# Salary Equity Taskforce (SET) 

Meeting Feb. 26, 2014

## Agenda

- Overview
- Approach
- Progress to Date
- RAF (Funding)
- Job Families
- Data
- Analysis


## Overview

## GCCCD Total Compensation Philosophy \& Goal

- GCCCD takes a total compensation (salary and benefits) approach
- Only 3 of 9 benchmark districts pay 100\% employee plus dependents for medical, dental, vision benefits
- GCCCD is committed to having competitive compensation combined with excellent healthcare and retirement benefits
- Goal shall be for employee compensation to be at the $50^{\text {th }}$ percentile (median) of comparable agencies


## Overview (continued)

- Special DEC/DSP\&BC Meeting March 11, 2013 re: salary issues, concerns about critical turnover/hiring problems (esp. with VPs and deans, ranked lowest of all 9 benchmark districts)
- Salary Equity Taskforce (SET) developed to address issue holistically for all employee groups (May 10, 2013 first meeting)
Composition
Chancellor - Chair
*Vice Chancellor, Human Resources
Associate Vice Chancellor, Human Resources
Faculty (Acad Senate) representative
Student Services representative
President, American Federation of Teachers Guild
President, California School Employees Association
President, Administrators Association
Chancellor's Cabinet representative
Confidential Administrators representative
Confidential Employees representative
*new position added


## Overview (continued)

- Taskforce Charge
- Take existing data
- Update and verify
- Identify greatest outliers
- Analyze costs for implementation
- Draft solutions for each challenge (problem may be with a whole schedule, with a single classification, or with a single job)
- Develop District-wide plan for addressing salary equity for all employee groups, including phasing and communication


## Overview (continued)

- Taskforce Agreed (12/17/13 meeting)
- Address greatest needs first
- Raises should be proportional to needs
- All groups below the median will be advanced
- Those furthest from the median will receive higher proportions of available funds


## Approach

- Took the 9 benchmark Community Colleges Districts
- Compete for talent
- Closely resemble structure/size
- Agreed on these nine with most unions and all meet and confer group during the study of 2010


## 9 Benchmark Community Colleges Districts

- Coast Community College District
- Palomar Community College District
- North Orange County Community College District
- Rancho Santiago Community College District
- Riverside Community College District
- San Bernardino Community College District
- San Diego Community College District
- Southwestern College District
- Ventura County Community College District


## Approach (Continued)

- Reviewed Long-term Compensation Potential
- Took 15 year approach (example at GCCCD took Step E plus 10 years of longevity plus doctorate)
- Reviewed the Median
- Median is the middle value ( $50^{\text {th }}$ Percentile)
- Half of the Districts above
- Half of the Districts below


## Approach (Continued)

- Benchmark Jobs
- Reference point for making comparisons
- Represent entire job structure/family
- Sizable number employed in these jobs
- Typically only benchmark jobs are included in surveys/review (not every job in the organization)


## Progress to Date

- Met with each unit several times
- Good Discussions
- Modifications were made
- Agreed with each unit on data (for year 1)


## Resource Allocation Formula (RAF)

- RAF dedicates $15 \%$ of all new on-going funds for districtwide increases in operating costs. Half of that ( $7.5 \%$ of the total) is dedicated to fund SET recommendations.
- Amount will vary each year depending on amount of new money coming into the district and new costs applied to RAF according to the formula.


## Job Families

- Total of 19 Job Families examined
- CSEA - 12
- Admin Association - 2
- AFT - 2
- Confidential Admin - 1
- Confidential Employee-1
- Chancellor's Cabinet - 1


