AGENDA

I. BUDGET & POLICY ISSUES

BUDGET: TACC/CCATT/TCCTA Funding Ask and State Budget Projections

DUAL CREDIT STRATEGIES (Conversation on research and expected bills)
  • TACC / TASA Dual Credit Workgroup Recommendations
  • Rand Study – Early analysis, March 2017; final report, fall 2018
  • TACC / UT System Dual Credit Statewide Committee
  • Senator Bettencourt’s Proposal and Other Expected Bills

II. CONVERSATION WITH CHAIRMAN TRENT ASHBY – 3pm

- Continuing Education Proposal
- State Funding Outlook

III. SALIENT INTRODUCED AND PENDING BILLS

• SB 2 (Property Tax Reforms)
• Credit Transfer Proposals
• Pathways, Co-Requisite
• TEOG Proposal
• Non-citizen residents (Dreamers)
• ERS/TRS Petition Fix
• Baccalaureate Authorization Bills

IV. GRASSROOTS STRATEGY

• Review of Regional Briefings and Individual Meetings
• Review of Meetings with Leadership (Governor, Lt. Governor, and Speaker)
• Senate and House Staff Briefings

V. JACC-PAC FALL 2016 REPORT

VI. ADVOCACY MATERIALS

• Funding Ask and Legislative Priorities handouts
• Fact Sheets: Review of the Paper Series (What are we missing?)
• TACC/TACCM Communications Strategy and Texas Tribune Playbook
RELEVANT MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Jan. 26: THECB Quarterly Meeting – possible agenda item on new community college
Jan. 26-27: Texas Community College Attorneys Conference – Panel discussion on Session
Jan. 29: TASA Mid-Winter Conference – Panel discussion on Dual Credit
Feb. 6-7: TACC/CCATT Legislative Luncheon, Advocacy 101 Workshop, and Community College Day at the Capitol
Feb. 23-25: Texas Community College Teachers Association