

February 17, 2012

REPORT OF THE DAVIS DIVISION OF THE ACADEMIC SENATE  
COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS, RULES AND JURISDICTION

On December 15, 2011, a petition bearing the signatures of at least 50 members of the Davis Division of the Academic Senate of the University of California was submitted asking that the following Five-Resolution Vote of Confidence be voted on by the membership of the Davis Division (tenure/tenure-track faculty of the UC Davis Campus):

**Resolution:**

*Be it therefore resolved* that the Davis Division of the Academic Senate:

- 1) Condemns both the dispatch of police in response to non-violent protests and the use of excessive force that led to the deplorable pepper-spraying events of November 18, 2011.
- 2) Opposes all violent police responses to non-violent protests on campus.
- 3) Demands that police deployment against protesters be considered only after all reasonable administrative efforts to bridge differences have been exhausted, including direct consultation with the leadership of the Davis Division of the Academic Senate.
- 4) Accepts Chancellor Linda Katehi's good faith apology.
- 5) Expresses confidence in Chancellor Linda Katehi's leadership and efforts to place UC Davis among the top 5 public universities in the nation.

The Davis Division membership was notified on February 3, 2012 that on-line balloting was open and would be closed on February 17, 2012, at 5:00 PM. The on-line ballot results were reviewed by the Committee on Elections, Rules and Jurisdiction on February 17, 2012 after 5:00 PM and are reported as follows:

Total eligible voters:	2,693
Required to pass:	Majority
Vote received:	
Yes:	586
No:	408
Invalid Ballots:	0

The Motion was therefore declared approved and the University of California, Davis Division of the Academic Senate does support the Five-Resolution Vote of Confidence.

Respectfully submitted,

Committee on Elections, Rules and Jurisdiction  
G.J. Matthey, Chair  
James Fadel  
Mark Grismer