CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

January 17, 2017

Agenda Item: 4.3

Subject: Acceptance of National Institutes of Health (NIH) Bridges to the
                 Baccalaureate Program Subaward Agreement with the University of
                 California Berkeley (UCB), Chabot College

Background: Chabot College, in collaboration with UC Berkeley and the Peralta Community College District, will conduct a series of events and provide a set of services designed to recruit NIH-targeted underrepresented minority students and help them learn about and prepare for careers in the biomedical and behavioral sciences. The goal is to increase transfer of targeted students to 4-year institutions and ultimately their successful graduation and pursuit of post-baccalaureate study and research careers. Activities will include Science and Research Career Workshops that inform students about the multitude of career options in the biological and biomedical transfer/career pathway, Berkeley faculty-mentored research opportunities, and tutoring and academic support. These activities will help ensure that Bridges students are academically prepared for the rigors of research internships and ultimately for transfer to four-year institutions.

Funding for the project is in the amount of $36,822 per year for the five year period ($184,114 total) extending July 1, 2016 through March 31, 2021. This subaward will take effect and activities related to this subaward will begin only upon Board of Trustees acceptance of the subaward agreement.

Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees accepts the National Institutes of Health (NIH) Bridges to Baccalaureate Program Subaward Agreement with the University of California Berkeley for Chabot College in the amount of $36,822 per year for the five year period ($184,114 total) from July 1, 2016 through March 31, 2021. It is further recommended that the Board authorize the Vice Chancellor, Business Services, to execute the agreement on behalf of the District.

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