# CIAM GENERAL MANAGER'S LETTER $4^{\text {th }}$ Quarter - Fiscal Year 2015 

This manager's letter is an integral part of these statements. Those reviewing and evaluating the financial results shown in the statements should consider and understand the following:

1. These are combined statements showing Revenue, Operating Expenses and Net Operating Profit as well as accrued and non-operating expenses. The management contract between Central Illinois Arena Management, Inc. and the City of Bloomington defines "Revenues", "Operating Expenses" and "Net Operating Loss/Profit". As defined, all interest, depreciation, amortization expenses and extraordinary expenses are not operating expenses. Nor are Capital Costs (also a defined term) operating expenses. The equipment replacement savings fund is not an expense.
2. These statements reflect accrued expenses not payable in the current
month and extraordinary expenses which are identified as non-operating expenses pursuant to the management contract.

## 4th Quarter Attendance Report <br> February 2015 - April 2015

| FEBRUARY | Type | Date | Days | Attendance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| IHSA Competitive <br> Cheer State Finals | Ticketed | $2 / 6-2 / 7$ | 2 | 11,789 |
| Bloomington Flex <br> Basketball Game | Ticketed | $2 / 12$ | 1 | 199 |
| Bloomington Thunder <br> Hockey Game | Ticketed | $2 / 13$ | 1 | 1,547 |
| Bloomington Thunder <br> Hockey Game | Ticketed | $2 / 14$ | 1 | 1,611 |
| Bloomington Thunder <br> Hockey Game | Ticketed | $2 / 16$ | 1 | 464 |
| Chamber of Commerce <br> with the Bloomington <br> Thunder Hockey Team | Non-Ticketed | $2 / 18$ | 1 | 123 |
| Indoor Winter <br> Farmers Market <br> Chris Young and Lee Brice <br> with special guest Brothers <br> Osborne | Ticketed | $2 / 20$ | 1 | 4,108 |
| Bloomington Thunder <br> Hockey Game | Ticketed | $2 / 19$ | 1 | 599 |

## 4th Quarter Attendance Report <br> February 2015 - April 2015

| Bloomington Thunder Hockey Game | Ticketed | 2/21 | 1 | 1,315 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bloomington Flex <br> Basketball Game | Ticketed | 2/22 | 1 | 624 |
| An Evening with Casting Crowns | Ticketed | 2/26 | 1 | 2,311 |
| IHSA Competitive Team Wrestling State Finals | Ticketed | 2/28 | 1 | 2,956 |
| Pepsi Ice Center Ice Rentals | Non-Ticketed | 2/1-2/28 | 15 | 3,080 |
| MARCH | Type | Date | Days | Attendance |
| Bloomington Thunder Hockey Game | Ticketed | 3/1 | 1 | 1,056 |
| Just Animals Low Cost Wellness Clinic | Non-Ticketed | 3/5 | 1 | 75 |
| Bloomington Flex <br> Basketball Game | Ticketed | 3/6 | 1 | 575 |
| Bloomington Thunder Hockey Game | Ticketed | 3/7 | 1 | 1,575 |
| Bloomington Flex Basketball Game | Ticketed | 3/12 | 1 | 166 |

## 4th Quarter Attendance Report <br> February 2015 - April 2015

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bloomington Thunder <br> Hockey Game | Ticketed | $3 / 13$ | 1 | 1,151 |
| Bloomington Thunder <br> Hockey Game | Ticketed | $3 / 14$ | 1 | 1,338 |
| Eric Church "The <br> Outsiders Tour" with <br> special guest Drive -By <br> Truckers | Ticketed | $3 / 17$ | 1 | 6,344 |
| Bloomington Flex <br> Basketball Game | Ticketed | $3 / 19$ | 1 | 187 |
| Heart with special guest <br> Joan Jett and the <br> Blackhearts | Ticketed | $3 / 20$ | 1 | 5,342 |
| Indoor Winter <br> Farmers Market | Non-Ticketed | $3 / 21$ | 1 | 294 |
| Bloomington Edge <br> Football Game <br> Bloomington Flex <br> Basketball Game <br> Bloomington Thunder <br> Hockey Game | Ticketed | $3 / 21$ | 1 | 1,032 |
| Bloomington Flex <br> Basketball Game | Ticketed | $3 / 22$ | 1 | 1,541 |
|  | Ticketed | $3 / 28$ | 1 | $2 / 27$ |

