

CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

October 24, 2017

Agenda Item: 4.4

Subject: Acceptance of an Augmentation to Grant Award - U.S. Department of Education, TRIO Educational Talent Search (ETS) Program (P044A160820-17), Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, Chabot College

Background: Chabot College has received an unsolicited augmentation of \$7,104 (2.5% of the original grant) for the 2017 – 2018 program year from the US Department of Education. Funds support the TRIO Educational Talent Search (ETS) Program at Chabot College. The TRIO ETS Program serves 7th through 12th grade students in the San Lorenzo and Hayward Unified School Districts who are both low income and first generation college-bound, to ensure students persist from grade to grade, graduate from high school, and ultimately attend and graduate college. The Board approved the original grant award as Item 4.1 at the September 20, 2016 Board meeting.

The TRIO ETS Program offers a variety of activities designed to impact educational outcomes including: Student advising and mentoring; homework and tutoring assistance; college and financial aid application assistance; trips to college campuses, cultural and career-related events; as well as summer programming. TRIO ETS is an essential component of the cradle to college to career pipeline and a vital strategy in ensuring student equity and access.

The grant augmentation in the amount of \$7,104 is being executed as of October 25, 2017 with the effective date of September 1, 2017 through August 31, 2018.

Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees accepts the Augmentation to Grant Award from the U.S. Department of Education in support of the TRIO Educational Talent Search (ETS) Program (P044A160820-17), Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, Chabot College, in the amount of \$7,104 for the period September 1, 2017 through August 31, 2018. It is further recommended that the Board authorize the Vice Chancellor, Business Services, to execute the grant award on behalf of the District.

Submitted: Krista R. Johns/ Date

Approved: Jannett N. Jackson/Date

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