



Wharton County Junior College

Proposed Agenda Item Board of Trustees Meeting

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Date of Board Meeting: 7-17-18

Date of This Proposal: 07/01/2018

SUBJECT (item as it will appear on agenda):

State & Federal Funding for Adult Education and Literacy Program

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the state and federal grant funds from Houston Galveston Area Council for the AEL program.

BACKGROUND/RATIONALE:

The Adult Education and Literacy (AEL) grant funds federally-supported Adult Education and Literacy and Integrated Education and Training programs. The AEL program offers services including English as a Second Language (ESL), High School Equivalency (HSE), Integrated Education and Training (IET), Civics Education, and Workforce Training within the service area assigned to WCJC by Houston Galveston Area Council (H-GAC). The service area includes Austin, Colorado, Fort Bend, Matagorda, Waller, and Wharton counties. These grant funds cover the current fiscal year 2018-2019.

Estimated Cost and Budgetary Support (how will this be paid for?): \$750,000

RESOURCE PERSON(S) [name(s) and title(s)]:

Tara Zekavat, Director of Adult Education and Literacy (AEL)

SIGNATURES:

Originator

7-6-2018

Date

Cabinet-Level Supervisor

7-9-18

Date

PRESIDENT'S APPROVAL:

7-12-18