Resolution to enact the policy recommendations and appendices of the Free Speech, Civil Discourse, and Peaceful Assembly Task Force

Whereas Faculty Assembly approved the Task Force on Free Speech, Civil Discourse, and Peaceful Assembly on November 6, 2017; and

Whereas the Task Force was charged with ensuring: 1) The internal coherence of the two existing policies; 2) Coherence of our policy with SUNY guidelines; 3) Transparency of our policy in terms of placement on our website and regular dissemination to the campus community; and 4) Policies at other institutions to determine best practice; and

Whereas the Task Force conducted research, discussed options, and developed a report; and

Whereas the Task Force report was accepted at the November 19, 2018 Faculty Assembly meeting; and

Whereas, President Stanley accepted the Faculty Assembly’s vote on January 24, 2019;

Therefore, be it resolved that Faculty Assembly supports that SUNY Oswego enact the task force policy recommendations and appendices; and

Be it further resolved that the policy recommendations be placed in a prominent, clear location on the SUNY Oswego website, linked to the Student Handbook, Campus Life, and any other appropriate site.

Handed out February 18, 2019