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Cabrillo College Hosts Santa Cruz County Wide School Board Meeting February 24

Keynote Speaker is Dr. Michael Kirst, President, California State Board of Education

APTOS, CA —As an initiative of the Santa Cruz County College Commitment (S4C), Cabrillo College will host a special, Santa Cruz County wide School Board meeting on Friday, February 24 from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. The meeting will include the Santa Cruz County Office of Education (COE), superintendents and trustees representing each of the Santa Cruz County school districts, and administrators from Cabrillo College, CSU Monterey Bay, and UC Santa Cruz. The event will take place at the Horticulture Center at the top of the Cabrillo College Aptos Campus, 6500 Soquel Drive, Aptos, CA.

The meeting's keynote speaker will be Dr. Michael Kirst, President of the California State Board of Education. Dr. Kirst will speak about the 'Common Core' and how the alignment of K-12 curriculum with college curriculum is a major contributor to student success outcomes.

The Santa Cruz County College Commitment (S4C) is a historic, countywide partnership of public, K-12 and higher education institutions formed with the goal of increasing the college readiness and success of every student in Santa Cruz County.

Members of the Santa Cruz County community are invited to attend this event and are encouraged to RSVP to the Cabrillo College Office of the President, by calling (831) 479-6302 or by e-mailing dohansen@cabrillo.edu.

About Cabrillo College

Cabrillo College is a leading California community college serving Santa Cruz County with locations in Aptos, Scotts Valley and Watsonville. It is ranked #1 in transfers to UC Santa Cruz. Founded in 1959, the college offers over 100 academic and career technical education programs that serve multiple educational goals such as A.A. and A.S. degrees, certificates of achievement, skills certificates, transfer to 4-year institutions or for lifelong learning and personal enrichment. Cabrillo College is a dynamic, diverse and responsive educational community that is dedicated to helping all students achieve their academic, career, and personal development goals.

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