

## **Public Safety Programs Feasibility Study:**

Santa Ana College

Facilities & Safety Committee Meeting 10-15-2024





- 1.A Collaborative Process
- 2. Work Plan & Timeline
- 3. Feasibility Study Objectives & Principles
- 4. Program Key Findings
- 5. Scenario Options & Comparison Matrix
- 6. Next Steps

## A COLLABORATIVE PROCESS

Organization/Department	Name	Title
SAC Criminal Justice Academy	Timothy Winchell	Associate Dean
SAC Fire Technology	William Reardon	Associate Dean
SAC Criminal Justice Academy	Ernie Gomez	Acting Associate Dean
SAC Fire Technology	Timothy Butler	Director, Fire Academy Commander
SAC Fire Technology	Antoinette Pitchford	Director, Wellness
SAC Fire Technology	Kristina Ross	Coordinator, Wellness
SAC Fire Technology	Suzanne Freeman*	Professor
SAC Fire Technology	Jennifer Meloni	Professor & Dept. Co-Chair
SAC Fire Technology	Michael Busch*	Assistant Professor & Dept. Co-Chair
SAC Fire Technology	Christopher Siok	LACoFD Battalion Chief/Adjunct
SAC Fire Technology	Robert Lobato	Training and Safety Captain/Adjunct
SAC, Human Services & Technology	Larisa Sergeyeva	Dean
RSCCD Facilities Planning	Tae Kim	Director
RSCCD Facilities Planning	Carri Matsumoto	Assistant Vice Chancellor
SAC Administrative Services	Bart Hoffman	Vice President
SAC Academic Affairs	Jeffrey Lamb	Vice President
SAC	Annebelle Nery	President





