

Resolution 2.08

Subject: Commitment to Develop and Adopt a New Shared Governance Process

Date: October 9, 2007

Mover: Ignacio Pando

Division/Department: Counseling

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Division/Department: Occupational Education

Passed: Unanimously

Whereas, effective shared governance unites the Hartnell College community in planning, resource allocation, problem-solving, and decision making; and,

Whereas, Title 5, AB 1725, and the Education Code Sections 70901 and 70902, affirm the right of Hartnell College faculty, staff, and students to participate effectively in district and college governance, and the opportunity to express their opinions at the campus level and to ensure that these opinions are given every reasonable consideration; and,

Whereas, Academic, Classified, and Student Senates are working together toward a common goal to develop a sustainable process that leads to a collaborative, shared governance culture, one that relies primarily upon the Senates to provide expertise and recommendations during planning, policy development and decision-making,

Therefore be it resolved, that the Academic, Classified, and Student Senates are united in this joint resolution and do affirm our commitment to develop and adopt a viable and collegial shared governance process; and,

Therefore be it resolved, that the Academic, Classified, and Student Senates will jointly petition Hartnell College Administration for the resources and support necessary to implement said process.