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Central Washington University student Jessica Murillo-Rosales joins Student Achievement Council

Olympia— Governor Inslee has appointed Jessica Murillo-Rosales to the student member position on the Washington Student Achievement Council. Murillo-Rosales, who begins her one-year term at the August 17 council meeting, replaces outgoing student member Eric Pattison.

“We are so excited to work with Jessica,” said Dr. Gene Sharratt, Executive Director. “Jessica is an accomplished student and she brings a strong dedication to the belief that all students can succeed in higher education.”

Murillo-Rosales was drawn to the council’s work because of shared values, saying “The council’s mission and work resonated with my idea of higher education as an opportunity for many, not just a few.”

Murillo-Rosales recently earned her bachelor’s degree from Central Washington University and will continue her studies there as she pursues a master’s degree in higher education.

More information about Jessica Murillo-Rosales is available on the council’s [website](#).

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About the Washington Student Achievement Council (WSAC): As a cabinet-level state agency, WSAC provides strategic planning, administrative oversight and advocacy to support increased student success and higher levels of educational attainment in Washington.

The nine-member Council includes five citizen members (one is a current student) and one representative from each of Washington’s four major educational sectors. The Council

proposes improvements and innovations to meet the evolving needs of students, employers and the educational community. In recognition of the economic, social and civic benefits of public education, the council advocates for increased financial support and civic commitment to ensure a thriving Washington.

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