## How far from the Median is each Family?

| Group | Job Family | Percent to Median |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CSEA | Instructional Technicians | -18.48\% |
| Administrator's Assoc | Educational Admin | -17.53\% |
| Confidential Admin | Confidential Admin | -15.38\% |
| CSEA | Student Services | -15.27\% |
| CSEA | Multi-Media/Graphics | -13.13\% |
| Confidential Employees | Confidential Employees | -12.88\% |
| CSEA | Research | -12.87\% |
| Chancellor's Cabinet | Chancellor's Cabinet | -12.22\% |
| CSEA | Operations/CAPS | -11.72\% |
| CSEA | HR | -11.33\% |
| AFT | Adjunct | -11.08\% |
| CSEA | Secretary | -7.44\% |
| CSEA | Information System | -7.09\% |
| CSEA | Maintenance | -6.04\% |
| AFT | Instructors | -5.90\% |
| Administrator's Assoc | Classified Admin/Supervisors | -5.27\% |
| CSEA | Fiscal Services | -0.55\% |
| CSEA | Clerical | 0.39\% |
| CSEA | Electrical Mtx | 26.71\% |
| AVERAGE |  | -8.27\% |

Average excluding Clerical and Electrical Mtx $=-10.83 \%$

## How much would it cost to get Median?

| Family | Percent to Median | Cost to Median |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Instructional Technicians (CSEA) | $-18.479 \%$ | $\$ 686,839.18$ |
| Educational Admin (AA) | $-17.530 \%$ | $\$ 387,203.62$ |
| Confidential Admin (CSEA) | $-15.380 \%$ | $\$ 199,181.12$ |
| Student Services (CSEA) | $-15.270 \%$ | $\$ 594,195.35$ |
| Multi-Media/Graphics (CSEA) | $-13.129 \%$ | $\$ 112,401.39$ |
| Confidential Employees | $-12.880 \%$ | $\$ 74,279.17$ |
| Research (CSEA) | $-12.866 \%$ | $\$ 28,261.75$ |
| Chancellor's Cabinet | $-12.220 \%$ | $\$ 129,981.30$ |
| Operations/CAPS (CSEA) | $-11.723 \%$ | $\$ 253,208.52$ |
| HR (CSEA) | $-11.326 \%$ | $\$ 32,307.37$ |
| Adjunct (AFT) | $-11.080 \%$ | $\$ 1,271,645.03$ |
| Secretary (CSEA) | $-7.440 \%$ | $\$ 115,736.80$ |
| Information System (CSEA) | $-7.092 \%$ | $\$ 110,065.91$ |
| Maintenance (CSEA) | $-6.041 \%$ | $\$ 68,800.44$ |
| Instructors (AFT) | $-5.900 \%$ | $\$ 1,497,590.64$ |
| Classified Admin/Supervisor (AA) | $-5.270 \%$ | $\$ 194,134.73$ |
| Fiscal Services (CSEA) | $-0.550 \%$ | $\$ 10,794.35$ |
| Clerical (CSEA) | $0.390 \%$ |  |
| Electrical Mt. (CSEA) |  |  |
| TOTAL |  |  |

## Analysis

- To bring all units to Median
- Total cost \$5,766,626.68
- Funding for SET 2014
- \$233,365.50
- Approximately 4\% of total cost


## Analysis (Continued)

Percentage from Median vs. Cost

- Costs vary substantially by size \& salaries of groups
- Example:
- Educational Administrators
- Off by $17.53 \%$ to Median
- 19 employees
- Cost $\$ 387,203.62$ to Median
- Instructors (Full-time)
- Off by 5.9\% to Median
- 271 employees
- Cost \$1,497,590.64 to Median


## What percent of the total cost does each family need?

| Family | Cost to Median | \% of Total Cost | \% to Median |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Instructional Technicians (CSEA) | \$686,839.18 | 11.9\% | -18.48\% |
| Educational Admin (AA) | \$387,203.62 | 6.7\% | -17.53\% |
| Confidential Admin | \$199,181.12 | 3.5\% | -15.38\% |
| Student Services (CSEA) | \$594,195.35 | 10.3\% | -15.27\% |
| Multi-Media/Graphics (CSEA) | \$112,401.39 | 1.9\% | -13.13\% |
| Confidential Employee | \$74,279.17 | 1.3\% | -12.88\% |
| Research (CSEA) | \$28,261.75 | 0.5\% | -12.87\% |
| Chancellor's Cabinet | \$129,981.30 | 2.3\% | -12.22\% |
| Operations/CAPS (CSEA) | \$253,208.52 | 4.4\% | -11.72\% |
| HR (CSEA) | \$32,307.37 | 0.6\% | -11.33\% |
| Adjunct (AFT) | \$1,271,645.03 | 22.1\% | -11.08\% |
| Secretary (CSEA) | \$115,736.80 | 2.0\% | -7.44\% |
| Information System (CSEA) | \$110,065.91 | 1.9\% | -7.09\% |
| Maintenance (CSEA) | \$68,800.44 | 1.2\% | -6.04\% |
| Instructors (AFT) | \$1,497,590.64 | 26.0\% | -5.90\% |
| Classified Admin/Supervisor (AA) | \$194,134.73 | 3.4\% | -5.27\% |
| Fiscal Services (CSEA) | \$10,794.35 | 0.2\% | -0.55\% |
| Clerical (CSEA) | - |  | 0.39\% |
| Electrical Mt. (CSEA) | - |  | 26.71\% |
| TOTAL | \$5,766,626.68 | 100.0\% |  |

