CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

December 17, 2019

Agenda Item: 4.1

Subject: Acceptance of a US Department of Education Grant, Childcare Access Means Parents in School (CCAMPIS) for the Chabot College Children's Center Expansion (GAN P335A190370)

Background: Chabot College has applied for and been awarded a $110,649 grant per year from the US Department of Education from October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020, with the option for renewal for three additional years.

The Chabot College Children's Center helps provide students access to affordable childcare on campus. The Children's Center currently provides 96 families with a consistent childcare option for children, ages three-months to kindergarten, to learn and have fun. For student parents, the Children's Center is a key resource to academic success and being able to stay in school. Chabot student parents with children attending the Children's Center have higher persistence and success rates, compared to the average across campus.

Following budget cuts in 2010, the Center has slowly been rebuilding capacity to serve the 155 families on the waitlist. Funds from this grant will support staffing, professional development, and National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) Accreditation to open 12 additional subsidized childcare slots, which will prioritize families in greatest economic need on the waitlist.

Funding for this project is in the amount of $110,649 for the period of October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020 with an effective date of December 17, 2019

Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees accepts the US Department of Education Grant, Childcare Access Means Parents in School (CCAMPIS) for the Chabot College Children's Center Expansion in the amount of $110,649 for the period of October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020 with an effective date of December 17, 2019. It is further recommended that the Board authorize the Vice Chancellor, Business Services, to execute the grant award on behalf of the District.

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Approved: Ronald P. Gerhard/Date

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