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DATE:	May 28, 2019
TO:	Members of the Presidential Task Force on Free Speech
FROM:	Timothy Mottet, President, CSU-Pueblo
SUBJECT:	Promotion of Free Speech, Campus Safety, and Civil Discourse Task Force

I would like to thank you for being a member of this Presidential Task Force.

Our University has a commitment to freedom of speech and expression as foundations of a higher learning community. Like all colleges and universities today, we also recognize the complex challenge of balancing First Amendment rights with the need to ensure a campus climate that is welcoming and inclusive for all our students, staff, faculty and community.

As members of this task force, you are charged with developing a set of recommendations to promote (1) free speech, (2) campus safety, and (3) civil discourse on our campus.

Committee Members Dr. William Brown

- Dr. Doug Eskew
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I suggest that the recommendations be limited to 5-7, reflect best practices, and be implemented in a reasonable amount of time. If appropriate, please use the below format when submitting your recommendations. The recommendations are due at the end of the Fall 2017 semester. I would like members of the task force to present the recommendations to Cabinet at the end of the Fall 2017 semester or the beginning of the Spring 2018 semester.

#	Recommendation	Rationale	Resources Needed	Implementation Date
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I thank you for the work that is ahead. I appreciate the time and energy this group is about to invest in an issue that is critically important to our campus and community. We have an opportunity to lead not only our campus community, but the larger Pueblo community as well.