies, Regulations, and Financial Review Spring 2026
- Year 7 Evaluation of Institutional Effectiveness Spring 2027

NWCCU is committed to an accreditation process that adds value to institutions while contributing to public accountability, and we thank you for your continued support of this process. If you have questions about any of the information in this letter, please contact your staff liaison, Dr. Mac Powell, at mpowell@nwccu.org.

Sincerely,

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cc: Dr. Luke Goble, Vice President for Academic Affairs Mr. Greg Englund, Chairman of the Board of Trustees