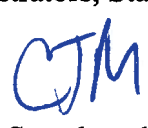


## MEMORANDUM

**Date:** April 20, 2009

**To:** Orange Coast College Faculty, Administrators, Staff and Students

**From:** Trustee Jim Moreno, Board President 

**Subject:** Announcement of Permanent President Search and Public Forum

The Board of Trustees has made the decision to launch a national search process for the permanent President of Orange Coast College. We have contracted with the Association of Community College Trustees (ACCT) to work with the search committee.

We have scheduled a public forum on April 30, 2009 at 2:00 p.m. to allow ACCT to receive comments from all members of the College community. This information will be used to draft a position profile. We encourage all of you to participate in the public forum, and will issue more information on the makeup of the search committee as soon as possible. If you have any questions or wish to provide input, please contact Dr. Narcisa Polonio of ACCT at npolonio@acct.org or (202) 276-1983.

Here are the details for the public forum:

- Thursday, April 30, 2009, Orange Coast College, 2:00 p.m., Faculty House

It is important to note that our plan is to institute a schedule that will allow the permanent Chancellor to be involved in the final status of selecting the permanent President. The search committee will work with ACCT to finalize the position profile, review applications, conduct interviews, and recommend three to five unranked candidates for further consideration by the permanent Chancellor and the Board. The search committee will be a working committee and in anticipation of its work, we want to thank them for their commitment to Orange Coast College.

We have reached out to different constituency groups to identify the individuals that would serve on the search committee. Our plan is to have an organizational meeting of the search committee before the end of the Spring semester.

ACCT will recruit candidates throughout the summer. Information regarding all aspects of the search will be posted on the Orange Coast College website, [www.orangecoastcollege.edu](http://www.orangecoastcollege.edu).

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