PPCC – CRRSAA Student Grants Report

Information as of July 9, 2021 - Final Report

Higher Education Emergency Relief (HEER) Fund Reporting Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students

1. Certification and Agreement for CRRSAA Funds

Pikes Peak Community College acknowledges that they have signed and returned the official Certification and Agreement for CARES Act funds to the US Department of Education – which serves as formal acknowledgement and acceptance of subsequently awarded Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA) funds. The College will disburse no less than \$3,771,889 for student scholarships – this represents the entirety of funds awarded to PPCC for use for student scholarships.

2. Total Funds Received

Pikes Peak Community College has received \$3,771,889 in total funds pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.

3. Amount of Grants Awarded

The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants awarded to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CRRSAA Act as of July 9, 2021 is \$3,771,889. The amount of funds that have been disbursed to students is \$3,771,889.

4. Eligible Students

The estimated total number of students at Pikes Peak Community College eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of CRRSAA is 16,911.

5. Number of Grants Awarded

Pikes Peak Community College has awarded 3,772 students grants under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CRRSAA. Of those students, 3,772 have received their funds.

6. Disbursement Plan

Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act Pikes Peak Community College Plan for Disbursement of \$3,771,889 in Direct Student Aid

Methods used for selection of students include first determining eligibility:

If students are eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, they can also receive CRRSAA funds.

Spring 2021 Momentum Scholarships

Target Group: (student groups will be included in phases depending on availability of funds)

- Phase 1 Those students enrolled spring 2021, who submitted a FAFSA, are PELL grant eligible, and who are currently in good standing.
- Phase 2 Those students enrolled spring 2021, and who are currently in good standing.

Award: \$1,000 scholarships available for enrollment in Spring term

Qualifying Students: All PPCC students currently enrolled for the Spring 2021 semester.

Outreach Method: Email, with form indicating need, sent to student group identified above.

Disbursement: Aid posted to student account, processed through student accounts (this

scholarship would not impact other aid)
Amount Awarded: Total of \$3,771,889

Number of Awards: 3,772

Number of Awards Disbursed: 3,772 Percent of Total Funds Received: 100%

All award amounts were selected and approved by PPCC's President and Leadership Council.

7. Communication

Information contained in item 6 was communicated to all currently enrolled PPCC students on February 1, 2021 by the College President, Dr. Lance Bolton.

Student inquiries about emergency relief funds can be directed to ombuds@ppcc.edu

Student inquiries about momentum scholarships can be directed to financialaid@ppcc.edu