

OHLONE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Trustees  
FROM: Gari Browning  
DATE: July 9, 2008  
SUBJECT: Naming Recommendation honoring Dr. Doug Treadway

Regular Agenda item

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In accord with Board Policy BP6620, Section 7a, the Board of Trustees may “honor a person who served the college in an exemplary manner, or achieved unique distinction in higher education, or other significant areas of public service, or who make an extraordinary contribution to the development of Ohlone College” by a building or facility naming.

Dr. Doug Treadway retired on June 30<sup>th</sup> as President/Superintendent of Ohlone College. Dr. Treadway’s service to Ohlone College over the past 5 years was exemplary. It would be appropriate to recognize Dr. Treadway for his service by naming a facility in his honor. The Executive Director of the Ohlone College Foundation concurs with this naming recommendation as per Section 2 of the Policy. The College Council will address this recommendation per Section 2 of the Policy at their July 9<sup>th</sup> meeting, and report to the Board of Trustees.

There are abundant examples of Dr. Treadway’s leadership, but none speaks more to his vision than the Ohlone College Newark Center for Health Sciences and Technology. The “College of the Future” is pending LEED Platinum certification. The teaching and learning technology on the campus benefits Ohlone’s diverse student population. It would be highly appropriate to recognize Dr. Treadway’s contributions to Ohlone College by naming the Newark Center’s Courtyard after him.

The Courtyard is a special place for students, staff, and faculty. The Courtyard was the setting for the Dedication ceremony of the Newark facility. And, in the tradition of our namesake, the Ohlone Native Americans, the Courtyard will be a gathering place where unity, respect for nature, wellness, and wisdom will flourish.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees recognize the contributions of Dr. Doug Treadway to Ohlone College by naming the “Dr. Doug Treadway Courtyard” at the Newark Center.