



# El Camino College

Proudly Educating  
the South Bay  
for 65 Years





# Mission Statement

El Camino College offers quality, comprehensive educational programs and services to ensure the educational success of students from our diverse community.

# ECC History

- After WWII, Redondo Beach, Inglewood, El Segundo, Centinela Valley and Torrance decided a two-year college was needed
- Established in 1947
- Serving the community for 65 years: associate degree, transfer path to a university, career technical education, workforce education



1947: Original Barracks

# El Camino College Today

- Serves 9 communities
- Nearly 533,000 district residents
- 842 full-time & part-time faculty
- 25,000 students
- 87 degree programs
- 89 certificate programs



1950: Schauerman Library

# El Camino Community College District High School Enrollment

Approximate percentage of new graduates who enroll at ECC in fall semesters (2006-2011)

<b>EL SEGUNDO</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>MANHATTAN BEACH</b>	<b>20%</b>
<b>GARDENA</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>PALOS VERDES</b>	<b>15%</b>
<b>HAWTHORNE</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>REDONDO BEACH</b>	<b>40%</b>
<b>INGLEWOOD</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>TORRANCE</b>	<b>40%</b>
<b>LAWNDALE</b>	<b>35%</b>	Torrance, North, West & South	



1965: Administration Building

# El Camino College Program Overview

- Associate Degree
- Transfer Path to a University
- Career Technical Education (CTE)
- Economic Development/Workforce Education



1985: Classrooms

# Associate Degree

- Increased numbers of degrees awarded
- Pre-engineering, “green” technology, math, computer science
- Graduation Initiative



2005: Natural Science Classrooms

# Transfer Path to a University

- Transfer admission rate to UCLA regularly ranks #1 in state
- Consistently ranks in the top 10 in the state for transferring to UC and CSU
- Regularly ranks in top three in the state for transfer rate to USC



2005: Natural Science Complex

# Career Technical Education (CTE)

- Career Advancement Academy
- Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM)
- “Green” Technology Preparation
- Alternative Fuel Vehicle Emergency First Responder Training



2008: Security  
Cameras Installed

# Economic Development and Workforce Education

## El Camino College Business Training Center

- CACT: Center for Applied Competitive Technologies
- CITD: Center for International Trade Development
- SBDC: Small Business Development Center
- WPLRC: Workplace Learning Resource Center



2008: Tennis Courts and  
Softball Fields Renovated

# Where is ECC Today?

- Some facilities nearly 65 years old
- \$100,000 in energy savings per year with new Central Plant
- 2002 Facilities Bond projects completed:
  - Renovated science complex
  - Electrical/fire alarm upgrades
  - New Humanities building
  - New Central Plant
  - New Learning Resources Center
  - New parking structure
  - New Humanities Mall
  - Remodeled bookstore & conference center
  - Renovated Social Science building

# Where is ECC Today?

## 2002 Facilities Bond Funded Projects – In Progress

- New STEM Center
- Fire Academy Repaving
- Industry & Technology Building Modernization
- New Shops Building
- New Athletic Education & Fitness Complex
- Parking Lot F Retrofitting & Additional Third Level
- New Computer Server Room
- Restroom Accessibility Renovations
- Parking Lot Lighting & Security Upgrade
- Electrical & Data Conversion



2008: Central Plant

# Local Bond Information

- ECCCD Board voted to place Measure E, a \$350 million facilities bond measure, on November 2012 ballot
- Measure E will be an additional ~\$7 per year/per \$100,000 assessed value of home
- Assessed value, not market value of home



2011: Social Science Building  
Renovation

# ECC Community Survey

- 99% have heard of El Camino College
- El Camino College “favorable rating”
  - ECC 83%
  - USC 84%
  - UCLA 87%
- 68% would support an ECC bond extension
- 60% would support bond with knowledge of tax increase



2009: Parking Structure

# How Will Measure E Funds Be Utilized?

- Measure E projects include:
  - Expand science labs
  - Upgrade outdated electrical systems and wiring
  - Green energy for savings
  - Up-to-date classroom technology
  - Improve facilities for veterans
  - Campus site improvements: accessibility, safety/security
  - Health and safety improvements
  - Additional classrooms



2008: Humanities Building

# How Will Measure E Funds Be Utilized?

- No funds can be used for administrators' salaries or pensions
- Sacramento will be prohibited from taking any of the funds
- All funds will be subject to local control
- Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee ensures funds are spent as authorized



2008: Learning Resource Center

# Get Involved in ECC

- Learn about facilities needs & Measure E
- Attend bond oversight committee meetings
- Become an El Camino College supporter
- Tell a friend how ECC serves our community
- Support ECC Foundation
- Attend events & performances
- Support student success!



2012: Math, Business,  
Allied Health (MBA) Building

# Thank You!

## Questions?



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