



**RESOLUTION: FA20-C
SUPPORT FOR LESLIE BEGGS FOR YCCD TRUSTEE**

- Proposed by:** Duane Brooks
- Whereas,** Leslie Beggs' service as the YCCD Board Trustee and Past Chair has contributed to the hiring of a Chancellor who has restored a level of trust and strong relationship between the faculty and the District, and
- Whereas,** Leslie Beggs, a former part-time faculty member at Modesto Junior College, has continued to support programs for part-time faculty equity, including part-time office hours, and
- Whereas,** Leslie Beggs has been instrumental in improving communication between the Board and the faculty, including opening the Board Policy Committee Meetings for faculty to attend, encouraging faculty presentations to the Board, instituting regular office sessions, and inviting faculty to share their concerns,
- Whereas,** Leslie Beggs is a prominent leader in the ongoing effort to reform Due Process procedures in our District, including the development and adoption of *Board Policy 3-8020 Due Process*, and
- Whereas,** Leslie Beggs continues to be a dedicated supporter of Freedom of Speech, including support for Academic Freedom, for both faculty and students, and
- Whereas,** Leslie Beggs has demonstrated a deep commitment to the mission of the colleges, and an excellent rapport with faculty, and
- Therefore,** Be it resolved, that the Representative Council of the Yosemite Faculty Association endorses Leslie Beggs in her election efforts.
- First Reading:** October 14, 2020
- Final Action:** Resolution Approved
- Disposition:** YFA President to present to the Board of Trustees on October 14, 2020 Board Meeting