



September 13, 2022

The Honorable Gavin Newsom
Governor of the State of California
1021 O Street, Suite 9000
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Request for Signature on AB 102 (Holden)

Dear Governor Newsom:

On behalf of the Association of California Community College Administrators (ACCCA), I am writing to respectfully request your signature on Assembly Bill (AB) 102. This bill eliminates the 2027 sunset date for College and Career Access Pathways (CCAP) partnerships, removes the 10% statewide limit for full-time equivalent students claimed as special admits, and allows county offices of education to participate in CCAP partnerships.

The CCAP has been a successful joint initiative of the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office and the California Department of Education that allows high school students to dual enroll in up to 15 community college units per term, allowing students to get a jump start on their college education. The initiative has helped to develop seamless pathways from high school to community college for career technical education or general education transfer.

ACCCA has supported CCAP partnerships since its inception and it has proven to be a successful initiative that we believe should not be subject to an expiration date. AB 102 rightfully ensures that these partnerships will continue in perpetuity and allows current and future high school students the opportunity to start their college education early.

For these reasons, we strongly support AB 102 and ask for your signature on this important measure.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Susan K. Bray', is written over a white background.

Susan K. Bray
Executive Director

cc: Assemblymember Chris Holden
Michelle McKay Underwood, Legislative Advocate
Nichole Murillo, Office of Governor Gavin Newsom