

## **COMMENTS FROM Public Hearing held Monday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>**

### **1 attendee**

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**Q1** – Do you give notice to those affected?

**A1** – Yes by having Public Hearings.

**Q2** – So Willow International was not a part of the local area?

**A2** – Yes Willow was always a part of the local area, it's just now a formality 'Name' change to Clovis Community College

**Q3** – What about those who live far away which would impact numbers of transfers – surprised that you're getting more apps. How does this impact affect the transfer rate?

**A3** – We only accept upper division transfers with an AST degree which helps them get in. In addition they also have the foundation golden 4 courses.

**Comment:** The growth allocation is still being thought out. We have a high demand. We've reached the point that if we don't limit students we wouldn't have classes to offer. We can't hire or expand our institution with current funds. Priority impaction is needed to take care of our locals by working with state leaders and legislature. That's why the legislature needs to see in the next year what are physical capacity would be.

**Comment:** That's why the woman's voter league needs a seat in this....Hopefully next year we will have a position.

**Q4** Physical Capacity? You used to offer summer courses.

**A4** Yes we did we called it Year Round Operation.

**Q5** What happened to it?

**A5** The recession hit our budget so we had to shift it back to Continuing Global Education. Yes that means our facilities are not being used during the months of May – August.

**Comment:** Funding affordable equity preparedness. 78% of the students are not college ready. The CSU with the consultation of Jerry Brown says no you can't do that or else our funds will be cut off.