

BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION

REQUEST FOR COMMITTEE AND BOARD ACTION

COMMITTEE: Assessment and Accountability **NO.:** AAC 07-07

COMMITTEE DATE: October 11, 2006

BOARD DATE: October 19, 2006

MOVED: The Board of Higher Education approves the **Associate in Science in Criminal Justice** at Greenfield Community College under the *Guidelines for Criminal Justice and Law Enforcement Academic Programs*. The programs have been found to meet or exceed all quality standards established by the *Guidelines*.

As stated in the *Guidelines*, the institution shall submit two copies of a report to the Board annually, certifying that each program is being maintained and operated within the provisions and spirit of the criteria and guidelines set forth by the *Guidelines*.

Authority: Chapter 41, Section 108L (as amended)

Contact: Aundrea Kelley, Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Policy

Massachusetts Board of Higher Education
Review of Criminal Justice Programs
 December 2005

S U M M A R Y A S S E S S M E N T R E P O R T

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| <i>Institution</i> | Greenfield Community College |
| <i>Program</i> | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| <i>Degrees Awarded (AY 2004-05)</i> | 12 |

R E C O M M E N D A T I O N D E T A I L S

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| <i>Recommendation of Review Team</i> | Deferral |
| <i>Response Received from Institution?</i> | Yes |
| <i>BHE Staff Analysis</i> | In its response to the team report, the program provided credible evidence that it is in substantive compliance with all standards. |
| <i>Recommendation of BHE Staff</i> | Approval The program is in compliance with all Quality Standards for Criminal Justice Programs, i.e., all standards are substantively met. |
| <i>Reason for Board Action</i> | Program is in substantive compliance with all standards. |

Approval of Criminal Justice Programs

Background

Board staff have thoroughly reviewed materials submitted by Greenfield Community College since the December review of its undergraduate program and have found that the materials demonstrate full compliance with all standards found within the *Guidelines for Criminal Justice and Law Enforcement Programs*.

With the approval of this additional program, 38 programs offered by 31 institutions are on the new approved program list for the Police Career Incentive Pay Program.

Approved Programs

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| 1. American International College | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 2. Anna Maria College | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 3. Anna Maria College | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice/Div. of Professional Studies |
| 4. Anna Maria College | Master of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 5. Bridgewater State College | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 6. Bridgewater State College | Master of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 7. Bristol Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 8. Bunker Hill Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 9. Cape Cod Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 10. Curry College | Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice |
| 11. Curry College | Master of Arts in Criminal Justice |
| 12. Dean College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 13. Endicott College | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 14. Fitchburg State College | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 15. Greenfield Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 16. Holyoke Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 17. Mass Bay Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 18. Massasoit Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 19. Middlesex Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 20. Mount Wachusett Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 21. Northeastern University | Master of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 22. Northeastern University | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 23. Northern Essex Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 24. North Shore Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 25. Norwich University | Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice |
| 26. Quincy College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 27. Quinsigamond Community College | Associate in Science in Criminal Justice |
| 28. Roger Williams University | Master of Arts in Criminal Justice |
| 29. Salem State College | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |

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| 30. Springfield Technical Community College | Associate in Science in Law Enforce./Criminal Justice |
| 31. University of Massachusetts Boston | Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice |
| 32. University of Massachusetts Lowell | Master of Arts in Criminal Justice |
| 33. University of Massachusetts Lowell | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 34. University of New Haven | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 35. Western New England College | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 36. Westfield State College | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 37. Westfield State College | Master of Science in Criminal Justice |
| 38. Worcester State College | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice |