

CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

August 19, 2008

Agenda Item: 5.4.b.

Subject: Approval to Renew Agreement – State of California, Bureau of Automotive Repair Smog Referee and Student Training Program with the Foundation for California Community Colleges at Las Positas College

Background: Las Positas College has a successful automotive technology program. The Foundation for California Community Colleges (FCCC) has operated the State of California’s Bureau of Automotive Repair (BAR) Smog Referee and Lane Technician Training Program on the campus for more than five years. The program provides referees to hear consumer complaints and to negotiate reasonable results in those disputes and to train student technicians to perform necessary technical services in the State’s Smog Check program.

This agreement would continue the BAR’s Smog Referee and Lane Technician Program, combining public service to the community and a training program for students enrolled at the College. In addition, the FCCC will pay \$1,000 per month as a licensing fee for the use of the facilities at the College.

The term of the proposed renewal is July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009 after which the Foundation will have three one-year options to renew.

Past actions by the Board of Trustees include approval of the original agreement on April 15, 2003 under item 4.7.b and approval of renewals on January 18, 2005 under item 4.4; February 21, 2006 under item 4.2; November 14, 2006 under item 4.5; and October 16, 2007 under item 4.4.

Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees approve the proposed renewal agreement for the State of California, Bureau of Automotive Repair Smog Referee and Student Training Program with the Foundation for California Community Colleges at Las Positas College from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. It is further recommended that the Board authorize the Vice Chancellor, Business Services, to execute the agreement renewal and any future augmentations or amendments to this agreement on behalf of the District.

Submitted: Lorenzo Legaspi/Date

Approved: Joel L. Kinnamon/Date

APPROVED

DISAPPROVED

TABLED