

## 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 – make decisions on awarding contracts, hiring, and admissions to higher education institutions influenced by race, ethnicity, gender, or other demographic information; and

**WHEREAS**, data indicates that there is a lack of professional diversity among faculty leadership and governing bodies in California higher education; and

**WHEREAS**, equity, diversity, and inclusion are governance and institutional priorities;

**WHEREAS**, the repeal of Proposition 209 (1996) by passage of Proposition 57 (2020) will allow the Board of Trustees of Coast Community College District to address disparities in hiring and admissions options of the Coast District, including

**WHEREAS**, it is in the public interest that voters that vote a way on measures on the ballot that may affect public education; be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Coast Community College District shall make available the following sources of information on the Repeal Proposition 209 Affirmative Action Amendment (2020 Proposition 57) in the 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 of Coast Community College District.

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



Jane Burton  
Board Secretary