

# CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

August 19, 2008

Agenda Item: 4.1

Subject: Acceptance of Grant Award—Title III, Higher Education-Institutional Aid Grant: Improving Basic Skills Across the Curriculum to Increase Student Success, Persistence, and Institutional Effectiveness, Grant Award No. P031A080146 from the U.S. Department of Education, Chabot College

Background: Chabot College received notification from the U.S. Department of Education of its intent to award a five year, Title III, Higher Education-Institutional Aid Grant under Award No. P031A080146. The Title III grant, Improving Basic Skills Across the Curriculum to Increase Student Success, Persistence, and Institutional Effectiveness, provides funds for increasing student success and persistence of developmental students across the curriculum. The Title III Activity is guided by the following goals:

Goal 1	Increase success and persistence in developmental courses
Goal 2	Increase success and persistence in courses supported by learning support services
Goal 3	Develop student learning outcomes and appropriate assessments at the course, program and college level
Goal 4	Maintain and increase enrollment by increasing persistence

Project activities include support for developing and implementing faculty research projects, assessing outcomes, professional development, learning support services, and early intervention.

Funds will support a Title III Activity Director, a Learning Assessment Coordinator, a Center for Teaching and Learning Coordinator, five Faculty Leads, an Administrative Assistant, stipends for faculty, tutors/peer leaders, books and resources, professional development activities which include speakers and workshops, and an endowment fund for sustaining activities into the future.

Funding for the five year project is in the total amount of \$1,951,649 for the period October 1, 2008 through September 30, 2013. Funds will be distributed on an annual basis for each project period as detailed.

Period	Date	Amount
Year 1	10/01/08 – 9/30/09	\$ 397,068
Year 2	10/01/09 – 9/30/10	400,000
Year 3	10/01/10 – 9/30/11	399,553
Year 4	10/01/11 – 9/30/12	385,002
Year 5	10/01/12 – 9/30/13	370,026
	Total	\$ 1,951,649

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Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees accept the proposed grant award for the Title III, Higher Education-Institutional Aid Grant: Improving Basic Skills Across the Curriculum to Increase Student Success, Persistence, and Institutional Effectiveness, Grant Award No. P031A080146 from the U.S. Department of Education, Chabot College, in the amount of \$1,951,649 for the period October 1, 2008 through September 30, 2013. It is further recommended that the Board authorize the Vice Chancellor, Business Services, to execute the proposed grant award and any future augmentations or amendments to the grant on behalf of the District.

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Approved: Joel L. Kinnamon/Date

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