NAME OF COMMITTEE	Bakersfield College Bookstore Advisory Committee (BAC)
TYPE OF COMMITTEE	Standing Committee
COMMITTEE CHARGE	The Bakersfield College Bookstore Advisory Committee is a standing shared governance committee that supports the college mission, goals and values through continued oversite oversight and evaluation of the bookstore, specifically by ensuring bookstore access to instructional materials at all Bakersfield College locations, which includes, but is not limited to, the bookstore's contract: • Hours of operation • Pricing policies • Refund policies and procedures • Textbook ordering • The availability of trade and supply items
SCOPE OF AUTHORITY	The committee serves as a recommending body to the Academic Senate and the College President on all matters pertaining to the bookstore services.
TASKS, GOALS, AND OBJECTIVES	 Promote the adoption of strategies to improve bookstore access to instructional material(s) for all students. Serve as a conduit for the exchange of information and ideas between the College communities and the bookstore contractor on matters pertaining to bookstore services. Review pricing, refund and buy-back policies and procedures. Review the timeliness of textbook orders. Work with the various constituent groups in proactive ways to address issues that affect satisfaction, quality, and service. Monitor and track that any financial obligations to students are met, such as the student scholarship fund. Ensure bookstore access and compliance for all current and future campus-wide programs and initiatives, such as Inmate Education-Rising Scholars Program, Rural Initiative, Dual Enrollment, Concurrent Enrollment, and Early College. Help inform faculty, staff and administrators of matters related to accessibility compliance and academic freedom. Serve as an investigative body regarding problems and complaints from faculty, students, administrators or the bookstore contactor regarding operational processes affecting access to instructional material. Create annual report related to contractual expectations, problems, and complaints. Compile recommendations, commendations, and trends.
PROVIDES REPORTS TO	College President, College Council and Academic Senate
COMMUNICATES WITH	President, College Council, Academic Senate, FCDC, KCCD Business Services, eCampus & University Gear Shop & any other outside vendors as needed

MEMBERSHIP	 1 Dean-level Administrative Co-Chair 1 Faculty eCo-eChair 4 Faculty members, excluding eCo-eChair Vice President of Finance and Administrative Services 1 Director of Financial Aid 1 Director or Dean of Dual Enrollment 1 Classified staff representative 1 Student Government Association representative 1 Rising Scholar's Program representative (Faculty preferred) 1 Delano Center or Rural Initiative representative (Faculty preferred) 1 Southwest Campus representative (Faculty preferred) 1 Accessibility Task Force or District Accessibility Committee BC representative (Faculty preferred) 1 Student Affairs representative 1 College Bookstore Contractor representative Non-Voting Member
ALIGNMENT WITH ACCREDITATION	2.5 Student Success 2.5

Approved by Academic Senate, 3/21/2018; 10/31/18; 9/27/23 Approved by College Council, 4/20/18; 11/2/18; 10/27/23