#### **ARTICLE I: NAME**

Section 1 The name of this organization shall be LLCC Alliance

#### **ARTICLE II: PURPOSE**

- **Section 1** The purpose of this organization shall be:
  - Support:To assist and provide support for individuals who have<br/>coming out issues, sex related health issues, etc., education<br/>of gay/lesbian/bisexual/transgender/transsexual (herein<br/>referred to as GLBTT) and other about sexual and sexuality<br/>related issues, stand in support of justice for people of all<br/>sexual orientations, promote awareness of GLBTT<br/>population on campus (for both GLBTT and for the<br/>mainstream population), and to provide a safe zone for<br/>GLBTT and supporters to share ideas, issues, and concerns.

All students are welcome to join the LLCC Alliance in truly celebrating diversity!!

- Service: Participate in and provide a visible GLBTT presence in community based activities and to those on the LLCC campus.
- Social: Provide members and supporters of LLCC Alliance with alternative social opportunities within the GLBTT community.

#### ARTICLE III: MEMBERSHIP AND DUES

- Section 1 Membership in LLCC Alliance shall be open to all persons who identify and support the goals and purposes herein stated. Participation is requested to be eligible for conferences. Eligibility of members is left to the discretion of the advisors and the president.
- Section 2 Dues *will not* be collected from members of LLCC Alliance

### ARTICLE IV: OFFICERS

- Section 1 The officers of LLCC Alliance shall consist of a President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer.
- Section 2 Duties and Powers

The duties of the President shall be:

1. To preside at all meetings of the organization

- 2. To call special meetings as needed.
- 3. Appoint committee Chairpersons subject to membership approval

The duties of the Vice President shall be:

- 1. To preside at all meetings of the organization in the absence of the President
- 2. Other duties as assigned by the President

The duties of the Secretary shall be:

- 1. To be responsible for all meeting minutes, record keeping, correspondence and other clerical work as needed.
- 2. Other duties as assigned by the President.

The duties of the Treasurer shall be:

- 1. To be responsible for all monetary transactions of the organization.
- 2. To be responsible for all financial record keeping of the organization.
- 3. To provide bi-monthly financial reports for the membership.
- 4. Other duties as assigned by the President.

## Section 3 Election of officers.

- 1. The officers shall be elected at the last regular meeting of each semester and shall serve until the next regularly scheduled election.
- 2. Anyone running for office must be a member of LLCC Alliance and a student at LLCC. The candidate must be willing to have their name displayed on any printed materials (posters, signs, letterhead, web pages, etc.). Candidacy is not based on sexual orientation.
- 3. The candidates for office shall be nominated in the following manner: Nominations taken from the floor.
- 4. Voting shall be by a show of hands (or ballot).
- 5. The candidate receiving a simple majority of the votes cast shall be determined the winner of the election. In the case of a tie, subsequent balloting shall be held until a clear winner is determined.
- 6. The retiring Secretary shall notify the entire membership of the results of the election.
- 7. If a Presidential vacancy occurs (resignation), the Vice-President will assume the duties of the President and an election will be held to fill the vacant Vice-President position. All other positions will be filled by an election.

### ARTICLE V: MEETINGS

Section 1 The meeting time and place shall be set by majority vote at the first regular meeting of each semester. Meetings will be bi-monthly.

# **ARTICLE VI: QUORUM**

**Section 1** The members present shall constitute a quorum to transact business.

## **ARTICLE VII: COMMITTEES**

**Section 1** LLCC Alliance will have the following committees:

Education and Activities

**NOTE** As LLCC Alliance grows, changes in this document are to be expected. Members will vote on any additions or subtractions made to this document.