

CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

October 19, 2021

Agenda Item: 4.4

Subject: Acceptance of Grant Award – Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) STEM Grant from the U.S. Department of Education, in support of the Chabot College Éxito STEM Scholars Program, Chabot - Las Positas Community College District, Chabot College (P031C210170)

Background: Chabot College has been awarded a new Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) STEM grant in the amount of \$4,923,441 for five years from the U.S. Department of Education.

The new program will address multiple barriers to success that are not only academic, but meet the needs of the whole individual. The Éxito STEM Scholars Program aims to achieve three objectives: (1) students prepare for and explore STEM pathways through a STEM Summer Bridge, orientation, and counseling; (2) students learn and progress on Chabot’s STEM guided pathways, supported by embedded tutoring, work-based learning, and comprehensive student services; and (3) students complete and transfer on STEM pathways, through the college’s deep collaboration with industry and 4-year university partners.

Funding for the project is in the amount of \$4,923,441 for five years, for the project period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2026. Proposed funding for this grant amounts for five-years as follows. The amounts are subject to annual renewal based upon performance.

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| Year One (2021-22): \$983,834 | Year Two (2022-23): \$999,998 |
| Year Three (2023-24): \$996,012 | Year Four (2024-25): \$997,909 |
| Year Five (2025-26): \$945,688 | Five-Year Total (2021-26): \$4,923,441 |

Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees accept the Grant Award – Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) STEM Grant from the U.S. Department of Education, in support of the Chabot College Éxito STEM Scholars Program, Chabot - Las Positas Community College District, Chabot College (P031C210170) in the amount of \$4,923,441 for the five-year period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2026. It is further recommended that the Board authorize the Vice Chancellor, Business Services, to execute the grant award on behalf of the District.

Submitted: Theresa F. Rowland/Date

Approved: Ronald P. Gerhard/Date

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