

ACCREDITING COMMISSION for COMMUNITY and JUNIOR COLLEGES

Western Association of Schools and Colleges

Richard Winn, Interim President Raúl Rodríguez, Chair

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CORRECTED LETTER

Dr. Lori Bennett President Clovis Community College 10309 North Willow Avenue Fresno, CA 93730

Dear President Bennett:

The Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, at its meeting January 11-13, 2017, reviewed the Follow-Up Report and evidentiary materials submitted by Clovis Community College. College leadership, including the president of the governing board, the chancellor, and the College president, certified the Report. The purpose of the Commission's review was to determine whether the College resolved deficiencies noted during the spring 2015 comprehensive review and meets Eligibility Requirements, Accreditation Standards, and Commission policies (hereafter called Standards).

After considering the material noted above, the Commission finds that Clovis Community College has demonstrated that it continues to meet Standards IV.B.1.a and IV.B.1.a-j from District Improvement Recommendations 8 and 9 related to the Board of Trustees.

In order to synchronize the visit schedule of the three colleges of the State Center Community College District and in keeping with the Commission's practice of scheduling simultaneous visits to colleges in multi-college Districts, Clovis Community College will complete an Institutional Self Evaluation Report in preparation for a comprehensive visit in **spring 2018** in lieu of a Midterm Report that term.

The Commission requires the College give the Follow-Up Report and this letter appropriate dissemination to College staff and to those who were signatories of the Follow-Up Report, and to make these documents available to all campus constituencies and to the public by posting them to the College website. Please note that in response to public interest in accreditation, the Commission requires institutions to post accreditation information on a page no more than one click from the institution's home page.

On behalf of the Commission, I wish to express appreciation for the collaborative work that Clovis Community College undertook to prepare the Follow-Up Report. Thank you for sharing the values and the work of accreditation to ensure educational quality and to support student success.

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Accreditation and peer review are most effective when the College and the ACCJC work together to focus on student outcomes and continuous quality improvement in higher education. If you should have any questions concerning this letter or the Commission action, please don't hesitate to contact me or one of the ACCJC Vice Presidents. We would be glad to help you.

Sincerely,

Řichard Winn, Ed.D. Interim President

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cc: Dr. Paul Parnell, Chancellor, State Center Community College District