



COLLEGE ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES COUNCIL
Tuesday, October 16, 2007
DO Board Room
MINUTES

CALLED TO ORDER BY: Gail Pitts

TIME: 3:00 p.m.

Present

Cham, Kathleen
Boughner, Jackie
Dunshee, Dave
Harris, Gheretta
McCauley, Terry
Pitts, Gail
Rush, Catherine
Ston, Mary

Absent

Baughman, Jessica
Cherewick, Daniel
Crews, Lloyd
Mathews, Carla

I. Presentations/Special Guests **None**

II. Meeting Focus Item **None**

III. Ongoing Items:

New Business

Action Items

1.1 Approval of CASC Minutes

The September 18, 2007 minutes were approved.

1.2 College Creation of Student E-Mail Accounts – (D. Dunshee)

This item will be moved to “Old Business-Discussion”. Dave Dunshee stated that this issue is only ½ of the communication piece for students. He stated that a technical survey had been done and 88-90% of students already had e-mail accounts and only about 1/3 said they would want an account. He will look up the communication piece previously discussed at DMT but this issue is still under review.

1.3 Student ID Cards - (G. Harris/L. Crews)

This item will be moved to “Old Business-Discussion”. Gheretta distributed a chart showing the responses received from the community colleges she surveyed regarding student ID cards. She further stated that the second task was to work with IR generate a student survey. She said Lloyd Crews had scheduled a meeting with Nancy Showers to draft a survey that could be used in conjunction with the IFS (Instant Feedback Survey) Panel. Hopefully she will have a draft of the survey for the November CASC meeting.

1.4. Comprehensive Facilities & Maint. Mgt. Software-Taskforce Update - (G.Harris/D. Cherewick)

Gheretta stated that they will bring back a draft charge and estimated timeline back for the November CASC meeting. The task force has been identified and a kickoff meeting is scheduled for the 1st week in November. Their overall objective is to develop a tool to process a number of things such as: work orders, assign tasks, scheduling and tracking of rooms. Also, help in maintaining and tracking of equipment. Part of the scope is that the final product must have Datatel/Colleague compatibility. Gheretta stated that Dan will report out on this issue at future meetings.

- 1.5 Emergency Reponse Plan Update –Enhance Building Marshal Prog.- (T. McCauley) Terry distributed an informational piece regarding enhancing the Building Marshal program to include all college administrators and managers for a more comprehensive response in an emergency. The council discussed the issue and suggested that faculty should also be involved. **ACTION:** Terry will work with PDTC to develop a training program and seek support and volunteers to enhance the Building Marshal program.

Discussion/Report Items

- 2.1 Electronic Communication for Students – (L. Crews)
No update due to absence of L. Crews. The Council expressed some confusion between agenda items 1.2 and 2.1, so Dave Dunshee agreed to research the two and report back. He also stated, with regards to Google Apps, that a process on how to implement the necessary administrative link-up was being worked on.
- 2.2 Business Continuity Plan – (T. McCauley)
No report. Move item down to “Old Business-Discussion”
- 2.3 Pandemic Issues – How to Address - (T. McCauley)
To be taken off agenda. Approved at Chancellor’s Cabinet
- 2.4 Locking/Unlocking Campus - (D. Cherewick/T. McCauley)
D. Cherewick, T. McCauley and G. Pitts are in discussion with affected groups. They are gathering information on current practices. They will keep CASC updated.
- 2.5 Procedure/Protocol for Handling of Property – Personal or College Owned - (C. Rush)
To be taken off agenda. Issue approved at Chancellor’s Cabinet with minor changes. Human Resources will notify appropriate college personnel of procedures and put on H.R. website.
- 2.6 Document Imaging - (C. Mathews)
Gail stated that the document imaging is moving along. The main focus *so far* has been converting *from paper to electronic images*. Once HR, Enrollment Services and Financial Services are done, other departments will be contacted to begin this process to preserve their important business papers/procedures.
- 2.7 Records Retention – Draft Policy/Employee Sign-off (T. McCauley/J. Boughner)
Cathy Rush stated there were a few questions raised at Chancellor’s Cabinet. **ACTION:** Jackie Boughner will work with Cathy Rush to resolve items in questions and resend to Chancellor’s Cabinet (via e-mail) for their approval.

Old Business

Action Items

- 3.1 Candidate Travel & Lodging Reimbursement Information – (C. Rush)
No Update.
- 3.2 Budget Update - (G. Pitts)
Gail stated that there was nothing major to report. Cathy Rush asked about the delayed August State Aid payment. Gail stated that she is hopeful but there had been legislation to delay the payment, but no new legislation to reinstate it. However, the State Aid reduction was offset by a 50% reduction in MESPERS contribution payment. Gail further stated that the College could still experience possible for future cuts. She will keep CASC updated.

Discussion/Report Items

- 4.1 College Support System Update - (D. Dunshee)
Dave Dunshee stated that they are gearing up for registration which should start in about 2-3 weeks. IT is concentrating on preparing for Release 18 which is scheduled over the Thanksgiving long weekend.
- 4.2 Online Application - (C. Mathews)
Gail Pitts read a report from Carla Mathews which stated that they will await implementation of Release 18 before attempting to test the online beta version of the application into the Live account. They are anticipating at Spring implementation timeframe.

4.3 Public Safety/EH&S Update – (T. McCauley)

Terry McCauley stated that a Memo of Understanding is finalized with the Oakland County Health Division to provide facilities and some services in the case of serious emergencies where the hospitals and County facilities would be overloaded. Also emergency procedures are being updated dealing with the “secure shelter concept”. Flip charts will be updated and there will be a Blackboard training component and they are working on procedures specifically for students. He will keep CASC updated.

4.4 College-wide Food Service Committee - (G. Harris)

No Report.

Other Business

5.1 Items for CASC E-Mail Communication

None

Future Agenda Items

6.1 New Phone System - (R. Montgomery/M. Rowe)

6.2 Annual Report- CASC Topics addressed & action Taken

The meeting was adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Jackie Boughner