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Century College Hosts Grand Opening of Student Center April 21

Century College will host the grand opening of its first-ever student center and West Campus renovation on **Thursday, April 21, from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.**

The celebration will feature a complimentary taco lunch, entertainment by the Salsa Brosa band and a short program and ribbon-cutting beginning at 11:30 a.m. in the stage area of the first-floor student center.

The new student center features a stage, café, game room, meeting spaces, study spaces and offices for student organizations. Though it is the largest two-year college in the state, this is the first time Century (the former Lakewood Community College and Northeast Metro Technical College) has ever had a student center.

In addition to the student center, the \$9-million reconstruction of the heart of West Campus included improvements to all three floors of the building. The top floor gained a new computer lab, writing lab and

reading and study skills labs. The second floor gained a centralized student services area with offices for admissions, financial aid and business. The ground floor now has the new student center with a stage dubbed “The Nest,” plus a new bookstore, multicultural center, GPS LifePlan center and veteran’s center.

The grand opening celebration caps a year-and-half of West Campus renovation projects that began when the library and science functions moved from West Campus into the new Science/Library Building on East Campus.

The public is invited to attend this free event.