

April 5, 2011

SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE

PRESIDENT'S CABINET

Agenda

April 5, 2011, 2 – 3 p.m., LRC 435

1) GENERAL ITEMS (Liz Armstrong, Interim President)

a) Welcome and Introductions

b) Chancellor's Cabinet Update – Liz Armstrong provided the following updates from this morning's meeting: 1) Enrollment priority proposals handout distributed and Liz spoke about each priority and received updates from attendees. These proposals have already been discussed at the District Student Services Council and will also be brought to tomorrow's DGC meeting, 2) SDICCCA handout on region 10 enrollment priorities was distributed, 3) Liz shared that there is a proposal for student parking fees to be raised to \$40 effective Fall 2011 to help offset cost of parking related costs.

c) SDICCCA Update – 1) Liz shared that the League Legislative Update was discussed and that no next steps have been developed on the budget. Many of the CEOs will be attending meetings on how each District will be handling their budget challenges for the upcoming academic year, 2) at least 43 new bills were introduced that affect community colleges, 3) Mar Brown from UCSD's admissions office brought data to support their decisions on TAG students. d) Summer Session – Liz stated that the summer session will be limited and focused on lock step programs (Allied Health) and to fulfill the commitment to students who have petitioned to graduate. An analysis was performed by District Office to determine the courses that need to be offered although all needs may not be met. Two proposals that will be discussed at DGC are 1) the 75 students who have 60+ units and only need a District required course to graduate to have this final course waived, 2) GE areas – waive requirements for certain areas to help students meet graduation requirements.

e) 2011 San Diego Mesa College - Commencement Speaker this year will be honored as the first Distinguished Alumni speaker – Raul Celaya. In the future, Liz suggested that the Commencement Committee be included on the search and decision for the next Alumni speaker.

2) MAJOR EVENT APPROVAL

a) No events for approval.

3) ACCREDITATION

a) ACCJC Newsletter – Tim McGrath gave a PowerPoint presentation which covered topics from the recent ACCJC Newsletter which stated that there would be Washington oversight to be sure there is accountability and outcomes for colleges receiving federal funding.

4) INSTRUCTION (Tim McGrath, VPI)

a) No Report

5) STUDENT SERVICES (Brian Stockert, Acting VPSS)

a) Brian Stockert thanked Ashanti Hands and others who coordinated the successful Tents of Tolerance event.

6) ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES (Ron Perez not present)

a) No Report

7) PARTICIPATORY GOVERNANCE REPORTS

a) Academic Senate (Cynthia Rico-Bravo) No report

b) Classified Senate (Robin Watkins) Robin shared that 6 senators were added to their bylaws. Elections are now being held for the offices of president, secretary, and 6 senators. Deadline is April 15. Robin asked all managers to encourage and support their staff to participate in Classified Senate.

c) Associated Students Governance (Shahzeb Naqi) Reminder that “Hands Across California” event is April 17, 2011. Shahzeb shared that \$300 have been raised and that they are working with Classified Senate.

8) OTHER

a) Design Center Dedication and Student Exhibit is May, 19, 2011, 10 a.m.

9) ANNOUNCEMENTS

a) Facilities Master Plan Forums: April 6, 2:30-3:30 p.m., G101; April 7, 9-10:30 a.m., H117-118

b) Board of Trustees Continuing Education ECC Campus Meeting, April 14, 2011, 4 p.m.

c) Spring Break, April 18-22, 2011.

d) Scholarship Gala, April 29, 2011, Doubletree Hotel.

e) SD Mesa College Commencement, May 14, 2011, 4 p.m., USD Jenny Craig Pavilion.

10) ROUNDTABLE