CARES Act Disclosures

US Department of Education Requirement

Student Aid Allocation: Section 18004(a)(1) Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students

All Student Emergency Grant funds were awarded out to students; no balance remains to report. (June 17, 2020)

An acknowledgement that the institution signed and returned the certification and agreement form and that the institution has used, or intends to use the funds to provide the mandated amount of at least 50% of the emergency financial aid grants to students. Carthage R9-Carthage Technical Center signed and returned the certification and agreement form on 05/03/2020.

Our institution used the funds to provide the mandated amount of at least 50% of the Higher Education Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.

• The total amount of funds that the institution will receive, or has received under the HEERF student portion.

The Carthage Technical Center received \$48,311 in emergency grant funds for the student portion.

• Of those funds, the total amount that has been distributed to students as of the date of reporting

The total amount of grant funds distributed to eligible students: \$48,311 on 05/22/2020.

• The estimated total number of students at the institution eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 and therefore eligible to receive an emergency financial aid grant

Twenty-seven (27) of Twenty-seven (27) students were eligible and received funds.

• The total number of students who have received an emergency financial aid grant.

Twenty-six (26) students received \$1789.29 and one (1) student received \$1789.46.

• How the institution determined which students did, or will receive emergency financial aid grants and how much funding they did, or will receive.

All students are required to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FASFA). Due to the pandemic, the students' program of study was disrupted; making it necessary to transition to Distance Learning. Students were sent a questionnaire regarding Additional Cost of Attendance areas that may have been impacted by the pandemic. Based on their responses, all students received equal amounts of assistance. Students signed an <u>Acceptance of Emergency Financial Aid</u> <u>form</u>, certifying they will use the funds for expenses related to the disruption of campus operations and areas associated with Cost of Attendance.

• Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the emergency financial aid grants.

Students received information during a classroom online session and were notified that the funds were available to assist them with costs incurred due to the pandemic.