

**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 (Total Value - \$ 1,790.941)**

**NACCE Elevator Grant (PD# 090201)**

Truman College has been awarded \$7,500 from the National Association for Community College Entrepreneurship (NACCE). The funds, which actually come from the Coleman Foundation and the John E. and Jeanne T. Hughes Charitable Foundation, will support an "Elevator Grant", which resulted from a competition which involved describing a new business venture in a three-minute pitch that could be given to a potential investor during an elevator ride. Truman's proposal involves developing an entrepreneurship program in family child care. The performance period for this project is from January 7, 2009 through December 31, 2010.

**Introduction to Healthcare Careers ESL (PD# 090202)**

Jewish Vocational Services has received an award of \$60,000 from the Illinois Community College Board for a curriculum development project. Truman College will receive a subcontract of \$5,000 to develop a low intermediate adult education introductory bridge program using contextualized curriculum for ESL students with an interest in the healthcare sector. The performance period for this project is from December 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009.

**Sam's Club Community Grant (PD# 090205)** Truman College has submitted a proposal for \$2,000 for general educational support (equipment, supplies and other needs) to the Sam's Club Foundation. The performance period for this project is from November 11, 2008 through November 30, 2010.

**Regional Healthcare Capacity Initiative (PD# 090206)**

Malcolm X College has been notified that they will receive an award for \$1,632,021 from the US Department of Labor. The award is a Community Based Job Training Grant (CBJTG) and will allow the college to increase the

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preparation of healthcare workers (identified as a critical skills shortage area). The performance period for this award is from January 4, 2009 through December 31, 2011.

#### **Bridging the Digital Divide (PD# 090207)**

Daley College has submitted a proposal for \$71,000 to the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity for a technology bridge program to train an entry level Hispanic technology workforce to serve the growing technology needs of the Pilsen and Little Village communities. The performance period for this project is from September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2010.

#### **Digital Divide Grant (PD# 090209)**

Olive Harvey College has submitted a proposal for \$71,920 to the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity for a program to replace outdated equipment to provide increased access to community members who are not currently enrolled in classes. The performance period for this project is from July 1, 2009 through June 31, 2010.

#### **Special Populations Professional Development and Technical Assistance Project (PD# 090208)**

Olive Harvey College has received a subaward of \$1,500 from Illinois State University, using a grant from The Illinois Community College Board for a program which intends to recruit and support male students as they complete community college programs and transfer to university programs in the field of nursing. The performance period for the subaward is from October 1, 2008 through June 20, 2009.

### **CONTINUING AWARDS (Total Value - \$1,047,569)**

#### **Bridges to the Baccalaureate: Center for Science Success (PD# 061002-yr3)**

The District Office has received funding for a continuation project from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services for \$187,509 for the third year of the three year continuation. The project prepares and supports minority students from Washington, Olive-Harvey and Truman Colleges for transition to biomedical programs at the University of Illinois at Chicago. The performance period for the three year project is from September 1, 2006 to August 31, 2009. The third year project includes a subcontract to the University of Illinois at

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Chicago for \$63,447 (\$58,747 - direct costs and \$4,700 - indirect costs).

**Fiscal Year 2009 Total Grants to Districts**

The Illinois Community College Board has announced its FY '09 annual awards to Districts based on the Governor's Final Action. The City Colleges of Chicago will receive \$54,587,804 which includes:

• <b>Workforce Development Grant (PD # 090203)</b>	<b>\$233,460</b>
• <b>Retirees Health Insurance Grant (PD# 090204)</b>	<b>\$626,600</b>

The remainder of this award is comprised of the Credit Hour Grant (\$38,314,659), Square Footage Grant (\$413,085) and the Additional Grant (\$15,000,000).

**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 Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, 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

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