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Data Modernization Initiative Update

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Data Modernization Initiative Equip internal and external stakeholders with actionable insight and data for decision-making purposes Design and implement a modern, flexible data architecture; Deliver usercentered value through dynamic access, robust governance and security Identify and deliver high-priority reports and/or dashboards utilizing current data Planning & Detailed Design (6 months) Proof of Concept (2 months) Implementation (12-18 months)

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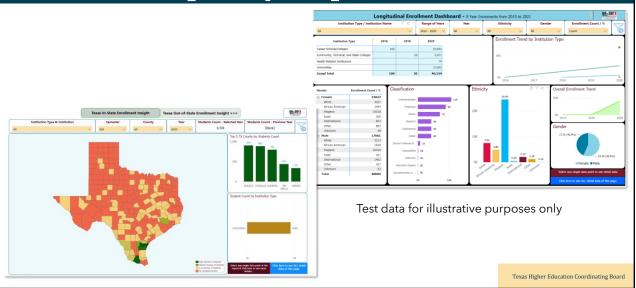
Data Modernization Initiative Timeline Planning/Proof of Concept 14 months 9 months Jan - Apr 2021 Nov 2021 - Jan 2022 • Staff augmentation resources on · Planning begins · Planning concludes · Complete work on Launch additional portals Complete remaining with technical · Proof of Concept board technical pipeline discovery and · Procurement launch · Project roadmap work launches on · Launch initial public technical projects stakeholder 12 of 19 projects portal · Consider additional scope · Initial technical projects engagement Parallel focus on technical pipeline Develop additional as budget and GEER Conceptual design portals with differentiated and public-facing assets Enhanced THECB data timeline allows developed Initial internal release of new public data access governance designed and THECB data portal to include most frequently · Implement enhanced Triimplemented governance review requested data agency data governance, launched · Tri-agency data governance review as needed

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Implementation Roadmap through March 2022 Planned Work through March 2022 Established technical environment for testing Complete production environment to launch Launch additional iterations of products according to a completed iterations of products refined road map Built initial production environment Continue training internal team on new cloud Contract with to-be identified partner to begin change Fech & Data Architecture management and stakeholder engager Established scrum teams of onboarded staff augmentation resources, managed by agency Identify and procure a web-based solution for a Conduct internal testing on the initial release of the personnel comprehensive, accessible data dictionary Designed initial concrete solution design, project Contract for user interface/user experience development for externally-facing portals descriptions, and implementation road map Identified partner to develop a data submission portal, Release initial public portal for internal testing and two data-access portals, and to provide support for data management & modeling Develop the first release of the data submission portal for use by institutions submitting Financial Aid Data System (FADS) reports using the modernized data pipeline Consolidated stakeholder input Finalize and implement procedures and processes for Enhance Tri-Agency governance structures, policies, the operation of the Data Governance Council (DGC) and processes based on recommendations Completed assessment and recommendations report Governance Prioritize initial focus areas for the DGC Engage with external stakeholder group(s) on priority Approved data governance charter and handbook by Create external stakeholder group(s) to inform THECB and Tri-Agency data governance areas the data governance council recommendations of the DGC Launched new agency-wide data governance Launch review of Tri-Agency data governance, Launch refreshed agency data website utilizing new UI/UX design Secured cloud-based hosting environment Assess and prioritize pre-launch adjustments to main Communications Initiated contract and kicked off work with new partner Perform testing to support ongoing improvements to Refine consolidated architecture and migration to assess and finalize website build plan for all agency websites Completed migration of documents to consolidated Prepare to launch main agency website Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board

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Initial Interactive Dashboards include Most Frequently Requested Data



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