

Proposition A/AA Bond Program

LACCD Builds Green!

The Los Angeles Community College District (LACCD) is currently undertaking **the largest public sector sustainable building effort in the United States**, funded by its Proposition A/AA Bond Program. The Bond Program is providing more than \$2.2 billion for new construction and modernization projects for the nine Los Angeles Community Colleges.

As directed by the District's Board of Trustees, **all new buildings** that are at least half funded with Proposition A/AA Bond monies **will be green buildings**, built to LEED® certification standards. LEED stands for 'Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design,' and is a national rating system developed by the U.S. Green Buildings Council to provide a benchmark for the design, construction, and operation of green buildings.

LEED Projects Competed:

- o Los Angeles Valley College
 - Maintenance and Operations Facilities / Sherriff's Station (April 2006)

LEED Projects Under Construction in 2007:

- o Los Angeles Valley College
 - Allied Health and Science Center
- o Los Angeles Harbor College
 - Student Services Center
 - Northeast Academic Building
 - Technology Instruction and Classroom Building
- o Los Angeles Southwest College
 - Child Development Center
- o Los Angeles City College
 - Maintenance Facilities
 - Science and Technology Building
- o Los Angeles Mission College
 - Health and PE Fitness Center Building
- Los Angeles Trade-Technical College
 South Campus projects (two new academic buildings)

Commitment to Renewable Energy:

• A major feature of the LACCD's green building program is its 9 Megawatt Solar Energy Plan, which calls for the installation of enough photovoltaic (solar) panels on site at each of its nine colleges to produce at least one megawatt of electricity, enough to meet all daytime electricity needs.

Commitment to Education:

• The LACCD is creating a sustainable development curriculum that integrates classes and green building education with displays such as learning solar station kiosks on each college campus.

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