

**MODESTO JUNIOR COLLEGE
ACADEMIC SENATE
RESOLUTION FL02-A:
RATIFICATION OF AGREEMENTS MADE ON BEHALF OF THE ACADEMIC SENATE**

Proposed by: Allan McKissick

WHEREAS, Under AB1725 the position of the faculty on academic and professional matters may be expressed legitimately only through the Academic Senate, and

WHEREAS, The Academic Senate formally expresses its position only through motions and resolutions passed during general or special sessions, unless otherwise provided in Academic Senate bylaws and rules, and

WHEREAS, The Academic Senate expects its officers to facilitate the participation of its entire membership in shared governance at MJC, and

WHEREAS, Academic Senate officers are members of bodies such as the MJC College Council and the YCCD District Council, only by virtue of their charge of representing the Academic Senate;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the following be formally stated in Section III of the Academic Senate Rules:

Academic Senate officers may make agreements with the Administration of Modesto Junior College and the Yosemite Community College District on behalf of the Academic Senate only when authorized by the Academic Senate, under terms and conditions specified by the Academic Senate. Under circumstances deemed by the Academic Senate President to be sufficiently compelling, tentative agreements with the Administration of Modesto Junior College and the Yosemite Community College District may be made without initial authorization, subject to report to and ratification by the Academic Senate at a regular or special meeting.

First Reading: October 17, 2002

Final Action: October 17, 2002 Rules were suspended.

Disposition: Carried

Senate Rules amended to reflect this change.