

**OUTLINE OF TESTIMONY  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE ASSOCIATION  
OF TEXAS TRUSTEES  
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I. Introduction of Association

- a. Mission
- b. Membership
- c. Recognition of trustees present

2. Role of Community Colleges in “Closing the Gaps”

3. Funding

- a. Local taxing capability
- b. State Contribution
- c. Dual Credit
- d. Developmental education

4. Role of Community Colleges in workforce development

5. Participation in state grants and scholarships

6. Collaboration

7. Need for data