



NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM
H. Martin Lancaster, President

MEMORANDUM

TO: Selected Community College Presidents

FROM: Parks Todd, Director
Telecommunication Services

DATE: November 16, 2000

SUBJECT: Cooperative Agreement of the North Carolina Community College
Wireless Communications Consortium

Enclosed with this communication is a copy of the Cooperative Agreement signed by you and the System President. The document is for your records, with the original being retained by the Office of Legal Affairs.

The following presidents are members of the Steering Committee of the Consortium: Marion Altman, Bryan Brooks, John Dempsey, Douglas Eason, Bruce Howell (Chair), Katherine Johnson, Larry Norris, Don Reichard, Mike Taylor, and Ed Wilson. Staff members are Brenda Rogers, Bob Blackmun, and Parks Todd.

The Steering Committee will meet with representatives of Wireless One of North Carolina (WONC) on Monday, November 20, to begin detailed negotiations, the goal of which is to get a commitment to an early start at building the network. Soon afterwards the committee will have to decide whether or not we need further services from Robert Rini, the Washington attorney who has been representing us for the past several months. The System Office paid for his services for a period ending December 30. If the committee determines that further services are needed, funds will have to be found to pay for those services. Before we located available funds in the System Office, 15 community colleges pledged at total of \$15,300.

You will receive a briefing paper detailing the results of the November 20 meeting.

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Enclosure

c: Dr. Brenda Rogers
Mr. Bob Blackmun
Ms. Clay Tee Hines

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