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Resolution on Child Care:

Whereas high quality, affordable child care is critical to faculty and staff parents and should be a cornerstone of a healthy campus community,

Whereas child care is recognized as crucial for faculty and staff morale, as well as faculty and staff recruitment and retention, even by those faculty and staff who do not currently need it themselves,

Whereas the number of child care spaces on campus does not meet the needs of our faculty and staff,

Whereas there is limited availability of affordable child care in the larger Santa Cruz community,

Therefore be it resolved that we urge the UCSC administration to move forward with speed to provide for additional child care for the campus community, and in particular for the families of faculty and staff.