SOLANO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

EMERITUS 4003

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

I. Eligibility

The title of Professor Emeritus may be conferred upon any retiring or retired tenured faculty who has given honorable and distinguished service to the College for at least ten years.

II. Nominations/Recommendations/Appointments

1. Nominations

- (a) A retiring or previously retired Solano Community College faculty member may be nominated by a faculty member, a division dean or faculty member self-nominate to become Emeritus, or division dean or may self-nominate.
- (b) A nomination should include letters of support by a minimum of three other faculty and/or deans.
- (c) All nominations and supporting documents shall be forwarded to the Vice President of Academic Affairs for initial screening.

The Vice President of Academic Affairs, in consultation with the Academic Senate President, will screen all applications for Emeritus status prior to forwarding eligible nominations to the Distinguished Faculty Senate Subcommittee.

2. Approvals/Appointment

The Distinguished Faculty Senate Subcommittee shall review all nominations and supporting documents and shall forward successful nominations to the Academic Senate for approval.

The Academic Senate shall forward its recommendations to the Superintendent-President; the Superintendent-President shall make the final determination on the granting of Emeritus status.

Notification of the decision on Emeritus status will come from the office of the Vice President of Academic Affairs.

3. Documentation required for Nomination/Self Nomination

The following items shall be submitted in support of a nomination of a faculty member for Professor of Emeritus:

(a) Nominee Name, Address, Phone #, Email; Date of Retirement, Department;

- (b) Letters of support from current faculty members or deans;
- (c) A short bio written on behalf of the nominee of no more than a half page in a style suitable for reading at a conferral ceremony.
- (d) The deadline for nomination submission is final Friday in January.

III. Emeritus Benefits

Emeritus faculty will maintain an identification card entitling them to the following College privileges:

- full access to library facilities, including access to computer resources in the library;
- a Emeritus faculty parking permit upon registration with Campus Police Services;
- life-time pass to SCC athletic events (not to include playoffs);
- buy one season pass, get one free season pass to theatre productions;
- attendance at graduation and convocation in full regalia;
- access to faculty dining and recreational activities; and
- listing in College catalog and directories as Emeritus faculty.

IV. Obligation of Emeritus to the College

The Professor Emeritus will identify him or herself as an Emeritus faculty member from SCC in any professional activity that pertains to service at the college or use of its resources. The Professor Emeritus will adhere to the highest academic, civic, and ethical standards.



EMERITUS APPROVAL PROCESS

NOMINATIONS/SELF NOMINATIONS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (See II. 3. IN PROCEDURE MANUAL) DUE TO VICE PRESIDENT OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS BY JANUARY (YEAR)

- NOMINATIONS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS SCREENED BY VICE PRESIDENT OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS
 - 3 VICE PRESIDENT OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS SENDS NOMINATIONS/DOCUMENTS TO ACADEMIC SENATE PRESIDENT
 - THE ACADEMIC SENATE PRESIDENT FORWARDS CANDIDATE NAMES AND ALL DOCUMENTATION TO THE DISTINGUISHED FACULTY/EMERITUS DESIGNATION SUBCOMMITTEE FOR REVIEW
 - THE SUBCOMMITTEE REVIEWS AND APPROVES (DOES NOT APPROVE THE PROSPECTIVE CANDIDATES)
- THE SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS ARE PLACED ON THE ACADEMIC SENATE CONSENT AGENDA THE ACADEMIC SENATE'S DECISION MAY BE APPEALED TO THE SUPERINTENDENT-PRESIDENT
- THE ACADEMIC SENATE VOTES ON THE SUBCOMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS AND SEND THE APPROVED NOMINATIONS TO THE SUPERINTENDENT-PRESIDENT