

# ACADEMIC COUNCIL

## Annual Committee Report

**Committee Name:** Academic Council

**Chairperson:** Dr. Gary Don Harkey

**List of members:** Greg Fowler, Karen Gragg, Marian Grona, Kristin Harris, Joe Hite, Mark Holcomb, Joe Johnston, Chad Mueller, Shana Munson, Mike Ruhl, Jessica Sutherland, Sharon Winn, Michelle Wood

**Dates of meetings:** October 25, 2010; November 29, 2010; January 24, 2011; February 28, 2011; March 28 via e-mail

**Accomplishments:**

1. Academic Council voted to accept the recommendations of the Program/Discipline Evaluation Sub-Committee as follows:  
Place the following programs on probation until the program/discipline enrollment meets the minimum standards and all identified weaknesses have been addressed and remedied:

Administrative Office Technology, Automotive Technology, and Criminal Justice

The following programs/disciplines continue without probation once they have addressed any identified weaknesses:

Disciplines: Criminal Justice, Economics, Sociology

Programs: Basic Law Enforcement Academy, Business Management, Computer and Information Sciences, Emergency Medical Services, Machining, Welding

2. Academic Council approved revisions for the following programs, disciplines, and courses:

Administrative Office Technology

Associate Degree Nursing

Associate of Arts in Teaching

Automotive Technology

Basic Firefighter Certification

Business Management

Computer and Information Sciences

Cosmetology

Criminal Justice Program

Farm & Ranch Management

Health Information Technology

Heat, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning

HIST 2311 Western Civilization I

HIST 2312 Western Civilization II

Industrial Automation Systems  
MATH 0102  
MATH 0201  
MATH 1342  
Pharmacy Technician  
Surgical Technology  
Vocational Nursing

(All motions were approved by council members unanimously or by majority vote. See the attached meeting minutes for details.)

**Recommendations:**

Academic Council recommended the following fee increases for 2011-2012:  
Increase for College Level Departmental Challenge Exams from \$20/SCH to \$35/SCH  
Increase the fee for 3-peats and excessive developmental coursework from \$50/SCH to \$75/SCH

**Membership suggestions:** None

**Attachment of agendas and minutes (including attendance)**

**Submitted by:** Dr. Gary Don Harkey

**Date submitted:** 6.20.11

