

LARAMIE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE *Foundation*

July 8, 2020

Chairman Jess Ketcham and Dr. Joe Schaffer
Laramie County Community College
1400 E. College Drive
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Chairman Ketcham and Dr. Schaffer,

The LCCC Foundation thanks Laramie County Community College and the LCCC Board of Trustees for your continued partnership and support of the Foundation. We greatly appreciate the two boards' strong relationship and joint efforts in supporting the college's students and mission.

We are proud of our role in generating financial support for scholarships, academic programs, athletics, capital construction projects and other endeavors. This is a responsibility we take very seriously, as we see each day the impact these resources have on the lives and education of our students. While we have many community members and supporters playing an active role in making our fundraising successful, we know the support we receive from LCCC also plays a role in our success.

The LCCC Foundation is aware the College and all of the state's community colleges, are being asked to make significant cuts to their budgets in FY21. We want to support you and the Board of Trustees as you look to make these difficult decisions. In light of the situation, the LCCC Foundation would like to do its part and decline the FY21 escalator (\$8,238) set out in the College's and Foundation's Memorandum of Understanding. We would also like to offer a \$5,000 decrease in our FY21 distribution for a total allocation decrease of \$13,328.

With these cuts, we hope another program or student-based opportunity will remain intact moving forward. We will continue to support LCCC and our students. We are committed to helping *transform lives through the power of inspired learning*.

Thank you and please contact myself or Jeff Collins, with any questions.

Sincerely,



Lisa Trimble
AVP, Institutional Advancement



Jeff Collins
President, LCCC Foundation Board