



NORTHWEST FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE

Memo

To: Board of Trustees

From: Dr. Devin Stephenson, President

Date: May 16, 2023

Re: Revising and Combining GP 6.00 Board of Trustees Responsibility for the Common Good and Prohibited Disruption of College Operations and GP 19.00 Free Expression on Campus

The College recommends revising Board Policy GP 6.00 Board of Trustees Responsibility for the Common Good and Prohibited Disruption of College Operations and combining it with GP 19.00 Free Expression on Campus. GP 6.00 describes Board and Presidential authority and participation of the College community in College decision-making; prohibits disruptive activities; and provides the College's non-discrimination statement as required by federal and state law. GP 19.00 covers free expression on campus and the College's authority to enforce reasonable time, place, and manner restrictions on activities on its property. Because both policies cover similar topics from many of the same statutes, the College recommends combining them, clarifying both, and tying them together for future revisions.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Board of Trustees approves the amendments to and combination of GP 6.00 and GP 19.00, as presented.