

August 23, 2024

Dr. Chris Vitelli
President
Merced College
3600 M Street
Merced, CA 95348

Dear President Vitelli:

Your Accreditation Liaison Officer has informed ACCJC that your institution will offer the following new programs:

- Geospatial Technology and Applications: Environmental and Earth Sciences (Certificate)
- Geospatial Technology and Applications: Agriculture (Certificate)
- Geospatial Applications: Social Science (Certificate)

Based on the description provided, it has been determined a substantive change review by the Commission is **not** required. Thank you for bringing this to our attention and please let us know if there are any changes in the information provided by the College.

On behalf of the Commission, thank you for your continued commitment to accreditation and academic quality in higher education.

Sincerely,



Elizabeth Dutton
Accreditation Process Director

Cc: Dr. Dee Sigismond, Accreditation Liaison Officer
Ms. Martina Fernandez-Rosario, U.S. Department of Education