

**ACADEMIC SENATE
OF
THE CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY**

AS-3328-18/EX
May 10-11, 2018
First Reading/Waiver

**ADOPTION OF “TENETS OF SYSTEM LEVEL SHARED GOVERNANCE IN THE
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY”**

1 **1. RESOLVED:** That the Academic Senate of the California State University (ASCSU) adopt
2 the document titled, “Tenets of System Level Shared Governance in the California State
3 University” and its accompanying “Addendum;” and be it further

4 **2. RESOLVED:** That the ASCSU distribute this resolution to

- 5 • CSU Board of Trustees,
- 6 • CSU Chancellor,
- 7 • CSU campus Presidents,
- 8 • CSU campus Senate Chairs,
- 9 • CSU Provosts/Vice Presidents of Academic Affairs,
- 10 • California Faculty Association (CFA),
- 11 • American Association of University Professors (AAUP),
- 12 • California Conference of the American Association of University Professors.

13 ***RATIONALE:*** *In September 2017, the Academic Senate CSU passed AS-3304-*
14 *17/FGA/AA/APEP “On the Development and Implementation of Executive Orders 1100*
15 *(Revised) and 1110”. In the resolution, the ASCSU noted the major changes in*
16 *curricular design that would result from the Executive Orders (EOs) and called on*
17 *Chancellor Timothy White immediately to put both of them into abeyance. The resolution*
18 *also expressed serious concerns about the adequacy of the consultation and the timeline*
19 *of the EOs. Chancellor White made the decision to leave both EOs in place, including*
20 *their aggressive timelines for implementation. Subsequently, in November 2017, the*

ASCSU passed a motion directing its Executive Committee “on behalf of the faculty to meet with CSU leadership to address the current state of faculty/administration relations and ask all of them to develop a mutually agreed upon definition of joint decision making and recommend a process by which decisions are made.” A series of six, two-hour, in-person monthly meetings then ensued. The first and last meetings included Chancellor White; all six meetings included the following individuals:

- Dr. Christine M. Miller, ASCSU Chair
- Dr. Catherine Nelson, ASCSU Vice Chair
- Dr. Simone Aloisio, ASCSU Secretary
- Dr. Thomas Krabacher, ASCSU Member At Large
- Dr. Robert Keith Collins, ASCSU Member At Large
- Dr. Loren Blanchard, Executive Vice Chancellor
- Dr. Christine Mallon, Assistant Vice Chancellor
- Dr. James Minor, Assistant Vice Chancellor
- Mr. Leo Van Cleve, Assistant Vice Chancellor

This statement is the result of these meetings and is brought to the full ASCSU for its consideration for adoption.