

**SAN DIEGO CITY COLLEGE
ACADEMIC SENATE MEETING
March 27, 2006**

MINUTES

Present: Alexander, Brooks, Castaneda, Coleman, Cordell, Deaton, Donnelly, Fabian, Finkel, Fontana, Greer, Julian, Kil, King, Klipple, Leon, Lombardi, Lopez, Mahoney, McGinnis, Selkin, Singer, Spikes, St. George, Ward

Guests: Nick Slinglend

Proxy:

CALL TO ORDER 2:45pm

II. Approval of minutes: Deaton/Greer

III. Addition/Adoption of Agenda

IV. Guest Reports/Special Committees

- a. Articulation/Transfer Catalog Proposal- L. Andersen returned to the Senate to gather more feedback regarding the proposed changes to the transfer catalog. The proposed language for the prep for the major substitution was distributed. Common university majors related to each field of study and a revised transfer paragraph would replace the transferring universities prep for a major from each program's transfer information section. MSC 17Y 0N 5A
- b. Title 5 Update- R. Alvarez reported that the "You Are Here" campus map to student success will be included in the Summer catalog. The next meeting for the Faculty Learning Community will be Thursday, April 6th. Student projects and research will be on display at this year's research symposium on April 26th. A math and anxiety workshop and power point presentation will be held for students to help combat fear associated with math. Contact counseling for more information.
- c. ASB- F. Fabian reported that the ASB is trying to promote the creation of a Student Community Center. ASB is asking students to vote for a policy that would require students to pay no more than \$1 per credit with a max fee of \$10 each year to go towards building the new student community center. In order to pass, 20% of the student population must vote yes. The fee would take effect in Fall 2007. F. Fabian asked for Faculty suggestions regarding the best way to reach students. It was suggested that ASB increase the number of voting stations available around campus. Encourage your students to vote on April 24-26th.
- d. CIC-Jan Lombardi- Six year course review information will be available soon.
- e. SSC- Edwin Hiel- A joint meeting was held with CIC.
 - Dwayne Short's proposal to standardize memorandums of understanding and was well received.
 - There was discussion of making intersession its own session. However, since this would reduce student Pell Grant awards by an average of \$500, it was recommended to keep intersession as part of the spring semester.
 - The idea to keep English and Math requirements for transfer and program degrees separate was also discussed.

V. Announcements

- a. FAC/Staff Softball Game- This year's softball game will be held Saturday May 20, 2006.

VI. Old Business

- a. Governor's Visit- Letter to Chancellor- The Senate reviewed the letter addressed to the chancellor. It was suggested that the Senate discuss it verbally with her instead of sending a formal letter.
- b. Academic Senate Office Hours- The Senate office hours were distributed.
- c. Library Concerns- Contract librarians at Mesa and Miramar are under 12 month contracts, but City College librarians are under 10 month contracts. The LRC staff would like to pursue 12 month contracts for librarians at City. A book sale will be held Wednesday, April 5th. Please donate your unwanted books. Volunteers are also needed to help run the sale. If you are interested contact Jose Salgado at x3874.

VII. New Business

- a. Change to IAC Charter Language in By-Laws- The Senate voted on the proposed changes to the Charter. MCS 22Y 0N 0A
- b. Proposal to District Strategic Planning Committee- Tabled
- c. Inviting Chancellor to An Academic Senate Meeting- K. McGinnis proposed the possibility of inviting C. Carroll to a Senate meeting. The Chancellor will also be on campus tomorrow, Tuesday, March 27th, for an open forum.

VIII. Officer Reports

President:

President Elect:

President of Chairs:

Secretary:

Treasurer:

- a. Lists of those who have not paid their membership dues were handed out to their respected department representatives.

IX. Standing Committees

- a. Committee on Committees- No Report
- b. Diversity Committee- No Report
- c. Professional Development- No Report
- d. Elections Committee- Ballots will be in faculty boxes on March 28th. The ballot box will be available in reprographics all day March 29th and 30th.

X. Adjourn 3:55pm Greer/Salgado