ORDER OF BUSINESS — SPECIAL MEETING
Wednesday, May 23, 2018
Public Session 3:30 p.m. — 5:00 p.m.

Educational Services Center
Board Room – First Floor
770 Wilshire Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90017

I. Roll Call (3:30 p.m.) Location: Board Room

II. Flag Salute

III. Report from the Chancellor
   - Report from the Chancellor regarding activities or pending issues in the District
     - Presentation: Educational Services Center and Colleges Information Technology Assessment Report

IV. Recommendations from the Chancellor
   CH1. Approve the Award of an Honorary Associate of Arts Degree

V. Announcements and Indications of Future Proposed Actions by Members of the Board of Trustees

VI. Adjournment
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Subject: APPROVE THE AWARD OF AN HONORARY ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE

Approve the award of an honorary Associate of Arts Degree Madison Tupper.

Background: Madison Tupper, May 26, 1997 - May 7, 2017. Madison Tupper entered Los Angeles Pierce College after graduating from Canoga Park High School in 2015. She was a full-time nursing major who had completed 46 units and was enrolled in 18 units at her untimely passing. The evaluation of academic records indicates that Madison was in good standing and would have completed enough units to be eligible to meet her educational goals and to graduate.

Madison lived with epilepsy and was registered with Special Services, but she never let her disability and frequent seizures prevent her from persevering. On the contrary, Madison was the pitcher for the Los Angeles Pierce College softball team from 2015-2017. During those two seasons, she never missed a practice, nor an inning; Madison threw every pitch of every game.

Once the softball season ended in April 2017, Madison immediately began fulfilling her lifetime goal of becoming an athletic trainer. While only 19 years old, she started volunteering and assisting our Pierce College athletic trainers. During the 2017 Men's State Volleyball Championships, Madison was delighted to wear her trainer’s uniform and help athletes from the four competing colleges.

Recommended and Approved by: Francisco C. Rodriguez, Chancellor