

October 18, 2010

MEMORANDUM

TO:

District Board of Trustees

FROM:

Barbara R. Sloan, President

SUBJECT:

Student Fee Exemptions and Waivers

Item Description:

This item presents an update of student fee exemptions and waivers.

Overview:

Fee exemptions and fee waivers are allowed for qualifying students attending the College. The group of students who may receive a fee exemption or a fee waiver include those who are dual enrolled, children of law enforcement officers, state employees, veterans who have received a Purple Heart, and those representing the College in athletic competition.

Salient Facts:

During Fiscal Year 2009-2010 a total of 1,301 fee exemptions and 844 fee waivers were granted to students enrolled in the College (attachment). The fee exemption amount totaled approximately \$1,493,368 and the fee waiver amount totaled approximately \$617,291. The fee exemptions and fee waivers granted to students are mandated by Florida Statutes (attachment).

Past Actions:

During previous years the Board has been informed of fee exemptions and fee waivers granted by the College.

Future Actions:

No future actions are required by the Board for this item.

Funding/Financial Matters:

Fee exemptions and fee waivers are funded from the College's annual operating budget.

Staff Resource:

Teresa Smith

Recommended Action:

No action is required.

SUMMARY OF STUDENT FEE EXEMPTION	IS AND WAIVERS	FY 2006-2007		FY 2007-2008		F Y 2008-2009		F Y 2009-2010	
TITLE	AUTHORITY	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AMOUNT
EXEMPTIONS:				y <u>wasana and an </u>					
ADULT EDUCATION	1009.25(1), F.S.	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$ (
DUAL ENROLLED	1009.25(2)(a), F.S.	1,772	\$ 579,626	1,171	\$ 637,250	1,063	\$ 626,504	1,038	\$ 634,21
APPRENTICESHIP	1009.25(2)(b), F.S.	33	\$ 12,596	41	\$ 35,335	35	\$ 35,819	2	\$ 2,70
FOSTER CARE	1009.25(2)(c), F.S.	0	\$0	7	\$ 4,317	51	\$ 107,405	71	\$ 134,55
PROJECT INDEPENDENCE	1009.25(2)(c), F.S.	52	\$ 47,135	32	\$ 59,438	0	\$0	0	\$ (
CHILDREN ADOPTED FROM DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN and FAMILIES AFTER 05/05/1997 HOMELESS	1009.25(2)(c), F.S. 1009.25(2)(e), F.S.	10	\$ 5,750 \$ 37,340	11 36	\$ 10,053 \$ 53,472	9 76	\$ 10,182 \$ 110,829	24 152	\$ 41,109 \$ 290,584
HOMELESS		31	\$ 37,040		V 00,472		¥ 1,1310=0		
40 FTE EXEMPTION AUTHORITY	1009.25(3), F.S.					- 04	2004400	65	\$ 362,719
ATHLETIC		129	\$ 303,157	67	\$ 296,105	61	\$ 324,122		\$ 302,71
FINANCIAL AID		0	\$0			0	\$0	0	\$
OTHER PURPOSES		0	\$0			0	\$0	0	
TOTAL		129	\$ 303,157	67	\$ 296,105	61	\$ 324,122	65	\$ 362,719
CHILDREN OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS	112.19(3), F.S.	6	\$ 3,232	3	\$ 4,142	3	\$ 5,456	8	\$ 3,67
CHILDREN OF FIREFIGHTERS	112.191(3), F.S.	4	\$ 1,475	2	\$ 4,078	2	\$ 2,567	0	\$1
LINKAGE INSTITUTES	288.8175(6) F.S.	7	\$ 10,304	5	\$ 19,074	4	\$ 11,324	6	\$ 23,80
SPOUSES OF STATE EMPLOYEES	440.16(1)(c), F.S.	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$
OTHER		0	\$0			0	\$0	0	\$
TOTAL EXEMPTIONS		2,050	\$ 1,000,616	1,376	\$ 1,123,262	1,304	\$ 1,234,207	1,301	\$ 1,493,36
WAIVERS:									
8 PERCENT VOCATIONAL	PROVISO	0	\$0			0	\$0	0	\$ (
EMPLOYEES	UNFUNDED	13	\$ 5,624	21	\$ 11,278	34	\$ 11,468	26	\$ 22,89
DEPENDENTS OF EMPLOYEES	UNFUNDED	122	\$ 50,619	103	\$ 62,692	165	\$ 59,028	88	\$ 104,70
HURRICANE KATRINA	EO 05-176	0	\$0			0	\$0	0	\$
NATIONAL GUARD	1009.26(8), F.S.	0	\$0			0	\$0	0	\$
PURPLE HEART	1009.26(9), F.S.	10	\$ 8,479	4	\$ 5,174	6	\$ 11,010	10	\$ 18,64
STATE EMPLOYEE WAIVERS	1009.265, F.S.	1,105	\$ 330,268	729	\$ 360,294	814	\$ 480,146	719	\$ 470,03
WRONGFULLY INCARCERATED PERSONS	2008-39 LOF				\$ 360,294	0	\$0	1	\$ 1,01
OTHER WAIVERS	UNFUNDED	0	\$0	291	\$ 201,903	0	\$0	0	\$
TOTAL WAIVERS	(1)	1,250	\$ 394,990	1,148	\$ 641,340	1,019	\$ 561,651	844	\$ 617,29

TOTAL EXEMPTIONS AND WAIVERS 3,300 \$ 1,395,605 2,523 \$ 1,764,602 2,323 \$ 1,795,857 2,145 \$ 2,110,659