



AB 1173

SUMMARY PRESENTATION

Chaptered Legislation and Guidance Report

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ABOUT AB 1173 TA (WATCH)

College and Career Fairs

Purpose: To provide community college districts the opportunity to be included in career and college fairs to communicate with prospective students.

Requirements Under the New Law: Requires Local Educational Agencies (LEA) that serve students in grades 9-12 who are hosting a college or career fair to provide a notice to each community college district that has overlapping jurisdiction. Bill includes definitions from education code section 52770, Article 6

- notice to be sent in advance through certified mail or **email** and should include the planned date/time & location



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Passed Assembly
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Passed Senate
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Signed into Law
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Article 6. College and Career Fairs

52770. (a) For purposes of this section, the following definitions apply:

(1) **“Career fair”** means an event where multiple private businesses, governmental agencies, university representatives, or career technical school representatives are invited by a local educational agency to present career options or career technical education options to pupils.

(2) **“College fair”** means an event where multiple college or university representatives are invited by a local educational agency to present college options to pupils.

(3) **“Local educational agency”** means a school district, county office of education, or charter school.

(b) (1) A local educational agency serving pupils in any of grades 9 to 12, inclusive, that is planning to hold a college or career fair shall notify each community college district that has overlapping jurisdiction with the local educational agency of the college or career fair and provide an



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Colleges should know these requirements as to increase engagement opportunities with prospective and future students.

Implications

- 1 Increased awareness of educational and career options
- 2 Increased awareness of college options
- 3 Open invitation to increased collaboration between Local Educational Agencies and colleges



OVERVIEW OF THE CHANGE

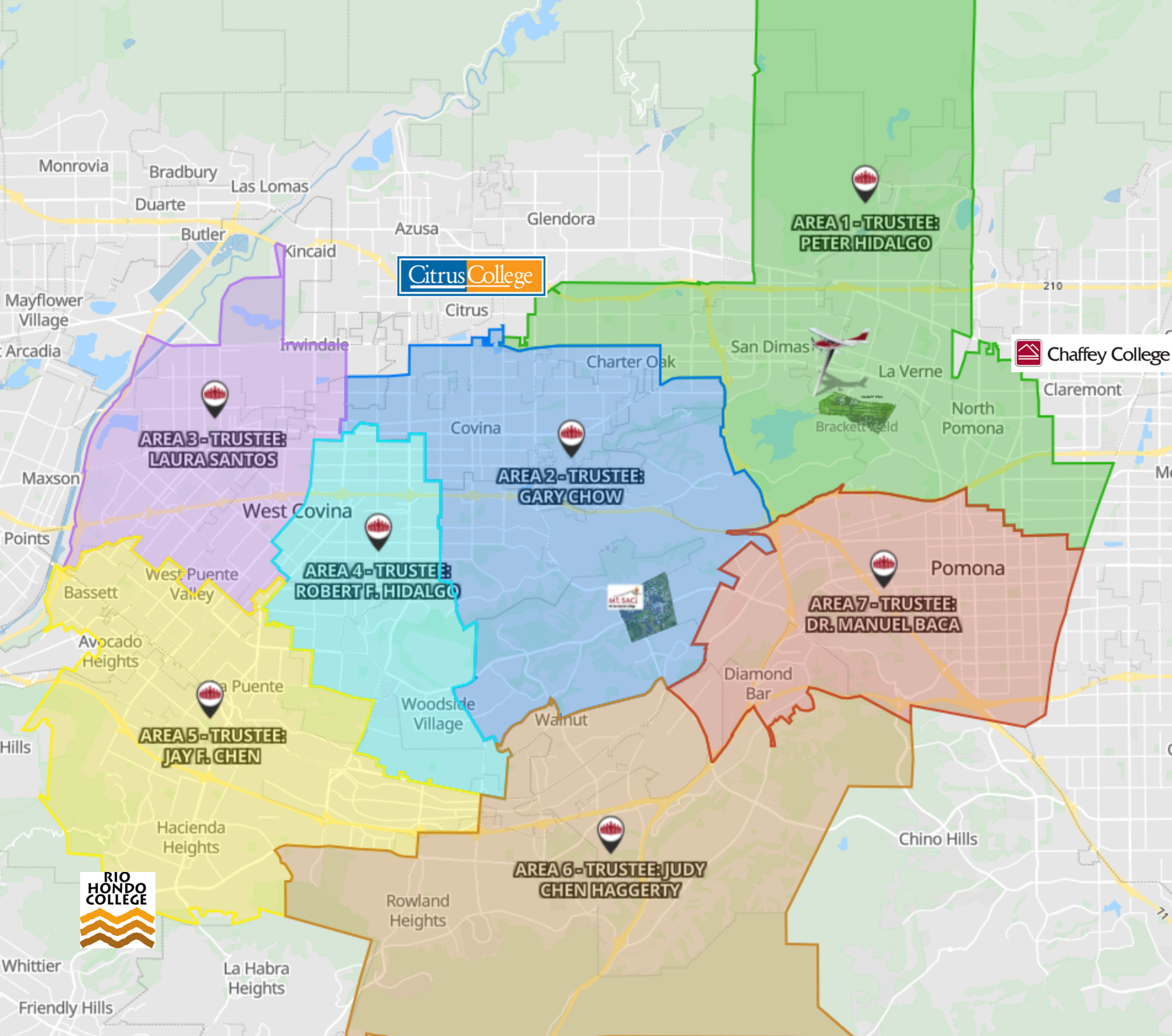
WORKFORCE AND CAREER EDUCATION:

