



Office of the  
President

March 23, 2023

Dear Colleagues,

I am pleased to announce that the Board of Trustees approved the appointment of Felipe Lopez as Executive Vice President, effective March 23, 2023.

Mr. Lopez joined our team as the Vice President of Business Services/Assistant Superintendent in January 2017. Since he arrived, his expertise and over ten years of experience in California community colleges have proved to be a vital resource in implementing many campus-wide initiatives. He oversees Business Services, Fiscal Services, Facilities and Operations, Construction, Information Technology, Purchasing, Contract Management, and, more recently, Campus Police.

Mr. Lopez has also provided guidance and leadership by acting as the temporary co-Vice President of Human Resources. He serves on the District negotiation teams and oversees the Facilities and Information Technology Master Plans. He has successfully managed efforts toward ensuring housing is available for our students through the planning and constructing of The Village and our new housing project grant application.

Mr. Lopez holds a Master's in Business Administration, a Certificate in Accounting for Governmental and Nonprofit Organizations, and a Bachelor's in Business Administration with an emphasis in Accounting. He is currently working towards a doctoral degree.

I look forward to continuing our work together and continuing to serve our students. Please help me congratulate Mr. Lopez on his new role.

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