CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

February 16, 2016

Agenda Item: 4.2

Subject: Approval Substantive Change Proposal, Las Positas College

<u>Background</u>: As a condition of Accreditation, community colleges are required to inform the Accrediting Commission for Junior and Community Colleges (ACCJC) of any substantive changes in the institution's educational programs and services. One such condition expects notification when "50 percent or more of units in a program, offered through a mode of Distance or electronic delivery" (ACCJC Substantive Change Manual, 2015, Sec. 3.7.3 p. 9).

On May 9, 2013, the Las Positas College Substantive Change Proposal was approved by the ACCJC to offer an Associate of Arts degree in Environmental Studies, Humanities, Psychology and Sociology (General); and (2) certificates with curriculum offered at 50 percent or more through a mode of distance education (DE) delivery.

The 2016 Substantive Change Proposal requests ACCJC to approve the change in offerings 50 percent or more of units in the following degrees and certificates through a Distance Education mode.

| Degrees | Certificates |
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Anthropology, AA-T

Business Administration, AS-T

Computer Programming, AS

Cisco Network Associate, Cert of Achymt

Cisco Network Professional, Cert of Achymt

Computer Network Administration (Microsoft),

Career Cert

Computer Programming for the Web, AS (Microsoft), Career Certificate

Computer Science, AS Computer Programming, Cert of Achymt

Early Childhood Development, AA Computer Programming for the Web, Cert of

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Early Childhood Education, AS-T EDC: Associate Teacher, Cert of Achymt Early Childhood Intervention, AA EDC: Basic Teacher, Cert of Achymt

English, AA-T ECD: Early Childhood Intervention, Cert of

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History, AA-T ECD: Family Child Care, Cert of Achymt International Studies, AA Health and Human Services, Cert of Achymt

Philosophy, AS-T

Liberal Arts and Sciences, AA

<u>Recommended Action</u>: That the Board of Trustees approves the proposed 2016 Substantive Change Proposal for Las Positas College for submission to the Accrediting Commission for Junior and Community colleges (ACCJC).

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