Folsom Lake College Academic Senate Resolution 1: S19 EDC Student Activities Adopted May 14, 2019

Whereas:

The Student Activities Club at the El Dorado Center has a 20-year history of active service to and support of the students of the El Dorado Center;

Whereas;

Student involvement in college activities and a strong student life program foster positive interactions between students, their peers, their faculty and administration and have been proven to increase student retention and completion rates;

Whereas:

El Dorado county community members

and EDC Patron's Club members, as well as current and former student members have communicated the long-term and positive impacts the El Dorado Center Student Activities Club has had upon the community and students' lives;

Whereas

a dedicated Faculty Student Life Coordinator who oversees all student life activities and student engagement is crucial to the success of student life at EDC;

Whereas,

the current adjunct faculty advising the Student Activities Club volunteers beyond the 5 hour club advisor commitment, working 10 - 15 hours a week to promote student life and host campus-wide events such as Bridge Day, Fall Festival and Day on the Green, that target the general student population;

Resolved:

The Academic Senate of Folsom Lake College supports the exploration of a solution that will provide the Student Activities Club (SAC) with sustainable, consistent, and fairly-compensated advising and leadership.

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Whereas the El Dorado Center Student Activities Club is struggling and may have to disband due to the lack of a compensated faculty advisor position;

Resolved: The Academic Senate of Folsom Lake College supports the exploration of a solution that will provide a sustainable, consistent, fairly-compensated position, advising model for the El Dorado Center Student Activities Club.

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