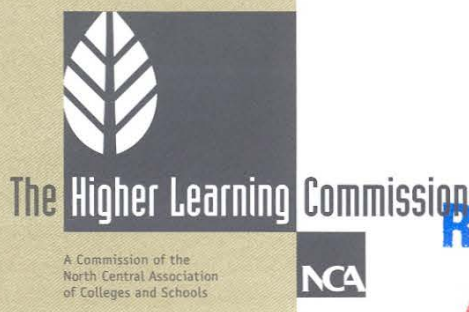




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PRESIDENT'S OFFICE



President Joanne Jaeger Tomblin
Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College
Box 2900 Dempsey Branch Road
Mount Gay, WV 25637

Dear President Tomblin:

This letter is formal notification of the action taken concerning Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College by The Higher Learning Commission. At its meeting on August 16, 2010, the Institutional Actions Council voted to change the Lincoln County High School location's status from course location to additional location. The date of this letter is the effective date of this new status with the Commission.

I have enclosed your institution's *Statement of Affiliation Status (SAS)* and *Organizational Profile (OP)*. The *SAS* is a summary of your organization's ongoing relationship with the Commission. The *OP* is generated from data you provided in your most recent (2009-10) Annual Institutional Data Update. If the current Commission action included changes to the demographic, site, or distance education information you reported in your Annual Institutional Data Update, we have made the changes on the *Organizational Profile*. No other organizational information was changed.

The attached *Statement of Affiliation Status* and *Organizational Profile* will be posted to the Commission website on Tuesday, August 31. Before this public disclosure however, I ask that you verify the information in both documents and inform Karen J. Solomon, your staff liaison, before Monday, August 30 of any concerns that you may have about these documents. Information about notifying the public of this action is found in Chapter 8.3-3 and 8.3-4 of the *Handbook of Accreditation, Third Edition*.

Please be aware of Commission policy on planned or proposed organizational changes that require Commission action before their initiation. You will find the Commission's change policy in Chapter 7.2 of the *Handbook of Accreditation*. If you have any questions about how planned institutional changes might affect your relationship with the Commission, please write or call Karen J. Solomon.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I thank you and your associates for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Sylvia Manning
President

Enclosure: Statement of Affiliation Status
Organizational Profile

cc: Chair of the Board



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STATEMENT OF AFFILIATION STATUS

SOUTHERN WEST VIRGINIA COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE
Box 2900 Dempsey Branch Road
Mount Gay, WV 25637

Affiliation Status: Candidate: Not Applicable
Accreditation: (1971- .)

PEAQ PARTICIPANT

Nature of Organization

Legal Status: Public
Degrees Awarded: A

Conditions of Affiliation:

Stipulations on Affiliation Status: None.
Approval of New Additional Locations: Prior Commission approval required.
Approval of Distance Education Degrees: Prior Commission approval required.
Reports Required: None.
Other Visits Scheduled: Site Confirmation: 2010 - 2011; A site-confirmation visit is required within six months of opening the Lincoln High School location.

Summary of Commission Review

Year of Last Comprehensive Evaluation: 2002 - 2003
Year for Next Comprehensive Evaluation: 2012 - 2013
Date of Last Action: 04/27/2004

Name Change:

Accreditation transferred from Williamson Branch-Marshall University to Logan-Williamson Community College; name changed to Southern West Virginia CC (1971) and to Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College (3/24/95)



ORGANIZATIONAL PROFILE

SOUTHERN WEST VIRGINIA COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Box 2900 Dempsey Branch Road
Mount Gay, WV 25637

Enrollment Demographics (by headcount) (HLC Posted: 04/22/2010)

	<u>Full-Time</u>	<u>Part-Time</u>
Undergraduate:	1397	1222
Graduate:	0	0

Educational Programs (HLC Posted: 04/22/2010)

		<u>Program Distribution</u>	<u>Total Awarded</u>
Leading to Undergraduate degrees:	Associate	23	299
	Bachelors	0	0
Leading to Graduate degrees:	Masters	0	0
	Specialist	0	0
	Doctoral	0	0
Certificate Programs:		9	54

Dual Enrollment (HLC Posted: 04/22/2010)

Headcount in all dual enrollment (high school) 506

Off-Campus Activities (HLC Posted: 08/19/2010)

In-State: Campuses: Danville (Boone/Lincoln Campus) ; Mount Gay (Logan Campus) ;
Saulsville (Wyoming/McDowell Campus) ; Williamson (Williamson
Campus)
Additional Locations: Hamlin (Lincoln County High School Site) ; Institute (Kanawha Valley)
Course Locations: 19

Out-of-State: Campuses: None
Additional Locations: None
Course Locations: None

Out-of-U.S.: Campuses: None
Additional Locations: None
Course Locations: None

Distance Education Programs

(HLC Posted: 04/22/2010)

Associate - 15.0901 Mining Technology/Technician (Internet)
Associate - 19.0708 Child Care and Support Services Management (Internet)
Associate - 43.0104 Criminal Justice/Safety Studies (Closed circuit)
Associate - 52.0402 Executive Assistant/Executive Secretary (Internet)
Certificate - 43.0104 Criminal Justice/Safety Studies (Closed circuit)
Certificate - 52.0402 Executive Assistant/Executive Secretary (Internet)

Correspondence Education Programs

(HLC Posted: 04/22/2010)

None