

COMMUNITY COLLEGE LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA



Last night I wrote to you about the legislative Republican plan that makes dramatic cuts in major state programs, including a \$10.6 billion cut to K-12 and community colleges. While specifics weren't provided in the proposal, this is expected to lead to a cut to community colleges of at least a \$1 billion. I need to correct that the cut would be an 18-month cut, rather than a six-month mid-year cut.

It would still have dramatic impacts on community colleges, leading to hundreds of thousands of students being turned away and deep cuts to student services programs. The Assembly Budget Committee will review this proposal this morning at 9:30 a.m., although a floor vote does not look likely today. It's not too late to [contact your legislators](#) and let them know that \$1 billion in community college cuts will eliminate critical job training and education opportunities when California's citizens and businesses need them the most.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott Lay".

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