

City Connects in the Community College Setting

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Introduction from the Executive Director

knew from years of experience that a student-centered, whole-person approach would benefit not

City Connects was well-established in several Dayton and Springfield, Ohio elementary and secondary schools. Our local, longtime funder and partner, the Mathile Family Foundation, had

academic supports to community college students. Our work with these thoughtful, dedicated,

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Community colleges provide powerful opportunities for students to pursue their educational goals and attain important

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Participation in the Sinclair-City Connects pilot had a significant positive impact for students on several indicators known to be associated with eventual academic achievement in community colleges.

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TABLE 1. Comparison of all Sinclair students, all Liberal Arts & Social Sciences students, and Sinclair-City Connects participants:

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