ACADEMIC SENATE

Resolution 14/15-04

Procedure:

- 1. A motion should be typed or hand-printed.
- 2. A motion should first be offered to the Executive Board for review and advice on editing and parliamentary implication.
- 3. If changes are necessary, the motion should be recopied on another form. Amendments may be indicated in the margin or on the reverse of this form.

Endorsement of the Committee on Non-Tenure-Track Faculty Affairs Report

WHEREAS, the Academic Senate thanks the Committee on Non-Tenure-Track Faculty Affairs for their work this year and the report that they have submitted.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Academic Senate accepts the report and recommends that the Provost should act on the many good recommendations made therein. In particular, addressing the issues of (i) severance for NTT faculty whose contracts are not renewed could greatly strengthen NTT faculty loyalty to USC and ameliorate much of the "job insecurity" that is often reported by NTT faculty; and (ii) ensuring that there is an appropriate process for renewal and non-renewal of NTT faculty contracts with adequate participation by both Tenure/Tenure Track and Non-Tenure Track Faculty and that there is an appropriate appeals process available to faculty.

Resolution Number: **14/15-04** Date: April 8, 2015 Motion by: Executive Board (No second required when moved by committee)

To be presented at Senate meeting held: April 15, 2015

Action taken: Passed Unanimously