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MCCC SEEKING THIRD-PARTY COMMENTS PRIOR TO ACCREDITATION VISIT

MONROE, Mich. – Monroe County Community College is seeking comments from the public in preparation for its comprehensive evaluation visit October 19-20 by a team representing The Higher Learning Commission.

The team will review the institution's ongoing ability to meet the Commission's Criteria for Accreditation.

The Higher Learning Commission is an independent corporation that was founded in 1895 as one of six regional institutional accreditors in the United States. HLC accredits degree-granting post-secondary educational institutions in the North Central region, which includes the following 19 states: Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Dakota, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

Institutional accreditation evaluates an entire institution and accredits it as a whole. Other agencies provide accreditation for specific programs.

The public is invited to submit written comments regarding MCCC online at:

<http://www.hlcommission.org/HLC-Institutions/third-party-comment.html>

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Or, comments can be mailed to:

Third-Party Comment on Monroe County Community College

The Higher Learning Commission

230 South LaSalle Street, Suite 7-500

Chicago, IL 60604-1411

Comments are due in the Higher Learning Commission office **no later than one month before the date the visit is scheduled to begin.** The commission cannot guarantee that comments received after the due date will be considered.

An individual with a specific dispute or grievance with an institution should request the separate Policy on Complaints from the commission office. The Higher Learning Commission cannot settle disputes between institutions and individuals, whether faculty, students or others. Complaints will not be considered as comments.

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