

Whereas, The physical condition of our college facilities has a direct impact on the ability to execute our educational master plans as they apply to academic and professional matters as defined by Title 5 regulations, and is an area of review within Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges Standard III.B-Physical Resources;

Whereas, The state has not funded facility maintenance and infrastructure repair since 2008, which has resulted in a significant deterioration of college facilities, in particular the deterioration of our San Jacinto campus which is 50 years old;

Whereas the MSJC District is projected to experience significant population growth over the next several years, and new facilities will be needed at both sites to accommodate an increased number of students resulting from such growth;

Whereas, The faculty has become increasingly concerned about failing infrastructure and lack of facility maintenance on campus, as noted in the Instructional services retreat held in March 2014,

Resolved, That the Academic Senate for Mt San Jacinto College assert that facilities planning and facilities maintenance have a direct impact on instruction and student success; and

Resolved, That the Academic Senate for Mt San Jacinto College advocate for and support the Board of Trustee's pursuit of a districtwide facilities bond in November 2014.

Respectfully submitted 4/22/14 by

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