

June 7, 2024

Dr. Jacquelyn Elliott
President
Central Arizona College
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Dear President Elliott:

This letter serves as formal notification and official record of action taken concerning Central Arizona College (the institution) by the Institutional Actions Council (IAC) of the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) at its meeting on June 4, 2024. The date of this action constitutes the effective date of the institution's new status with HLC.

Action with Interim Monitoring. IAC continued the accreditation of Central Arizona College with the next Reaffirmation of Accreditation in 2033-34. In conjunction with this action, IAC required the following interim monitoring.

Interim Report. An Interim Report due 2/28/2025 related to specific Federal Compliance concerns.

Interim Report. An Interim Report due 3/31/2026 on Core Components 2.A (integrity); 4.B (assessment of student learning); and 5.C. (systematic and integrated planning and improvement).

Rationale: The visiting team recommended a focused visit on Core Components 2.A and 5.C. IAC does not believe that it is necessary for a team to visit campus to verify that the institution has approved the necessary policies and ensure that these policies are implemented and available to faculty and staff. Given the otherwise positive comments in the team's report regarding 5.C, IAC does not believe that a focused visit is necessary. IAC is requiring that Core Components 2.A and 5.C be addressed in interim monitoring reports as described by the team.

In taking this action, the IAC considered materials from the most recent evaluation and the institutional response (if applicable) to the evaluation findings.

In two weeks, this action will be added to the *Institutional Status and Requirements (ISR) Report*, a resource for the institution to review and manage information regarding its accreditation relationship. Chief Executive Officers and Accreditation Liaison Officers may download the ISR Report in Canopy at <https://canopy.hlcommission.org>.

Within the next 30 days, HLC will also publish information about this action on its website at <https://www.hlcommission.org/Student-Resources/recent-actions>.

If you have any questions about these documents after viewing them, please contact the institution's staff liaison, Anthea Sweeney. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,



Barbara Gellman-Danley
President

cc: Mary Gilliland, Accreditation Liaison Officer
Anthea Sweeney, HLC Staff Liaison