

CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLGE DISTRICT

June 17, 2014

Agenda Item: 4.5

Subject: Acceptance of a Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Grant Award—by the Alameda County Workforce Investment Board (ACWIB) to the Tri-Valley One Stop Career Center for the Adult and Dislocated Workers’ Program, Las Positas College

Background: Las Positas College and ACWIB have been in collaboration for over the past years on various contracts, memorandum of agreements and grants. On May 29, 2014, the ACWIB notified the Tri-Valley One Stop Career Center that it is being awarded a WIA Grant Allocation of \$391,499 for program year 2014-2015 for Adult and Dislocated Workers’ Programs.

The WIA defines the nation’s job training system and provides guidance for local workforce investment systems designed to increase the employment, retention and earnings of participants, and to increase occupational skill attainment of participants. The goals of these efforts are to improve the quality of the workforce, reduce welfare dependency, and enhance the productivity and competitiveness of the nation. The Tri-Valley One Stop Center will provide a streamlined service system, which includes empowering individuals through information and access to training resources, providing universal access to core services, providing locally defined programs to meet the needs of employers and improving services to youth.

The Board of Trustees accepted similar WIA grants in 2007-08 for \$327,269; 2008-09 for \$383,924; 2009-10 for \$349,364; 2010-11 for \$719,615; 2011-12 for \$393,633; 2012-13 for \$447,199; and 2013-14 for \$394,033.

Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees accepts the proposed grant allocation from the Alameda County Workforce Investment Board (ACWIB) to the Tri-Valley One Stop Career Center for the Adult and Dislocated Workers’ Program, Las Positas College, in the amount of \$391,499 for the period July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.

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