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Required Web-based Report for HEERF Student Aid: December 31, 2021

HVCC has distributed \$8,749,898.45 under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act as of December 31, 2021.

HVCC has determined for spring 2020 3,423 students at the institution were eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 and thus eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act. For Fall 2020 3,753 students at the institutional were eligible to participate. For Spring 2021 2,170 students were determined to be eligible to receive a CCRSAA disbursement. For Fall 2021 3,388 students were determined to be eligible to receive a ARP disbursement.

3879 students have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act as of 12/31/2021. An additional 2,167 students received a CCRSAA disbursement as of 12/31/2021. 3,388 students received an ARP disbursement as of 12/31/2021.

HVCC has prioritized awarding of Emergency Financial Aid Grants to its students in the following manner (methodology):

Phase 1: Following Department of Education guidance eligible HVCC students include those who were enrolled in credit-bearing courses (and not exclusively online at the time of the outbreak) at the College during the Spring 2020 semester, have filed a 2019/2020 FAFSA, and are deemed to be eligible for federal student aid.

Students will need to submit an application for emergency funds which will require them to detail what expenditures related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus they are seeking funds for.

Applications received by the Priority Deadline of June 19 will be reviewed and separated into two priority categories. Priority 1 students are students with Pell eligible EFC's and have the greatest documented need. They will be awarded up to \$750.00 initially. Priority 2 students are all other eligible students. They will be awarded up to \$750.00 if funding remains after Priority 1 awards are made.

After the June 19 deadline, remaining funding will be evaluated and additional applications may be funded or additional funding may be granted up to a student's full request, up to a \$6,195 maximum.

Phase 2: The original awarding plan (Phase 1) was implemented as designed, providing all eligible students the opportunity to apply for funding through HEERF by a priority deadline. The number of applications received was significantly lower than expected, resulting in disbursements well below the allocated amount.

Phase 2 was designed to more effectively provide funds to impacted students while still meeting the intent of the funds and prioritizing the designated students. The \$750.00 initial payment limit was been

removed for Phase 2 as well as the Priority determinations used in Phase1. Funds from Phase 2 were awarded based on eligibility and amount for impacted students in addition to anything awarded from Phase 1 up to the \$6,195.00 maximum per student.

Students in PHASE 2 would include any eligible student enrolled in a semester starting spring 2020 or later who has not yet reached the maximum award amount of \$6,195.00. SUNY campuses have discretion with regard to this determination for students attending their campuses. All HVCC students have been impacted in some way by the change to remote/distance education. Selected recipients of funds will be required to complete and sign an online application to certify they understand that the funds can only be used for certain expenses incurred due to the disruption of on campus courses related to COVID.

Phase 3: For the Fall 2020 had 3,262 students eligible for CARES funding who have been impacted by the continued disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus who had not yet received any CARES funding. As there were funds remaining, and to allow for all eligible students to receive an award, part-time students (scheduled in 1-11 credit hours) were awarded \$50.00 and full-time students (scheduled in 12+ credit hours) were award \$100.00. An e-mail was sent to these students indicating what allowable expenses are for the funds.

Under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act, students received awards ranging from \$50 to \$6,195 as of 12/31/2021.

CCRSAA funds: The college received additional funds for students under the CCRSAA program. Per guidance issued by the State University of New York (SUNY) the college disbursed 97% of funds to 2,166 students that ranged in amount from \$499.50 to \$1,332.00 depending on EFC level and part-time or full-time enrollment status. The remaining 3% of funds was set aside to be used for discretionary funding for students with exceptional need, of which 1 student was disbursed funds for \$4,300.00 as of 12/31/2021.

Student Award Chart: Award Amount Per EFC Range and FT/PT Status

<i>Student Award Chart</i>				
	100% EFC Range 0 -1,500	75% EFC Range 1,501 - 2,900	50% EFC Range 2,901 - 4,300	25% EFC Range 4,301 -5,711
FT Students Awards	\$1,332.00	\$1,165.50	\$999.00	\$832.50
PT Student Awards	\$999.00	\$832.50	\$666.00	\$499.50

ARP Funds: The college received additional funds for students under the ARP program. Per guidance issued by SUNY the college disbursed roughly 40% of funds to 3,388 students that ranged in amount from \$431.63 to \$1,294.88 depending on EFC level and part-time or full-time enrollment status.

Approximately 40% of funds are being reserved for Spring 2022 eligible students and 20% to be used for discretionary funding for students with exceptional need.

Fall 2021 Student Award Chart					
Award Amount Per EFC Range and FT/PT Status					
	125%	100%	75%	50%	25%
	EFC Range 0 - 2,923	EFC Range 2,924 - 5,846	EFC Range 5,847 - 8,769	EFC Range 8,770 - 11,692	EFC Range 11,693 - 14,615
FT Student Awards	\$ 1,294.88	\$ 1,151.00	\$ 1,007.13	\$ 863.25	\$ 719.38
PT Student Awards	\$ 1,007.13	\$ 863.25	\$ 719.38	\$ 575.50	\$ 431.63

Funding is available to eligible students impacted by the disruption of Campus Operations due to coronavirus. Allowable expenditures include food, housing, course materials, technology, health care and childcare.

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