



July 14, 2017

Dr. William Scroggins, President  
Mt. San Antonio College  
1100 N. Grand Ave  
Walnut, CA 91789

Dear Dr. Scroggins:

Mt. San Antonio College has been an active and engaged participant in the statewide InnovationMaker3 (now called CCC Maker) initiative, funded by the California Community College Chancellor's Office, Workforce & Economic Development Division and administered by Sierra Jt. CCD. Mt. San Antonio College's commitment has been evidenced by:

- Your Letter of Interest submitted in March 2016 to the Chancellor's Office
- Your Letter of Participation submitted in January 2017 to Sierra College (Fiscal Agent)
- The formation of a team of faculty, students and administrators to participate in CCC Maker activities and technical assistance opportunities
- The acceptance and use of a \$40,000 "Seed Grant" to support the startup process, and the submittal of a draft integrated plan on May 17, 2017, and
- The submittal of a final integrated plan and proposal on June 16, 2017 to build or grow your makerspace community, and develop shared workspaces, inter-disciplinary curriculum and student internships.

As a result, Mt. San Antonio College's proposal has undergone a comprehensive review by independent readers and the Technical Assistance Providers (TAPs), and **your college has been selected for a 2017-2018 Implementation Grant in the amount of \$250,000**. This grant may be eligible for renewal in 2018-2019 based on satisfactory performance. The level of funding was defined according to a tiered system developed in reference to the CCCCCO RFA for InnovationMaker3 Fiscal Agent<sup>1</sup>, and communicated through multiple channels including an April 20, 2017 webinar.<sup>2</sup> Should you have questions I'll be happy to respond to your request after August 1, 2017.

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<sup>1</sup> [http://extranet.cccco.edu/Portals/1/WED/WEDDRFA/RFAInnovationmaker/16-203/16-203\\_2016-17\\_RFA\\_InnovationMaker\\_final.pdf](http://extranet.cccco.edu/Portals/1/WED/WEDDRFA/RFAInnovationmaker/16-203/16-203_2016-17_RFA_InnovationMaker_final.pdf)

<sup>2</sup> - <https://youtu.be/lpJZEUIhX6o>

Over the next few weeks, **there will be several important project milestones based on your award:**

- A sub-award agreement will be sent to Mt. San Antonio College in late July from Sierra College. This document will need to be signed by you or your designee and returned to Jen Ulrich, Administrative Assistant, CCC Maker, Sierra College.
- The CCC Maker Technical Assistance Provider will work with your team lead in early August to review work plan and budget.
- Two attendees must RSVP by July 24 via  
To participate in a half-day gathering on August 17, 1pm-5pm and a hosted dinner at 6pm; and a full day symposium on August 18, 9:30am-3:15pm, in Berkeley. Accommodations and dinner will be provided for the two attendees on August 17. Breakfast and lunch will be provided at the August 18 symposium. Travel to Berkeley will be the responsibility of the Mt. San Antonio College. More information to follow.

We are excited to continue our work with Mt. San Antonio College to build a statewide makerspace community of practice and reinforce our mantra – “We’re all in this together.” During this next year, we’ll be working with Mt. San Antonio College’s CCC Maker team to strengthen the community of practice; support faculty and student leadership through the Implementation phase, and help Mt. San Antonio College become recognized as a best practice model for education innovation.

Again, congratulations! The Chancellor’s Office and the CCC Maker organizing team are grateful and humbled to continue this work with Mt. San Antonio College.

Sincerely,



Carol Pepper-Kittredge  
Statewide Project Manager, CCC Maker

Cc: Karelyn Hoover, Associate Dean, Natural Sciences; Mala Arthur, Grant Project Manager  
Dr. Matthew Roberts, Dean, Field Operations, CCCCCO