

## **ACCREDITING COMMISSION for COMMUNITY and JUNIOR COLLEGES**

## Western Association of Schools and Colleges

Barbara A. Beno, President Susan S. Kazama, Chair

May 20, 2016

Dr. Kimberlee Messina Interim President Foothill College 12345 El Monte Road Los Altos Hills, CA 94022

Dear President Messina:

The Committee on Substantive Change of the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges met May 3-4, 2016 to review the Substantive Change Proposal from Foothill College for:

 Relocation of Middlefield Center to the Sunnyvale Center, 1070 Innovation Way, Sunnyvale CA 94089.

The Committee acted to approve the substantive change. The new Sunnyvale Center will require a site visit of Commission representatives within six months of operation. Please contact me to schedule the site visit.

On behalf of the Commission, I wish to express appreciation for the work that the College undertook to prepare this Application for Substantive Change. 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 support 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. We'd be glad to help you.

Sincerely.

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