## 4th Quarter Attendance Report <br> February 2015 - April 2015

| Bloomington Flex <br> Basketball Game | Ticketed | $3 / 29$ | 1 | 264 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Pepsi Ice Center <br> Ice Rentals | Non-Ticketed | $3 / 1-3 / 31$ | 6 | 1,090 |
| APRIL | Type | Date | Days | Attendance |
| Bloomington Edge <br> Football Game | Ticketed | $4 / 4$ | 1 | 815 |
| Just Animals Low Cost <br> Wellness Clinic | Free | $4 / 9$ | 1 | 45 |
| Midwest Professional <br> Basketball Semi Finals | Ticketed | $4 / 9$ | 1 | 141 |
| City of Bloomington <br> Luncheon | Meeting | $4 / 10$ | 1 | 400 |
| McLean Cty Unit 5 <br> Graduation Practice | Non-Ticketed | $4 / 23$ | 1 | 1,908 |
| Indoor Winter <br> Farmers Market <br> Basketball Championship | Ticketed | $4 / 10$ | 1 | 923 |
| Bloomington Edge <br> Bloomington Thunder <br> Hockey Game | Ticketed | $4 / 11$ | 1 | 1,090 |
|  | Free | $4 / 18$ | 1 | 42 |

## 4th Quarter Attendance Report <br> February 2015 - April 2015

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| City of Bloomington <br> Wellness Fair | Private <br> Event/Meeting | $4 / 24$ | 1 | 347 |
| Mike Epps- <br> Real Deal Tour | Ticketed | $4 / 25$ | 1 | 1,341 |
| Andersen Window <br> Event | Meeting | $4 / 29$ | 1 | 103 |

# CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, U.S. CELLULAR COLISEUM MANAGEMENT SUMMARY REPORT TO CITY COUNCIL FOR THE QUARTER ENDED APRIL 2015 

BUDGET:
QUARTER TO DATE REVENUE
TOTAL REVENUES 1,076,903
EVENTS \& RENTALS 520,109
CONCESSIONS 89,569
PARKS N REC ICE RENTAL 32,055
OTHER SOURCES (Sponsors, Naming, Reimbursed income, interest, gift certificate sales) 435,170
QUARTERLY BOX OFFICE SALES 1,581,249
QUARTER TO DATE EXPENSE
TOTAL EXPENSE - OPERATING ONLY 1,067,173
BUDGETED PROFIT/(LOSS):
QUARTER TO DATE PROFIT/(LOSS) - OPERATING ONLY 9,730
QUARTERLY SEASONALIZED PROFIT/(LOSS) GOAL 291,022
ANNUAL PROFIT/(LOSS) GOAL 90,800
ACTIVITY;
EVENT ACTIVITY:
ACTUAL QUARTER TO DATE EVENT ACTIVITY 63
PREVIOUS YEAR QUARTER TO DATE EVENT ACTIVITY 56
ATTENDANCE:
QUARTER TO DATE ACTUAL TOTAL ATTENDANCE 60,503
TICKETED EVENTS 54,398
CONVENTIONS/SOCIAL 0
MEETINGS 503
FREE/NONTICKETED EVENTS 5,602
TOTAL ATTENDANCE 60,503
COMMUNITY:
FREE EVENTS:
QUARTER TO DATE ACTUAL FREE EVENT ACTIVITY 28
ESTIMATED CONTRIBUTION TO LOCAL ECONOMY:
CVB CALCULATED QUARTER TO DATE CONTRIBUTION TO ECONOMY* 3,696,726
CVB CALCULATED YEAR TO DATE CONTRIBUTION TO ECONOMY* 10,223,036
CVB CALCULATED ALL YEARS TO DATE CONTRIBUTION TO ECONOMY* 127,691,997
*CVB calculation:
Meetings: Number of attendees * $25 \%$ * $\$ 64$
Events: Overnight attendees: Number of attendees * $25 \%$ * $\$ 130$
Day attendees: Number of attendees * $75 \%$ * $\$ 40$
Conventions: Same as events