Shaun Blaylock Managing Principal/ State Center Status



Rick Barret Principal



Steven Davidovas Project Manager MIG



Fernanda Suarez Project Associate



Austin Lindholm Consultant & Analytics Project Manager **ALMA STRATEGIES** 

**ADDITIONAL ALMA** 

RESOURCES



Doug Graham, Educational Program & Facilities Integration



Phillip Rawlings
Fire & EMT Education
and Accreditation



Linda Vaughn Law Enforcement Education and Accreditation



Project Management Team



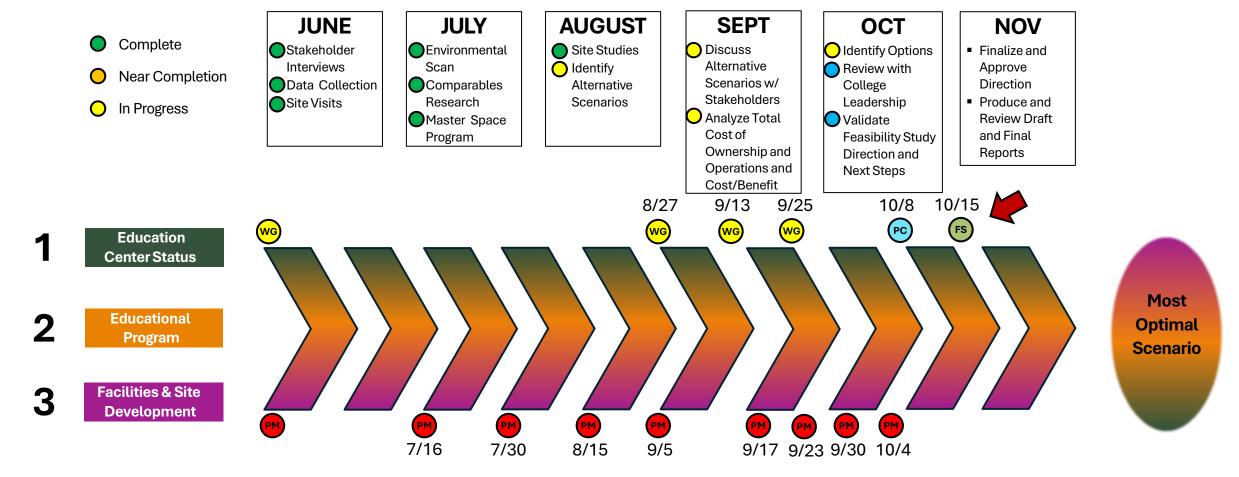
Working Group



President's Cabinet

Academic Senate Designated Representative

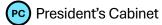
## **WORKPLAN & TIMELINE**



#### TUSTIN | HUNTINGTON BEACH | NEWPORT BEACH | OTHER?



Working Group Meeting





**Project Management Meeting** 



# FEASIBILITY STUDY OBJECTIVES

### Two primary objectives:

## Education Program Review and Long-Term Future Planning

 Identify current program requirements, long-term future needs, and opportunities

### 2. Achieving Education Center Status

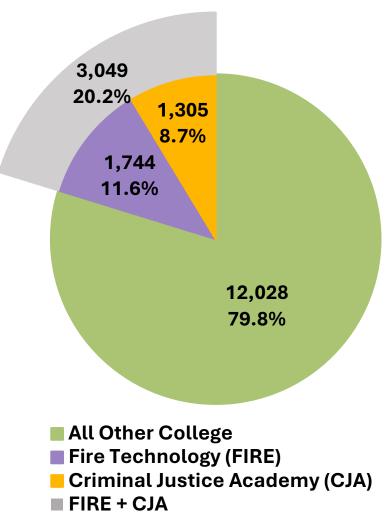
Understand the current program's educational center eligibility

## FEASIBILITY STUDY | GUIDING PRINCIPLES

PROGRAM	INSTITUTIONAL	FINANCIAL
SUSTAINABILITY	SUSTAINABILITY	SUSTAINABILITY
<ul> <li>Health and Safety for Students and Instructors</li> <li>Continued Program Integrity</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mission Serving</li> <li>Supports Vision 2030         <ul> <li>Living-wage</li> <li>Essential Jobs</li> <li>Underserved Communities</li> </ul> </li> <li>CEQA/and other         <ul> <li>Entitlements</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Continued Program         Viability</li> <li>Facilities that can         accommodate growth</li> <li>Education Center Status</li> </ul>

# FIRE TECHNOLOGY & CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACADEMY KEY FINDINGS/IMPLICATIONS

#### Santa Ana College 2023-24 FTES



- 1. Both departments **exceed** Educational Center 1000+ FTES requirement for:
  - IPP/FPP funding
  - Additional Student-Centered Funding Formula (SCFF) funding (~\$2.1M in 2023-24 FY)
- 2. Related-occupations for both departments are expected to grow (2020-2030)
- 3. More average annual Total Job Opening (2020-2030) than Community College Awards (2018-2023) for both departments

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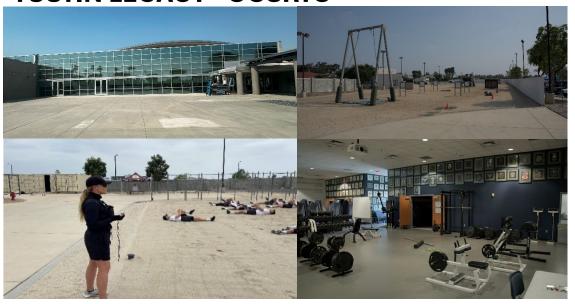
"After five years on the job, a [SAC fire technology] graduate... makes a median annual salary of \$114,446 after net costs of just \$2,994 for the two-year education."

- Los Angeles Times October 3, 2024
- Departments provide pathways to livingwage occupations
- Highest value awards (price-to-earnings) among 2,695 undergraduate programs at 324 California institutions
  - 0.0 Years to pay off FIRE certifications
  - 0.2 years to pay off CJ certifications
- Support/advance Vision 2030 goals and objectives



## **SITE VISITS**

#### **TUSTIN LEGACY - OCSRTC**



**NEWPORT BEACH - FIRE STATION #7** 



**HUNTINGTON BEACH - CNET** 



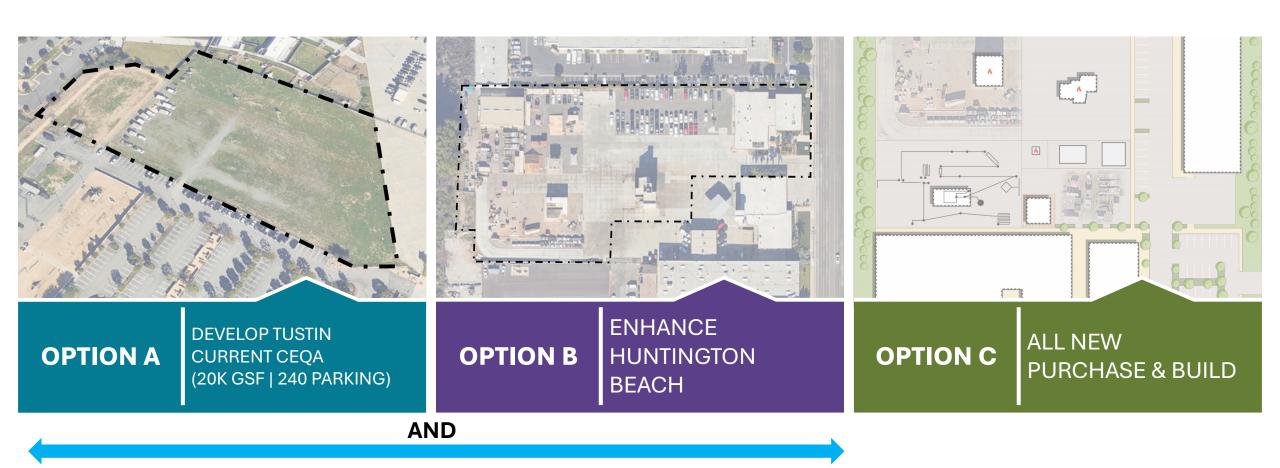
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## **EXISTING SITES - COMPARATIVE MATRIX**

