



Academic Senate

COMMITTEE ON PREPARATORY EDUCATION

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To: Jason Stajich, Chair
Riverside Division

From: Jingsong Zhang, Chair
Committee on Preparatory Education

A handwritten signature in black ink, enclosed in a thin black rectangular box. The signature appears to read "Jingsong Zhang".

Re: Campus Review: Campus Safety Task Force Report

The Committee on Preparatory Education reviewed the Campus Safety Task Force Report and offer the following comments: Although this review item is not directly in the purview of the committee, the committee feels it needs to respond as it concerns with preparing the students' transition to UCR campus. The nine recommendations in the report are reasonable and should move forward.

Additionally, some members question the membership of the task force (e.g., having the Police Chief on the task force) and other members note that while policing practices are important, there should be a larger plan to improve campus climate for and increase enrollment of African American students.