

PERALTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
Board of Trustees Agenda Report
For the Trustee Meeting Date of 26 June 2012

ITEM TITLE:

Application for Laney College Career and Technical Education Division and the Laney College Green Jobs Training Programs to the Economic and Workforce Development Program of the Chancellor's Office.

SPECIFIC BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

Consider approval of application to Chancellor's Office of California Community Colleges for Economic and Workforce Development Program funds, specifically the Responsive Training Funding, for the Laney College Career and Technical Education Division and the Laney College Green Jobs Training Programs.

ITEM SUMMARY:

Laney College seeks approval of an application to the Chancellor's Office of California Community Colleges for Economic and Workforce Development Program funds, specifically the Responsive Training Funding, for the Career and Technical Education Division and the Green Jobs Training Programs to collaborate with solar employer(s) to provide employer-desired solar and energy efficiency training as well as wrap-around student services and professional development for incumbent workers.

SOURCE OF FUNDS:

All funding from the Chancellor's Office of California Community Colleges' Economic and Workforce Development Program funds, specifically the Responsive Training funding, with all required match from participating employers and already-granted federal Department of Labor funds currently administered via EDD and the Oakland Workforce Investment Board. Not to exceed \$640,000.

BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS:

This State Chancellor's Office grant will support training and upgrades for incumbent workers in the clean energy services sector. Laney will partner with several key segments of the industry to support upgrades of workers to higher level engineering positions designing systems and installations.

DELIVERABLES AND SCOPE OF WORK:

Partner with solar employer(s) to collaborate and provide employer-desired hands-on training to incumbent workers in the areas of Solar Photovoltaic Design, Installation, and Sales, Energy Efficiency Sales and Auditing, and national Building Performance Institute (BPI) as well as North American Board of Certified Energy Practitioners (NABCEP) testing and certification within Laney College's Environmental Control Technology and Electricity and Electronics Departments. Training will be enhanced by wrap-around student services as well as on-going professional development via the Laney College Green Jobs Training Program.

ANTICIPATED COMPLETION DATE:

31 December 2013

ALTERNATIVES/OPTIONS: None.

EVALUATION AND RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approval.

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

YES _____ NO XX

COMMENTS:

Thank you for your consideration.

WHO WILL BE PRESENTING THIS ITEM AT THE BOARD MEETING?

Dr. Debbie Budd, Vice Chancellor of Educational Services

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

DOCUMENT PREPARED BY:

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Elnora T. Webb, President of Laney College

Date: 6-18-12

DOCUMENT PRESENTED AND APPROVED BY:

Presented and approved by: Debbie Budd
Dr. Debbie Budd, Vice Chancellor, Ed Services

Date: 6-18-12

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: Ronald Gerhard

Date: 6-21-12

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: _____
General Counsel

Date: _____

CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE APPROVAL

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

Signature: Wise E. Allen
Wise E. Allen, Chancellor

Date: 6-19-12