

Classified Senate Meeting Minutes of April 13, 2004

Meeting called to order at 12:05 pm and adjourned at 12:55 pm
Due to cable difficulties, Cuyamaca joined the meeting at 12:25pm

Present: Jacqueline Goff, Pat Murray, Maggie Gonzales, Karen Ostegard, Pat Bailey; Diane Leong, Yvonne Board, Kurt Brauer and Jan Recktenwald

Regrets: Rocky Rose, Caroline Vanlandingham, Jean Wallace, and Paula Tillery

Guest: Peter White, Vice President Student Services

Peter White attended our meeting to discuss the Collegewide Priorities 2004 - 2005 and the Strategic Plan 2004 – 2010 for Grossmont College. He presented the drafts of the first 2 plans, the 3rd plan will be emailed to us for our review. The 3 plans are in the final stages and they are being presented to the Classified Senate, Academic Senate and the ASGC for their endorsement. They'll be presented to the Planning and Budget Committee Meeting in May. Peter asked if there were any corrections/changes on the 2 plans. Major concern from the EBoard is staffing issues, filling vacant/frozen positions and creating positions for the new buildings. Peter suggested and encouraged that a Classified Senate rep attend the Planning & Budget meetings to share our concerns. Peter will attend our May meeting hoping to receive our endorsement for the 3 plans.

Report from Grossmont Council – No report

Report from Cuyamaca Council – Maggie reported there are 2 new committees, the Service Master Plan and Student Gender Equity Committees. Maggie invited everyone to attend their Career Fair on April 27.

Report from District Council – No report

Monthly Classified Senate Award

Kate Thom was nominated for the April award by Jack Peters.

Report from Communications Sub-committee

Jan reported that she has been receiving emails regarding the committee's lists. She had questions about some of the committees submitted and if they were legitimate: College Savings Task Force, Campus Safety, Walk of Fame, District Registration, Commencement Committee, and Budget & Planning. District Reg. will be checked on by Pat and the Walk of Fame may be through the Foundation. Jan will email an updated list when all info is received.

Report from Fund Raising Sub-committee

Pat reported that \$266.00 was raised from the See's Candy Spring fundraiser.

Other Business

- Classified Staff Appreciation was held at Grossmont on April 5. A thank you gift of 2 blankets was given to the musicians. Pat Bailey motioned that the Classified Senate pay the \$14.00 for the cost of the blankets, Jan Recktenwald seconded, motion approved.
- The Constitution and By-Laws that reflected change for Classified Senate to be in charge of Staff Appreciation were approved. EBoard voiced concern of the approval process and recommended that the Constitution and By-Laws be resubmitted for approval to all the Classified staff via email.
- Pat stated that she hadn't received notification for a scholarship for CLI. She said that if an EBoard member would like to attend, they would be responsible for paying for it.

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 4 at 12 noon.