Vernon College Facilities Annual Action Plan 2019-2020 by Priority Initiative

Priority Initiative #1:

Implement a centralized, unified and organized recruitment and retention effort.

Priority Initiative #2

Improve the quality of educational and student support services to increase student learning, student retention, and certificate/degree completion or transfer by students.

Administrative Services

Physical Plant

Objective #1: Renovate and update student resident halls.

Responsibility: VP Administrative Services and Vernon Facilities Director

Statement of Need: The main student residence center was built in the late 70's and is outdated and unappealing to prospective students.

Actions:

- 1. Form committee of staff and students to discuss needs and wants.
- 2. Develop schedule for accomplishing the renovations.
- 3. Post RFP for qualified contractors and lock in the cost.
- 4. Award contract for construction.
- 5. Oversee renovation work.

Resources and Approximate \$: Facilities - \$5,000 to \$7,500 per room

Assessment Method: Walk through and final inspections
Date: Phase I Summer of 2020

Priority Initiative #3:

Ensure the assessment for continuous improvement of general education, program, and student learning outcomes.

Priority Initiative #4:

Implement the SACSCOC approved Quality Enhancement Plan that focuses on Success through Inquiry.

Priority Initiative #5:

Support opportunities for professional development for all Vernon College employees through appropriate funding.

Priority Initiative #6:

Provide fiscal, physical, human and technological resources to accommodate current and future needs.

Administrative Services

Physical Plant

Objective #1: Update 2020-2021 Facilities Priority Rating for all locations

Responsibility: Facilities Planning Committee, physical plant directors and VP of Administrative Services

Statement of Need: To provide coordinated plan for ongoing maintenance and improvements to College facilities and support annual action plan

Actions:

- 1. Meet with Facilities Planning committees for all locations to review prior plan and make changes for the upcoming years.
- 2. Present recommendations to Administrative Team
- 3. Update and distribute Priority Rating

Resources and Approximate \$: Facilities, Currently budgeting \$250,000 per year for all capital projects at all locations

Assessment Method: Meeting notes, emails, budget Date: Updated 2020-2021 Facilities Priority Rating by February 15, 2020

Objective #2: Complete all approved projects by 08-31-2020 - Vernon

Responsibility: Facilities Director and VP of Administrative Services

Statement of Need: As identified in the Facilities Priority Rating

Actions:

1. Quarterly reviews by VP of Administrative Services and Facilities Director to make sure we're on target to complete projects

Resources and Approximate \$: Facilities: Approximately \$150,000 per year included in annual budget to cover capital projects on Vernon campus

Assessment Method: Complete all approved projects Date: 08-31-2020

Objective #3: Complete all approved projects by 08-31-2020 – Wichita Falls

Responsibility: Director of Physical Plant and VP of Administrative Services

Statement of Need: As identified in the Facilities Priority Rating

Actions:

1. Quarterly reviews by VP of Administrative Services and Director of Physical Plant to make sure we're on target to complete projects

Resources and Approximate \$: Facilities: Approximately \$100,000 per year included in annual budget to cover capital projects on all Wichita Falls locations.

Assessment Method: Complete all approved projects Date: 08-31-2020

Physical Plant

Objective #5: Establish roof replacement program - Vernon

Responsibility: Facilities Director and VP of Administrative Services

Statement of Need: All roofs on the Vernon campus are out of warranty and many are nearing the end of their useful lives.

Actions:

- 1. Inspect all roofs and establish rank order for replacement.
- 2. Include adequate funding in annual operating budget to replace at least one roof per year as determined by the ranking.
- 3. Award replacement contract through State purchasing co-op or RFP process.

Resources and Approximate \$: Facilities: Approximately \$75,000 to \$100,000 per year depending on the size of the roof to be replaced.

Assessment Method: Final inspection and sign off by facilities personnel and roofing company

Date: On-going multi year project

Instructional Services

Objective #2: Review feasibility of providing additional classroom/lab space at CCC for current and future needs.

Responsibility: VP of Instructional Services, Dean of Instructional Services, Director of Continuing Education, Facilities Committee

Statement of Need: Current occupancy at CCC limits the potential addition of new programs.

Actions:

1. Continue to review need, feasibility, and costs associated with the potential remodeling and conversion of existing theater space (upstairs) at CCC into a large multi-purpose classroom or labs for potential programs.

Resources and Approximate \$: \$ - Facilities

Assessment Method: Recommendation to Facilities committee

Date: August 1, 2020

Priority Initiative #7:

Enhance the technological infrastructure of the institution.

Administrative Services

Physical Plant

Objective #1: Replace phone system on Vernon campus

Responsibility: VP of Administrative Services, Media Specialist, Run-Biz

Statement of Need: Current Lucent system is over 20 years old and replacement parts are getting hard to find.

Actions:

- 1. Research current technologies.
- 2. Issue RFP for replacement system.

Resources and Approximate \$: Facilities - \$60,000

Assessment Method: New system installed and functioning. Date: Summer 2020

Priority Initiative #8:

Sustain and intensify external fundraising to better support the College.

Priority Initiative #9:

Strengthen the alumni base to support the College.

Priority Initiative #10:

Ensure institutional accountability through effective strategic planning and assessment processes.