MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Coastal Bend College

and

Stark College & Seminary

Purpose:

This document is written to set forth the various components of the agreement for transfer students and graduates of Coastal Bend College to enroll in the Bachelor of Arts in Ministry at Stark College & Seminary.

The benefit of this agreement is to provide a smooth transition for potential bachelor students who wish to continue their education in the Bachelor of Arts in Ministry at Stark College & Seminary.

Terms of the Agreement

Stark College & Seminary will:

- Provide the opportunity for Coastal Bend College transfer students and graduates to enroll in the Bachelor of Arts in Ministry.
- Prepare an individualized degree plan for Coastal Bend College transfer students and graduates.
- Ensure that Coastal Bend College transfer students and graduates are able to transfer at least 90% of courses taken at Coastal Bend College to the Bachelor of Arts in Ministry.
- Accept the 42-credit hour Core Curriculum completed at Coastal Bend College and transfer the credits into the General Studies and/or Elective requirements of the Bachelor of Arts in Ministry.

Coastal Bend College will:

- Provide course syllabi for any requested transfer courses.
- Notify Stark College & Seminary of any substantive changes of content, credit, or contact hours made in the courses submitted for acceptance into the Bachelor of Arts in Ministry.
- Promote Stark College & Seminary's Bachelor of Arts in Ministry to their students and graduates.

Coastal Bend College Transfer Students and Graduates will:

- Submit an application for admission to Stark College & Seminary.
- Submit official transcripts from Coastal Bend College to Stark College & Seminary.
- Have a 2.0 overall grade point average (GPA) in their courses presented to satisfy transfer requirements for the Bachelor of Arts in Ministry.

Eligibility

It is understood that this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) does not guarantee admission and that acceptance into any academic program at Stark College & Seminary requires that the prospective student apply and meet the full admission requirements, as established by the Bachelor of Arts in Ministry degree. In addition, all students shall be required to comply with all rules, regulations, policies, and standards of Stark College & Seminary. The students shall be responsible for all tuition and other charges.

Communication

Both Stark College & Seminary and Coastal Bend College affirm the right to promote the benefits of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) as it serves the interest of each. This would include, but not be limited to, promotions, events, websites, alumni, and oral and written communications such as newsletters. Each organization will make available the corporate logo for promotional use in relevant materials that relate to this collaboration.

This agreement will become effective upon the last signature of the duly designated representatives of Stark College & Seminary and Coastal Bend College and will remain in effect until terminated by either party.

Stark College & Seminary

Tony Celelli, President

Date: July 10, 2019

Coastal Bend College

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Dr. Carry DeAtley, Interim President/ Vice President of Instruction & Economic Development

Date: _________