



League of United Latin American Citizens

**RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT MORE FUNDING FOR
COLLEGE PREP AND TRANSITION PROGRAMS**

WHEREAS, the United States is confronting a shortage of college degrees to meet its labor force needs as reported by the Public Policy Institute of California and the Campaign for College Opportunity; and

WHEREAS, at the same time, an increasing percentage of public school students in the country are of Latin American origin and this demographic will continue to grow as the Latino population continues to increase; and

WHEREAS, college preparation is lacking; and

WHEREAS, there is a decline in high school admission rates and lower transfer rates for community college students to the public four year universities in California;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that LULAC proposes transition programs for all public college campuses; and

BE IT FUTHER RESOLVED that LULAC supports more state funding for college prep curriculum, to improve graduation rates, and help first generation college students and their families navigate through the education system.

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