

WHEREAS, On November 30, 2021 the College of San Mateo was granted admission to the California Virtual Campus Consortium; and

WHEREAS, Academic Senate for California Community Colleges Resolution 9.01 S15 encourages “local senates to establish rubrics for online course standards”; and

WHEREAS, The Academic Senate for California Community Colleges passed Resolution 9.03 F18 that encouraged local academic senates to adopt the CVC Course Design Rubric for local use; encouraged local academic senates to explore the development of local peer online course review; and recommended that local academic senates work with their colleges to develop a plan to identify resources so that faculty who wish to participate in local peer online course review (POCR) may do so; and

WHEREAS, The CVC has indicated that local peer online course review is planned as an activity intended to increase course and degree completion; and

WHEREAS, The College of San Mateo Academic Senate adopted the use of the CVC Course Design and the Peralta Equity Rubrics as part of our Quality Online Teaching and Learning training to improve online course quality and prepare faculty to teach in the CVC course exchange; and

WHEREAS, the CVC has indicated that members of the local POCR team must complete the approved CVC POCR advanced course that focuses on applying the OEI rubric to ensure course are aligned to the standards and receive the “Quality Assured” badge in the CVC Exchange;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the College of San Mateo Academic Senate supports the development of a local peer online course review process; and

RESOLVED, That the College of San Mateo Academic Senate supports a local peer online review team that consists of qualified full-time faculty, adjunct faculty, non-instructional faculty, and classified professionals, and

RESOLVED, That the College of San Mateo Academic Senate supports the provision of resources so that faculty and classified staff who wish to participate in local peer online course review team may do so.