

April 24, 2023

## Hartrisha Dhindsa, Ph.D.

Irvine Valley College Outstanding Part-time Teacher of the Year

WHEREAS, Dr. Hartrisha Dhindsa continues to contribute to the IVC community by teaching several courses in the Psychology Department since joining the college in January 2020; and

WHEREAS, in their nominations, students praised Dr. Hartrisha Dhindsa's ever willingness to offer help and guidance. They cited her extensive knowledge and constant patience in her role as their professor; and

HEREAS, she contributes to IVC her extensive research focused on promoting positive youth development in children and adolescents, specifically those who are minorities, low-income, victims of abuse, or otherwise marginalized in society; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Hartrisha Dhindsa goes above and beyond her teaching responsibilities with her active involvement in various facets of IVC, as a member of the Institutional Review Board and Guided Pathways Social and Behavioral Sciences Committee; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to the students of IVC is evident in her commitment to co-curricular support as a faculty mentor for Psi Beta Community College National Honor Society in Psychology; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees and the Chancellor of the South Orange County Community College District do hereby commend and congratulate Dr. Hartrisha Dhindsa as the Irvine Valley College Outstanding Part-time Teacher of the Year.

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