

CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

October 15, 2019

Agenda Item: 4.3

Subject: Approval of Amendment to the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to host a Business & Entrepreneurship Deputy Sector Navigator at Chabot College between Rancho Santiago Community College District and Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, Chabot College

Background: The Chancellor's Office employed a new method to select Deputy Sector Navigators (DSNs) and DSN host colleges for the 2018/19 competitive grant awards, whereby DSN applicants and host colleges applied separately and were matched. This process resulted in two rounds of application and selection: the first round of awardees had a grant start date of October 1, 2018, and the second round of awardees had a start date of January 1, 2019. Awards to host colleges for DSN positions that remained vacant after the first and second rounds had completed were made as they were finalized throughout spring 2019.

The strength of Chabot College's academic Business & Entrepreneurship discipline makes Chabot College an ideal host for the regional DSN. While the position is charged with serving the region, Chabot College will benefit substantially from the market intelligence gathered by the talent named as DSN.

Board approval is requested to accept the MOU for Year 1 grant awards as directed by the California Chancellor's Office and with Rancho Santiago CCD serving as fiscal agent for the statewide program.

Recommended Action: The Board of Trustees approves the Amendment to the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to host a Business & Entrepreneurship Deputy Sector Navigator at Chabot College between Rancho Santiago Community College District and Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, Chabot College. It is further recommended that the Board authorize the Vice Chancellor, Business Services, to approve the agreement on behalf of the District.

Submitted: Theresa F. Rowland/Date

Approved: Ronald P. Gerhard/Date

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