DRAFT Resolution for the Academic Senate

Responsibility for Development of Online Course Standards

Whereas, Title 5 §53200 establishes faculty primacy in all matters related to curriculum, as well as in standards and policies regarding student preparation and success;

Whereas, quality online course standards are especially vital for student success in online classes;

Whereas, we recognize that all of our classes must be fully accessible in order to comply with the legal requirements in Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act and in Title II of the American Disabilities Act legally require, as well as to meet our accreditation standards;

Resolved, that the College of the Redwoods Academic Senate is committed to full accessibility in all our online classes by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_;

Resolved, that College of the Redwoods Academic Senate adopt the Online Education Initiative Online Course Review Rubric (Revised, Nov 2016) as the exemplary standard for developing, improving and evaluating the quality of our online classes.