State Fair Community College

DATE: **September 2, 2026**
TO: **State Fair Community College**
FROM: **Patty Wood, President, Board of Trustees, State Fair Community College**
RE: **Presidential Search Update – Progress Report #3**

The State Fair Community College Board of Trustees is pleased to share this brief Presidential search update on the effort to identify the next President of State Fair Community College.

The presidential search continues to move forward, with applications being received until the Target Date for applications of: September 10, 2026. Following the Target Date for applications, the Search Committee will begin its review of all confidential applications and will then identify semi-finalists to invite for first-round confidential interviews later in October.

Finalists are expected to visit the College on **October 26, 27, and 28**. During these visits, members of the SFCC community will have an opportunity to meet the finalists, learn more about their experience and vision for the College, and participate in public forums with opportunities to ask questions. As part of the public forums, the SFCC community will also have an opportunity to provide feedback on the finalists. A link will be shared with the campus community for individuals to submit comments following the finalist visits. This feedback will be shared with the Board of Trustees and will be considered as the Board deliberates and makes its decision regarding SFCC's next president.

The College appreciates the continued engagement and participation of faculty, staff, students, and other members of the College community throughout this important process. We will continue to keep you updated throughout the presidential search process. The Board of Trustees is committed to conducting an equitable, inclusive, and transparent national search. If you have any questions, candidate recommendations, or suggestions, please reach out to:

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