



**ACCREDITING COMMISSION for COMMUNITY and JUNIOR COLLEGES**  
*Western Association of Schools and Colleges*

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CORRECTED LETTER

Dr. Sandra Mayo  
President  
Moreno Valley College  
16130 Lasselle Street  
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Dear President Mayo:

The Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, at its meeting January 6-8, 2016, reviewed the Institutional Follow-Up Report submitted by Moreno Valley College, evidentiary materials also submitted, and the Report prepared by the evaluation team that visited November 4-5, 2015. College leadership, including the president of the governing board and the college president, certified the College's Report. The purpose of the Commission's review was to determine whether the College has resolved deficiencies noted during the spring 2014 comprehensive review and now meets Eligibility Requirements, Accreditation Standards and Commission policies (hereafter called standards).

After considering all of the written material noted above, the Commission found that Moreno Valley College has addressed District Recommendations 1 and 2 and College Recommendations 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 from the spring 2014 comprehensive evaluation, resolved the deficiencies, and meets standards. The Commission encourages the institution to ensure it sustains the work done to meet standards.

The Commission also acted to require the Moreno Valley College to submit a Follow-Up Report by **March 15, 2017**. The Report must demonstrate that the deficiency noted for Standard II.A.2.e from College Recommendation 4 has been addressed and that the college meets the Standard. The deficiency in meeting this Standard were first noted in the July 3, 2014 Commission letter detailing its actions following the college's comprehensive evaluation. As per U.S. Department of Education regulations, accreditors are required to ensure that member institutions address deficiencies and meet the standards within the time allocated, not to exceed two years. When appropriate, as in this case, the Commission may act to extend a good cause extension for a certain period of time. The institution has recognized the need to update 164 course outlines of record in career and technical education. The institution has allocated faculty time and has engaged in work to update its course outlines of record; the additional time provided, to March 15, 2017, is warranted for the college to complete the remaining work and ensure there is a continuous cycle of review moving forward.

Dr. Sandra Mayo  
Moreno Valley College  
February 5, 2016

#### **Recommendation 4**

In order to meet the Standard, the team recommends that course outlines of record for CTE courses be made current and a process be developed to ensure a continuous cycle of review for relevance, appropriateness, and currency. (Standard II.A.2.e)

The Commission requires that you give the Follow-Up Report, the External Evaluation Team Report, and this letter appropriate dissemination to your College staff and to those who were signatories of your Follow-Up Report. This group should include the chancellor, campus leadership, and the Board of Trustees. The Commission also requires that the College make these documents available to all campus constituencies and the public by placing a copy on the college website.

Please note that in response to public interest in accreditation, the Commission requires institutions to post accreditation information on a page no more than one click from the institution's home page.

The Commission reminds Moreno Valley College that it must also submit a Midterm Report by **March 15, 2017**.

The Commission encourages the College's continued work to ensure educational quality and to support student success. Accreditation and peer review are most effective when the college and the ACCJC work together to encourage continuous quality improvement in higher education. Thank you for sharing the values and the work of accreditation.

If you should have any questions concerning this letter or the Commission action, please don't hesitate to contact me or one of the ACCJC Vice Presidents. We'd be glad to help you.

Sincerely,



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President

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cc: Dr. Michael Burke, Chancellor, Riverside Community College District

<sup>1</sup> Institutions preparing and submitting Midterm Reports, Follow-Up Reports, and Special Reports to the Commission should review *Guidelines for the Preparation of Reports to the Commission* found on the ACCJC website at: (<http://www.accjc.org/college-reports-accjc>).