

## Minutes of Essential Studies Committee March 25, 2019

- 1) A meeting of the Essential Studies Committee was held on March 25, 2019 in Twamley 305. Karyn Plumm presided. In attendance: Brooke Solberg, Paul Lindseth, Wendelin Hume, Mark Jendrysik, Melissa Gjellstad, Karyn Plumm, Brad Reissig, , James Mochoruk, Tim Burrows, Kristen Borysewicz, Alena Kubatova, Clement Tang, Steven LeMire, and Christina Fargo.
- 2) Approval of the minutes from the February 25, 2019 meeting.
- 3) Student Petitions
  - 2019 #4
    - Essential Studies Requirement: Math, Science, and Technology  
Petition committee recommended to approve the petition. A motion was made to approve, motion was seconded, voted upon, motion carried unanimously.
  - 2019 #5
    - Essential Studies Requirement: Humanities  
Petition committee recommend to approve the petition. A motion was made to approve, motion was seconded, voted upon, motion carried unanimously.
  - 2019 #6
    - Essential Studies Requirement: US Diversity  
Petition committee recommended to deny the petition. A motion was made to deny, motion was seconded, voted upon, motion carried unanimously.
- 4) James Mochoruk made motion to approve the changes to the policies/bylaws (appendix will be reviewed at later date), motion was seconded, voted upon, motion carried unanimously.
- 5) Karyn shared potential updates to validation/revalidation rubrics.
- 6) Matters Arising
  - Recommendation was made to hold revalidation/revalidations workshops in an online format so they are available at any time for viewing.