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## LA VALLEY COLLEGE CANCELS SUMMER SESSION 2

### College to offer only one summer session starting June 15

**VALLEY GLEN, CA** – Los Angeles Valley College (LAVC) announced today that it will cancel its second Summer Session due to budget cuts. LAVC will continue to offer its first Summer Session, which begins June 15. The first Summer Session will serve approximately 3,000 students.

The decision was made after the Los Angeles Community College District (LACCD) Board of Trustees voted Wednesday night to cancel the second session at all nine college in the District. The Board's decision is a proactive step in anticipation of deeper budget cuts from the state.

"Valley College is saddened to have to cancel classes," said Dr. A. Susan Carleo, president of Los Angeles Valley College. "However, this is a necessary step to begin addressing the enormous budget cut the District (and Valley College) will face in the 2009-2010 fiscal year."

Eight of the nine LACCD colleges will hold its June summer classes. West Los Angeles College will not offer a summer session. The LACCD Board of Trustees is expected to make additional decisions at its meeting on June 24.

For more information on Los Angeles Valley College, visit its Web site at www.lavc.edu.

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#### **About Los Angeles Valley College**

Los Angeles Valley College is a public two-year college that provides residents of the San Fernando Valley with transfer education, career technical education and lifelong learning. Valley College offers associate degrees, courses for transferring to a four-year university, career training programs and personal enrichment courses. Since 1949, Valley College has served the communities of Van Nuys, Valley Village, Studio City, Sherman Oaks, Encino, Lake Balboa, Panorama City, Sun Valley and Burbank. The college has approximately 200 full-time faculty and more than 400 part-time instructors and serves more than 20,000 students.