

PERALTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
Board of Trustees Agenda Report
For the Trustee Meeting Date of September 28, 2010

ITEM# 23

ITEM TITLE:

First 5 Alameda County – Every Child Counts Professional Development Program at Merritt College.

SPECIFIC BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

Request approval for continued funding with First 5 Alameda County Agency for the First 5 Alameda County – Every Child Counts Professional Development Program at Merritt College. The amount to be funded for the 2010-11 Fiscal Year shall not exceed \$135,000. The funding agency is the First 5 Alameda County.

ITEM SUMMARY:

The California Children and Families Act of 1988 (Proposition 10) created a program in the state with the purpose of promoting, supporting, and improving the early development of children from the prenatal stage to five years of age. The intent of this Act is to enable counties to create and implement an integrated, comprehensive and collaborative system of information and services to enhance optimal early childhood development. The Strategic Plan, called Every Child Counts (ECC), is a key component to facilitate the development of the program to assist students who are working towards their AA Degree. It is the Commission's intent to assist local post-secondary institutions in their work to develop a motivated and competent workforce to serve Alameda County families.

BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS:

ALTERNATIVES/OPTIONS:

EVALUATION AND RECOMMENDED ACTION:

SOURCE OF FUNDS (AND FISCAL/BUDGETARY IMPACT):

First 5 Alameda County.

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

YES _____ NO _____

COMMENTS:

WHO WILL BE PRESENTING THIS ITEM AT THE BOARD MEETING?

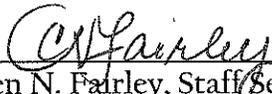
Debbie Budd, Vice Chancellor of Educational Services.

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.)

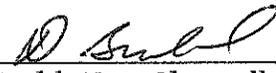
PLEASE ACQUIRE SIGNATURES IN THIS ORDER:

DOCUMENT PREPARED BY:

Prepared by: 
Carmen N. Farley, Staff Services Specialist

Date: 9/20/10

DOCUMENT PRESENTED AND APPROVED BY:

Presented and approved by: 
Debbie Budd, Vice Chancellor of Educational Services

Date: 9/29/10

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: _____ Date: _____
Ron Gerhard, Vice Chancellor for Finance and Administration

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

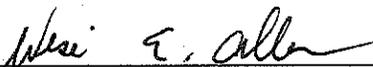
Legal review required Legal review not required

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: 
Wise E. Allen, Chancellor

Date: 9/21/10