created specifically for COVID-19 related updates. Information was provided to local media outlets and was also posted on the college's social media accounts.

The VP of Student Services informed students via email that, after applications were reviewed, students could view the award amounts in MyGOCC, the student portal. A follow up email was sent to students when the awards were posted on students' accounts.

A letter accompanied the mailed grant checks with an overview of the HEER funds and a list of eligible expenditures for the funds. In this letter, the college's Business Office encouraged students to contact their local tax advisor for information on any tax implications regarding emergency funding. Pell recipients who did not apply but were block awarded grants were notified in this letter that the college de.i