

To: Montgomery College Community

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Good afternoon. As we mark this nineteenth anniversary of the 9/11 attacks, I am somber in remembering the day and the many innocent victims who lost their lives. I know you join me in remembering them today and thanking our servicemembers who defend our nation.

My <u>video message</u> today conveys my gratitude for everyone who makes MC such a cohesive community—each in their unique ways. I know students will be eager that the second round of CARES Act funding is open and applications are ready for <u>MC students to apply</u>. Students who received grants in the last round are eligible to apply again, as well as new students, but there are some restrictions, so please read the details.

The Mobile Markets are still looking for healthy volunteers—vulnerable folks should still stay home—to pass out food packages. So, if you can help, please sign up through the Student Health and Wellness Center for Success (the SHaW Center).

In case you missed the announcement, our next Conversation with Leadership is scheduled for Thursday, September 24, at 2 p.m. We welcome questions on all topics through September 18 at ResilientMC@montgomerycollege.edu.

Please stay safe and continue with health protocols that protect all of us.