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## LINN-BENTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDENT LEADERSHIP COUNCIL RESOLUTION

## TITLE OF RESOLUTION: SLC Support of Tuition Equity for the 2013 Legislative Session SPONSOR(S) OF RESOLUTION: Eric Noll, Legislative Affairs Director; Amanda McCown, President MOVED BY: Robert Camp, Vice President/Treasurer SECONDED BY: Grant Garcia, Internal Event Planner DATE OF INTRODUCTION TO SLC: 19 November 2012 DATE OF FINAL VOTE: 26 November 2012 FINAL VOTE COUNT: Yes - 11 No - 0 Abstain - 0

WHEREAS Tuition Equity will grant any student who was raised in Oregon and graduated from an Oregon High School in-state tuition to any Oregon Higher Education Institution

AND WHEREAS Every year, many accomplished and talented high school students in and around Linn and Benton counties are priced out of an education at an Oregon Higher Education Institution

AND WHEREAS Every year, many accomplished and talented students of Linn-Benton Community College are priced out of an education at an Oregon Higher Education Institution

AND WHEREAS These children and students came to the United States due to the actions of their parents and did not take part in any decision to circumvent the immigration laws of this country

AND WHEREAS The State of Oregon will not experience a negative fiscal impact due to the passage of Tuition Equity

AND WHEREAS Many other states have benefitted fiscally, by generating revenue, as well as strengthening and educating their communities through the passage of similar bills

AND WHEREAS Undocumented students make active contributions to the economic vitality, educational attainment and cultural richness of the community of Linn-Benton Community College as is consistent with our college mission statement

AND WHEREAS LBCC President Dr. Greg Hamann supports the passage of the Tuition Equity

BE IT RESOLVED That the Student Leadership Council of Linn-Benton Community College is fully committed to supporting and advocating for Tuition Equity during the 2013 Oregon Legislative Session.

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<sup>1</sup> These states include California, Illinois, Kansas, Nebraska, New Mexico, Utah, New York, Texas, and Washington