

PERALTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
Board of Trustees Agenda Report
For the Trustee Meeting Date of June 9, 2009

ITEM # 8

ITEM TITLE:

Workforce Investment Act-One Stop Career Center, College of Alameda.

SPECIFIC BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

Request Authorization to Apply for Continued Funding with the Alameda County Social Services Agency for the Workforce Investment Act-One Stop Career Center.

ITEM SUMMARY:

The purpose of the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) is to provide services that increase employment, retention, and earnings of the participants. The project is intended to increase students' occupational skills and to improve the quality of the workforce, reduce welfare dependency, and enhance the productivity and competitiveness of the nation. WIA authorizes the use of several job training programs including adult activities, youth activities, and Job Corps. The adult component provides services through a coordinated delivery system overseen by local workforce investment boards. The One-Stop Career Center is intended to provide a "seamless" system of services to improve employment opportunities for individuals, such as outreach, skill assessment, job search, and placement assistance. Individuals also receive assistance in the development of employment plans and training services such as occupational skills training and on-the-job training.

The amount funded shall not exceed \$315,000 per year. The Chancellor recommends approval. This is an ongoing project.

BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS:

ALTERNATIVES/OPTIONS:

EVALUATION AND RECOMMENDED ACTION:

SOURCE OF FUNDS (AND FISCAL/BUDGETARY IMPACT):

Alameda County Social Services Agency.

OTHER DEPARTMENTS IMPACTED BY THIS ACTION (E.G. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY):

YES _____ NO X

COMMENTS:

WHO WILL BE PRESENTING THIS ITEM AT THE BOARD MEETING?

Wise E. Allen, Vice Chancellor of Educational Services.

DID A BOARD STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMEND THE ITEM? YES _____ NO X
_____ IF "YES", PLEASE INCLUDE THAT INFORMATION IN YOUR SUMMARY.

(*****Board contract approval is subject to negotiation and execution by the Chancellor.)

PLEASE ACQUIRE SIGNATURES IN THIS ORDER:

DOCUMENT PREPARED BY:

Prepared by: C. Fairley
[Carmen N. Fairley, Staff Services Specialist]

Date: 6/1/09

DOCUMENT PRESENTED AND APPROVED BY:

Presented and approved by: Wise E. Allen
[Wise E. Allen, Vice Chancellor of Educational Services]

Date: 6/2/09

FINANCE DEPARTMENT REVIEW

Finance review required Finance review *not* required

If Finance review is required, determination is: Approved Not Approved

If not approved, please give reason: _____

Signature: Thomas Smith Date: 6.5.09
Thomas Smith, Vice Chancellor for Finance and Administration

GENERAL COUNSEL (Legality and Format/adherence to Education Codes):

Legal review required Legal review *not* required

If Legal review is required, determination is: Approved Not Approved

Signature: _____ Date: _____
Thuy T. Nguyen, General Counsel

CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE APPROVAL

Approved, and Place on Agenda Not Approved, but Place on Agenda

Signature: Elihu Harris
Elihu Harris, Chancellor

Date: 6/4/09