



## *Barstow Community College*

### *Board Goals*

**2013-2014**

*The Board of Trustees provides governance leadership for Barstow College and has identified the following goals for 2013-2014.*

- I. Expect and monitor that the remaining four ACCJC/WASC accreditation recommendations are addressed so that the College achieves full accreditation status, and that efforts to assure ongoing compliance with all accreditation standards are sustainable.
- II. Fulfill the Board's responsibility to maintain the fiscal integrity of the district by expecting that the District finances are managed effectively, including maintaining a budget reserve of at least 15%.
- III. Expect that Board Policies and Administrative Procedures reflect current law, regulation and practice, and that personnel are knowledgeable about the policies and procedures that pertain to their areas.
- IV. Expect and support that the College strives for excellent customer service through a welcoming environment, and that a culture of civility and collaboration exists for staff and students.
- V. Ensure the Board understands local policy implications of the Student Success Act and Scorecard and has the skills and knowledge needed to set standards for and monitor student success at the college.
- VI. Expect that the College's information systems produce accurate data and information to support decision-making, the capacity to monitor institutional effectiveness, and a culture of evidence.
- VII. Expect and support local community involvement by board members, the Superintendent/President, and employees, as well as state and national activities that promote district interests.
- VIII. Expect the development of a comprehensive safety and emergency response plan, which addresses partnerships, resources, and training.
- IX. Explore possible funding strategies to support energy efficiency, future program and facility needs, and student success.
- X. Monitor that the current construction projects are completed in a timely, cost effective manner. Support community involvement in the opening of the Performing Arts Center.
- XI. Support efforts to strengthen the relationship between the College and the Foundation.

#### **BCC Mission Statement (Opening Sentence)**

Barstow Community College is an open-access learning environment that promotes critical thinking, communication, personal and professional responsibility, and global awareness by offering quality courses, programs, and support services.