SENATE RESOLUTION

AMENDMENTS TO THE BCSGA COBRA FOR KCCD STUDENT TRUSTEE ELECTION

IN THE SENATE OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE

FEBRUARY, 10, 2021

SUBMITTED BY SENATOR SENATOR BOHAN TO THE BCSGA BODY OF THE SENATE

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Whereas, Bakersfield College Student Government Association is to be the official voice for the students at Bakersfield College;

Whereas, California Education Code 72023.5 (a) (1) provides means for a selected student to serve on the governing board who shall be enrolled in a community college of the district;

Whereas, Kern Community College District Board Policy 2105 allows for a student member of the Board to be chosen by the students enrolled in the Kern Community College District;

Whereas, the Student Trustee is elected by the student body of the district with the specific goal of representing the voice of students in the district and is granted an advisory vote to bring student issues to the Kern Community College District Board of Trustees;

Whereas, a student trustee cannot adequately advocate for all students in the district without being selected into position by all students of the district;
Whereas adding the responsibility to conduct a district-wide election to encourage the most capable students to seek election as the district student trustee, and

Whereas it is beneficial all colleges to encourage the most capable students to seek election as the district student trustee;

Be it enacted by the Senate of the Bakersfield College Student Government Association, establishes the addition of new Codes of the Bakersfield Renegade Association (otherwise known as the COBRA) to carry out its function and mission of a district-wide student trustee elections as outlined and imbedded in Addendum A;

Be it further enacted by the Bakersfield College Senate of the Student Government Association, the purpose is to provide a single, district-wide, well-organized selection process that encompasses all the established bylaws, election protocols, agreements, etc.;

Be it further enacted by the Senate, the BCSGA Advisor shall be entrusted with the maintenance, implementation, and execution of the district-wide KCCD Student Trustee Election;

Be it further enacted by the Senate, any future amendments to the KCCD Student Trustee Election bylaws, codes, protocols, agreements, or other related items must be incorporated into the COBRA;

Be it further enacted by the Senate, at the passing of Addendum A all previously known bylaws, codes, protocols, agreements, and other related items be null and shall be resubmitted to the Senate to added into the COBRA for recognition and implementation.