Draft Report by Task Force on Workforce, Job Creation, and a Strong Economy - Open Public Comment Period through July 15th by 5pm PST

With input from more than 14 Regional College Conversations and 6 Strong Workforce Town Halls, the Task Force for Workforce, Job Creation, and a Strong Economy has developed draft recommendations to the Board of Governors.

You are invited to give public comment to the draft report by the Task Force. Comments MUST be submitted via the IdeaScale feedback orange icon (on the the left of the webpage), come from registered guests, and be received by 5pm PST on July 15th to be considered. Please read the draft in its entirety before submitting a comment and associate a chapter and line number with each of your comment(s).
The California Community Colleges Board of Governors commissioned the Task Force to surface recommendations for how best to close the skills gap on one million more industry-valued middle skill credentials and leverage the community college system to catalyze growth in California's regional economies.

Members of the public are encouraged to read these background papers for context to the Task Force recommendations:

- Workforce Data & Outcomes »
- Curriculum Development & Instructors »
- Structured Pathways & Student Support - Part 1 »
- Structured Pathways & Student Support - Part 2 »
- Regional Coordination »
- Funding »

View Draft Recommendations »

**RSVP: 'Wrap Up’ Town Halls Set For August 25th and 27th To Roll Out Final Report**

Once the Task Force considers feedback that arise from the public comment period above and holds its final meeting in July, edits will be incorporated towards a final report which will be advanced to the Board of Governors.

Business leaders, industry associations, economic development organizations, labor, elected officials, education, regional civic organizations, and community college faculty/staff/administrators are invited to attend one of the 'Wrap Up’ Town Halls where Chancellor Harris will review the finalized recommendations. RSVP links are provided below.

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Photo Gallery of Task Force in Action

In addition to the time and commitment put in by Task Force members, over 1,200 people came together to inform the rollout of the Board of Governors Task Force on Workforce, Job Creation and a Strong Economy. This photo gallery chronicles the collective journey of California in crafting the report that will go to the Board of Governors. If you have photos to add, please email them to dwm@cccco.edu.