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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

RE: Crowder College Articulation Agreement with Central Methodist University

Neosho, MO – Crowder College inked an agreement with Central Methodist University (Fayette, MO) to offer environmental programs to students at CMU through online studies. This agreement will become effective for the fall 2011 semester.

An invitation by Crowder College President, Dr. Alan Marble, to CMU President, Dr. Marianne Inman, last fall, resulted in the agreement. This agreement will extend Crowder's certificate program to CMU students taking befouls, water and wastewater online. The students are encouraged to get two degrees, a certificate with Crowder College and their bachelors at CMU by transferring credits needed for completion to both institutions.

“As the designated educational institution in Missouri for water quality and alternative energy, we are thrilled to offer this opportunity to the students at CMU. It is an excellent educational institution” stated Amy Rand, Associate Dean of Programs.

When a student is admitted to CMU and indicates an interest in pursuing a certificate at Crowder College online – immediate advising is provided to ensure the student's experience is as seamless as possible.

This process of inter-institutional articulation will make it easier for students to get involved in a program that is not currently offered at CMU.

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