OBAMA TMCC RALLY (SPOT NEWS, NATIONAL PUBLIC RADIO)

INTRO: President Obama discussed college affordability at a campaign stop today [TUES] in Reno, Nevada. From member station KUNR in Reno, Michael Hagerty reports.

The president spoke at a local community college and told the crowd the way to rebuild the economy is by preserving college grant and loan programs that make college more affordable for the middle class. (08)

obama-future—"Your education is not just important to you. It's important to America's success. When we invest in your future, we're investing in America's future." (08)

It's Mr. Obama's third visit to the key swing state of Nevada since May. And he's not done. From here the president flies south for a Wednesday morning rally in Las Vegas. For NPR News, I'm Michael Hagerty in Reno. (10/38)