# Coliseum Fund <br> Profit \& Loss Budget Performance <br> with <br> Accrued, Operating and NonOperating Expense 

## February through April 2015 UNAUDITED

|  | 4th Qtr Actual <br> Feb 15 - Apr 15 | 4th Qtr 14-15 <br> Feb 15 - Apr 15 Budget | 2014-2015 Actual May 14 - Apr 15 | 2014-2015 <br> Annual Budget |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues/Operating Expense |  |  |  |  |
| Income |  |  |  |  |
| 400000 - Income |  |  |  |  |
| 401000 - Box Office Convenience Fees | 45,122.52 | 52,012.50 | 77,689.03 | 140,000.00 |
| 401500 - Club Memberships | 13,004.42 | 12,825.00 | 37,252.44 | 51,300.00 |
| 402000 - Concessions Revenue | 89,568.85 | 102,600.00 | 155,218.23 | 260,000.00 |
| 403000 . Suites | 66,551.11 | 100,429.50 | 263,699.69 | 401,718.00 |
| 403500 - Ticket Facility Fees | 43,828.31 | 81,750.00 | 96,445.87 | 190,000.00 |
| 404000 - Sponsorships | 189,572.84 | 144,999.94 | 583,606.42 | 580,000.00 |
| $404500 \cdot$ Naming Rights | 67,500.00 | 67,500.00 | 270,101.25 | 270,000.00 |
| 405000 - Parking Deck | 32,153.30 | 38,725.00 | 64,543.53 | 95,900.00 |
| 405500 - Box Office/ Rental | 6,703.76 | 11,000.00 | 11,434.01 | 25,000.00 |
| 406000 - Coliseum Rental | 175,955.00 | 181,000.00 | 522,980.04 | 550,000.00 |
| Total 400000 - Income | 729,960.11 | 792,841.94 | 2,082,970.51 | 2,563,918.00 |
| 410000 - Reimbursed Expenses - Income |  |  |  |  |
| 411500 - Football Reimbursement | 95.00 | 0.00 | 95.00 | 0.00 |
| 412500 - Hockey Reimbursement | 160.00 | 0.00 | 808.00 | 0.00 |
| 410000 - Reimbursed Expenses - Income - C | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Total 410000 - Reimbursed Expenses - Income | 255.00 | 0.00 | 903.00 | 0.00 |
| 420000 - Event Income |  |  |  |  |
| 421000 - Event Labor | 101,185.59 | 181,500.00 | 168,069.03 | 441,500.00 |
| 421500 - Event Advertising | 28,306.26 | 53,250.00 | 85,085.26 | 147,000.00 |
| 422000 - Event Services | 23,688.34 | 113,000.00 | 37,618.48 | 200,000.00 |
| 422500 - Other Event Costs | 36,012.64 | 25,200.00 | 46,277.35 | 63,500.00 |
| 423000 - Event Income | 24,099.96 | 82,685.00 | 72,725.36 | 199,185.00 |
| 424000 Amusement Tax Collected | 35,109.20 | 0.00 | 55,514.39 | 0.00 |
| Total 420000 - Event Income | 248,401.99 | 455,635.00 | 465,289.87 | 1,051,185.00 |
| 430000 - Merchandise Income |  |  |  |  |
| 431000 - Merchandise Commission | 9,658.25 | 3,750.00 | 16,612.25 | 10,000.00 |
| 431500 - Merchandise Taxable Sales | 81,644.00 | 125,000.00 | 108,145.94 | 300,000.00 |
| 432000 - Sales Tax Collected | 6,327.00 | 9,687.50 | 8,358.92 | 23,250.00 |
| Total 430000 - Merchandise Income | 97,629.25 | 138,437.50 | 133,117.11 | 333,250.00 |
| 440000 - Other Income |  |  |  |  |
| 441000 - Gift Certificate Sales | 400.00 | 660.00 | 1,103.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 441500 - Interest Income | 256.22 | 600.00 | 1,431.67 | 2,000.00 |
| Total 440000 - Other Income | 656.22 | 1,260.00 | 2,534.67 | 5,000.00 |
| Revenues | 1,076,902.57 | 1,388,174.44 | 2,684,815.16 | 3,953,353.00 |

