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**Table 1. Custom Items Frequency Distributions** 

		TCC		2	016
<b>Custom Items</b>	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which					_
1 innovation is encouraged at the college	Very dissatisfied	18	6%	24	7%
	Dissatisfied	27	9%	37	11%
	Neither	79	26%	91	27%
	Satisfied	130	43%	124	37%
	Very satisfied	47	16%	57	17%
	Total	301	100%	333	100%
2 the college plans for change	Very dissatisfied	17	6%	34	11%
	Dissatisfied	32	11%	42	13%
	Neither	80	27%	114	36%
	Satisfied	124	42%	96	30%
	Very satisfied	45	15%	34	11%
	Total	298	100%	320	100%
3 priorities are clearly understood at the college	Very dissatisfied	24	8%	33	10%
	Dissatisfied	52	17%	71	22%
	Neither	95	31%	93	28%
	Satisfied	102	33%	98	30%
	Very satisfied	32	10%	32	10%
	Total	305	100%	327	100%
4 the college is committed to improvement	Very dissatisfied	10	3%	27	8%
	Dissatisfied	26	8%	38	11%
	Neither	64	21%	82	25%
	Satisfied	138	45%	133	40%
	Very satisfied	68	22%	54	16%
	Total	306	100%	334	100%

		TCC		2016	
<b>Custom Items (continued)</b>	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which					
5 the college is achieving its diversity goals	Very dissatisfied	22	7%	29	9%
	Dissatisfied	50	17%	34	10%
	Neither	102	34%	91	28%
	Satisfied	79	26%	119	37%
	Very satisfied	46	15%	53	16%
	Total	299	100%	326	100%
6 differences of opinion are encouraged at the	Very dissatisfied	39	13%	49	15%
college	Dissatisfied	58	19%	60	18%
	Neither	104	34%	102	31%
	Satisfied	73	24%	94	28%
	Very satisfied	30	10%	29	9%
	Total	304	100%	334	100%
7 resource allocation decisions are participatory	Very dissatisfied	39	14%	45	15%
	Dissatisfied	65	24%	64	21%
	Neither	97	36%	103	34%
	Satisfied	51	19%	73	24%
	Very satisfied	17	6%	18	6%
	Total	269	100%	303	100%
8 there is campus-wide input on matters of	Very dissatisfied	22	7%	48	15%
importance	Dissatisfied	43	14%	68	21%
	Neither	81	27%	89	27%
	Satisfied	117	39%	95	29%
	Very satisfied	38	13%	26	8%
	Total	301	100%	326	100%

		TCC		2016	
<b>Custom Items (continued)</b>	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which					
9 technological innovation is supported at the	Very dissatisfied	11	4%	18	5%
college	Dissatisfied	29	10%	30	9%
	Neither	55	18%	71	21%
	Satisfied	144	48%	135	41%
	Very satisfied	63	21%	78	23%
	Total	302	100%	332	100%
10 there is a shared vision for the college	Very dissatisfied	15	5%	28	9%
	Dissatisfied	45	15%	47	14%
	Neither	82	27%	91	28%
	Satisfied	124	41%	119	36%
	Very satisfied	36	12%	43	13%
	Total	302	100%	328	100%

**Table 2. Custom Item Mean Comparisons** 

		T	CC	2016		5
	<b>Custom Items</b>	N	Mean	Mean	Sig.	Effect size
The	extent to which					
1	innovation is encouraged at the college	301	3.535	3.459		
2	the college plans for change	298	3.497	3.169	***	.301
3	priorities are clearly understood at the college	305	3.216	3.076		
4	the college is committed to improvement	306	3.745	3.446	***	.279
5	the college is achieving its diversity goals	299	3.258	3.408		
6	differences of opinion are encouraged at the college	304	2.990	2.982		
7	resource allocation decisions are participatory	269	2.784	2.851		
8	there is campus-wide input on matters of importance	301	3.352	2.948	***	.353
9	technological innovation is supported at the college	302	3.725	3.678		
10	there is a shared vision for the college	302	3.401	3.311		

