Subject: Resolution No. 961219-P1
Notice of Intention to Amend the San Francisco Community College District Policy Manual Section 7.22 - Environmental Policies and District Activities: A) Solid Waste Management; B) Hazardous Materials; C) Conservation and Air Quality; D) Transportation; E) Purchasing; F) Groundskeeping; G) Facilities; and H) Curriculum, Education and Staff Developments

President and Members:

San Francisco Community College District Policy Manual Section 1.05 D reads in part as follows: "Adoption of Policies. Any policy may be adopted by the Board, be amended or repealed by an affirmative vote of four members at any meeting, providing notice of said intended action has been given at a previous meeting. . . . "

WHEREAS: Notice was given at a prior meeting of the Board of Trustees of the San Francisco Community College District (November 21, 1996) that proposed amendments to the San Francisco Community College District Policy Manual relating to facilities and the environment would be acted upon at a subsequent meeting of the Board of Trustees;

AND WHEREAS: It has been determined that the document published at the November 21, 1996 Board meeting should be divided such that certain statements expressing broad policy considerations should be placed in the Policy Manual and that other more specific guidelines should more properly be considered administrative regulations promulgated and published by the Chancellor to implement policy;
THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the San Francisco Community College District Policy Manual Section 7.22 - Environmental Policies and District Activities: A) Solid Waste Management; B) Hazardous Materials; C) Conservation and Air Quality; D) Transportation; E) Purchasing; F) Groundskeeping; G) Facilities; and H) Curriculum, Education and Staff Developments should be amended to read as follows: (NOTE: Additions or substitutions are indicated by **bold** and *italic* and deletions are indicated by *strikeout*.)

Recommended for adoption:

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GENERAL POLICY STATEMENT

It is the expressed intent of the San Francisco Community College District to create a set of operating principles and practices that minimize negative environmental impacts of activities under its control and oversight. As an institution of higher learning, the District will act upon its obligation to create positive environmental impacts and maintain an atmosphere where students, faculty, and staff can develop the knowledge, skills, and values of environmental literacy.

To that end, the District adopts the following policies to govern the areas of Solid Waste Management, Hazardous Materials, Conservation and Air Quality, Transportation, Purchasing, Groundskeeping, Facilities, and Curriculum, Education and Staff Development.

A) SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

The San Francisco Community College District is committed to reducing and recycling solid waste.

B) HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

It is the policy of the San Francisco Community College District to reduce the use of hazardous materials and to handle, store, and dispose of these materials in a manner that minimizes harm to the environment.

C) CONSERVATION AND AIR QUALITY

It shall be the policy of the San Francisco Community College District to conserve and protect natural resources.

D) TRANSPORTATION

The San Francisco Community College District is committed to promoting the use of alternatives to single-occupancy motor vehicle use by students, faculty, and staff.

E) PURCHASING

The San Francisco Community College District will exercise purchasing practices that reduce negative environmental impacts and promote the use of reusable and recycled products.
F) GROUNDSKEEPING

It is the policy of the San Francisco Community College District to ensure that all District campuses are clean and attractive, and maintained in an environmentally responsible manner.

G) FACILITIES

The San Francisco Community College District shall employ resource efficient practices when constructing, demolishing, renovating, and/or maintaining district facilities.

H) CURRICULUM, EDUCATION AND STAFF DEVELOPMENT

The San Francisco Community College District is committed to creating and maintaining an atmosphere where students, faculty, and staff can develop the knowledge, skills and values of environmental literacy.