

**Modesto Junior College
Academic Senate
Resolution: FL04-C
Adjunct Office Hour**

- Proposed by:** Ron Leonardo
- Whereas:** Students benefit from having their professors available to them at a regular time outside of class, and
- Whereas:** Adjunct professors have at times been stereotyped as being less committed to their students than are full-time faculty members, and
- Whereas:** Many adjunct faculty have serious outside constraints on their availability at MJC outside of class time, and
- Whereas:** A compensated office hour for adjunct faculty has been recommended by California Community Colleges for many years, and
- Whereas:** The Academic Senate, due to the passage of Resolution FL98-C, encouraged the YFA to negotiate for a compensated office hour for adjunct faculty who choose to regularly hold one, and
- Whereas:** The district has repeatedly refused to consider this proposal,
- Therefore:** **Be it resolved** that the Academic Senate ask both the Y.F.A. and the district for a report on progress regarding implementation of a compensated office hour for adjunct faculty members who choose to hold one regularly.
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- First Reading:** February 3, 2005.
- Final Action:** March 3, 2005.
- Disposition:** Unanimously approved. Resolution forwarded to Chancellor James Williams and YFA President, Dorothy Scully for action.