# HIGHER EDUCATIONAL AIDS BOARD BOARD REPORT #24-08 24-25 WI GRANT FORMULA TECHNICAL COLLEGES REQUEST



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Connie Hutchison, Executive Secretary Higher Educational Aids Board P.O. Box 7885 Madison WI 53707-7885

Dear Executive Secretary Hutchison:

I am submitting to you the Wisconsin Technical College System's (WTCS) recommendation for the 2024-25 Wisconsin Grant awards.

For 2024-25, we recommend the maximum of \$1,752 and minimum of \$500 awards for those eligible WTCS students. The recommendation also includes a second-tier award if additional funds are available. In the second tier, the pool of eligible students with an expected family contribution of \$6,693 to \$8,000 would be provided with an award amount of \$500. This will ensure that all enrolled and eligible students receive the financial assistance available which will help alleviate debt and assist students in earning a credential sooner. These recommended levels are unchanged from the previous academic year.

I would like to thank you and your staff for providing information which assisted in developing this recommendation. We are pleased to offer this recommendation for consideration by the Board.

Sincerely,

Morna K. Foy, PhD

President

## PROPOSED 2024-2025 FORMULA WISCONSIN GRANT WISCONSIN TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM

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### Recommendation of the Wisconsin Technical College System President Morna Foy:

 $($9,270 - SAI) \times 18.9\% = Award$ 

(Student Budget – Student Aid Index) x Student Award Percentage = Award

Maximum Award: \$1,752 Minimum Award: \$500

(See attached letter)

### **Current Formula:**

 $(\$9,270 - EFC) \times 18.9\% = Award$ 

(<u>Student Budget</u> – <u>Expected Family Contribution</u>) x <u>Student Award Percentage</u> = <u>Award</u>

Maximum Award: \$1,752 Minimum Award: \$500