

State of Washington
State Board for Community and Technical Colleges
Resolution 16-03-08

A resolution relating to a policy supporting accessible technology

WHEREAS, The State Board and Washington community and technical colleges seek to create learning environments, management systems and public information sources that allow for the full participation of their diverse communities of staff, faculty, students and other stakeholders; and

WHEREAS, The Accessible Technology Policy and the practices required for its full implementation will contribute to State Board goals for student access and achievement by removing barriers for students, faculty and staff with disabilities; and

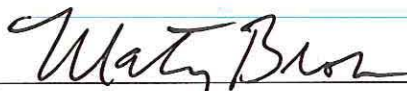
WHEREAS, such a policy will assist colleges to comply with state and federal laws mandating equal, effective and meaningful access to the benefits of technology;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the State Board for Community and Technical Colleges approves the recommended Accessible Technology Policy and authorizes the formation of a system-wide committee to assist in its implementation.

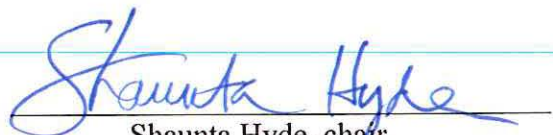
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the State Board for Community and Technical Colleges authorizes the executive director to make adjustments to this action, including any necessary changes to the State Board's Policy Manual, as necessary, for actions taken by the governor, Legislature, data corrections, externally imposed restrictions or guidelines, uniform accounting and reporting requirements, and unanticipated changes in state or federal law.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED on March 24, 2016.

ATTEST:



Marty Brown, secretary



Shaunta Hyde, chair