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

RESOLUTION
APPLICATION FOR NEW PROGRAMS

AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY
ASSOCIATE APPLIED SCIENCE (A.A.S.)
ADVANCE CERTIFICATE (A.C.)
BASIC CERTIFICATES (B.C.)
OLIVE-HARVEY COLLEGE
OFFICE OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

WHEREAS, new educational programs require approval of the Board of Trustees of Community College District 508, the Illinois Community College Board (ICCB) and the Illinois Board of Higher Education (IBHE);

WHEREAS, an application for approval for this new program, Automotive Technology, A.A.S., A.C., and B.C., and Automotive Chassis Maintenance (B.C.), Automotive Fuel Management Technology (B.C.) and Automotive Maintenance (B.C) at Olive-Harvey College, has been received and has been appropriately reviewed for submission; and

WHEREAS, the industry for automotive technology includes multiple career paths and employment opportunities, which include, occupations such as service writer, warranty writer, parts manager, service manager and maintenance technician, and automotive mechanic. Overall, there is approximately an 11% industry growth projection. As new vehicles are added to the transportation sector, automotive and service technicians will be needed to maintain and repair vehicles that used roadways daily. This program is designed to provide students with the instructional training needed for entry-level through management employment opportunities as well as articulate to four-year institutions, allowing students to obtain advanced degrees.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Community College District No 508, Cook County and State of Illinois, hereby approves the submission of these programs for permanent approval by the Illinois Community College Board and Illinois Board of Higher Education.

May 7, 2015 – Office of Academic Affairs