CERRITOS COLLEGE

Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees

Meeting Date: May 7, 2014
Agenda Item No. 42

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

Consideration of Adoption of Resolution #14-02 Authorizing the Use of Education Protection Account Proceeds Resulting From the Passage of Proposition 30

ACTION

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees adopt Resolution #14-02 authorizing the use of an estimated \$10,799,648 of Education Protection Account proceeds resulting from the passage of Proposition 30 to partially fund instructional salaries and benefits.

FISCAL IMPACT

The estimated revenue is projected at \$10,799,648 for Cerritos College and funds will be utilized for faculty salaries and benefits.

REPORT SUMMARY

Proposition 30, The Schools and Local Public Safety Protection Act of 2012, was passed by the electorate in November 2012. This proposition temporarily raised the sales and use tax by .25 cents for four years and raised the income tax rate for high income earners (\$250,000 for individuals and \$500,000 for couples) for seven years to provide continuing funding for local school districts and community colleges. The Education Protection Account (EPA) is created in the General Fund to receive and disburse these temporary tax revenues.

Revenue for EPA funds are unrestricted and the Act specifically prohibits the expenditures of EPA funds for administrative salaries and benefits or any other administrative costs.

Districts have sole authority to determine how the moneys received from the EPA are spent, provided that the governing board makes these spending determinations in open session of a public meeting of the governing board. Each entity receiving funds must annually publish on its Internet web site an accounting of how much money was received from the EPA and how that money was spent. Additionally, the annual independent financial and compliance audit required of community colleges shall ascertain and verify whether the funds provided from the EPA have been properly disbursed and expended as required by law. Expenses incurred to comply with these additional audit requirements may be paid from the EPA.

NOTICING REQUIREMENTS

None is required beyond posting of this item on the agenda.

ATTACHMENT(S)

Notice of Public Hearing on Intention of Cerritos Community College District to Establish Uses of the Education Protection Account (EPA) Proceeds Resulting from Proposition 30.

Resolution 14-02 — Resolution of the Board of Trustees of Cerritos College Approving Education Protection Act (Proposition 30) Funding Uses for Cerritos College Fiscal Year 2013-14

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Details of Education Protection Account

Annual Financial and Budget Report

For Actual Year: 2013-2014

EPA Revenue

District ID: 810

12,203,234

Name: CERRITOS

TOTAL	Instructional Activities	Activity Classification			
	0100-5900	Code	Activity		
12,203,234	12,203,234	(Obj 1000-3000) (Obj 4000-5000)	Benefits	Salaries and	
0	0	(Оьј 4000-5000)	Expenses	Operating	
0	0	(ОЫ 6000)	Outlay	Capital	
12,203,234	12,203,234	Total			

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