Response boxes/checks or x’s:  Strongly Agree, Agree, Disagree, Strongly Disagree, Don’t Know

THE LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE FACULTY SENATE

1. Provides an effective forum for controversial issues

2. Is regarded by the campus as dealing with crucial issues

3. Attracts both junior and senior faculty who are esteemed as academic leaders

4. Has effective representation on other key governance groups

5. Is consulted on the creation of all non-senate committees

6. Advertises meetings and activities in advance and widely publishes records of actions

7. Specifies in its Charter/By-laws areas where senate decisions are normally determinative, co-determinative, or advisory

8. Grounds its practices in parliamentary procedure and published and endorsed principles of governance

9. Defends the core values of academic freedom, and determines curriculum

10. Is seen as an agent for necessary institutional change

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