

Faculty Senate Resolution Number F-2025-2

TO: Sandra Bulmer, Ph.D., Interim President, Southern Connecticut State University
FROM: Joan Weir, Ph.D., President, SCSU Faculty Senate

The attached Resolution of the Faculty Senate is entitled:

RESOLUTION Regarding Revisions to the Sabbatical Leave Document

This resolution was approved by Faculty Senate on: October 29, 2025

☒ This resolution is presented for APPROVAL

☐ This resolution is presented for INFORMATION

In accordance with the CSU-AAUP Contract (Article 5.10), "When the Senate makes a written recommendation to the President, the President shall acknowledge and respond to the recommendation in writing within fifteen (15) days of receiving the Senate's recommendation."

After considering this resolution, please indicate your action on this form and return it to the President of the Faculty Senate.

Joan Weir, Ph.D., President, SCSU Faculty Senate

Date

cc: Julia Irwin, Ph.D., Interim Provost and Vice-President for Academic Affairs

ACTION OF THE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT

Resolution for Approval

☐ Resolution APPROVED

☒ Resolution DISAPPROVED (Attach statement)

Resolution for Information

☐ Resolution NOTED (applies to Informational Resolutions only)



Sandra Bulmer, Ph.D., Interim President, SCSU

11/27/2025

Date

Statement:

Since it is early in the academic year, and there is plenty of time available to revise these procedures in advance of the next sabbatical application cycle, I request that the committee add specific instructions for how the sabbatical application and review process will use a digital workflow through software that we have already purchased such as Quali or Interfolio. I recommend that this workflow process is managed at the Provost's office along with the P&T workflow. Thank you for your consideration. I apologize that I had no other option except to "disapprove" this resolution in order to make this request.