

October 25, 2016

The Honorable S. Chris Jones
Chairman, House Appropriations Committee
9th Floor General Assembly Building
910 Capitol Street
Richmond, VA 23219

The Honorable Thomas K. Norment, Jr.
The Honorable Emmett W. Hanger, Jr.
Co-Chairmen, Senate Finance Committee
10th Floor General Assembly Building
910 Capitol Street
Richmond, VA 23219

Dear Chairman Jones and Co-Chairmen Norment and Hanger:

I respectfully submit the following annual report on Central Virginia Community College's allocation of \$255,000 each year from the general fund which is designated for the operation of the college's Amherst Center.

The table below shows the programs, number of students enrolled for 2015-16, number of degrees and certificates awarded in 2015-16, the number of students enrolled in 2016-17, and the number of students anticipated for 2017-18 at the Amherst Center.

CVCC Amherst Center

Program	Number of Students Enrolled in 2015-16	Number of Degrees and Certificates Awarded in 2015-16*	Number of Students Enrolled in 2016-17	Number Students Anticipated in 2017-18
Dual Enrollment/Early College	17		46	48
General Studies Associate of Arts and Sciences (AA&S)	10	8	10	12
Science AA&S	7	1	8	10
General Education or Other Certificates	8	12	9	11
Total	45	21	73	81

* Dual Enrollment Students earn both the General Studies AA&S and General Education Certificate simultaneously with their high school diplomas upon successful completion of the program.

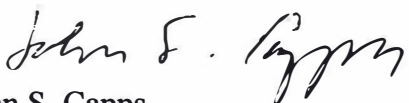
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As you can see, the number of students taking courses at the Amherst Center has increased dramatically. The funding provided by the General Assembly has been critical to our continued operations at the Amherst Center, and I cannot thank you enough for your support. Indeed, your intervention saved the center, and the funding is proving to be an investment in the future.

Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John S. Capps". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "C" at the end.

John S. Capps
President

C: Mr. Robert Vaughn, HAC Staff Director
Ms. Betsey Daley, SFC Staff Director