Existing law (Labor code 3074.2) requires a school district or school that is planning to hold a college or career fair to notify each *apprenticeship program in the same county as the school district or school of the college or career fair*, as specified.

1) Recognizes that all students need to be provided with opportunities to explore and make career choices and to seek appropriate instruction and training to support those choices; Encourages expansion of cooperative activities between organizations (Education Code (EC) 51004)

2) Requires the California Department of Education to annually encourage school districts to plan programs and activities that utilize the resources of fairs and youth leadership activities as an integral part of the vocational instructional program and career decision-making. (EC 51005)

AB 1173 requires a local educational agency serving students in grades 9 to 12, that is planning to hold a college or career fair to notify *each community college district that has overlapping jurisdiction with the local educational agency either through certified mail or email*



1. When Mt. SAC is invited to a college or career fair in the jurisdiction of another college district, the LEA in that district should send the participation request to Mt. SAC via email or certified mail
2. The submission process is currently in development by the Community Fairs/Events Taskforce

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

1

COMMUNICATION TO THE LOCAL HIGH SCHOOLS

Consider, who at Mt. SAC would “inform” the local district & high school leaders of the bill & designated contact

2

COMMUNITY EVENTS/FAIRS TASKFORCE

A group of managers, faculty, and classified from credit and non credit are working collaboratively to establish a participation request process and shared calendar

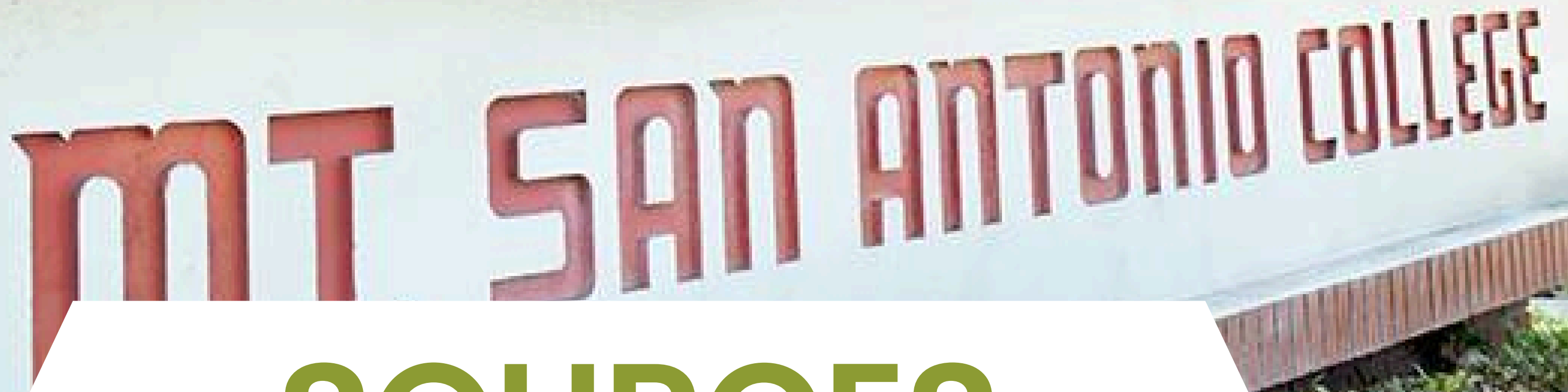
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MANAGEMENT & DEPARTMENT CHAIR NOTICE

Academic programs are invited by word of mouth. It is important for faculty, managers, and staff to be aware of the notification requirements under AB 1173.

- Campuswide announcement of the new process and legislation
- Presentation at the campuswide managers meeting

**Required to Notify
College Partners & LEAs
by
Fall 2024**

A photograph of a large, three-dimensional sign for Mt. San Antonio College. The sign is mounted on a light-colored wall and features the letters 'MT SAN ANTONIO COLLEGE' in a bold, red, sans-serif font. The letters are cut out, creating a shadow effect. The background shows a clear blue sky and some greenery at the bottom right.

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