		Tustin Legacy OCSRTA		Huntington Beach CNET		Newport Beach Station #7
BENEFITS	1. 2. 3.	Owned by District Within District boundaries Potential interdisciplinary synergies Available parking	1. 2. 3.	Currently used by SAC Fire Academy Able to conduct burns on site With lease expiring in July 2025, potential to re-negotiate terms and responsibilities	1.	Lease through August 2032
CONSIDERATIONS	1.	Limited usable area limits program expansion Existing CEQA entitlements and limitations (e.g. burn tower/burning props on site excluded by City of Tustin)	1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.		1. 2. 3.	Not owned by District Outside of District boundaries Limited usable area not viable for current program enrollment levels Limited parking available

## **SCENARIO OPTIONS**



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# COMPARISON MATRIX A + B Combined

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Consideration Area	Consideration Description	OPTION A Develop Tustin Current CEQA (20K GSF   240 Parking)	OPTION B Enhance Huntington Beach	OPTION C Purchase & Build
Education Center Status	District Owned Property	<b>✓</b>	Х	✓
	<ul><li>Within District Boundaries</li></ul>	✓	X	✓
	<ul><li>Dedicated Address for Center Status</li></ul>	X	X	✓
	Dedicated Home for SAC Fire Technology/Academy	X	X	✓
	● ● Modern Classroom/Lab Facilities	<b>✓</b>	N/A	<b>✓</b>
	New Non-Burn Tower	<b>✓</b>	N/A	✓
Addresses Program Needs	New Burn Tower	X	N/A	✓
	<ul><li>New Cancer Prevention / Locker Facilities</li></ul>	X	<b>✓</b>	✓
	<ul><li>Expansion of Additional Engine/ Gear Storage</li></ul>	N/A	<b>✓</b>	✓
	SACFIT Wellness Facilities	<b>✓</b>	X	✓
	Program Expansion Capabilities	X	X	✓
Other	Potential Non-District Funding Opportunities	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓
	<ul><li>Adequate Parking</li></ul>	<b>✓</b>	X	✓
	Reduces District Liabilities	<b>✓</b>	X	✓
	Total Boxes Checked	8/14	3/14	14/14
	Rough Order of Magnitude (ROM) Total Project Cost Estimate*	\$50M** +/-	\$35M** +/-	\$110M*** +/-
A+B Comb	ined   Rough Order of Magnitude (ROM) Total Project Cost Estimate*	\$85M		N/A
	Total Cost of Ownership & Operations (50-Year) Cost Estimate	TBD	TBD	TBD
A+B Comb	ined   Total Cost of Ownership & Operations (50-Year) Cost Estimate	ТВ	D	N/A

<sup>\*</sup>Represents total project costs as of 2024 (not escalated to midpoint of construction).

<sup>\*\*</sup>Includes allowance for soil mitigation and hazardous materials abatement.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Includes site acquisition costs of \$25 million.

Meets unaddressed Fire Technology needs.

Meets unaddressed Criminal Justice needs.

# NEXT STEPS PROCESS AND WORKPLAN

### September-October:

- 1. Confirm direction with College and District Leadership
- 2. Potential follow-up studies and funding sources
- 3. Total Cost of Ownership & Operations and Cost Benefit Analysis
- 4. ALMA to **Draft Report** for RSCCD review

#### **November-December:**

- Review feasibility study with Facilities and Safety Committee, Chancellor's Office, potentially Board of Trustees
- 2. Potential engagement of key strategic partners?
- 3. Final Report



## **THANK YOU!**

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