## APPENDIX G

## Request for Authorization to <u>Discontinue and Consolidate</u> Academic Degree Programs

The University of North Carolina at Pembroke – BS in Biotechnology – (CIP 26.1201)

The Bachelor of Science (BS) in Biotechnology degree program (CIP 26.1201) will be discontinued and consolidated into the existing BS in Biology effective with the Fall 2020 semester due to low enrollment and its failure to address a high-priority institutional objective. The Biology faculty voted unanimously to discontinue the degree program, and this vote was subsequently approved by the chair, dean, provost, Curriculum Subcommittee, Academic Affairs Committee, and the Faculty Senate.

There are currently nine students enrolled in the program, who have been notified by their advisor. Students will have the option of pursuing a BS in Biology with an emphasis/concentration in Biotechnology.

No faculty or staff members will be reassigned due to the discontinuation and consolidation of the program, as the courses will still be offered by the Biology department.

The University of North Carolina at Pembroke – BS in Middle Grades Education (6-9) – (CIP 13.1203)

The Bachelor of Science (BS) in Middle Grades Education (6-9) degree program (CIP 13.1203) will be discontinued effective with the Fall 2020 semester due to low enrollment and its failure to address a high-priority institutional objective. The Education faculty voted unanimously to discontinue the degree program, and it was subsequently approved by the chair, dean, provost, Curriculum Subcommittee, Academic Affairs Committee, and the Faculty Senate.

There are currently no students enrolled in the program, nor has the program had any for several years. Faculty and staff lines have previously been assigned to other courses and programs due to the lack of enrollment.