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Faculty Senate Resolution

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To: SCSU Interim President Stanley F. Battle

From: Susan Cusato, President of the SCSU Faculty Senate

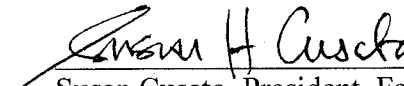
The attached Resolution of the Faculty Senate regards: Resolution on adverse educational impacts of increased course enrollment limits

The Resolution is presented to you for your ☒ APPROVAL
☐ INFORMATION

After considering this resolution, please indicate your action on this form and return it to the President of the Faculty Senate.

In accordance with the CSU-AAUP Contract (Article 5.10), the President of the University will return the Resolution to the President of the Senate within 15 school days of the receipt of the Resolution.

cc: Dr. Marianne Kennedy


Susan Cusato, President, Faculty Senate

Nov. 14 2011
Date

ENDORSEMENT of Faculty Senate Resolution, F-11-01

To: Susan Cusato, President SCSU Faculty Senate
From: Stanley F. Battle, Interim President of the University

1. Motion APPROVED _____
2. Motion DISAPPROVED ☒ _____ (attach statement)
3. Motion NOTED _____
4. Comments We cannot commit to reducing enrollment caps to a
specific levels in light of the current budget situation.

Date


Signature

**SENATE RESOLUTION ON ADVERSE EDUCATIONAL IMPACTS OF
INCREASED COURSE ENROLLMENT LIMITS**

Whereas the primary goal of SCSU is academic excellence;

And whereas the current dire budget situation has caused SCSU to increase the enrollment caps in a number of courses, including LEP, W and online courses in order to generate more tuition payments;

And whereas such increases necessitate significantly increased faculty workload for faculty teaching courses with increased enrollment caps;

And whereas existing faculty workload leaves no room for faculty to meet the added workload;

And whereas the available pedagogical efficiencies that might otherwise be exploited to meet the additional workload have already been exhausted;

Therefore, be it resolved that:

The faculty and administration of SCSU recognize that increased class sizes degrades educational quality in the courses whose limits have been raised;

And that the administration of SCSU commits to reducing enrollment caps to their 2010-2011 levels as soon as possible, and no later than the 2012-2013 academic year.