



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

Barbara A. Beno, President
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February 5, 2016

Dr. Dena Maloney
Superintendent/President
El Camino College
16007 Crenshaw Boulevard
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Dear President Maloney:

The Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, at its meeting January 6-8, 2016, reviewed the Follow-Up Report submitted by El Camino College, evidentiary materials also submitted, and the Follow-Up Visit Evaluation Team Report prepared by the evaluation team that visited on October 29, 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 is to determine whether the College has resolved deficiencies noted during the fall 2014 comprehensive review and meets Eligibility Requirements, Accreditation Standards and Commission policies (hereafter called standards).

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

The Commission requires that you give the Follow-Up Report, the Follow-Up Visit 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 campus leadership and the governing board. The Commission requires these documents be made 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 El Camino College that its next scheduled report is the College Midterm Report due by **March 15, 2017**.¹

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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,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara A. Beno".

Barbara A. Beno, Ph.D.
President

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¹ 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>).