# Coliseum Fund <br> Profit \& Loss Budget Performance <br> with <br> Accrued, Operating and NonOperating Expense <br> February through April 2015 <br> UNAUDITED 

|  | 4th Qtr Actual Feb 15 - Apr 15 | 4th Qtr 14-15 <br> Feb 15 - Apr 15 Budget | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2014-2015 Actual } \\ \text { May } 14 \text { - Apr } 15 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | 2014-2015 <br> Annual Budget |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Operating Expense |  |  |  |  |
| 600000 - Payroll Expense |  |  |  |  |
| 601000 - Wages |  |  |  |  |
| 601100 - Salaried | 204,454.80 | 230,192.76 | 857,966.83 | 997,500.00 |
| 601150 - Regular | 172,941.67 | 176,000.00 | 380,047.98 | 468,000.00 |
| 601200 - Overtime | 13,268.66 | 19,625.00 | 24,001.96 | 45,000.00 |
| 601300 - Commissions | 2,796.26 | 4,500.00 | 6,407.67 | 10,000.00 |
| Total $601000 \cdot$ Wages | 393,461.39 | 430,317.76 | 1,268,424.44 | 1,520,500.00 |
| 602000 - Employer Taxes |  |  |  |  |
| 602100 - FICA expense | 28,618.19 | 32,919.31 | 91,159.39 | 116,318.25 |
| 602150 - FUTA tax expense | 1,315.04 | 1,114.56 | 3,015.98 | 4,830.00 |
| 602200 - SUTA tax expense | 2,426.99 | 9,000.00 | 8,795.90 | 39,000.00 |
| Total 602000 - Employer Taxes | 32,360.22 | 43,033.87 | 102,971.27 | 160,148.25 |
| 603000 - Voluntary Deductions |  |  |  |  |
| 603150 - Insurance |  |  |  |  |
| 603151 - Health Insurance | 20,175.60 | 22,249.97 | 70,984.47 | 89,000.00 |
| 603152 - Life Insurance | 569.95 | 610.00 | 2,178.51 | 2,500.00 |
| Total 603150 - Insurance | 20,745.55 | 22,859.97 | 73,162.98 | 91,500.00 |
| Total 603000 - Voluntary Deductions | 20,745.55 | 22,859.97 | 73,162.98 | 91,500.00 |
| 605000 - Miscellaneous |  |  |  |  |
| 605150 - Uniforms | 284.00 | 0.00 | 2,248.53 | 3,500.00 |
| Total 605000 - Miscellaneous | 284.00 | 0.00 | 2,248.53 | 3,500.00 |
| 600000 - Payroll Expense - Other | -31.76 | 0.00 | -31.76 | 0.00 |
| Total 600000 - Payroll Expense | 446,819.40 | 496,211.60 | 1,446,775.46 | 1,775,648.25 |
| 610000 - Reimbursable |  |  |  |  |
| 611500 - Hockey | -41.95 | 0.00 | -41.95 | 0.00 |
| 613500 - Parking Fund | 17,995.96 | 16,250.01 | 29,722.96 | 65,000.00 |
| Total 610000 - Reimbursable | 17,954.01 | 16,250.01 | 29,681.01 | 65,000.00 |
| 620000 - Other Contractual Services |  |  |  |  |
| 621000 - Security | 4,690.56 | 13,650.00 | 5,620.56 | 36,000.00 |
| 621500 - Cleaning/Janitorial | 484.00 | 18,499.97 | 13,112.00 | 74,000.00 |
| 622000 - Trash Removal | 3,581.80 | 4,500.00 | 12,931.24 | 18,000.00 |
| 623000 - Credit Card Fees | 9,181.20 | 10,764.00 | 21,854.81 | 30,000.00 |
| 623500 - Management Fees | 40,653.07 | 50,501.21 | 103,853.77 | 154,484.00 |
| 624000 - Payroll Service Fees | 1,045.44 | 875.00 | 3,355.47 | 4,000.00 |
| 625000 - Ticket Printing Fees | 0.00 | 0.00 | 1,030.00 | 2,300.00 |
| 625500 - Finance Charges | 1,818.93 | 150.00 | 5,013.96 | 800.00 |
| 626500 - Pest Control | 880.00 | 750.00 | 2,640.00 | 3,000.00 |
| 627000 - Medical | 4,000.00 | 3,000.00 | 12,000.00 | 12,000.00 |
| 627500 - Internet/Cable Expense | 7,800.76 | 3,124.97 | 22,848.41 | 15,000.00 |
| 628500 - Ticketmaster Fees | 2,152.37 | 2,500.03 | 5,496.82 | 10,000.00 |
| Total 620000 - Other Contractual Services | 76,288.13 | 108,315.18 | 209,757.04 | 359,584.00 |

