On April 15th 2020, Antelope Valley Community College District (AVCCD), signed and returned to the U.S. Department of Education the Certification and Agreement and the assurance that the institution has used, or intends to use, no less than 50 percent of the funds received under Section 18004(a)(1) of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES Act-HEERF I) to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students. This agreement allowed AVCCD to receive supplemental awards under section 314(a)(1) of the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA-HEERF II) and under section 2003 (a)(1) of the American Rescue Plan (ARP-HEERFIII)

AVCCD received \$5,122,846 from the Department pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the CRRSAA and \$ 19,118,368 under ARP.

Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed by AVCCD to students under the section 314 (a) (1) of the CRRSAA as of June 30, 2021 totaled \$9,896,125 to 10,390 students. These grants consisted of \$5,122,846 from the student portion of CRRSAA and \$4,773,279 from the institutional portion of CRRSAA. No ARP funds had been disbursed during the period of this report.

The estimated number of eligible students to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants under CRRSAA and ARP was 10,498. AVCCD deemed all students except those incarcerated as eligible to receive funds. All 10,498 students were disbursed grants with 108 grants unclaimed to date.

The method used by AVC to determine which students received an Emergency Financial Aid Grants and how much they would receive under section 314(a)(1) of CRRSAA is as follows:

All students except those incarcerated were deemed eligible. The minimum grant for Pell eligible students was \$250 and \$125 for non-Pell eligible students. The grants were then based on student's enrollment status. Less than half time (>0 and <6 units) received \$500 if Pell eligible and \$250 for non-Pell. Half time (>=6 and <9 units) received \$1000 if Pell eligible and \$500 for non-Pell. Three quarter time (>=9 and <12 units) received \$1500 if Pell eligible and \$750 for non-Pell and Full time (>=6 12 units) received \$2000 if Pell eligible and \$1000 for non-Pell. Students taking non-credit course received a grant of \$250 if Pell eligible and \$125 for non-Pell.

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