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SECTION: San Juan College Organization

POLICY TOPIC: San Juan College Mission, Vision, and Values

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I. Introduction

The mission of a community college is to make higher education and vocational-technical training available to all persons who are qualified to pursue the courses of study offered. The San Juan College mission as adopted contains a statement of the College's overall function and purpose as a comprehensive community college.

II. San Juan College Mission

The mission of San Juan College is to improve the quality of life of the citizens it serves by meeting the educational and human needs of the entire community in concert with other community agencies, businesses, industries and other groups.

To assist in the accomplishment of this mission, the College will assess needs, identify clientele, utilize appropriate resources, remove access barriers, and develop and implement curriculum and services appropriate to a comprehensive community college. These services include the transfer function, vocational/ technical training, developmental education, student services and community services.

San Juan College will maintain accountability in all of its functions.

III. San Juan College Vision

San Juan College will be a model of the learning college of the future by promoting student-centered learning, using appropriate technology, employing systems thinking, implementing collaborative approaches and utilizing data-driven decision making.

IV. San Juan College Values

San Juan College believes an ethical foundation reflecting the values of honesty, trust, fairness, respect and responsibility is essential to achieve the College mission and vision. A commitment based on academic integrity and a high standard of individual and institutional ethics shall guide the work of the students, the faculty and the staff.