



Commission on Teacher Credentialing

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Office of the Executive Director

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Steve Tietjen, Superintendent
Los Banos Unified School District
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Dear Superintendent Tietjen:

I am writing to inform you that on June 27, 2014, the Committee on Accreditation, on behalf of the Commission on Teacher Credentialing, assigned the status of *Accreditation with Stipulations* to Los Banos Unified School District and all of its credential programs.

Following are the stipulations to be met:

- 1) Los Banos Unified School District is to develop and implement a unit-wide assessment system. The system is to include data collection related to unit and program outcomes, and the data is to be used for unit and program improvement.
- 2) Los Banos Unified School District is to develop and implement both a selection process and retention process for support providers using well-defined criteria consistent with their assigned responsibilities in the program and addressing the requirements found in Common Standard 4.
- 3) Los Banos Unified School District is to develop a professional development system that meets the individual needs of the program's candidates and employs professional development providers who are selected and prepared consistent with the provider's assigned responsibilities to the program.
- 4) Los Banos Unified School District is to develop and implement a system to ensure that all candidates have assignments that include settings where they can demonstrate the skills and knowledge required in the areas of diversity, English language learners and students with special needs.

Furthermore, Los Banos Unified School District is to submit a report to the Committee on Accreditation within six months of this action addressing progress taken toward meeting stipulations 2, 3 and 4.

On the basis of this decision, the institution is authorized to recommend candidates for the following Credentials:

General Education (Multiple and Single Subject) Induction

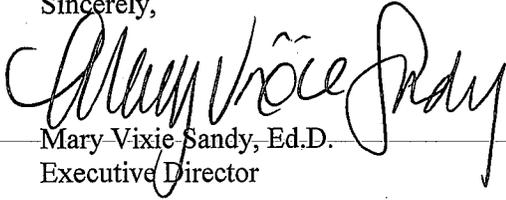
In addition:

- The institution's response to the preconditions is accepted.
- Los Banos Unified School District is permitted to propose new credential programs for approval by the Committee on Accreditation.

- Los Banos Unified School District continues in its assigned cohort on the schedule of accreditation activities, subject to the continuation of the present schedule of accreditation activities by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

Should you or your staff have any questions relating to this action, you may address them to Cheryl Hickey, Administrator of Accreditation, at chickey@ctc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,



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Executive Director

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