# Profit \& Loss Budget Performance with <br> Accrued, Operating and NonOperating Expense 

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| $630000 \cdot$ Commissions |  |  |  |  |
| $631000 \cdot$ Football | 0.00 | 2,000.00 | 0.00 | 5,000.00 |
| 631500 - Hockey | 7,468.38 | 9,000.00 | 17,933.58 | 27,500.00 |
| 632000 - CIAM | 51,213.75 | 50,286.00 | 138,213.75 | 160,000.00 |
| Total $630000 \cdot$ Commissions | 58,682.13 | 61,286.00 | 156,147.33 | 192,500.00 |
| 640000 Promoter Expense |  |  |  |  |
| 641000 - Merchandise | 71,754.57 | 62,250.00 | 98,167.43 | 173,250.00 |
| 641500 - Event Meal Expense | 25,879.96 | 15,540.00 | 60,206.32 | 55,410.00 |
| 642000 - Production Expense | 28,652.36 | 9,500.00 | 50,803.28 | 46,000.00 |
| 642500 - Other Promoter Expense | 61,583.20 | 49,410.00 | 122,105.17 | 124,410.00 |
| 643000 - Promoter Advertising | 61,133.56 | 39,999.94 | 190,655.01 | 160,000.00 |
| 643500 - Sales Tax Expense | 7,248.00 | 9,687.50 | 8,236.00 | 23,250.00 |
| 644000 - Amusement Tax | 36,213.00 | 0.00 | 57,097.16 | 0.00 |
| Total 640000 - Promoter Expense | 292,464.65 | 186,387.44 | 587,270.37 | 582,320.00 |
| 650000 - Administrative Expenses |  |  |  |  |
| 651000 - Worker's Comp Insurance | 2,188.19 | 20,499.99 | 94,630.64 | 82,000.00 |
| 655000 - Liability/Property Insurance | 7,476.62 | 9,249.99 | 44,562.20 | 37,000.00 |
| 660000 - Building Maintenance | 12,201.91 | 20,814.00 | 51,064.57 | 83,260.00 |
| 665000 - Building Furnishings \& Supplies | 6,437.14 | 11,703.00 | 31,629.62 | 47,000.00 |
| 667000 - Extraordinary Expenses | -517.66 | 0.00 | 2,797.65 | 0.00 |
| 670000 - Building Alterations | 0.00 | 4,998.00 | 5,711.08 | 20,000.00 |
| 675000 - Training | 0.00 | 0.00 | 699.00 | 5,000.00 |
| 680000 - Advertising Expense | 4,865.00 | 7,500.00 | 31,530.32 | 30,000.00 |
| 681000 - Sponsorship Expense | 8,182.74 | 7,500.00 | 22,449.18 | 32,000.00 |
| 690000 - Other Supplies | 1,236.71 | 1,249.97 | 8,390.46 | 5,000.00 |
| 695000 - Janitorial Supplies | 3,820.19 | 6,000.00 | 11,820.60 | 24,000.00 |
| 700000 - Maintenance \& Repairs | 4,851.40 | 12,672.00 | 11,742.01 | 50,680.00 |
| 705000 - Maint. Service Agreements | 6,182.51 | 9,000.00 | 20,700.55 | 36,000.00 |
| 710000 - Bank Service Charges | 150.00 | 75.00 | 325.00 | 225.00 |
| 715000 - Miscellaneous | 179.50 | 2,000.00 | 642.62 | 7,000.00 |
| 720000 - Automobile | 633.72 | 900.00 | 3,962.30 | 4,100.00 |
| 730000 - Equipment Rent | 7,177.50 | 4,800.00 | 21,071.93 | 19,200.00 |
| 740000 - Printing and Reproduction | 1,032.73 | 1,530.00 | 3,902.61 | 5,600.00 |
| 745000 - Postage and Delivery | 788.92 | 1,500.00 | 2,478.75 | 5,020.00 |
| 750000 - Dues and Subscriptions | 4,569.15 | 3,750.00 | 14,988.57 | 15,000.00 |
| 755000 - Telephone and Fax | 8,680.99 | 9,999.99 | 32,833.74 | 40,000.00 |
| 760000 - Office and Computer Supplies | 845.55 | 2,316.00 | 3,609.36 | 8,816.00 |
| 765000 - Gift Cards | 1,070.85 | 600.00 | 2,501.15 | 2,600.00 |
| Total 650000 - Administrative Expenses | 82,053.66 | 138,657.94 | 424,043.91 | 559,501.00 |
| 775000 - Professional Fees |  |  |  |  |
| 775100 - Legal Fees | 9,309.50 | 1,500.00 | 18,571.00 | 6,000.00 |
| 775250 - Miscellaneous | 100.00 | 0.00 | 1,700.00 | 0.00 |
| Total 775000 - Professional Fees | 9,409.50 | 1,500.00 | 20,271.00 | 6,000.00 | <br> \section*{Coliseum Fund <br> \section*{Coliseum Fund <br> Profit \& Loss Budget Performance <br> with <br> Accrued, Operating and NonOperating Expense}

