



## Board of Commissioners

David Henslee, Commissioner  
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November 1, 2022

Higher Education Coordinating Commission  
Donna Lewelling  
Director of Office of Community Colleges and Workforce Development  
3225 25th Street SE  
Salem, Oregon 97302

Dear Ms. Lewelling,

We fully support the efforts of Klamath Community College as they seek external funding to establish a well-drilling program designed to fill a much-needed trade gap and support students in our community who seek an alternative pathway to employment beyond a four-year degree.

Sincerely,



David A. Henslee  
Commissioner



Kelley Minty  
Chair

**Not Present**

Derrick DeGroot  
Vice Chair

cc: Ben.CANNON@hecc.oregon.gov