Foothill College Operations Planning Committee (OPC) Resource Request Rubric for Prioritization – DRAFT

Title of Request:		Date:
Department/Program:	Division:	Amount Requested:

Meets Minimum Requirements	Yes	No
Minimum requirements include alignment with college mission and having a completed program review (including assessment		
methods, completion and success rates) that includes the resource request.		

Criteria	High	Medium	Low
Institutional Learning Outcomes	Program mix has clear defined linkage	Program mix has somewhat defined	Program mix has limited
and Core Mission Workgroup	with student outcomes, including success,	linkage with student outcomes that	demonstrated linkage with
Objectives	persistence and retention, that facilitate	facilitate success in basic skills, transfer	student outcomes that facilitate
	success in basic skills, transfer or	or workforce goals. Request is limited	success in basic skills, transfer or
	workforce goals. Request has potential to	to specific programs or departments.	workforce goals. Request does
	reach across programs, departments,		not have potential to affect
	and/or divisions.		student outcomes beyond a
			specific segment.
Characteristics of students served	Increases student access, services, and/or	Increases student access, services,	No evidence that request will
	outcomes, including underrepresented	and/or outcomes, including among	support or address student
	student population groups, with potential	underrepresented student population	concerns, including
	to reach across programs, departments,	groups, but may be limited to specific	underrepresented student
	and/or divisions.	programs or departments.	population groups.
Accreditation and legal mandates	Required to meet laws or regulations that	Required to meet laws or regulations	No requirement to meet laws or
(inc. health and safety issues)	require particular efforts (e.g. mgmt of	with some flexibility in timeline or	regulations that require
	hazardous materials). Immediate timeline	process.	particular efforts.
	needed for implementation.		
Data enrollment trends (enrollment	Stable or increasing enrollment trends OR	Fluctuating enrollment trends without	Low or declining enrollment
and/or usage)	anticipated enrollment fluctuation with	evidence for explanation or plan.	trends. Request does not address
	evidence or plan. Request increases access	Request increases access to instruction	needs or issues regarding
	to instruction and/or services that	and/or services for students, but not	underrepresented population
	highlight or serve all students, especially	necessarily highlighting needs of	groups.
	underrepresented population groups.	underrepresented population groups.	
Productivity	High productivity trends taken in context	Consistent productivity trends taken in	Low/declining productivity trends
	of program.	context of program.	taken in context of program.
Financial stability	Evidence demonstrating severe losses in a	Losses in some funding sources for	Program will continue to be
	major funding source for critical program.	critical and noncritical programs.	funded by identifiable sources.

Organizational and operational	Evidence that major change(s) due to	Changes in responsibility due to	No change in responsibility or no
changes and needs	reorganization, new methodology is	reorganization OR operational needs	evidence demonstrating that
changes and needs	required to carry out function with	with some evidence of impact on	request is operationally
	evidence of impact on program, or	program OR flexibility/limited evidence	necessary. Program will continue
	, , ,	, ,	to be funded by identifiable
	equipment needs that are operationally	demonstrating request is operationally	,
	necessary. Evidence demonstrating severe	necessary. Losses in some funding	sources.
	losses in a major funding source for critical	sources for critical and noncritical	
	program.	programs.	
Future need	Evidence demonstrating anticipated or	Limited evidence demonstrating	No evidence demonstrating
	continuing need to will be fulfilled by	anticipated or continuing need will be	anticipating or continuing need
	request.	fulfilled by request.	will be fulfilled by request.
Other	Vital for program.	Beneficial but not necessary for	No impact on program.
		program.	
Criteria Total (add up number of			
high, medium, low indicators)			

Priority band	High, medium, or low
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Additional Comments
Rationale:
Areas needing further clarification:
Potential funding source:
Potential funding source.