

**MODESTO JUNIOR COLLEGE
ACADEMIC SENATE
Resolution FL96-H: SENATE SUPPORT OF BOOKSTORE TASK FORCE
October 17, 1996**

PROPOSED BY: Executive Committee

WHEREAS, The faculty members of this college are interested in accommodating the anticipated growth in student enrollment, and

WHEREAS, Most faculty members are dependent on textbooks and other materials to teach students, and

WHEREAS, The Senate believes the student bookstore's primary mission and purpose should be to facilitate instruction by supplying books and materials to students, and

WHEREAS, In the recent past, the student bookstore has been unable to provide books and materials in a timely way, and

WHEREAS, In some cases, student have waited four to six weeks before the student bookstore was able to supply necessary books or materials, and

WHEREAS, Current policy prohibits faculty from directing students to providers other than the student bookstore, and

WHEREAS, Faculty members can only accept additional student into their classes if books and other necessary materials are readily available for those students.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Modesto Junior College Academic Senate supports the newly formed Student Bookstore Task Force as it works to reaffirm the mission and purpose of the bookstore which should be one of service to students and facilitation of instruction, and as the Task Force works to establish policies and procedures for the Student Bookstore which would lead to a realization of this mission and purpose.

First Reading: December 5, 1996

Final Action: January 23, 1997

Disposition: Carried