

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
County of Cook and State of Illinois

RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
CITY COLLEGES OF CHICAGO

REPORTS

THE CHANCELLOR

that proposals, contracts, and other special funding instruments are under development or have been submitted by staff at this time.

NEW PROPOSALS OR GRANTS

HIV/AIDS Prevention Project (PD# 070901)

The Illinois Department of Public Health has made an award of \$25,000 to the District to support training and other activities which will contribute to HIV/AIDS prevention. The performance period for this award is from January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007.

Employer Training Investment (PD# 070903)

Truman College has received a grant for \$150,000 from the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Security under the Employer Training Investment program. This award will match the contributions of local companies to provide support for the training of employees. The performance period for this project is from July 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007.

Women in Nanotechnology (PD# 070904)

Truman College has received an award of \$5,000 from the US Department of Labor's Women's Bureau to raise awareness of nanotechnology careers for at least 12 women who are community college students. The project includes field trips, scholarships, e-mentoring and an opportunity to compete for \$500 scholarships. The performance period for this project is from August 17, 2007 through June 30, 2008.

CONTINUATION PROJECTS

Exploring New Models for Authentic Undergraduate Research with Two-Year College Students (PD# 060616)

Harold Washington College has received notification from the National

Science Foundation of funding of the second year of this project, for \$500,000, to support the collaborative effort which links ten 2-year colleges with research institutions in the Chicago area to support productive research experiences for students. The total cumulative award is now \$1,200,000 and the new expiration date is September 30, 2008.

Physician Assistant Training Grant (PD# 050904-YR3)

Malcolm X College has been awarded \$214,679 by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services for the third year of a three year grant project which will support the PA program at Malcolm X. The project will support recruitment efforts, retention strategies, faculty development activities and the upgrade of technology systems for enhancing the curriculum and improving the administration of the physician assistant program at Malcolm X. The second year of funding begins July 1, 2007 and ends June 30, 2008.

APA/NIGMS Grant Project - Year 3 (PD# 070902)

Truman's grant request for "Developing Minority Research Talent in Psychology" has been renewed for funding of \$30,000 by NIGMS, of the American Psychological Association. These funds are to be used for the development and support of activities and/or programs initiated by Truman including staff assessment and development. The grant period for this project is from 6/20/2007 thru 6/30/2008.

AMENDMENTS

GEAR-UP EXTENSION (PD# 070104)

Northeastern Illinois University has awarded an increase of \$15,349 to the continuation subcontract of \$177,602 to Truman College to support efforts to better align standards from high school to college and to improve readiness for college. The project will provide services which increase the proportion of students who leave high school prepared for college. The performance period for this extension of the project is from Sept. 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees approve acceptance of any gifts, grants or other funding which may be forthcoming from these proposals and authorize the Chancellor, the Executive Vice Chancellor, or the District Director for Grants and Contracts to serve as *authorized representative* or *official representative*

of the District in the submission of proposals for funding and to execute all documents for the acceptance of this funding or these gifts and the operation of the funded projects; said acceptance to be subject to the terms and conditions set forth by the grantor, and said funds not to be expended by the Board for any other purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

September 6, 2007