## Percent of Total Cost



- Instructional Technicians (CSEA)

■ Educational Admin (AA)

- Confidential Admin
$\square$ Student Services (CSEA)
- Multi-Media/Graphics (CSEA)
- Confidential EE
- Research (CSEA)

■ Chancellor's Cabinet

■ Operations/CAPS (CSEA)

- HR (CSEA)
- Adjunct (AFT)
- Secretary (CSEA)
- Information System (CSEA)
$\square$ Maintenance (CSEA)
- Instructors (AFT)

■ Classified Admin/Supervisor (AA)

- Fiscal Services (CSEA)


## Percent of Total Cost by EMPLOYEE GROUP

| GROUP | Cost to Median | \% of Total Cost | \% to Median |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Educational Admin (AA) | $\$ 387,203.62$ | $6.7 \%$ | $-17.53 \%$ |
| Confidential Admin | $\$ 199,181.12$ | $3.5 \%$ | $-15.38 \%$ |
| Confidential Employees | $\$ 74,279.17$ | $1.3 \%$ | $-12.88 \%$ |
| Chancellor's Cabinet | $\$ 129,981.30$ | $2.3 \%$ | $-12.22 \%$ |
| Adjunct (AFT) | $\$ 1,271,645.03$ | $22.1 \%$ | $-11.08 \%$ |
| CSEA | $\$ 2,012,611.06$ | $34.9 \%$ | $-10.4 \%$ |
| Instructors (AFT) | $\$ 1,497,590.64$ | $\mathbf{2 6 . 0 \%}$ | $-5.90 \%$ |
| Classified <br> Admin/Supervisor (AA) | $\$ 194,134.73$ | $\mathbf{3 . 4 \%}$ | $-5.27 \%$ |
| TOTAL | $\mathbf{\$ 5 , 7 6 6 , 6 2 6 . 6 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 0 \%}$ |  |

## OPTIONS

Funding distributed by Total Cost with 2014 RAF funds

| Family | Percent of Total Cost | Total Funding 2014 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Instructional Technicians (CSEA) |  |  |
| Educational Admin (AA) | $11.9 \%$ | $\$ 27,795.26$ |
| Confidential Admin | $6.7 \%$ | $\$ 15,669.50$ |
| Student Services (CSEA) | $3.5 \%$ | $\$ 8,060.54$ |
| Multi-Media/Graphics (CSEA) | $10.3 \%$ | $\$ 24,046.12$ |
| Confidential EE | $1.9 \%$ | $\$ 4,548.70$ |
| Research (CSEA) | $1.3 \%$ | $\$ 3,005.96$ |
| Chancellor's Cabinet | $0.5 \%$ | $\$ 1,143.71$ |
| Operations/CAPS (CSEA) | $2.3 \%$ | $\$ 5,260.13$ |
| HR (CSEA) | $4.4 \%$ | $\$ 10,246.94$ |
| Adjunct (AFT) | $0.6 \%$ | $\$ 1,307.43$ |
| Secretary (CSEA) | $22.1 \%$ | $\$ 51,461.41$ |
| Information System (CSEA) | $2.0 \%$ | $\$ 4,683.68$ |
| Maintenance (CSEA) | $1.9 \%$ | $\$ 4,454.19$ |
| Instructors (AFT) | $1.2 \%$ | $\$ 2,784.24$ |
| Classified Admin/Supervisor (AA) |  | $26.0 \%$ |
| Fiscal Services (CSEA) | $3.4 \%$ | $\$ 60,605.06$ |
| Clerical (CSEA) |  |  |
| Electrical Mt. (CSEA) |  |  |
| TOTAL |  |  |

