

CLASSIFIED SENATE MEETING MINUTES

Friday, May 30, 2014

1:30-3:00 p.m. – AD/SS-207

1. Opening: President Thomas called the meeting to order at 1:45 p.m.
2. Roll Call:
Attendees: Kathryn Marmolejo, Angela Grotke, Mary Valdemar, Aaron Beavor, Cassandra Thomas, Caleab Losee, Rose King, Christie Gabriel-Millette
Guests: Sarah Miller, Judy Rodriguez
3. Approval of Agenda: The agenda was approved with public comment moved up to be discussed first to accommodate the speaker, **Rose King 1st, Aaron Beavor 2nd**. Approval is unanimous.
4. Approval of Minutes: The minutes for the April 18, 2014 meeting were approved, **Aaron Beavor 1st, Mary Valdemar 2nd. Rose King abstained**. (President Thomas will check on the allocation split discrepancy, as she has since seen slightly different amounts mentioned.)
5. Public Comment/Guest: Sarah Miller recommended that we oppose the recommendations of the College Brain Trust, and the long range staffing plans, for these reasons:
 - The comparison colleges that they gave are not comparable colleges.
 - There is no explanation of why our security/police staff is high. San Bernardino city has a high crime rate, and this should be acknowledged as an important reason for why we need more security and police staffing.
 - There is no realistic comparison of students. They only compared the number of students, not the type of students at the colleges.
 - Staff are already overworked as it is, and many staff believe that compared to other colleges, our work load is greater, and our pay is less, so reducing staff would only add to this. A good staffing plan would show how we could improve our services to students with long term goals that take time to develop.
 - It is not right that staffing positions would be cut back to save money, but then it is recommended that 2 high level positions would have their salaries increased. Staff should be treated with more consideration than this.

- The report itself is of poor quality. It is poorly researched and developed. When the report is thoroughly examined, it is easy to see that it is not a well - documented and factually supported report.

6. Old Business:

- Tabled to the next meeting.

7. New Business/Discussion:

- Classified Senate Elections: We will have Classified Senate elections in June. Cassandra Thomas, Aaron Beavor, Kathryn Marmolejo, Angela Grotke, Caleab Losee, and Christie Gabriel-Millette accepted re-nominations for their positions. President Thomas stated that even though many re-nominations have been accepted, anyone who is interested in any positions, or who would like to change positions, are welcome and encouraged to run.

8. Reports:

A. ASG: No report.

B. Academic Senate: No report.

C. Classified Senate/Committees:

- Treasurer's Report: No report.
- District Assembly Report: no report.
- Program Review: No report.

D. College President's Report: No report.

E. CSEA: No report.

F. College Council:

8. Announcements: Our next meeting will be held on June 26, 2014 at 1:00pm in Library 147.

9. Meeting Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 3:02.

*Minutes submitted by Angela Grotke