

Whereas, Santiago Canyon College is an innovative learning community that creatively finds ways to implement Federal, State and local policies and procedures;

Whereas, Santiago Canyon College has engaged in one year of inquiry into Guided Pathways per Senate Resolution S2018.03 “Support for Committing to Exploration in the California Community Colleges Guided Pathways Program for One Year” to determine if implementation of Guided Pathways can be designed within the values of the institution;

Whereas, An organizational process was created to allow for all members of the college to participate in the decision making process of Guided Pathways;

Whereas, Continued Guided Pathways funding from the State is predicated on participation in Guided Pathways and will most likely become an element of all funding, as indicated in the February 13, 2019 Memorandum from State Chancellor Oakely; and

Whereas, The State of California has requested that a self-assessment be completed and returned by September 30, 2019 and said self-assessment tool allows for each college to determine if elements of Guided Pathways can become systematic and practiced at scale;

Resolved, The Academic Senate of Santiago Canyon College supports the adoption of essential Guided pathways practices at scale that must be implemented within the unique values and practices of Santiago Canyon College;

Resolved, That any planned pathways related to Santiago Canyon College and the California Community Colleges Guided Pathways Program will go through the Academic Senate of Santiago Canyon College for formal faculty affirmation per the Academic Senate of Santiago Canyon College formal resolution process.