



*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.

**12/11/2025**

**3:00 P.M., Student Center Board Room**

Meeting ID: 816 8060 2582

Zoom link: <https://lrcdd.zoom.us/j/81680602582>

## **American River College Academic Senate Regular Meeting DRAFT 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 Item**

7. Approval of [Remote Attendees](#)

### **Decision Items (5-10 minutes maximum per item)**

8. Resolution Support of Reducing and Clarifying Los Rios Counselor-to-Student Ratio (1st Read)
9. Math Resolution (2nd Read)
10. Faculty Job Description Language (2nd Read)
11. Academic Senate Homepage Recommendations (2nd Read)
12. Questions for ARC Cluster Hiring Pilot 2.0 (2nd Read)

### **Reports (5-10 minutes per item)**

13. District Equity Student Success Committee (DESSC) AI Workgroup - (Michael Angelone, Dyanne Marte, and Liz Coleman)
14. Curriculum Update - (Aaron Bradford, Curriculum Chair)
15. Council Updates
  - a. Institutional Effectiveness Council - (Dr. Connie Ayala)
  - b. Operations Council -
  - c. Student Success Council - (Caitlin Zumalt)

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

16. Program Paths (ARC Program Paths Committee Chair, Bill Simpson)
17. Dual Enrollment (Melissa Fish, Dean of Natomas Center and Tiffany Mpagazi, Dual Enrollment Director)
18. Report Back (Feedback from College Areas)
  - a. Open Issues from any Previous Agenda Item
19. Report Out (Information from District Meetings and Other Areas)
  - a. District Academic Senate and District Meetings
  - b. Other areas
20. Items from College Areas for Academic Senate Consideration

### **Upcoming Meetings:**

- Board of Trustees Meeting, Dec 17th, 5:30 pm - District Office Board Room

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