RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE

HUSKY COLLEGE COMEBACK PROGRAM AND AWARDING TRUSTEE SUCCESS SCHOLARSHIPS

- The Husky College Comeback Program will serve students who previously attended Monroe County Community College but stopped attending, including students who failed to make Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) and/or have an outstanding balance preventing their return and completion of a degree or credit certificate. This program is intended to provide support and aid the return of students under specific criteria that eligible students must meet.
- 2. To be eligible for consideration in the Husky College Comeback Program, a student must*:
 - a. Be a resident of Monroe County, Michigan.
 - b. Be seeking a degree or credit certificate.
 - c. Not attended Monroe County Community College for at least six semesters.
 - d. Enroll at MCCC in the following fall or winter semester with at least SIX (6) contact hours
 - e. Have the ability to pay in full, sign up for the payment plan, or have financial aid cover the balance for the semester they will be re-enrolling at the time of registration.
 - f. Not already been awarded a degree or certificate from MCCC.

*Exceptions to these eligibility requirements may be considered on a case-by-case basis; however, the residency requirement cannot be waived.

- 3. MCCC may admit a cohort of eligible students for enrollment into the Husky College Comeback Program prior to each fall and winter semester. MCCC will temporarily pause any financial hold on students' accounts to allow them to register for classes.
- 4. Husky Comeback is a one-time offer, and students who do not complete will not be eligible to apply again.
- 5. To maintain eligibility in the Husky College Comeback program, a student must**:
 - a. Attend Returning Student Orientation.
 - b. Meet with an advisor.
 - c. Maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) in their coursework.
 - d. Communicate with the Student Success Team a minimum of three (3) times during each semester.
 - e. Enroll in at least six (6) contact hours for each semester consecutively until completion of a degree or certificate or successful transfer to another institution.

**Exceptions to these eligibility requirements may be considered on a case-by-case basis, including any additional requirements as deemed necessary by the Student Success Center.

- 6. All prior debts to Monroe County Community College, up to \$2,500, will be forgiven upon completion of the Husky College Comeback Program that results in a completed degree or credit certificate or successful transfer to another institution. Students who fail to complete the Husky College Comeback Program will not have debt forgiven and will be subject to debt collection.
- Students with outstanding debt exceeding \$2,500 must either pay the difference owed to the college or secure an exception prior to enrollment in the Husky College Comeback Program. Exceptions may be granted by the appeals committee described in Section 10 on a case-by-case basis provided funding for full forgiveness is available.
- 8. Some students enrolled in the Husky College Comeback Program may be eligible for a Trustee Success Scholarship, provided they meet the following criteria:
 - a. Must be successfully enrolled in the Husky College Comeback Program.
 - b. Must apply for all eligible aid (including Foundation Scholarships).
 - c. Must be able to evidence demonstrated financial need.
- 9. The number of enrollees will be determined by the funding available. Funding limitations may warrant a competitive selection process, which could be determined on a first-come-first-serve basis or upon factors such as GPA, progress toward completion of a degree or credit certificate, total amount of outstanding debt, etc.
- 10. Any exceptions to these rules and regulations, including any appeals regarding entrance or continuing eligibility, must be approved by a committee of staff members appointed by the Vice President of Enrollment Management and Student Success. A determination letter will be included in the student's file.