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Subject: Action Needed by Students- Second Round of COVID-19 Emergency Student Grant Money

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Memorandum

To: Platt College Students Eligible for the HEERF II Emergency Student Grant

From: Dr. Julie Basler, President

Date: Monday, May 3, 2021

Re: 1st Notification for HEERF II

Platt College has received funding established by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA) to disburse \$230,799 in Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds (HEERF II) to students with *exceptional need*. Exceptional need is based on each student's Expected Family Contribution (EFC) as a result of their 2020-2021 FAFSA.

These funds are meant to help students cover expenses related to attending Platt College (e.g., tuition, housing, meals, transportation costs, health care (including mental health), or childcare) or for emergency costs that arise due to coronavirus.

Here are the next steps for eligible students to receive their portion of the money.

Step 1: Before money may be issued to eligible students, you must read the <u>HEERF II</u> <u>Emergency Student Grant webpage</u> to determine if you are eligible for the grant.

Step 2: If you believe you meet the eligibility requirements, you must complete the **Additional Impact Grant Self-Certification for 2020-21 Form** on or before May 16, 2021. Once your certification is complete and verified, your part of the grant will appear on your ledger and will be dispersed in accordance with certification choice.

We anticipate that the process will be completed for students by the last week of May. For questions regarding the HEERF II Emergency Student Grant, please reach out to the financial aid department at financialaid@plattcolorado.edu

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