

PERALTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
Board of Trustees Agenda Report
For the Trustee Meeting Date of April 8, 2008

ITEM # 14

ITEM TITLE: *(Please define the subject; e.g., change order – Berkeley City College)*

Consider Request for Authorization to apply for funding with City of Oakland, Oakland Environmental Careers Initiative and Peralta Community College District

SPECIFIC BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

Approve Laney College response to request for proposal for \$250,000 for Oakland Green Job Corps program. The Chancellor recommends approval

ITEM SUMMARY: *(PLEASE DISCUSS THIS ITEM)*

Laney College will partner with two non-profit agencies, Cypress Mandela Training Center, Inc. and Growth Sector, Inc. in an 18-month project to train and employ up to 50 low income Oakland residents in the green jobs sector. Laney courses will be offered at Cypress Mandela Training Center; trainees will also have opportunities to participate in internships in green companies, OJT training at solar companies, and direct entry into registered apprenticeship programs.

BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS:

PROJECT WOULD SUPPORT AND BUILD PERALTA INVOLVEMENT WITH GREEN JOBS MOVEMENT, WOULD SUPPORT SUSTAINABILITY EFFORTS AND COMMITMENTS, AND BUILD ON SUCCESSFUL PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN LANEY COLLEGE AND CYPRESS MANDELA TRAINING CENTER.

ALTERNATIVES/OPTIONS:

EVALUATION AND RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Approve application for funds.

SOURCE OF FUNDS (AND FISCAL/BUDGETARY IMPACT):

City of Oakland

CATEGORICAL GRANT PROGRAM. NO IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXCEPT TO INCREASE FTES.

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

YES _____ No X

COMMENTS:

WHO WILL BE PRESENTING THIS ITEM AT THE BOARD MEETING?

Presenter: Vice Chancellor Gary Yee

DID A BOARD STANDING COMMITTEE APPROVE THE ITEM? YES _____ No _____

IF "YES", PLEASE INCLUDE THAT INFORMATION IN YOUR SUMMARY.

PLEASE ACQUIRE SIGNATURES IN THIS ORDER:

DOCUMENT PREPARED BY:

Prepared by: Carmen N. Fairley, Staff Services Specialist
[Enter Your Name and Title of Individual]



Date: 3/27/08

DOCUMENT PRESENTED BY:

Prepared by: Gary Yee, Vice Chancellor, Ed Services
[Enter Name of College President or Vice-Chancellor or Manager,
& Title of Individual]



Date: 3/27/08

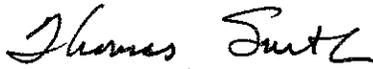
FINANCE DEPARTMENT REVIEW

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: _____

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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: _____

Thuy T. Nguyen, General Counsel

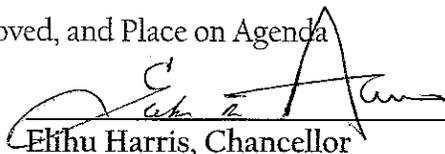
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CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE APPROVAL

Approved, and Place on Agenda

Not Approved, but Place on Agenda

Signature: _____



Elihu Harris, Chancellor

Date: _____

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