

CONSTITUTION OF THE HARTNELL COLLEGE ACADEMIC SENATE

Amended March 2022

ARTICLE I. NAME

The organization shall be known as the Hartnell College Academic Senate (hereinafter referred to as the Academic Senate or Senate).

ARTICLE II. OBJECTIVES

Section 1. Purpose

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Equivalency: Education Code §87359 grants the Academic Senate the following powers

its determinations, shall be developed and agreed upon jointly by representatives of the governing board and the academic senate, and approved by the governing board. The agreed upon process shall include reasonable procedures to ensure that the governing board relies primarily upon the advice and judgment of the academic senate to determine that each individual employed under the authority granted by the regulations possesses qualifications that are at least equivalent to the applicable minimum qualification specified in regulations adopted by the board of governors. The process shall further require that the governing board provide the academic senate with an opportunity to present its views to the governing board before the board makes a determination; and that the written record of the decision, including the views of the

Faculty Hiring: Education Code §87360(b) grants the Academic Senate the following powers.

procedures for new faculty members shall be developed and agreed upon jointly by representatives of the governing board, and the academic

Section 3. Powers

As described in Title 5, section 53203, and recognized in Board Policy 2510, the Senate is empowered to consult collegially, present recommendations to the Superintendent/President and, after such presentation, to lay its views and recommendations on academic and professional matters directly before the Board of

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