



May 13, 2013

Dr. William D. Law, Jr.
President
St. Petersburg College
P.O. Box 13489
St. Petersburg, FL 33733-3489

Dear Dr. Law:

Thank you for your letter of March 18, 2013, notifying the Commission on Colleges that, effective summer 2013, St. Petersburg College has terminated the Parks & Leisure Services (PALS) degree program. Individualized teach-out plans have been prepared for each student currently enrolled in the program. A designated counselor and instructor have been assigned to work with each student. PALS students have been notified of the course offering schedule designed for their completion of the PALS program.

The faculty member teaching in the program will not be impacted at this time as the institution will carry out the course offering schedule to accommodate currently enrolled students. Based on the current course offerings, it is projected that all students can complete the program in three years.

We approve the termination of the Parks & Leisure Services degree program and require no additional information.

Best regards,

Belle S. Wheelan, Ph.D.
President

BSW/LBA:efk

cc: Dr. Janice L. Thiel, Director of Quality Enhancement Plan ✓
Dr. Steven M. Sheeley