The College of Marin Athletic department was a recipient of a 2012-2013 PRAC request.

The Planning and Resource Allocation Committee and President Coon increased our assistant coach’s stipends by $11,250. This increase doubled what was previously allocated for our assistant coaches. During the 2012-2013 academic year each one of our 9 intercollegiate sports received an assistant coach’s stipend of $2500.00. Each head coach was charged with allocating the stipend to their assistants.

1) How did you use your resources:
   -Employ another assistant coach
   -Assistant coaches put more time and effort into recruiting process.
   -Pay increase and require assistant to be around more to help with recruiting, more practices, and academics side of intercollegiate athletics.
   -Allowed assistant coaches to be around every day and that played a huge part in our success.
   -Brought in two quality assistants from the east bay and this money helped them pay for their travel cost. Their knowledge of the game helped better the team tremendously.
   -Increase time spent with team and helped expand our fundraising efforts.
   -Hired a very knowledgeable assistant coach who helped organize and enhance the athlete’s performance.

2) How did the resources improve student performance:
   -One of our assistants spent time tutoring some of our student-athletes and he was responsible for sending film and making highlight films for student-athletes that want to continue their career at the 4-year level.
- The more coaches we have that can attend practices regularly, allows us to run better practices and recruit more student-athletes.
- The resources increased the intercollegiate team experience, including academics, fundraising and recruiting. Volleyball had 3 all conference players and 7 players that are transferring to 4 year institutions.
- The resource allowed me to bring in a professional women’s player which brought a lot to our practice environment.
- The increase allows us to help monitor our student-athletes more closely. We now have enough coaches to help stay on each individual player and their academic and athletic progress.
- Softball finished with a 25-14 record and the resources improved the amount of coaching and support the student-athletes received.
- Swim and Dive had one of the most successful team results in the past decade. We also had a swimmer named BVC Swimmer of the year.

3) Provide evidence to support the impact on student performance.

- Women’s Basketball has fundraised more than years past, and is having a better recruiting year than in the past.
- The volleyball team is transferring more students than years past (7)
- Women’s Soccer improved the dedication of its players by having a female assistant coach who played professionally.
- Men’s Basketball competed, recruited and will retain better this year than the years past (16 wins).
- Softball won more games this year (25 wins) and fundraised more this year than any other year. This is due to an increase in Man power.
- Swim and Dive saw an increase in commitment by the assistant coaches which increased the performance of the team.
- Baseball was able to bring on another assistant coach which resulted in a BVC championship, 2 all-Americans, set the school record in Earn Run Average, and has many kids receive athletic scholarships.

In Summary, the increase in assistant coach’s stipends has added a lot to our athletic program. Each individual program used the money to increase the involvement of their assistant coaches. Many of our programs have had better than average years and part of their success is attributed to the extra support and direction that the assistant coaches have provided. Many of the programs also used the extra time the assistants were around to improve their fundraising efforts. As our program continues to grow and succeed we will need the support of quality assistant coaches that can help with the recruitment, retention, and transferring of our close to 185 competing student athletes.