MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. Donald Baepler, Chancellor, UNS
RE: Student Survey for College Name

The following names were submitted to my office by the President of our Student Body:

- 1. Truckee Meadow Community College
- 2. Reno/Sparks Community College
- 3. Mountain Sage College
- 4. Washoe County Community College
- 5. High Sierra Community College
- 6. Silver State College
- 7. College of the Foothills

VJ:dc

cc: Executive Council
MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. Donald Baepler, Chancellor, UNS

I am sure Jack Davis will transmit the results of our Advisory Committee recommendations to you, but thought I would include their recommendations along with another recommendation for naming the College.

1. One Advisory Committee Member recommended that South Campus be named Central Nevada Community College and Washoe retain Western Nevada Community College.

2. The Advisory Committee voted unanimously for the separation into two colleges.

3. Voted to eliminate the Division Status. Two members abstained.

V. James Eardley
Executive Vice President

VJE:dc

cc: Executive Council

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November 6, 1979

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Professional and Classified Staff
    WNCC/Reno-Sparks Campus

On the attached page are listed the names that were submitted for our new college name. I am requesting that you vote for one and return to Dorothy Caserta by Friday, November 16.

The South Campus has voted to retain Western Nevada Community College for their college name.

Thank you.

VJE:dc
Attachment

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RECOMMENDED NAMES FOR WNCC/RENO-SPARKS CAMPUS

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WESTERN NEVADA COMMUNITY COLLEGE/RENO-SPARKS
RENO/SPARKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE
RENO-SPARKS CAMPUS/WESTERN NEVADA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
WASHOE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
WASHOE COMMUNITY COLLEGE/RENO
WASHOE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
WASHOE NEVADA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
TRUCKEE MEADOWS COMMUNITY COLLEGE
NORTHWESTERN NEVADA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
NORTHWESTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
GREAT BASIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
SIERRA NEVADA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
EARDLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
COSMOPOLITAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
GRAND VIEW COMMUNITY COLLEGE
NORTH RIDGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
VALLEY VIEW COMMUNITY COLLEGE
SUN VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
PAUL LAXALT COLLEGE
HOWARD HUGHES COLLEGE
PEAVINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
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MEMORANDUM

TO: All Faculty and Staff

FROM: Bill Bonaudi, Chairman
  Accreditation Steering Committee

SUBJECT: Split of Western Nevada Community College

If the potential split of WNCC occurs, an extra chapter will be added to Self Study II to describe and analyze any and all changes in our operations that may happen.

Each Steering Committee member will write a section of that addendum for the chapters of the Self Study that he or she coordinated. To gain the information they need to write their reports, they will be interviewing all administrators on their respective campuses. If any of you also wish to contribute specific information regarding possible changes and the value of those changes that may occur, please seek out one of the Steering Committee members on your campus and share your thoughts with them.

This report must be ready by Friday, November 30, 1979, so see them well in advance of that date if you want to speak with them.

I want to thank you for your help to this date and I'm confident that Self Study II, even with an addendum, will help to secure fully accredited status for each college if that is to be our status.

BB/kla
November 30, 1979

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Staff, Reno/Sparks Campus

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for participating in the survey to select a new name for our College. I believe in the democratic process and you have shown that it really works.

At this moment the final results have not been compiled. When this has been accomplished, I will send the top two names on to the Board for action.

Thanks for your fine dedication.

V. James Eardley
Executive Vice President

VJE:dc
MEMORANDUM

TO: All Faculty and Staff

I am quite proud of all your support in the recent action taken by the Board of Regents to separate WNCC into two Colleges.

I would like to thank you for taking all the time to name the College and the support for me as President.

This should be a time all of you can be proud of what you have accomplished.

Happy New Year.

V. James Eardley
President

VJE:dc
Western Nevada Community College
Truckee Meadows Community College

An Institutional Self Study

January 1980
ADDENDUM

This self-study has been written in the anticipation that Western Nevada Community College would soon be formally organized as a multi-campus, comprehensive community college. A new district office was planned with one President and a chief administrative officer for each campus. Accordingly, this report was written as really two reports, one for each campus.

