



### Agenda Item Details

Meeting	Apr 13, 2021 - REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Category	4. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS
Subject	4.1 COVID 19 Grant Update. Presenter: Interim Vice Chancellor Adil Ahmed (15 minutes)
Type	Information

**TO: Peralta Board of Trustees**

**FROM: Adil Ahmed, Interim Vice Chancellor for Finance & Administration**

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### BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS:

COVID-19 Response Block Grant:

To respond to, and provide support for, the novel coronavirus, a disease known as COVID-19, the state and federal government has provided resources to support state and local government, respond to the public health crisis, encourage recovery, and support vulnerable Californians.

These funds should be used on activities that directly support student learning, continuity of education, and mitigate learning loss related to COVID-19. In addition, the Legislature intended for these funds to be used to prioritize services for underrepresented students.

Some allowable expenses are:

- Costs related to facilitating distance learning due to the pandemic (faculty training for remote learning, laptops purchases, and associated peripherals to accommodate remote learning)
- PPE (personal, protective, equipment)
- Public safety necessities (facility cleaning, safety markers, signage, etc.)
- COVID testing and contact tracing
- Improvement to telework capacity

Expenditures of the federal portion of the block grant must be incurred by December 30, 2020.

PCCD has expensed the funding from the COVID-19 19 Response Block Grant through the purchase of laptops to support remote learning.

For your information:

<https://www.cccco.edu/-/media/CCCCO-Website/College-Finance-and-Facilities/COVID-19-Block-Grant/revised-fs-20-08-covid-19-response-block-grant-funding-information-and-requirements-all.pdf?la=en&hash=A2BDDC4F385783E0222AB3DEA7CC70D22AFA43DA>

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### EVALUATION AND RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Informational only.

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