SP15.05 Resolution for a Dedicated Faculty Position to coordinate Basic Skills Initiatives

WHEREAS, ninety-one percent of entering CHC students assess into one or more basic skills courses, and

WHEREAS, a 2015 statewide survey of community colleges with basic skills programs revealed that 75% of survey-respondents have allocated funds for a Basic Skills Coordinator position, and

WHEREAS, there is a need at Crafton Hills College for coordination of the process of allocating state granted funds through funding requests, and

WHEREAS, there is a need for a dedicated faculty position for writing the BSI plan, the BSI annual report, and for acting as a liaison among departments, programs, and services, and

WHEREAS, there is a need for a dedicated faculty position to maintain recency with statewide initiatives through participation at state BSI events, trainings, and webinar meetings.

RESOLVED, that a non-instructional faculty position be established and that the aforementioned responsibilities cited in the whereas clauses be included in the duties of the job description, and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that a faculty member be granted appropriate compensation or reassigned time, as determined by the union.