



## Resolution 26-02 Honoring Greg Gassman

Woodland Community College Academic Senate

Whereas, Greg Gassman has worked for Yuba Community College District since 1996, and was hired as a full-time professor of history in 2005; and

Whereas, Greg served as founding member of our provisional senate before WCC received accreditation and, as the longest-serving Senator for Social Sciences to date, holds the record for the most motions to adjourn; and

Whereas, Greg served as WCC Curriculum Committee's first social science division rep and, as the only full-time history faculty, weathered many curriculum initiatives, from transfer degrees to common course numbering; and

Whereas, Greg was the first faculty advisor for ASWCC and worked with students to choose the WCC school colors and our Eagle mascot; and

Whereas, Greg's enthusiasm for history has made him a beloved lecturer, loud enough to be heard throughout the 300 building (and even outside of the building); and

Whereas, Greg has always been there for any colleague who needed to decompress over a beer, and his healthy work/life balance has been inspirational to many;

Therefore, be it resolved, the Senate commends Greg on his 30 years of service to the college and thanks him for his many contributions to making WCC what it is today; and

Therefore, be it further resolved, that the Senate wishes him all the best in his very happy retirement and hopes to see him often in his off-campus "office hours" at Blue Note or In Shape.

Adopted by acclamation on May 1, 2026.

Signed on behalf of the 2025-26 WCCAS by Aree Metz, Senate President