**Table 3. Custom Demographic Frequency Distributions** 

			T	CC
	Demographic Items	Response Option	Count	%
1	Please select one personnel	Administrative/Exempt	85	28%
	classification below that best describes	Classified	76	25%
	your primary role at Tacoma	Full-time Faculty	88	29%
	Community College:	Part-time Faculty	54	18%
		Total	303	100%
2	Please select one area of the college	Academic Affairs	151	50%
	that your primary role fits best:	Administrative Services	62	21%
		President, College Advancement, or Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion	9	3%
		Student Affairs	78	26%
		Total	300	100%

**Table 4. Institutional Structure Means by Primary Role** 

		TCC	
Please select one personnel classification below that best describes your primary role at Tacoma		Mean	
Overall	322	3.281	
Administrative/Exempt	85	3.174	
Classified	76	3.334	
Full-time Faculty	88	3.231	
Part-time Faculty	54	3.525	

**Table 5. Student Focus Means by Primary Role** 

		TCC	
Please select one personnel classification below that best describes your primary role at Tacoma		Mean	
Overall	322	3.891	
Administrative/Exempt	85	3.734	
Classified	76	3.989	
Full-time Faculty	88	3.891	
Part-time Faculty	54	4.034	

**Table 6. Supervisory Relationships Means by Primary Role** 

	TCC	
Please select one personnel classification below that best describes your primary role at Tacoma		Mean
Overall	322	3.702
Administrative/Exempt	85	3.656
Classified	76	3.562
Full-time Faculty	88	3.766
Part-time Faculty	54	3.841

**Table 7. Teamwork Means by Primary Role** 

		TCC	
Please select one personnel classification below that best describes your primary role at Tacoma	N	Mean	
Overall	322	3.855	
Administrative/Exempt	85	3.988	
Classified	76	3.842	
Full-time Faculty	88	3.774	
Part-time Faculty	54	3.815	

**Table 8. Overall Means by Primary Role** 

		TCC	
Please select one personnel classification below that best describes your primary role at Tacoma	N	Mean	
Overall	322	3.630	
Administrative/Exempt	85	3.563	
Classified	76	3.628	
Full-time Faculty	88	3.625	
Part-time Faculty	54	3.791	

**Table 9. Institutional Structure Means by Area of College** 

		TCC	
Please select one area of the college that your primary role fits best:	N	Mean	
Overall	322	3.281	
Academic Affairs	151	3.344	
Administrative Services	62	3.337	
President, College Advancement, or Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion	9	3.558	
Student Affairs	78	3.130	

**Table 10. Student Focus Means by Area of College** 

	TCC	
Please select one area of the college that your primary role fits best:	N	Mean
Overall	322	3.891
Academic Affairs	151	3.948
Administrative Services	62	3.919
President, College Advancement, or Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion	9	4.000
Student Affairs	78	3.780

**Table 11. Supervisory Relationships Means by Area of College** 

		TCC	
Please select one area of the college that your primary role fits best:	N	Mean	
Overall	322	3.702	
Academic Affairs	151	3.780	
Administrative Services	62	3.711	
President, College Advancement, or Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion	9	4.023	
Student Affairs	78	3.513	

**Table 12. Teamwork Means by Area of College** 

	TCC	
Please select one area of the college that your primary role fits best:	N	Mean
Overall	322	3.855
Academic Affairs	151	3.831
Administrative Services	62	3.989
President, College Advancement, or Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion	9	4.167
Student Affairs	78	3.853

**Table 13. Overall Means by Area of College** 

	TCC	
Please select one area of the college that your primary role fits best:	N	Mean
Overall	322	3.630
Academic Affairs	151	3.688
Administrative Services	62	3.674
President, College Advancement, or Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion	9	3.885
Student Affairs	78	3.498