THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2015, 3:00-5:00 PM, GRIFFIN GATE

MEETING SUMMARY

PRESIDENT	Nabil Abu- Ghazaleh (Chair)		DIVISIONAL REPS (7)	Adelle Schmitt	
VICE PRESIDENT ACADEMIC AFFAIRS	Katrina VanderWoude	٧		Jennifer Bennett	٧
VICE PRESIDENT STUDENT SERVICES	Marsha Gable (Interim)	٧		Michael Barendse	
VICE PRESIDENT ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	Linda Jensen (Interim)	٧		Irene Palacios	٧
SR. DEAN OF COLLEGE	Aaron Starck	٧		Liz Barrow	٧
PLANNING & INSTITUTIONAL EFFECTIVENESS					
DEAN OF CAREER & TECH ED/WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT	Javiar Ayala			Beth Kelley	٧
DEAN, COUNSELING & ENROLLMENT SERVICES	Martha Clavelle	٧			
DEAN OF ARTS, LANGUAGES AND COMMUNICATION	Susan Schwartz (Interim)	٧	BASIC SKILLS REPRESENTATIVE	Corey Manchester	
DEAN, ENGLISH, SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES	Agustin Albarran		SUPERVISORY REPRESENTATIVES (2)	Genie Montoya	
DEAN, MATH, NATURAL SCIENCES & EXERCISE SCIENCE/WELLNESS	Mike Reese	٧		Kurt Brauer	
DEAN, LEARNING & TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES	Taylor Ruhl (Interim)	٧	CLASSIFIED SENATE DESIGNEE	Rochelle Weiser	٧
DEAN OF ALLIED HEALTH & NURSING	Debbie Yaddow		CLASSIFIED SENATE REPRESENTATIVE	TBD	
ASSOCIATE DEAN OF NURSING/DIRECTOR OF NURSING	Domenica (Dee) Oliveri	٧	CSEA REP	Will Pines	٧
DEAN, ADMISSIONS, RECORDS & ENROLLMENT SERVICES	Amir Law (Interim)	٧	ASGC REPRESENTATIVE	TBD	
ASSOCIATE DEAN, ATHLETICS	Jim Spillers	٧			
ASSOCIATE DEAN OF STUDENT SUCCESS AND EQUITY	Lida Rafia	٧			
ACCREDITATION LIASON OFFICER		٧	GUESTS:		
DIRECTOR FACILITIES & OPERATIONS	Ken Emmons		Michael Copenhaver		٧
PRESIDENT, ACADEMIC SENATE	Tate Hurvitz (Co-Chair)	٧			

AFT REPRESENTATIVES	Jim Mahler				
	Victoria Curran for				
	Judd Curran	٧			
CHAIRS & COORDINATORS REP	Evan Wirig	٧	RECORDER:	Patty Sparks	٧

Meeting commenced at 3:00 PM.

I. Co-Chair Discussion/Possible Nominations

Tate asked the members that for the good of this Council whether it should consider a temporary cochair appointment until the VPAS position has been permanently filled. The Council discussed the issue and consensus is to keep the co-chair position filled by the interim VPAS, Linda Jensen.

II. REFLECTION ON COUNCIL'S FOCUS AND APPROACH FOR THE FUTURE

Tate stated that it is his impression that this Council has an uneven focused approach to planning versus the amount of time resources are discussed. It might be useful to think about a way in which we can structure conversations to planning – giving an equal time to each very important area. For an example he stated that discussions along the lines of Student Success, ATD, and Student Equity will keep us informed and will allow for good for thoughtful conversations that transcend this Council.

Judd Curran stated that we have integrated a lot of planning into the resource piece and thinks the connection between the two are there.

Katrina VanderWoude stated that we are faced with new challenges as to categorical funding and this Council will be utilized for discussions that may prohibit repetitive work being done.

Tate closed by reporting that there is a need and desire to get this more relevant in the conversations within this group. He asked the Council to think about the best way to incorporate more planning conversations here and get back to the Council.

III. BUDGET UPDATE

Linda stated we will have a positive 2016/17 year however, not as good as 2015/16. We will have more definitive numbers sometime in May.

Institutional Review Committee (IRC)

GROSSMONT COLLEGE Planning & Resources Council

Linda provided an update and brief time-line for Activity Proposals (APs). The IRC will meet late February, Early March to go over the scoring rubric and discuss any changes or recommendations for the committee.