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 780000 - Travel \& Entertainment |  |  |  |  |
| $781500 \cdot$ Meals | 269.56 | 400.00 | 1,356.67 | 1,600.00 |
| 782000 - Travel | 5,530.71 | 2,290.00 | 16,897.06 | 9,150.00 |
| 782500 - Mileage | 0.00 | 750.00 | 129.92 | 4,250.00 |
| Total $780000 \cdot$ Travel \& Entertainment | 5,800.27 | 3,440.00 | 18,383.65 | 15,000.00 |
| $785000 \cdot$ Utilities |  |  |  |  |
| $785100 \cdot$ Electricity | 45,469.62 | 51,250.03 | 175,781.99 | 205,000.00 |
| 785150 - Gas | 23,092.49 | 25,454.58 | 73,551.21 | 70,000.00 |
| 785200 - Water | 9,139.21 | 8,400.00 | 37,472.23 | 32,000.00 |
| Total 785000 - Utilities | 77,701.32 | 85,104.61 | 286,805.43 | 307,000.00 |
| Total Expense | 1,067,173.07 | 1,097,152.78 | 3,179,135.20 | 3,862,553.25 |
| erating Income | 9,729.50 | 291,021.66 | -494,320.04 | 90,799.75 |

***Other NonOperating Expense
Management/Tenant Professional Fees
Total Non/Operating Expense
Net Income/(Loss) After NonOperating Expense

| 0.00 | 0.00 | 1,123.51 | 0.00 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.00 | 0.00 | 1,123.51 | 0.00 |
| 9,729.50 | 291,021.66 | -495,443.55 | 90,799.75 |

***Per Sections 2.4, 3.4, 5.8, 8.1 of the Management Agreement
3. The Net Operating income for the U.S. Cellular Coliseum for the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2015 was $\$ 9,730$.
4. A total of 60,503 patrons attended events between February and April at the U.S. Cellular Coliseum. In Q4, Coliseum hosted a total of 63 events, highlighted by the sold out Eric Church, "The Outsiders Tour" and Chris Young and Lee Brice country shows.
5. Highlighting Q4 were the Illinois High School Association State Cheerleading and Dual Team Wrestling State Championships. Legendary 80's female rock bands, Heart and Joan Jett performed in front of 5,342 fans which was the largest crowd of their tour. In February, 2,300 patrons enjoy listening to many of the top Christian hits performed by Casting

Crowns. Comedian and actor, Mike Epps returned to the U.S. Cellular Coliseum for the second time as part of his "Real Deal Tour". The U.S. Cellular Coliseum also hosted several community events during the quarter including: Just Animals Low Cost Wellness Clinic, Indoor Winter

Farmers Market, McLean County Unit 5 High School graduations and the City of Bloomington Wellness Fair.
6. The Bloomington Thunder hockey team hosted seven home games in Q4, finishing the regular season in fifth place in the United States Hockey League. The Thunder entered their first season as a new franchise team and finished higher than typically expected for a first year program missing the playoffs by just a few points. The Bloomington Flex professional basketball team played seven of their ten home games this quarter finishing second in their division and eventually losing in the semi-final playoff game to Champaign. The Bloomington Edge indoor football team played three home games this quarter and currently is tied for third place in their division with a 5-3 record. X-League playoffs begin in June 2015.
7. In cooperation with the Pepsi Ice Center, approximately 3,100 young and adult hockey players, figure skaters and skating classes used the ice at the U.S. Cellular Coliseum during the fourth quarter.
8. The estimated contribution to the local economy for the fourth quarter is approximately $\$ 3,696,726$ based on Bloomington-Normal Convention and Visitors Bureau and the Illinois Office of Tourism standard formulas used to measure economic impact from tourism. These formulas measure the total effects of direct and/or indirect recirculation of income.

