Current Report Date: June 30, 2021

CARES Act Award: April 25, 2020
CRRSAA Award: January 19, 2021
Prior Report Dates: None

(Note: The CRRSAA funds were fully expended in March 2021. Report requirements did not come out until May 2021. This report serves as the initial, quarterly, and final report.)

To be compliant with reporting requirements as provided by the Department of Education and the CRRSAA, Bridgerland Technical College (the College) reports the following information regarding:

Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund Reporting - Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students

1. An acknowledgement that the institution signed and returned to the Department the Certification and Agreement and the assurance that the institution has used the applicable amount of funds designed under the CRRSAA to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.

   On April 13, 2020, the College signed and returned to the Department the Certification and Agreement as required for the CARES Act. The additional funding from the CRRSAA was based on this original certification. The College has used all of the funds for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.

2. The total amount of funds that the institution will receive or has received from the Department pursuant to the institution’s Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the CRRSAA.

   $205,816

3. The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to students under the CRRSAA as of the date of submission (i.e., as of the initial report and every calendar quarter thereafter).

   $205,816

4. The estimated total number of students at the institution that are eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the CRRSAA.

   995
5. The total number of students who have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under the CRRSAA.

664

6. The method(s) used by the institution to determine which students receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants and how much they would receive under the CRRSAA.

The College determined funds would be allocated to the largest number of students possible due to impacts of COVID-19 related events. The College determined that all students have need based on the disruption of COVID-19. Because of such needs, it was determined the best way to allocate funding was for students to each receive $310 if they were attending full-time (15 hours or more per week) in a program greater than 300 hours. Students with a balance owed were given the opportunity to provide written authorization to apply funds directly to their student account. Those students who did not provide written authorization or had a credit balance received a check sent directly to the address on file.

7. Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants.

The following letter was included with each check disbursement:

Dear BTECH Certificate Seeking Student:

Due to the impact that COVID-19 has had on the world around us, additional Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds (HEERF) authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA) have been authorized through federal law. This allows colleges to provide emergency funds to students whose education was disrupted by the Coronavirus outbreak.

COVID-19 has impacted everyone’s lives in one way or another, and we do not want any unmet financial needs due to the Coronavirus to derail your educational plans. Because of that, you are eligible for these funds because you are enrolled in a program greater than 300 hours and attend 15 or more hours per week.

Enclosed is a check with relief funds intended to assist you during this time. If you would like to apply these funds directly to your student account, please contact Student Services for assistance.

Best of luck as you continue at Bridgerland Technical College.

Sincerely,

BTECH Administration