

RESOLUTION # 20-57

A Resolution of the Board of Trustees of Coast Community College District Informing the Public of the Repeal Proposition 209 Affirmative Action

WHEREAS, the Repeal Proposition 209 Affirmative Action Amendment was referred to the citizens of California by the legislature, and

WHEREAS, elements of Proposition 209 – passed in 1996 – include decisions on awarding contracts, hiring, and admissions to higher education institutions influenced by race, ethnicity, gender, or other demographic information; and

WHEREAS, data demonstrate that this proposition has had a negative impact on and governing bodies in California higher education; and

WHEREAS, equity, diversity, and inclusion are governance and policy priorities of the Coast Community College District;

WHEREAS, the repeal of Proposition 209 is necessary to address disparities in higher education and to provide more options for the Coast Community College District; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest that voters be made aware of measures on the ballot that may affect public education; be it

RESOLVED, that the Coast Community College District shall disseminate sources of information on the Repeal Proposition 209 Affirmative Action Amendment (2020 Proposition 16) in a timely manner, use of November 3, 2020, election.

I, Jane Burton, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Coast Community College District, certify that on this day, the Seventh of October in the year two thousand and twenty, this Resolution was adopted by the Board of Trustees.

Ayents: Trustees Grant, Proby, Merano, Peterson and Prinsky
Noes: None
Abstaining: None
Absent: None



Jane Burton
Board Secretary