February 18, 2022

Dana M. Young
President
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Dear President Young:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) at its meeting on January 18-20, 2022, concerning the Fall 2021 Mid-Cycle Review of Treasure Valley Community College.

Accreditation

Accept the Report

Status of Previous Recommendations Addressed in this Evaluation

- Recommendation 1: Spring 2020 Ad Hoc Report with Visit - Continued as Non-Compliant and revised to Recommendation 1: Fall 2021 Mid-Cycle Review
- Recommendation 2: Spring 2020 Ad Hoc Report with Visit - Continued as Needs Improvement and revised to Recommendation 2: Fall 2021 Mid-Cycle Review
- Recommendation 4: Fall 2018 Mission Fulfillment and Sustainability - Fulfilled
- Recommendation 5: Fall 2018 Mission Fulfillment and Sustainability - Fulfilled

Recommendations Substantially in Compliance but in Need of Improvement

The Commission recommends that Treasure Valley Community College:

- Recommendation 2: Fall 2021 Mid-Cycle Review - Demonstrate an ongoing and systematic planning process that informs and refines institutional effectiveness efforts, assigns resources, and improves student learning and achievement. (2020 Standard(s) 1.B.1)

Recommendations Out of Compliance

The Commission finds that the following Recommendations are areas where Treasure Valley Community College is out of compliance with the NWCCU Standards for Accreditation. The Commission has extended the timeline to come into compliance until Spring 2023 for good cause.

The Commission recommends that Treasure Valley Community College:

- Recommendation 1: Fall 2021 Mid-Cycle Review - Develop an effective system of assessment of student learning at the course, program, and degree level to evaluate the quality of student learning; and use the results of its assessment of student learning to inform academic and learning-support planning to demonstrate continuous improvement of student learning. (2020 Standard(s) 1.C.5;1.C.7)

Future Evaluations

- Ad Hoc Report Spring 2023

    - Recommendation 1: Fall 2021 Mid-Cycle Review
    - Recommendation 2: Fall 2021 Mid-Cycle Review
- Year 6 - Standard 2 - Policies, Regulations, and Financial Review Fall 2024
- Year 7 - Evaluation of Institutional Effectiveness Fall 2025

NWCCU is committed to an accreditation process that adds value to institutions while contributing to public accountability, and we thank you for your continued support of this process. If you have questions about any of the information in this letter, please contact your staff liaison, Dr. Selena Grace, at sgrace@nwccu.org.

Sincerely,

Sonny Ramaswamy
President

cc: Mr. David Koehler, Dean of Career & Technical Education
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