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February 20, 2018

Dr. Vicky Wood
President
Washington State Community College
710 Colegate Drive
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Dear President Wood:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning Washington State Community College by the Institutional Actions Council of the Higher Learning Commission at its meeting on February 13, 2018. The date of this action constitutes the effective date of the institution's new status with HLC.

Action with Interim Monitoring. IAC continued the accreditation of Washington State Community College with the next Reaffirmation of Accreditation in or before 2027-28. In conjunction with this action, IAC required the following interim monitoring.

Interim Report. Interim Report due 12/1/2018 that outlines the College's goals for retention and graduation rate improvements core component 4C. Also included in this interim report should be a plan to ensure that academic assessment is occurring in all program areas.

In two weeks, this action will be added to the *Institutional Status and Requirements (ISR) Report*, a resource for Accreditation Liaison Officers to review and manage information regarding the institution's accreditation relationship. Accreditation Liaison Officers may request the ISR Report on HLC's website at <http://www.hlcommission.org/Accreditation/institutional-status-and-requirements-report.html>.

Within the next 30 days, HLC will also publish information about this action on its website at <http://www.hlcommission.org/Student-Resources/recent-actions.html>.

If you have any questions about these documents after viewing them, please contact the institution's staff liaison Jeffrey Rosen. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Barbara Gellman-Danley".

Barbara Gellman-Danley
President

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