### Legislative Support

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**PRIORITY:** Continue to develop a strong legislative agenda, in coordination with the State Board of Community Colleges, to address College priorities; broaden the base of community support to assist the District Board of Trustees and the College President in achieving legislative goals.

**GOALS:**
- Continue to develop annually a strong legislative agenda;
- Continue to make use of the special expertise and knowledge of the Board of Trustees;
- Broaden the support of local legislators and community members.

Assigned to: College President; Executive Committee; District Board of Trustees; Governmental Affairs Representative.

**BACKGROUND:**
The Legislature continues to take a more active role in establishing priorities for post-secondary education and in directing State resources to meet specified legislative goals. The College needs to build on its excellent foundation for working with the Legislature to secure the legislation, the policies, and the resources to fulfill its mission.

With the leadership of the District Board of Trustees, the College should plan strategies and identify opportunities to involve more community members in support of its legislative priorities.

**ACCOMPLISHMENT HIGHLIGHTS**
- September 2002 Status Report
- March 2002 Status Report
- August 2001 Status Report