### AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

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Coordinating Board for Higher Education Academic Program Actions January 22, 2014

## DESCRIPTION

This agenda item is submitted for new program proposals submitted by Three Rivers Community College and reviewed by the Missouri Department of Higher Education (MDHE). These proposals are submitted for special approval following a two-(and)-one-half year negotiation between Three Rivers Community College and Missouri, State University to establish the South Central Higher Education Center in Willow Springs, Missouri to create additional educational opportunities in the region. No comments were received by MDHE following the 20-day public commentary period for these programs. If approved, Three Rivers Community College seeks to offer these programs beginning in the January 2014 semester. These proposals are submitted to the Coordinating Board for Higher Education for action.

## STATUTORY REFERENCE

Sections 173.005.2(1), 173.005.2(8), 173.005.11, 173.030(1), and 173.030(2), RSMo, Statutory requirements regarding CBHE approval of new degree programs.

### **RECOMMENDED ACTION**

It is recommended that the Coordinating Board for Higher Education approve the program changes and new program proposals listed in the attachment.

# ATTACHMENT(S)

Attachment A – Academic Program Actions