



The Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges

PRESENTED TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS
DATE: March 20, 2017

SUBJECT: Strategic Vision Process		Item Number: 3.2	
		Attachment: No	
CATEGORY:	Foundation for California Community Colleges	TYPE OF BOARD CONSIDERATION:	
Recommended By:	 Sandra Fried, Executive Director	Consent/Routine	
		First Reading	
Approved for Consideration:	 Eloy Ortiz Oakley, Chancellor	Action	
		Information	X

ISSUE: The Board of Governors will be provided with an update on the strategic vision process initiated by Chancellor Eloy Ortiz Oakley.

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 our system 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 ensure we have a shared vision, communicate it to the public, and hold ourselves accountable for making progress toward it.

Chancellor Oakley expressed his intention is to utilize our partners and their resources at the Foundation for California Community Colleges to help us articulate our vision for meeting the educational and workforce needs of the state. *(Background cont.)*

RECOMMENDATION: This item is presented to the Board for information and discussion.

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Since the January Board meeting, the Foundation for California Community Colleges has worked to develop the process that will be used to articulate the strategic vision. During this board item, Sandra Fried, Executive Director of the Success Center, and other representatives from the Foundation for California Community Colleges will provide an overview of the upcoming process, opportunities for public input, and timeline. A report summarizing the strategic vision and associated recommendations will be presented at the July 2017 Board of Governors meeting.