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M E M O R A N D U M

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President

FROM: Barbara Wills, Ph.D.
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SUBJECT: Sponsored Programs – Provider

Item Description

This item requests that the Board approve the receipt of funding for the listed projects.

Overview and Background

The following are recommended for approval.

I. Receipt, Amendment, Extension of Resources

National Science Foundation – Growth Mindset in STEM

This award will increase undergraduate success and persistence in STEM by combining \$744,000 in scholarship support with a growth mindset program framework over a five-year period. This initial grant year is for \$141,940 for the period 10/1/19 through 9/30/20, with an indirect cost rate of 8.69%. The award is for a period of 5 years totaling \$992,723, of which \$744,000 is budgeted for student scholarships.

Florida Department of Education –English Literacy/Civics Education for Gadsden County

This award integrates education services to immigrants and other limited English proficient populations in Gadsden County to acquire the basic skills they need to function effectively as parents, workers and citizens. The award is for \$27,410, including an indirect cost rate of 5%. The funding period is from 7/1/19 through 6/30/20.

Florida Department of Education –English Literacy/Civics Education for Leon County

This award integrates education services to immigrants and other limited English proficient populations in Leon County to acquire the basic skills they need to function effectively as parents, workers and citizens. The award is for \$8,034, including an indirect cost rate of 5%. The funding period is from 7/1/19 through 6/30/20.

Florida Department of Education – Adult Education and Family Literacy, Adult General Education for Gadsden County

This award will provide voluntary adult education and literacy services in Gadsden County in order to increase performance measures on standardized testing and obtain the educational skills necessary to be involved in the education of their children. The award is for \$140,716, including an indirect cost rate of 5%. The funding period is from 7/1/19 through 6/30/20.

Florida Department of Education – Adult Education and Family Literacy, Adult General Education for Wakulla County

This award will provide voluntary adult education and literacy services in Wakulla County in order to increase performance measures on standardized testing and obtain the educational skills necessary to be involved in the education of their children. The award is for \$36,813, including an indirect cost rate of 5%. The funding period is from 7/1/19 through 6/30/20.

Office of the Florida Attorney General – Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) Grant

This award provides support for a victim's advocate position. The college has a required cash match of 25%, which amounts to \$14,349 for a twelve-month period. The amount of this award is \$57,396, with an indirect cost rate of 0%. The grant period is from 10/1/19 through 9/30/20.

Florida Department of Transportation – Florida Student Traffic Safety - SADD - Amendment 2

This amendment reduces software by \$1,000 to provide for Fatal Vision Driving Goggles to be used at teen traffic safety awareness events. The total budget remains \$274,500 and there is no impact on the deliverables of the grant.

II. Commitments, Expenditures, Contracts for Service

None at this time.

Past Actions by the Board

The Florida Department of Education and Office of the Florida Attorney General awards presented are annual renewals.

Florida Department of Transportation – Florida Student Traffic Safety - SADD - Amendment 2

Amendment 1 was approved at the April 2019 Board of Trustees meeting. The initial award was approved at the October, 2018 Board of Trustees meeting.

Funding/ Financial Implications

The above projects are established in Fund 2, Restricted Accounts. The indirect earned from the above awards is \$24,616.

Recommended Action

Authorize funding for the awards and contracts as presented.