

In accordance with California's Code of Regulation, Title 5

ARC's Academic Senate is the organization whose primary function, as the representative of the faculty, is to make recommendations to the administration of a college and to the governing board of a district with respect to academic and professional matters.

- "Academic and professional matters" means the following policy development and implementation matters:
- (1) curriculum, including establishing prerequisites and placing courses within disciplines;
- (2) degree and certificate requirements;
- (3) grading policies;
- (4) educational program development;
- (5) standards or policies regarding student preparation and success;
- (6) district and college governance structures, as related to faculty roles;
- (7) faculty roles and involvement in accreditation processes, including self-study and annual reports;
- (8) policies for faculty professional development activities;
- (9) processes for program review;
- (10) processes for institutional planning and budget development; and
- (11) other academic and professional matters as are mutually agreed upon between the governing board and the academic senate.

## 10/14/2021 3:00 P.M.

Meeting ID: 986-5887-6175, Password: 10plus1

Zoom link:https://lrccd.zoom.us/j/98658876175?pwd=VkZQQUdVS0g5Rkk5TnZUOG9naFBpUT09

# American River College Academic Senate Regular Meeting AGENDA

#### **Preliminaries**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Approval of the Agenda
- 3. Approval of the Minutes
- 4. Introduction of Guests
- 5. Public Comment Period (3 minutes per speaker)
- 6. President's Report

#### Consent Items

 In person meeting presents imminent risks to the health/safety of Academic Senate attendees (authorization to meet remotely in accordance with Executive Order N-25-20, N-29-20, & N-33-20)

#### **Decision** (10 minutes maximum per item)

- 8. Accreditation Report (ISER) (1st Reading)
- 9. Draft Los Rios Regulation-5123 Equivalency (1st Reading)
- 10. Using a 2,1,0 ranking system for Faculty Prioritization (2nd Reading)

## Reports (5-10 minutes per item)

- 11. Equity Training Workgroup Report (Veronica Lopez)
- 12. Program Paths (Bill Simpson)
- 13. LRCCD Strategic Plan Reaffirmation Report
- 14. Updating Job Descriptions with Equity Focus
- 15. Council Updates
  - o Institutional Effectiveness Council (Janay Lovering)
  - Operations Council (Araceli Badilla)
  - o Student Success Council (Carina Hoffpauir)

## **Discussion** (10-15 minutes per item)

- 16. Report Back: (5-10 minutes per item)
  - a. Academic & professional impacts as related to mask & vaccine requirements
  - b. Textbook ordering & Bookstore
- 17. Report Out: District Academic Senate <a href="https://employees.losrios.edu/our-organization/committees/district-academic-senate">https://employees.losrios.edu/our-organization/committees/district-academic-senate</a>
  - a. Admissions & Records Redesign
  - b. Attendance & Drop Policy Guidance
- 18. Items from College Areas for Academic Senate Consideration

#### **Upcoming Meetings:**

- ASCCC Area A Meeting Oct 15<sup>th</sup> 9:00am 2:00pm virtual
- District Academic Senate Meeting: Tuesday Oct 19<sup>th</sup> 3:00 P.M Meeting ID TBD
- LRCCD Board of Trustees Meeting: Wednesday Oct 20th 5:30 P.M.
- ARC Academic Senate Meeting Faculty Hiring Request Presentations: Thursday Oct 28th, 3:00 P.M., Meeting ID: 986-5887-6175, Password: 10plus1
- ASCCC Fall Plenary (Hybrid Event) Nov 4-6, 2021
  - Registration deadline Oct 31, 2021 In-person registration is \$580 and virtual registration is \$325.