**Grant Campus Academic Assembly**

**Proclamation**

**Acknowledging the Service of Departing Executive Dean**

**Dr. James Keane**

**Whereas the Michael J. Grant Campus of Suffolk County Community College has, since its inception, aspired to be a student-centered community of academic professionals, and**

**Whereas such an aspiration requires of all community members not only professional competence but also a commitment to the values of honesty, transparency, mutual respect and collaboration, and**

**Whereas during his ten years as Executive Dean of the Michael J. Grant Campus, Dr. James Keane has served that aspiration by providing a model of ethical, open and respectful academic leadership, and**

**Whereas Dr. Keane’s passion, skill and humanity have earned the appreciation and affection of all members of the Campus community whom he has touched, and**

**Whereas during his tenure, Dr. Keane has demonstrated his unwavering commitment to the principles of academic freedom and shared governance upon which the Academic Assembly depends; therefore**

**Be it resolved that the Grant Campus Academic Assembly proclaims its deep thanks to Dr. James Keane for his exceptional service to the campus community, and**

**Be it further resolved that the Academic Assembly wishes Dr. Keane great professional success and personal happiness as he embarks on the next stage of his life, and**

**Be it further resolved that the members of the Academic Assembly pledge to inform our continuing work at the Michael J. Grant Campus with the spirit of service that Dr. Keane has shared with us.**

**Approved by acclamation, November 12, 2019**

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**Dr. Alexander Kasiukov, Chair of the Academic Assembly**