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LEADERSHIP MEETING TO IMPROVE COLLEGE STUDENT SUCCESS SCHEDULED TOMORROW AT BOISE STATE

Higher education leadership teams from Idaho's eight colleges and universities, will convene tomorrow at the Stueckle Sky Center at Boise State University to frame the core components for a system-wide plan to improve college completion.

When: Tuesday, January 29, 2018

Time: 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Where: Stueckle Sky Center, Alberstons Stadium, Boise State University

The meeting, coordinated by Complete College America (CCA) staff, will serve as the springboard for the Momentum Pathways Project. The initiative, backed by \$500,000 in organizational, consulting, research, and technical support services committed by CCA, will help Idaho institutions create evidence-based student success policies and strategies. The Idaho State Board of Education last month approved a timeline to complete implementation no later than fall 2021.

In addition to removing barriers impeding timely graduation, the initiative will serve as a key component toward ensuring dual credit opportunities are being fully leveraged to improve student college-going rates. The project will also address needs of the state's adult learners, including those supported by the Adult Learners Opportunity Scholarship.

Idaho was an early consortium member of CCA, joining in 2010. <u>Idaho was</u> recently selected as a Momentum Pathways state, alongside Colorado.

Board President Dr. Linda Clark will offer opening remarks. Provosts from Idaho's public institutions, along with their leadership teams comprised of academic affairs and student services staff, faculty leaders, advising directors, and institutional researchers and registrars will be taking part in the meeting.

Parking will be in the west parking lot of the football stadium. Signage will be available and parking staff will be available to provide direction. No parking passes will be needed. To reach the Stueckle Sky Center, enter through the north entrance facing the lot, and take the elevator to the top floor.

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