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CSEA Classified Staff Meeting Minutes August 20, 2015

Mission: The mission of the Rancho Santiago Community College District is to provide quality educational programs and services that address the needs of our diverse students and communities.

The mission of Santa Ana College is to be a leader and partner in meeting the intellectual, cultural, technological and workforce development needs of our diverse community. Santa Ana College provides access and equity in a dynamic learning environment that prepares students for transfer, careers and lifelong intellectual pursuits in a global community.

Vision Themes of Santa Ana College: I. Student Achievement; II. Use of Technology; III. Innovation; IV. Community; V. Workforce Development; VI. Emerging American Community

Members Present: Terry Grijalva, Jimmy Nguyen, Brenda Ortiz, Leisa Schumacher, Maria Taylor, Scott Weiss

Guests: Bonita Jaros

I. Review the Final Draft of the Follow-Up Report:

The purpose of this meeting was to inform the classified staff members regarding the progress of the accreditation Follow-Up Report due to ACCJC (Accreditation Commission for Community and Junior Colleges) October 2015. The final draft Follow-Up Report was presented at the meeting. Jimmy Nguyen introduced Bonnie Jaros to the group. Bonnie explained the entire accreditation process to the group. She mentioned that the College underwent a comprehensive team site evaluation visit October 9-12, 2014, and Santa Ana College received an external evaluation report dated November 19, 2014 with commendations and recommendations for the college. Succeeding that report, Santa Ana College was issued the official Commission disposition in a letter dated February 6, 2015: Reaffirm Accreditation with a Follow-Up Report due by October 15, 2015.

The classified members approved the final draft unanimously. A CSEA Representative will certify and sign the report, along with the College President and representatives from other areas.

The Board of Trustees will receive the report for final approval September 28, 2015. (Please see the Accreditation Oversight Committee minutes at:

http://www.sac.edu/AcademicAffairs/IEA_Office/Pages/Accreditation-Oversight-Committee.aspx for updates.)

Respectfully submitted,

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Accreditation Oversight Committee