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Keep the money

OCC chief says no thanks to pay raise

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The following is not a typographical error. Oakland Community College Chancellor Patsy Fulton has asked her board of trustees "not" to give her a raise this year.

Fulton, whose annual salary is almost \$120,000, would likely have received a pay increase of 3-4 percent had she wanted one, said college spokesman George Cartsonis.

The trustees, Cartsonis said, "were all very impressed with Fulton's initiative in this regard, and many of them thought she was really operating against her own best interest."

Instead, the board granted Fulton an additional five vacation days. "But knowing Patsy she

probably won't take them," said Dave Hackett, chairman of the board.

Fulton said she doesn't feel right taking a pay raise when revenues are down and the college is tightening its financial belt.

"We seriously had a downturn in resources," she said. "That's not only true for us, it's true across the state. I think it's terribly important that I be responsive to that."

Turning down a pay increase, she added, is certainly "a symbolic measure, but it's not symbolic that our budget is really tight."

OCC history professor Ed Gallagher, a former OCC provost, was glad to hear of Fulton's decision.

"She's practicing what she's preaching then," he said. "Good for her."

OCC teachers, Gallagher said, are more or less satisfied with Fulton's performance. "She's upbeat and optimistic, and I think we needed that."

Hackett called Fulton "a very high-principled person" and said she's certainly entitled to everything she gets and then some as far as he's concerned.

Said trustee Doug Wakefield: "I think (Fulton) is worth every penny of what she's getting and I wish we could give her more."

Now in her third year with OCC, Fulton accepted a 4.5-percent increase last year, but turned down a raise in 1991.

Among Fulton's contemporaries, Schoolcraft College President Dick McDowell is paid \$95,000 a year after getting a 4.5-percent raise last July. Sandra Packard,



In her second year as president of Oakland University, gets \$132,000 a year. Her predecessor, Joe Champagne, was getting \$120,000 when he left in 1991.

Governor signs 'potty parity' bill

"Potty parity" will become Michigan law Jan. 1.

Gov. John Engler signed Rep. Jan Dolan's bill to increase the number of women's toilet facilities in theaters, exhibition halls, libraries, sports arenas, recreation centers, passenger terminals, outdoor assemblies and larger restaurants.

"The need for more toilet facilities for women is obvious to anyone who has seen the unacceptably long lines outside women's restrooms in buildings which host large crowds," said Engler of the bill that took eight years to become law.

"It recognizes that women, especially those with children, need more toilet facilities, espe-

cially where large numbers of people gather. Thankfully, the excruciatingly long lines for toilets at women's restrooms will be a thing of the past."

Dolan, R-Farmington Hills, won legislative passage of House Bill 4120 to amend the State Construction Code to require a 3-2 ratio of women's to men's toilets.

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