

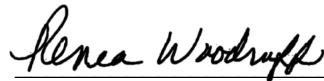
ACTION ITEM FOR BOARD OF REGENTS MEETING
LEE COLLEGE DISTRICT

Meeting Date: September 22, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: Consideration of New Associate Degree Program – Respiratory Therapy

The Administration recommends that the Board authorize the President or his designee to pursue approval by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board and The Commission on Colleges and Universities for a new Associate Degree program in Respiratory Therapy.

Proposal is within Budgetary Allocations



Renea Woodruff, Controller

Detail

A programmatic planning committee, composed of representatives from Lee College and Barbers Hill ISD, chose Respiratory Therapy as a key program to offer at the Lee College - Mont Belvieu Campus. The labor market data shows strong wages and growth in job opportunities for our area, the state of Texas, and nationally.

Resource Personnel

Dr. Janena Norris, Vice President, Academic Affairs and Learning Support Services

Fiscal Implications

Lee College – Mont Belvieu Campus operating budget

Exhibit

Program Proposal

Proposal in Compliance with Board Policy



Jacob Atkin, President



**Leslie Gallagher, Chief of Staff and Vice President,
Strategic Initiatives and External Affairs**

Approved: _____ No: _____

Date: _____