APPROVAL OF THE STUDENT FEE RATES FOR FISCAL YEARS 2009 – 2011

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2009-28

WHEREAS, the State of Indiana requires all State Supported Colleges and Universities to establish tuition and mandatory fees for a two-year period, and

WHEREAS, the significant enrollment increases experienced by the College at all of its campuses during the last several years have resulted in additional space needs, increased facility operating costs, as well as the need for additional faculty and staff, and

WHEREAS, costs have and are expected to continue increasing, and

WHEREAS, the compensation levels for Ivy Tech faculty are significantly below the national average for two-year colleges;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the general fee will be $99.65 for 2009-10 and $104.55 for 2010-11 per semester credit hour for in-state tuition students, except there will be no general fee charged for senior scholars or high school-based dual credit students, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the general fee will be $206.85 for 2009-10 and $221.35 for 2010-11 per semester credit hour for out-of-state students, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the technology fee will be $50.00 for 2009-10 and $60.00 for 2010-11 per student per semester, except there will be no technology fee charged for high school-based dual credit and building trades apprentice students, and that the proceeds of the technology fee will be used for the technology needs of the College, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there will be a charge of $15.00 for 2009-10 and $20.00 for 2010-11 per credit hour for Internet-based distance education courses to be used for the development of statewide distance education programs and other costs associated with providing distance education, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there will be a charge of $62.50 per semester for students in either the Nursing Program or Dental Hygiene Program, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, these fees are effective with registrations for classes beginning in the fall term of 2009 for 2009-10 and summer term for 2010-11, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that these fees will remain effective until modified by the State Trustees.

State Trustees
Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana

Kaye H. Whitehead, Chair

Anne K. Shane, Secretary

Dated: July 16, 2009
Ivy Tech Community College
Consideration of a Resolution Authorizing Student Fee Rates for
Fiscal Years 2009-10 and 2010-11
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• The State of Indiana requires that all State Supported Colleges and Universities establish tuition and mandatory fees for a two-year period.
• A public notice and public hearing is required as well.
• The adoption of the resolution authorizing the fee rates is the final step in the process.
• The general fee for 2009-10 will be $99.65 and for 2010-11 will be $104.55.
• The technology fee for 2009-10 will be $50.00 and for 2010-11 $60.00 per student per semester.
• The total increase is $79.75 per semester for a full-time In-State student taking 15 credit hours for fiscal year 2009-10.
• The total increase is $47.20 per semester for the average Ivy Tech student taking 8 credit hours per semester in 2009-10.
• The total increase is $83.50 per semester for a full-time In-State student for fiscal year 2010-11.
• The total increase is $49.20 per semester for the average Ivy Tech student taking 8 credit hours per semester in 2010-11.
• Additionally, beginning in 2009-10, students in the Nursing and Dental Hygiene programs will pay a program fee of $62.50 per semester.
• Revenue from these increases will be used to serve additional students, hire additional full-time faculty, add financial aid and student services staff, pay for higher utilities and maintenance costs for existing facilities, costs associated with opening new facilities, increase institutional financial aid, and for information technology needs.
• Even with this increase, Ivy Tech fees will remain significantly below all other Indiana public higher education institutions.
• By statute, the College cannot increase tuition or mandatory fees further during this biennium, regardless of circumstances unless state appropriations are cut.
• Consideration of this resolution concludes an extensive process whereby the College sought public input regarding fee rates. Budget hearings were held with all 14 regions and the departments in the central administration, comments were solicited from Student Government leaders, notices were posted at all 23 campuses, the media were notified, and students were invited to send email comments to Bob Holmes.