Resolution 2016-2 Guidance on Undocumented Students

Whereas, Classified Staff should participate in college governance developing standards or policies regarding student services, support, and success,

Whereas, the California Community College Chancellor's Office (CCCO) released an advisory on December 5, 2016 that articulated system principles and suggested related strategies to support undocumented students,

Whereas, the suggested strategies included how classified employees interact daily with and guide undocumented students,

Whereas, the CCCO encouraged colleges and districts to consider the suggested strategies in local deliberations in administration of policies affecting undocumented students,

Whereas, the Crafton Hills College Classified Senate is keenly aware of and supportive of all students at Crafton Hills College regardless of their particular immigration status,

Therefore be it Resolved, the Crafton Hills College Classified Senate adopt the following strategies consistent with the CCCO principles and ask our fellow classified staff, administration, faculty, and students to support these strategies in the disposition of district and college operations:

- The SBCCD and CHC are open to all students who meet the minimum requirements for admission, regardless of immigration statuses recognized by the California Dream Act.
- The SBCCD Police Department will not detain, question, or arrest any individual solely on the basis of actual or suspected undocumented immigration status.
- The SBCCD and CHC will resist to the fullest extent possible any federal effort to create a registry of individuals based on any protected characteristics such as religion, national origin, race, sexual orientation, or any other protected status acknowledged by the district, college, or State of California.
- The SBCCD and CHC will not release confidential student records without a judicial warrant, subpoena, or court order, unless authorized by the student or required by law.
- The SBCCD and CHC will resist to the fullest extent possible any federal effort that threatens the safety, security, and potential academic, personal, and professional success of any student or employee regardless of protected status or identity.
- The SBCCD and CHC will advocate for the educational opportunities for all students, regardless of immigration status, at the state and federal level.