



February 6, 2026

Mr. Jarrod Hogue
President
Clatsop Community College
1651 Lexington Avenue
Astoria, OR 97103

Dear President Hogue:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) at its meeting on January 27-30, 2026, concerning the Fall 2025 Ad Hoc Report with Visit of Clatsop Community College.

Accreditation

Reaffirm Accreditation: Remove the Sanction of Warning, Accept the Report

Status of Previous Recommendations Addressed in this Evaluation

- Recommendation 1: Fall 2021 Ad Hoc Report with Visit - Continued as Needs Improvement

Recommendations Substantially in Compliance but in Need of Improvement

The Commission recommends that Clatsop Community College:

- Recommendation 1: Fall 2025 Ad Hoc Report with Visit - Systematically implement and continue to refine institutional planning processes to ensure that data collection and analysis support mission fulfillment and effective decision-making. (2020 Standard(s) 1.B.1; 1.B.3; 1.B.4)

Future Evaluations

- Financial Resources Review Spring 2026
- Year 7 - Evaluation of Institutional Effectiveness Fall 2026
 - Recommendation 1: Fall 2025 Ad Hoc Report with Visit

NWCCU is committed to an accreditation process that adds value to institutions while contributing to public accountability, and we thank you for your continued support of this process. If you have questions about any of the information in this letter, please contact your staff liaison, Dr. Gita Bangera, at gbangera@nwccu.org.

Sincerely,

Selena M. Grace
President

cc: Ms. Teena Toyas, Provost/Chief Academic Officer
Mr. Ed Johnson, Chair, Board of Education
Dr. Bryce Humpherys, Vice President of Learning and Student Success, Big Bend Community College
Mr. Ben Cannon, Executive Director, Oregon Higher Education Coordinating Commission