The Board of Regents of the University of Nevada System, however, directed that each campus was to become a totally independent community college. So at their regular meeting on December 19, 1979, they formally separated Western Nevada Community College. The Carson City Campus (South Campus) and all of the county centers (Fallon, Yerington, Hawthorne, etc.) retain the title of Western Nevada Community College, and Dr. Jack Davis remains as President. The Reno/Sparks Campus is now Truckee Meadows Community College, and Mr. James Eardley is its President.

Throughout the production of this report, both campuses expressed a wish to be considered independent of the other and, in fact, each did operate with a great deal of autonomy. That situation has now been formally recognized.

Dr. Frederick Giles of the University of Washington has served as consultant to WNCC for Self-Study II. He feels that this report provides sufficient detail about each campus/college so that it should still be appropriate for the accreditation process even with this
FOREWORD

Western Nevada Community College began operations in the fall of 1971. In the ensuing years it has evolved into a multi-campus community college serving the eight counties of Western Nevada. This area of over 24,000 square miles includes both urban and rural populations. The urban population is concentrated in the Reno/Sparks area, with over 170,000 people, and in the state capital of Carson City, with 34,000 people.

Since the initial enrollment of 750 in 1971, the demand for services has continued to increase so that over ten times that many persons now enroll each fall (see Table IX-3). In the fall of 1978, the College served over 8,000 people. Over a period of a year, the campuses and centers of Western Nevada Community College will touch over 10,000 lives, as indicated by unduplicated annual enrollments.

Comprehensive community college services are provided in this vast area through a variety of facilities. Two campuses of the College with their own buildings are located in Carson City and Reno/Sparks, and are separated by approximately 34 miles. A building will be constructed at Fallon, about 60 miles east of Carson City and Reno. Satellite centers are found at Yerington, Hawthorne, Gardnerville/Minden, Lovelock, and Incline Village. Instructional sites are located in several other communities as well. The Carson City Campus, located in the foothills northwest of the state capitol, is the original facility of Western Nevada Community College. The office of the President of the College is in Carson City.
The Carson City Campus building, occupied in 1975, includes approximately 27,000 gross square feet, with construction of an additional 20,000 gross square feet anticipated to begin in 1979. This campus also makes use of Carson City School District buildings and several other public facilities.

The largest campus is located on a hill north of Reno. This facility is responsible for the delivery of services to most of Washoe County, and particularly to the urban areas of Reno and Sparks. The Campus operates out of a building of approximately 39,000 gross square feet, and an addition of 100,000 gross square feet is currently under construction. The Campus also makes extensive use of the facilities of the Washoe County School District and many other public facilities.

A strong community interest has resulted in a request to the state legislature this past session for a College-owned center in Fallon. This has been funded and will be approximately 10,000 gross square feet, which will allow the center to expand occupational operations and increase daytime offerings. Currently, however, the Fallon operation leases a building for administrative, counseling, and instructional purposes and relies on Churchill County School District facilities for additional instructional activities.

In areas away from these three major population centers, the College continues to utilize school district and other facilities in seven communities to meet instructional and related service needs.

Throughout this self-study document, every effort will be made to describe the operations of the College in a manner that will make clear to the reader which characteristics and activities are those of the
College as a whole and which are unique to a particular campus or center. Whenever analysis of the operations has indicated differing perceptions, this document will report those perceptions.

In 1975, Western Nevada Community College was fully accredited by the Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges. In preparation for an on-site visit by members of an evaluation committee from that body, the College conducted a comprehensive self-study which resulted in a document much like this one. Now, in Self-Study II, we report the findings of a similar study, begun in the fall semester of 1978 and completed late in the fall of 1979. In many instances throughout this document, reference has been made to the earlier self-study, which we have called Self-Study I. Interested readers will want to compare the documents for a more thorough idea of the growth and progress of the College over the intervening years.