

CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

September 14, 2021

Agenda Item: 4.3

**Subject:** Approval of Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Alameda County Office of Education (ACOE) and the California Early Childhood Mentor Program (CECMP) Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, Chabot College

Background: The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is to enable the Alameda County Office of Education (ACOE) and California Early Childhood Mentor Program (CECMP) to leverage the California Department of Social Services (DSS) QCC Workforce Pathways Grant (WFPG) funds. The WFPG funds will be applied in accordance with the Workforce Advising area of service as outlined and required by ACOE and the DSS and specifically to support increased learning and healthy development of California’s young children. The funds will increase the number of qualified professionals participating and, therefore, increase the educational credentials, knowledge, and competencies of existing early learning and care professionals across the state.

California Early Childhood Mentor Program (CECMP) will use the allocated funds to develop and offer a Mentoring Institute to increase the number of early learning professionals and early childhood teachers to improve their work with children and strengthen professional skill sets.

The ACOE will provide funding for the California Early Childhood Education Program during the period of September 15, 2021 – June 30, 2022 to cover the costs associated with the scope of work as outlined in the MOU and described above for a total not to exceed \$15,000.

Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees approves the proposed Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Alameda County Office of Education (ACOE) and the California Early Childhood Mentor Program (CECMP) for Workforce Pathways Grant (WFPG), Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, Chabot College in the amount not to exceed \$15,000 for the period of September 15, 2021 – June 30, 2022. It is further recommended that the Board authorize the Vice Chancellor, Business Services, to execute the MOU on behalf of the District.

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Submitted: Theresa F. Rowland/Date

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Approved: Ronald P. Gerhard/Date

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