Student Services Area Council Zoom Meeting September 13, 2022, 2:00pm-3:00pm

Chairperson: Ross Miyashiro

Recorder: Alicia Guevara

Members: Jana Abulaban, April Bernabeo, Breeanna Bond, Angie Cholico, Marco Colom,

Junnette Fariolen, Cody Hagemeier, Brian Krause, Marleen Ledesma, Coleen

Maldonado, Toni Newman, Diane Swendell, Henry Ta, Nina Wong

Attendees: Breeanna Bond, Marco Colom, Junnette Fariolen, Brian Krause, Coleen Maldonado,

Henry Ta, Nina Wong

The meeting began at 2:04 p.m.

Welcome and Introductions for the New Year

1. All members of the committee introduced themselves.

Review of the August 9, 2022 Draft Meeting Minutes

2. No changes were made to the minutes.

COVID Protocols

- 1. How does everyone feel about not having to check in at World Back to Work anymore?
 - a. Attendees shared that they feel comfortable being in the office without a mask. If students are wearing the mask, staff put masks on.
 - b. In the classrooms, faculty are enforcing masks.
- 2. What would you want in the absence of WBTW?
 - a. Still have students be vaccinated.
 - b. Checking in online for a blue pass is on the honor system.
- 3. How would everyone feel about the vaccine mandate being released by spring or fall?
 - a. If we release the mandate in spring, it would mean that we would take a hold off of spring registration.
 - b. Some attendees feel comfortable without masks, but not removing the vaccine mandate.
 - c. One suggestion is to see what happens after the winter, to see what the numbers look like.
 - d. The Board of Trustees will make the final decision.

Exclusion of El Camino College

- 1. The last time the exclusion of students was discussed, it was in 2007. Now with the amount of mass shootings in higher education and k-12 schools, they're now starting to have pre-analytics of people that are potentially harmful to others in a public setting.
- 2. If we know about it, do we have a responsibility to protect the student body? For instance, if a student has repeated behavior offenses in high school and El Camino College knows this when they enroll. Should we assume they are innocent until they do something?

- a. There is no current policy.
- b. One view is that we didn't do anything, but we also want to make sure we are being equitable.
- c. What is a credible threat?
- d. There should be something in place to help students who may have a mental health aspect.
- e. Are we liable if we knew beforehand and didn't do anything?
- f. Title IX would be part of this process.

The meeting ended at 3:01 p.m.