STAFF SENATE RESOLUTION ENDORSING UNCG QUALITY ENHANCEMENT PLAN (QEP) TOPICS

WHEREAS UNCG is a fully accredited and participating member of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools / Commission on Colleges (SACS-COC),

And

WHEREAS SACS-COC accreditation requires member colleges and universities to undergo a periodic reaffirmation of accreditation,

And

Whereas UNCG is currently undergoing the SACS-COC process for reaffirmation of accreditation,

And

WHEREAS Core Requirement 2.12 of the SACS-COC Principles of Accreditation: Foundations for Quality Enhancement (The Principles) require submission of a Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) as a part of the reaffirmation process,

And

WHEREAS UNCG has implemented a QEP Steering Committee and a process (The Process) to identify a focal topic for the UNCG QEP that provides opportunities for broad based input from the campus community,

And

WHEREAS The Process has identified a short list of five QEP topic ideas from which one final topic for UNCG’s QEP will be developed and selected,

And

WHEREAS Staff Senate has been provided with information about the five topic ideas identified through The Process, and all members of the UNCG staff have had opportunities to review and comment on the short list of five topic ideas

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Staff Senate endorses further development and consideration of the five QEP topic ideas, i.e.,

Proposal C: Community Engagement,
Proposal D: Communication Enriched Curriculum,
Proposal E: Global Engagement,
Proposal W: Informed and Engaged Citizenship, and
Proposal Z: Interdisciplinary Problem Solving,

leading to the determination in Spring 2013 of a single topic idea for UNCG’s QEP.