

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-20-13 OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE
CITRUS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT**

Commitment to the Safety and Well-being of all Individuals and Communities

WHEREAS, the outbreak of coronavirus, or COVID-19, has brought an unprecedented crisis to communities across the globe, including the Los Angeles region; and

WHEREAS, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, more than 1 million cases have been confirmed in the United States as of April 30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, due to fears of COVID-19, various ethnic communities within the United States have experienced negative behavior; and

WHEREAS, Citrus College, since its establishment in 1915, has always demonstrated a commitment to its mission, vision and values; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Citrus College states the college fosters cultural awareness in a safe, accessible and affordable learning environment; and

WHEREAS, Citrus College strives to meet the needs of its demographically diverse student population and embraces equity and accountability; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Citrus Community College District will not condone, consistent with Board Policy 7101- Non-Discrimination, negative behavior toward any ethnic group; will continue to practice its values of diversity and inclusivity; and will encourage students and staff to demonstrate cultural awareness and integrity during this pandemic.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Trustees of the Citrus Community College District this 19th day of May 2020 by the following votes:

Trustee Dickerson:	Aye: <u> X </u>	Nay: <u> </u>	Absent: <u> </u>
Trustee Keith:	Aye: <u> X </u>	Nay: <u> </u>	Absent: <u> </u>
Trustee Montgomery:	Aye: <u> X </u>	Nay: <u> </u>	Absent: <u> </u>
Trustee Ortell:	Aye: <u> X </u>	Nay: <u> </u>	Absent: <u> </u>
Trustee Rasmussen:	Aye: <u> X </u>	Nay: <u> </u>	Absent: <u> </u>

Dated: May 20, 2020

Patricia A. Rasmussen, President
Board of Trustees