



Agenda Item Details

Meeting	Aug 02, 2021 - Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees Agenda
Category	BOARD BUSINESS
Subject	12. Foothill College Accreditation Midterm Report 2021 (ACTION)
Type	Action
Recommended Action	The Foothill College administration recommends submission of the Midterm Report to the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC).

Background and Analysis:

On January 26, 2018, the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC) reaffirmed Foothill College's accreditation status. The Commission's action was based on a comprehensive review involving the peer review team's campus visit as well as their assessment of the college's institutional self-evaluation report (ISER).

As part of the 7-year accreditation cycle, Foothill College is required to submit a Midterm Report to the Commission in the fourth year midway between comprehensive evaluation visits.

The Midterm Report seeks to:

- Provide an update on improvement plans arising from the ISER
- Demonstrate how the college's ongoing planning and implementation processes are being integrated
- Address the work accomplished in response to the improvement recommendations made by the previous comprehensive peer review team
- Reflect on improvements to institutional performance (student learning outcomes and institution-set standards)
- Document the action projects from the institution's Quality Focused Essays.

The Midterm Report will be submitted to the Commission by October 15, 2021, for review. The college will be notified in early 2022 regarding the status of the report's acceptance. The Midterm Report must be reviewed by the governing board prior to its submission to the ACCJC.

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Is backup provided?	Yes

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Motion & Voting

The Foothill College administration recommends submission of the Midterm Report to the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC).

Motion by Gilbert Wong, second by Patrick Ahrens.

Final Resolution: Motion carries

Aye: Patrick Ahrens, Laura Casas, Pearl Cheng, Peter Landsberger, Gilbert Wong, Michelle Fernandez, Rachel Homayonfar