

CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

October 16, 2012

Agenda Item: 4.3

Subject: Approval of Cooperative Agreement—The Regents of the University of California, Puente Project No. 12-CCMUL Puente-03, Las Positas College

Background: Newly established project between the University of California and Las Positas College. The mission of the Puente Project is to increase the number of educationally underrepresented students who enroll in four-year colleges and universities, earn degrees, and return to the community as leaders and mentors to future generations. The first Puente Project was initiated at Chabot College in 1981. Since that time, the model has been replicated at 59 colleges and 34 high schools throughout the State of California, with the oversight of the Puente Project centralized through the Regents of the University of California.

- This is a six year agreement – from July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2018.
- During the first three years of this agreement (2012–2013, 2013–2014, 2014–2015) the Puente Project will provide of \$30,000 for capacity building funding per year and \$5,000 for operational costs per year.
- During the final three years of this agreement (2015–2016, 2016–2017, and 2017–2018) Las Positas College shall contribute, from its own or third-party resources, program operating costs at a minimum of \$5,000 for expenditures.

The reason for the lateness of this Cooperative Agreement is due to the fact that the documentation was not received from the University of California until September 7, 2012.

Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees approves the proposed Cooperative Agreement with the Regents of the University of California, Puente Project No. 12-CCMUL Puente-03, Las Positas College, for the period July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013. 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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Submitted: Jeffrey M. Kingston/Date

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Approved: Judy E. Walters/Date

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