

OHLONE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: Dr. Douglas Treadway

DATE: April 26, 2006

SUBJECT: Foundation Update

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The Ohlone College Foundation is a non-profit, tax exempt 501(c) 3 corporation established to receive and administer private gifts, bequests, and donations to benefit Ohlone College students and to enhance the quality of education at Ohlone College. The Foundation provides funds for scholarships, grants, emergency loans, program support, and staff development. In addition, the entire Ohlone community benefits from the Foundation's support of environmentally friendly facilities, provision of computer equipment, and community-focused programs at the Fremont Campus and Newark Center.

The Ohlone College Foundation Executive Director, Dr. Josephine Ong-Hawkins will update the Board of Trustees on the Foundation objectives and activities, and share the strategic plan titled: Refocusing the Lens. The Ohlone Foundation's strategic plan is structured around the Ohlone Community College District 2005-2110 Strategic Plan. Specifically, it is in support of Goal 7: Increase public and private funds for educational programs, equipment, and facilities through entrepreneurial activities, grants, and the college foundation.