## Chabot College For Immediate Release

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## Chabot College Names Sheryl Boykins as Interim Director of Safety and Security

Chabot College has announced Sheryl Boykins as its new Interim Director of Safety and Security.

With more than 30 years of service in law enforcement, Boykins will help Chabot move forward with a number of planned initiatives and assist in the hiring of a new, permanent director.

"Any time we have the opportunity to bring a lifelong public servant - and a Chabot alumna - on campus we're happy to do it," said Dr Susan Sperling, President of Chabot College. "Sheryl is a highly accomplished professional with a proven track record of serving the Hayward community and she knows what is needed to keep our department on track and progressing forward."

Prior to her position at Chabot, Boykins spent five years as the Chief of Police for California State University East Bay and served the City of Hayward as part of the Hayward Police Department where she climbed to the rank of Police Commander.

A native of Hayward, Boykins is deeply familiar with Chabot and its communities and has worked to insure best practices in policing and bridge the often-complicated relationship between the community and police department with compassion and success.

## **About Chabot College**

Chabot College in Hayward is a comprehensive community college in the heart of a thriving, diverse community where students of all ages and backgrounds can get a high quality education at an affordable price. The college awards associate degrees and certificates, and specializes in university transfer, workforce training, and lifelong learning opportunities. <a href="http://www.chabotcollege.edu/">http://www.chabotcollege.edu/</a>