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Taft College Financials Meet the Highest Standards

Taft, CA – At their regularly scheduled meeting on December 11, the Taft College Board of Trustees approved the District’s 2018-19 Annual Financial Audit and Proposition 39 Measure A Audit reports. The audits were performed by independent auditors from CWDL Certified Public Accountants, who issued the highest opinion of the District’s financials with an “Unmodified” report with no findings or questioned costs. CWDL Certified Public Accountants further issued an “Unmodified” Measure A audit report with no findings, confirming that the expenditures were consistent with the requirements of the bond as approved by the voters.

Taft College Superintendent/President Dr. Debra S. Daniels said “As West Kern Community College District, we are charged with exercising good stewardship of public funds entrusted to us by ensuring that our tax dollars are spent appropriately and effectively towards the mission of the college. These unmodified audit reports show that Taft College’s financials meet the highest standards, and it is our honor to hold the public’s trust by remaining fiscally responsible while meeting the educational needs of our community.”

Additional information regarding the 2018-19 audit reports may be found on the Taft College website at www.taftcollege.edu.

ABOUT TAFT COLLEGE

Established in 1922, Taft College is one of the oldest California Community Colleges. Located in Western Kern County, Taft College provides continuous learning opportunities for over 12,000 students through more than 50 vocational and professional degrees, transfer programs, and certificates. These innovative programs are made available at a fraction of the cost of state and private colleges. Proud to transform the lives of highly-diverse students and adult learners, Taft College delivers vital pathways to advanced education and enhanced employment. In 2019, Taft College was ranked 5th best Community College in California by Niche.com. In 2022, Taft College will celebrate its 100th anniversary of student success.