## Percent of 2014 SET funds by employee unit

| Unit | Total Funding 2014 | Percent by Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AFT | $\$ 112,066.46$ | $48.0 \%$ |
| CSEA | $\$ 81,447.10$ | $34.9 \%$ |
| Administrator's Assoc | $\$ 23,525.82$ | $10.1 \%$ |
| Confidential Admin | $\$ 8,060.54$ | $3.5 \%$ |
| Chancellor's Cabinet | $\$ 5,260.13$ | $2.3 \%$ |
| Confidential Employees | $\$ 3,005.96$ | $1.3 \%$ |
| TOTALS | $\$ \mathbf{2 3 3} 3 \mathbf{3 6 6 . 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 0 \%}$ |

## Percent change to Salary Schedule by Job Family

| Family | Total Funding |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ |
| Instructional Technicians (CSEA) | $\$ 27,795.26$ |
| Educational Admin (AA) | $\$ 15,669.50$ |
| Confidential Admin | $\$ 8,060.54$ |
| Student Services (CSEA) | $\$ 24,046.12$ |
| Multi-Media/Graphics (CSEA) | $\$ 4,548.70$ |
| Confidential EE | $\$ 3,005.96$ |
| Research (CSEA) | $\$ 1,143.71$ |
| Chancellor's Cabinet | $\$ 5,260.13$ |
| Operations/CAPS (CSEA) | $\$ 10,246.94$ |
| HR (CSEA) | $\$ 1,307.43$ |
| Adjunct (AFT) | $\$ 51,461.41$ |
| Secretary (CSEA) | $\$ 4,683.68$ |
| Information System (CSEA) | $\$ 4,454.19$ |
| Maintenance (CSEA) | $\$ 2,784.24$ |
| Instructors (AFT) | $\$ 60,605.06$ |
| Classified Admin/Supervisor (AA) | $\$ 7,856.32$ |
| Fiscal Services (CSEA) | $\$ 436.83$ |
| Clerical (CSEA) |  |
| Electrical Mt. (CSEA) |  |

Percent on Salary
Percent to Median Schedule
0.75\%
0.71\%
0.62\%
0.62\%
0.53\%
0.52\%
0.52\%
0.49\%
0.47\%
0.46\%
0.45\%
0.30\%
0.29\%
0.24\%
0.24\%
0.21\%
0.02\%

| $-0.55 \%$ |
| :---: |
| $0.39 \%$ |
| $26.71 \%$ |

## Year 1 Schedules

## Unit

Admin Association

- Educational Admin Schedule
- Classified Admin Schedule
- Supervisor Schedule


## AFT

- Adjunct Schedule
- Instructors Schedule .45\%
.24\%
Chancellor's Cabinet
Confidential Admin
Confidential Employee .49\%
.62\%

CSEA
.71\%
.21\%
.21\%

## Percent Added to Schedule

## CSEA Schedules (continued)

- Overview
- Total amount for CSEA is $\$ 81,447.10$
- One Schedule for all families
- Distance between grades is 3\%
- Not enough money this year for substantial changes (i.e., move families up grades, create new schedules by families)
- Keep one Schedule
- Apply . 425 \% across board (average)


## CSEA Schedules (continued)

- Still meets goals of greatest funds to greatest needs
- Range applied to salary schedule is $.71 \%$ to $.21 \%$
- Easier to communicate and administer
- Freeze Electrical Mtx family
(ranking dollars - already off schedule)
- Downside - Clerical family will be $.82 \%$ above median


## Next Steps

- SET develop recommendations
- Recommendations go to Bargaining groups and Meet and Confer groups
- Final decision and implementation
- Could implement in March/April if decisions are made quickly

