In accordance with California’s Code of Regulation, Title 5 ARC’s Academic Senate is the organization whose primary function, as the representative of the faculty, is to make recommendations to the administration of a college and to the governing board of a district with respect to academic and professional matters.

“Academic and professional matters” means the following policy development and implementation matters:

1. curriculum, including establishing prerequisites and placing courses within disciplines;
2. degree and certificate requirements;
3. grading policies;
4. educational program development;
5. standards or policies regarding student preparation and success;
6. district and college governance structures, as related to faculty roles;
7. faculty roles and involvement in accreditation processes, including self-study and annual reports;
8. policies for faculty professional development activities;
9. processes for program review;
10. processes for institutional planning and budget development; and
11. other academic and professional matters as are mutually agreed upon between the governing board and the academic senate.

American River College Academic Senate Regular Meeting

AGENDA

Preliminaries

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of the Agenda
3. Approval of the May 12, 2016 Minutes
4. Introduction of Guests
5. Public Comment Period (3 minutes per speaker)
6. President’s Report

Decision (10 minutes maximum per item)

None

Discussion

(10-15 minutes per item)

7. Work Group Updates
   a. Los Rios Financial Aid Monitoring: High Point Program
   b. Common Assessment and Multiple Measures Implementation
   c. Dual Enrollment
   d. The Capital Adult Education Regional Consortium (CAERC)
   e. Grant Application for Textbook Affordability and Open Educational Resources

8. Los Rios Police Officers at ARC

9. ARC Committee Appointments

10. Orientation for New Academic Senators

11. Items from College Areas for Academic Senate Consideration

Upcoming Meetings and Events

1. LRCCD District Academic Senate Retreat: Friday, August 26, 10:00 A.M., Casa Garden
2. LRCCD Board of Trustees Meeting: Wednesday, September 7, 5:30 P.M., Sacramento City College
3. ARC Academic Senate Meeting: Thursday, September 8, 3:00 P.M., ARC Student Center Board Room
4. ARC Strategic Plan – All College Event: Friday, September 16, 9:00 A.M., ARC Student Center Community Rooms