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**ADOPTED - BOARD OF TRUSTEES COMMUNITY COLLEGE
DISTRICT NO. 508
DECEMBER 7, 2012**

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS**

RESOLUTION

**APPLICATION FOR NEW PROGRAM
COLLISION TECHNOLOGY
ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE (A.A.S.)
KENNEDY-KING COLLEGE**

WHEREAS, new educational programs require approval of the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508 and the Illinois Community College Board (ICCB);

WHEREAS, an application for approval of a new program, Collision Technology, Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) at Kennedy-King College, has been received and appropriately reviewed for submission;

WHEREAS, the Collision Technology program is designed to meet the needs of today's high tech and fast paced industry. Students use computers to write estimates, diagnose frame and unibody damage and mix paint. The core of the program relies on fundamental repair skills, such as metal straightening, body filler application and sanding of different substrates; and

WHEREAS, students gain experience on both mild and high strength steel welding using Metal Inert Gas (MIG) welding standards set by the industry. They repair or replace composite and plastic parts using the latest equipment and procedures and replace structural parts, cosmetic panels, and operating frame and unibody repair equipment on late model collision vehicles. Solvent based paint as well as waterborne paint products are used to demonstrate and complete mock projects and live customer repairs with a continual focus on personal safety, awareness of the environment, diversity, staying current with our business partners and student satisfaction;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, hereby approves the submission of this program for permanent approval by the Illinois Community College Board.

December 7, 2012 – Office of Academic Affairs