

C-9a PROCEDURE Tuition and Fees for Credit-Based Courses

In October or November, the Vice President of Administrative Services (“VPAS”) will prepare a review of historical tuition and fee trends, comparative data for peer institutions, FTE audit, anticipated state appropriations, fee fund balances, anticipated fee expenditures, and property tax levy and valuations. The College’s Administrative Team will consider this information and make a recommendation to the President for Tuition Rates and Student Fees for the upcoming academic year.

The Vice President of Student Success will present the recommendation to the Student Senate for comment in November or December.

The President and the VPAS will present the Tuition Rates and Student Fees recommendation to the Board of Governors generally at the Boards meeting in November or December prior to the academic year in which the fees will be effective.

The approved Tuition Rates and Student Fees will be posted on the College’s website and forwarded to both the Administrative Director of Financial Aid and the Administrative Director of Student Accounts. This information will be used in the calculation of Cost of Attendance associated with Title IV funds.

The public may access information regarding Tuition Rates and Student Fees on www.southeast.edu/costs. See related policy and procedure on Consumer Information for supporting information.

In October or November, the Vice President of Administrative Services (“VPAS”) in conjunction with the VP of Student Success, will review housing and dining operations for the current fiscal year. Calculations will be made for projected revenues and expenses due to enrollment, contractual obligations, inflationary costs, maintenance, etc. Historical housing and dining plan trends and comparative data for peer institutions will also be compiled. The VPAS will prepare Statements of Net Position and Statements of Revenues and Expenditures for both Housing and Dining funds including comparative actual, budgeted and forecasted statements.

The College’s Administrative Team will consider this information and make a recommendation to the President for Housing and Dining Plan fees for the upcoming academic year. The VPAS is responsible to ensure that Housing and Dining Plan fees are set to ensure compliance with applicable bond covenants, contractual obligations and other regulatory requirements.

The President and VPAS will present the Housing and Dining Plan fees recommendation to the Board of Governors generally at the Boards meeting in November or December prior to the academic year in which the fees will be effective.

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A Program Chair or Academic Dean may recommend applying a Special Course Fee to a credit course to cover instructional and other related costs in excess of course costs covered by tuition and student fees. Special Course Fees may include but are not limited to costs associated with courses with intensive supervision, support or additional technical expertise required for delivery of the course, specialized insurance coverage premiums, consumable materials and supplies, field trips, applied music, clinical practices, etc.. Special Course Fees may also be assessed for projects that result in items retained by students (e.g., materials for a millwork or art project), class supplies, course

