METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

BOARD POLICY

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INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW BOARD

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The college is committed to safeguarding the welfare, rights and privacy of all research subjects in research projects conducted or sanctioned by the Metropolitan Community College (the college).

The college will maintain an Institutional Review Board (IRB) to review, prior to its commencement, all research conducted by the college, its faculty members, students, employees or outside investigators, whether funded or not, involving research subjects.

The IRB will ensure that human subjects research activities conducted under the oversight of the organization will be conducted in accordance with applicable federal law and regulations that include but are not limited to Federal Regulations (45CFR46, 160, and 164, 21CFR56), and applicable Missouri state statutes and regulations.

The chair of the Institutional Review Board, unless otherwise designated, will be the director of institutional research. The committee will consist of a total of not less than five (5) and not more than ten (10) members, all to be selected by the vice chancellor responsible for academic affairs.

The IRB will provide regular and periodic reports to the chancellor.

Approved: Board of Trustees

May 19, 2016