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Dr. Marlon Hall Superintendent/President Lassen Community College P.O. Box 3000 Susanville, CA 96130

Dear President Hall:

The Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, at its meeting June 3-5, 2015, reviewed the Follow-Up Report submitted by Lassen Community College. The Follow-Up Report was certified by the president of the governing board, the college president, and the faculty and student organizations.

Based on the Follow-Up Report and evidence submitted, the Commission finds that Lassen Community College has addressed the evaluation team's Recommendations 1, and 3 from the last comprehensive evaluation, and has resolved the deficiencies in College policies, procedures, and practices which led to noncompliance with Eligibility Requirements 13 and 16 and Standards I.A.1.b, II.A.1.b, II.B.3.a, II.C.1.a, II.C.1.c, III.A.2, III.C.1.d. The College also demonstrated that it has taken action to address Recommendations 2 and 4, which were made to increase institutional effectiveness.

Institutions are expected to meet Eligibility Requirements, Accreditation Standards, and Commission policies at all times during the six-year review cycle. Lassen Community College must demonstrate to the Commission at the time of the Midterm Report that the recent changes implemented to resolve deficiencies and meet Eligibility Requirements and Standards have been sustained. Lassen Community College should submit the Midterm Report by March 15, 2017.

The Follow-Up Report submitted in March 2015 will become part of the accreditation history of the College. The Commission requires that you give the Follow-Up Report and this letter appropriate dissemination to your College staff and to those who were signatories of the Report. This group should include the campus leadership and the Board of Trustees. The Commission also requires that these documents be made available to students and the public by placing a copy on the College website. Please note that in response to public interest in disclosure, the Commission now requires institutions to post accreditation information on a page no more than one click from the institution's home page.

Dr. Marlon Hall Lassen Community College June 29, 2015

On behalf of the Commission, I wish to encourage your continued work to ensure Lassen College's educational quality and to support students' success. Professional self-regulation is the responsibility of an accredited institution and the accreditor. Thank you for sharing in that responsibility.

Sincerely,

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