





The Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges

PRESENTED TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

DATE: July 17, 2017

SUBJECT: Foundation for California Community Colleges – Strategic Vision		Item Number: 2.6	
		Attachment: No	
CATEGORY:	Foundation for California Community Colleges	TYPE OF BOARD CONSIDERATION:	
Recommended By:	 Sandy Fried, Success Center Executive Director	Consent/Routine	
		First Reading	
Approved for Consideration:	 Eloy Oakley, Chancellor	Action	X
		Information	

ISSUE: The Board of Governors will be provided with the strategic vision report initiated by Chancellor Eloy Ortiz Oakley in January.

BACKGROUND: At the January 2017 Board of Governors meeting, Chancellor Oakley announced a process to create a long-term, ambitious vision for the California Community Colleges based on the needs of the state. The intention of this process is to establish clear goals to help guide the next phase of our system’s collective work. The strategic vision process and resulting report will address and attempt to define what the state needs from our system, what our state economy requires, how our students can help meet those needs, and how the Chancellor’s Office can support our colleges in their success. The strategic vision process and resulting report will help guide the Chancellor in identifying strategies and making decisions. In addition, the strategic vision process is intended to define a shared vision, communicate it to the public, and hold ourselves accountable for making progress toward it.

Chancellor Oakley expressed his intention to utilize our partners at the Foundation for California Community Colleges, along with their resources, to help us articulate our vision for meeting the educational and workforce needs of the state.

At the March Board meeting, Sandra Fried, Executive Director of the Success Center, provided an overview of the process that would be used to articulate the strategic vision, including the opportunities for public input and the intention to present the report to the Board at the July 2017 Board of Governors meeting.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board of Governors accept the strategic vision report as presented.