2016/17 APs were submitted in October of 2015. These APs will be disseminated to the Deans and VPs for distribution. Each division is assigned a number of APs they can submit as follows:

Division		
Name	Dept. Proposals	Division Proposals
President	1	1
VPAA	1	1
Administrative Services	9	2
AHN	3	2
ALC	8	2
CPIE	1	0
CTE/WD	6	2
ESBS	8	2
LTRC	5	2
MNSESW	9	2
Student Services	13	2
Totals	64	18

Once each division reviews and prioritizes their list, the deans and VPs will gather them and provide them to the IRC. The IRC will then meet sometime in March for presentations. (Divisions will defend their APs). The IRC will rank and score the APs and provide a ranked and prioritized list to this Council sometime in April/May. We will know how much funding, hopefully by May that will be allocated to the APs. It was explained that these are Activity Proposals to be funded with one-time monies and cannot be an on-going project. Each AP will be responsible for a plan to implement the proposal and funds will need to be expended by the end of May, 2017.

Tim reminded the Council that the State allocated funding for new faculty hires. We hired two and agreed to move down the Faculty Staffing List for the remaining eight positions.

Tim provided a handout, $Strategic\ Hires - P&RC$, for the Council to review. He further reminded the Council that on the Strategic Hire list, there was a "tie" for the eighth position. We will determine whether both positions can move forward when we have more information as to funding resources as it becomes more concrete.

In addition to new hires, deans and vice presidents will be attending a Los Angeles Job Fair on January 30, 2016, to better access a larger pool of qualified applicants.

Positions discussed were:

Faculty

SSSP Counselor Coordinator

This position will be involved with our matriculation services through SSSP. The Coordinator will work closely with deans and counseling and will report to the VPSS. Service under this position for students will include workshops as well as early alert and efforts to address all the needs of our first year students. Cuyamaca College recently hired this position for their campus.

Tim stated that although this position is categorically funded, we should treat the funds as ongoing (as we did with matriculation funds).

The Council wanted clarification on the difference between the SSSP Coordinator and Counselor positions. The Coordinator will work to identify students who have not completed their education plans as well as research and resolve retention issues. There are so many positions within the Student Equity Plan that a coordinator is necessary to avoid duplicated work as well as ensure that projects and goals are being met. The counselor position will of course counsel students and assist with tracking.

This position will be tabled for further discussion.

Librarian

This position is funding in the unrestricted general fund and is vacant due to a death. This position will ensure the minimum amount of service we agreed to provide in the Library.

DSPS Counselor

As discussed in previous meetings, this position was requested in lieu of the DSPS Specialist. After a thorough review of needs in the department this position far better serves students. This position will also be credentialed to administer Learning Disability testing.

Mental Health Counselor/Coordinator

This is a full-time position and would be funded through Student Health Fees.

This position is needed as many students are turned away or cancelled to take care of emergencies on campus. Last spring, approximately 500 students were seen and 33 of those students were life eminent. Top four reasons students see mental health counselors are, anxiety, panic attacks, depression, and students with trauma history.

AOJ Instructor

One of two positions already moving forward.

English Instructor

Second position already moving forward.

Instructor positions moving forward are: Psychology - Behavioral Sciences, Physics, Math, Veterans Counselor/Coordinator.

Other Classified and Administrator positions were discussed.

Classified

SSSP Program Specialist

This position assists with mandates and will track and follow-up with students. In addition to tracking, this position works closely with counselors and/or tutors. This position will maintain all files and paperwork associated with students.

Outreach Coordinator

We currently do not have a position designed for developing outreach programs, recruitment both in-reach at the college and outreach to the community. The position will be funded with Equity Funds.

A&R Assistants Sr.

Needs to be filled however is not a hardship or burden.

Student Services Specialist - Assessment

This position will serve fill assessment gaps and clearing pre-requisites classes for students and will alieve the huge bottleneck in services to students.

Administrator

Associate Dean, Student Services

This Administrative position will oversee all student success measures, SB1456, and be responsible for the SSSP Planning Report in collaboration with counseling. This position will report to the VPSS.

Sr. Dean, CPIE

This position is vacant due to Chris Hill taking a position at another institution. This position is vital to the sustainability of college planning. This position will verse all aspects of college planning and its link to district wide planning. In addition to planning, this position will organize and direct operations and activities involved in review, analysis, interpretation, and reporting of a variety of data and information used in assessing the institution's effectiveness toward student success.

Associate Dean, Athletics

This position is vacant due to the retirement of Jim Spillers. This position assists with meeting legal mandates and assures compliance with NCAA, federal and state local guidelines. In addition supervises the administration of athletic programs including training and evaluation of coaches and staff.

The Council discussed the strategic hiring process and the Districts involvement.

New position

Financial Aid Special Programs Coordinator. This position needs to be classified but will be funded through Equity funds and written in the equity plan.

The Council agreed to move forward with recommendations as discussed.

Meeting adjourned 5 p.m.

NEXT P&RC MEETING DATE: January 28, 2016, 3 – 5 p.m., Griffin Gate

VISION: CHANGING LIVES THROUGH EDUCATION