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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

### **Foundation Elects to Participate in PayActiv Salary Advance Solution**

*El Cajon, CA - February 26, 2019* – The Foundation for Grossmont & Cuyamaca Colleges (FGCC) has decided to participate in the PayActiv partnership with East County Schools Federal Credit Union for their 200 employees, enabling all employees to enroll in the PayActiv Earned Wage Access service.

Through the free PayActiv mobile app, employees will be able to access up to 50% of their net earned but unpaid wages up to \$1,000.00 per month, prior to payday. There is no cost to the employee nor FGCC to enroll in or use this service, and accessed funds are settled on payday. The roll out of the app and this service to employees is expected to happen over the next couple of months.

The Foundation for Grossmont & Cuyamaca Colleges' mission is to raise awareness and financial resources for the two colleges. The Foundation manages several important local, state, federal and private grants such as East Region Adult Education, Next Up and FAKCE (supporting current and former foster youth), Health Workforce Initiative and Nursing Student Success Advisors, Prop 39 Clean Energy Workforce Program, So Cal's Promise, Strong Workforce, California Waterworks and many more. FGCC supports the students at both Grossmont and Cuyamaca College in El Cajon and Rancho San Diego, respectively. Grossmont College serves nearly 20,000 students and Cuyamaca College serves nearly 10,000 students.

East County Schools Federal Credit Union exclusively serves the needs of school employees, their families and school districts in the eastern region of San Diego County. The credit union has a rich history of more than 60 years of providing high quality financial services and has won numerous awards for these services, including the prestigious "Community Partner of the Year" at the 2015 CSBA "Honoring Our Own" event. More information may be found at [www.EastCountySchools.org](http://www.EastCountySchools.org).

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