# 2015-16 Budget Workshop

#### **Compton Community College District**

Board Meeting
April 28, 2015
Presented by Felipe Lopez, Chief Business Officer

#### Agenda

- Governor's Budget Proposal
- 2015-16 Overarching Priorities
- 2015-16 Preliminary Budget Assumptions

- \$200M for student success These funds will be split evenly between Student Success and Support Program (SSSP) and Student Equity Plans.
  - Student Success and Equity Funding augmentation of approximately \$1.0 million

- \$92.4M for COLA This would fund the statutory cost-of-living-adjustment of 1.58%.
  - COLA for Compton is approximately \$446,000. However, the statutory COLA for 2015-2016 is likely to be lower than the 1.58% contained in the Governor's January budget proposal, according to preliminary data from the U.S. Department of Commerce.

- \$125M to increase base allocation funding This increase is intended to ease the constrained discretionary funding environment colleges have experienced since the economic
  - Increase is approximately \$630,000 for increase operating expenses, including annual pension benefit expense increases (PERS/STRS), retirement benefits, professional development, facilities, and other general operating expenses.

- \$353.3M to pay down outstanding mandates— These one-time funds would be allocated on a per-FTES basis.
  - One-time funding is approximately \$1.8M for deferred maintenance, instructional equipment, mandated claims, and other one-time costs.

- \$94.5M to retire deferrals—Legislation passed concurrently with the 2014 Budget Act identified deferrals as the first call on any new current year Proposition 98 expenditures.
  - One-time funding would eliminate all apportionment deferrals.

- \$39.6M for Prop 39—These funds support projects and workforce development related to energy sustainability, consistent with the provisions of Proposition 39.
  - Funding is approximately \$202,000 used to improve interior lighting.

# **Budget Proposal Cautions and Concerns**

- Although the budget is positive news, we must note that increases in the STRS/PERS employer. contribution rates will impact our general fund budget.
- Proposition 30 is temporary and will begin phasing out in 2017.
- We have significant OPEB liabilities we must address.

- 1. Increase Student Enrollment by 5%
  - (Strategic Initiative − A, B, D, E, F)
- 2. Support El Camino College Compton Center Accreditation
  - (Strategic Initiative -A, B, C, D, E, F)

- 3. Ensure the Student Success activities are coordinated & support the Compton Center Institutional Effectiveness Outcomes
  - (Strategic Initiative -A, B, D, E)
- 4. Develop and enhance partnerships with schools, colleges, universities, businesses, and community-based organizations to respond to the educational, workforce training, and economic development
  - (Strategic Initiative D)

- 5. Continue to implement the Planning & Budget Process
  - (Strategic Initiative − A, B, E, F)
- 6. Improve facilities to support student learning and success
  - (Strategic Initiative -A, B, E, F)

- 7. Enhance communication with students, employees, and the community
  - (Strategic Initiative B, C, D)
- 8. Support Professional Development opportunities for employees
  - (Strategic Initiative C)

- Unaudited beginning fund balance \$8.2M
- Estimated State Apportionment \$31.9M
  - \$21.5M State Revenues
  - \$5.5M Prop 30 (EPA)
  - \$4.1M Property Taxes
  - \$855K Enrollment Fees

- Prop 30 (EPA Funds) to be spent on instructional salaries only
- Revenues based on 6,060 FTES
- Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) of 1.58% or \$73.88 per credit FTES

- Increase employee retirement systems
  - CalSTRS from 8.88% to 10.73,
  - CalPERS from 11.771% to 12.600%
- One-Time Augmentations/Enhancements \$350K
  - Enrollment Management Plan (\$100K)
  - One-Time Planning Allocations (\$50K)
  - Site Improvement Cosmetology (\$200K)

- No new employee positions
- Line of credit debt payment \$1.3M
- Police Services Contract \$1.4M
- OPEB Contribution \$250K
- Transfers for Property & Liability Fund \$396K

#### **Questions & Discussions**