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DMC Students Taking Action, Getting Involved During BoldFuture Survey Day Tomorrow

WHO & VISUALS: Del Mar College students running survey activities for the BoldFuture for the Coastal Bend initiative and DMC students taking the survey to provide input to shape the future of their communities in the Coastal Bend

WHAT: Del Mar College Student BoldFuture Survey Day

WHEN: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 13 (tomorrow)

WHERE: First Floor, Harvin Student Center, Del Mar College East, Ayers and Kosar
(map online at www.delmar.edu/resources/maps/east.php)

FYI: As part of the grassroots community visioning initiative BoldFuture for the Coastal Bend, Del Mar College students are leading others in providing input that will help map out a shared vision for communities across Nueces and San Patricio Counties by organizing a BoldFuture Survey Day on Nov. 13 in the College's Harvin Student Center.

"I think it's important for students to get involved with this initiative and make their voices heard because the outcome will ultimately affect them," says Philip Perez, a BoldFuture volunteer and DMC journalism major. "The BoldFuture Survey Day is a great opportunity for students to make an impact on the future of the community, which is 'their' community, not only for themselves but also their families."

DMC students will receive a free Flash Drive after filling out a survey that asks the key questions:

- What do you most value about the Coastal Bend area and would want to remain the same in the future?
- What are the key issues that the Coastal Bend area will face in the future?
- Imagine a Coastal Bend area that meets your highest expectations for the future. What is your vision?
- What one or more local actions would help bring your vision closer to reality?

Individuals, whether students at DMC or from the community, also have through Nov. 22 to provide input through an online survey available at www.boldfuturecoastalbend.org.

Leadership for the BoldFuture for the Coastal Bend initiative comes from Del Mar College and Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi with support from the City of Corpus Christi, Nueces County and the San Patricio County Economic Development Corporation. Residents wanting more information about the community visioning project, can call 698-2115 or go to the BoldFuture Web site at www.boldfuturecoastalbend.org.