



Cabrillo Community College District

### **Agenda Item Details**

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Meeting	Mar 06, 2017 - Board of Trustees Meeting
Category	H. Action Items (6:45pm)
Subject	1. Resolution 008-17 Cabrillo College Resolution In Support of Undocumented, Vulnerable, and Targeted Students
Type	Action, Laurel Jones
Recommended Action	It is recommended that the Governing Board approve the final draft of Resolution 008-17.

### **BACKGROUND:**

Based on continued recommendations made during the public comment at the February 6, 2017 Board Meeting and follow-up direction from the Board of Trustees this is the final draft of Resolution 008-17. Direction from the Board included all of the attached documents; Board policy and campus procedure for resource requests; current available resources on campus for vulnerable/DACA/targeted students; a list of known County resources available for vulnerable/DACA/targeted students.

### **CABRILLO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD RESOLUTION #008-17 In Support of Undocumented, Vulnerable, and Targeted Students**

**WHEREAS**, The Board of Trustees is committed to the success of every student, including undocumented and other vulnerable students, and our District mission includes the creation of a supportive learning environment that challenges and enables students to achieve their highest potential, *and*

**WHEREAS**, Our core Community College System values are noted in the statewide Community College values:

- "All people have the opportunity to reach their full educational potential."
- "The Colleges embrace diversity in all its forms."
- "All people have the right to access quality higher education.", *and*

That public schools are the foundation of our democracy, that every person has intrinsic worth, that as a College and part of our public school system, we believe in treating people with dignity and respect, that high standards and expectations foster greater achievement, that each of us shares responsibility for the welfare of our community, that diversity is an asset in our community, that honesty and integrity are essential in building relationships, that schools must provide access and equity, that people thrive in safe environments, *and*

**WHEREAS**, The Board believes that the physical safety and the emotional well-being of all students, including undocumented and other vulnerable students in the District, and ensuring that our schools are safe and welcoming for all students is paramount to students being able to achieve, and Cabrillo College does not tolerate any form of discrimination, harassment or bullying as outlined in Board Policy 3430, *and*

**WHEREAS**, The California Community Colleges, the University of California, and the California State University systems have issued a joint statement defending the right of all students to obtain a higher education in California and urging the continuance of the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) Program in order to, "allow these young people to continue to pursue a college education and contribute to their communities and the nation;" *and*

**WHEREAS,** The Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges has passed a Resolution In Support of Undocumented Students (2017-01), reaffirming that the Chancellor's Office will not release any personally identifiable student information, including data related to immigration status, without a judicial warrant, subpoena, or court order unless authorized by law, and will not cooperate with any federal effort to create a registry of individuals based on any protected characteristics such as religion, national origin, race, or sexual orientation; *and*

**WHEREAS,** The Chancellor's Office and Cabrillo College together stand with the undocumented members of the California Community College community, including students, faculty, staff, and administrators, and reaffirms the following principles:

- The California Community Colleges are open to all students who meet the minimum requirements for admission, regardless of immigration status.
- The Chancellor's Office and Cabrillo College will continue to advocate for educational opportunities for all students in the Community College System, regardless of immigration status, at the state and federal level.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT** Consistent with the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges Resolution 2017-01, Cabrillo College will not release any personally identifiable student information, including data related to immigration status, without a judicial warrant, subpoena, or court order unless authorized by the student or required by law, *and*

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** Consistent with the California Community Colleges Board of Governors Resolution 2017-01, Cabrillo College will not cooperate with any federal effort to create a registry of individuals based on any protected characteristics such as religion, national origin, race, or sexual orientation, *and*

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** The Cabrillo Community College District agrees that the campus Sheriff's department should not detain, question, or arrest any individual solely on the basis of (suspected) undocumented immigration status, *and*

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** Because the following actions support the "physical safety and emotional well-being of undocumented and other targeted students" and Cabrillo's commitment to equity and diversity, and are consistent with the Webinar information provided by Liebert, Cassidy, Whitmore Law Firm (January, 10, 2017), and the Board of Governors Resolution No. 2017-01 (2017), Cabrillo College commits to continuing existing activities that support the services for undocumented and targeted students and to communicate other information about services outside of Cabrillo College that may also support these students, *and*

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** That the Governing Board of Cabrillo College goes on record in support of all immigrant, undocumented, vulnerable, and targeted students and their families, *and*

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** That the Governing Board of Cabrillo College and the President, faculty, and staff will continue to work every day to create a positive school climate and culture where every student respected as a valued member of the school community, *and*

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** That the Governing Board of Cabrillo College will advocate on behalf of the rights of all students as part of both the statewide Community College System's commitment and the partnership commitments amongst our public K-12 and higher educational institutions.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chairperson of the Board

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary to the Board

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[Program Plan Process.pdf \(911 KB\)](#)

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