Tacoma Community College is in the process of updating the Capital Facilities Long Range Master Plan. This Building Program Zones diagram is one of the Master Plan drawings that help define campus development intentions. This diagram depicts a conceptual arrangement of program adjacencies on the campus that will guide future facilities development. The intent is to give identity to curriculum programs by their arrangement on campus. Beneficial adjacencies would be created to foster collaboration and relevance between and among related programs.

At the heart of the campus are two "spines" that depict consolidation of Student Services and Learning Support Services in the center of academic buildings. The spines run E-W and N-S as a method of linking the campus edges to the center and provide attractive pathways that link staff and students to core service facilities. Open spaces among the buildings provide for large gatherings and outdoor social/study areas. Open spaces at the edges of the campus would include gateways to the College from the street.