



District Planning and Advisory Council (DPAC) Semi-Annual Update September 2021 – February 2022

The purpose of this update on DPAC activities is to provide the Santa Monica College community with a better understanding of the planning process at SMC. As authorized via Board Policy 2515, SMC's institutional planning process – both long term and annual – is coordinated by the District Planning and Advisory Committee (DPAC) and makes recommendations to Superintendent/President Dr. Kathryn Jeffery. All college constituent groups (students, faculty, classified staff and administrators) are represented on DPAC. Outlined below is a summary of the activities and discussions by DPAC September 2021-February 2022. If you have questions about the planning process or actions undertaken by DPAC, please contact your constituent group's DPAC representative:

DPAC Members 2021-2022

- DPAC Chair/Vice-Chair: Michael Tuitasi (Chair Designee) and Jamar London (Vice-Chair)
- Academic Senate Representative: Nate Donahue
- Faculty Association Representatives: Peter Morse and Elaine Roque
- Administration Representative: Bradley Lane
- CSEA Representatives: Cindy Ordaz and Martha Romano
- Associated Students Representatives: Joshua Elizondo and Ali Shirvani/Melody Mashouf
- Management Association Representatives: Christopher Bonvenuto and Dione Carter

Summary of DPAC Meetings, September 2021 through February 2022

For more detailed information, go to [DPAC Meeting Website](#) for minutes of meetings.

September 8, 2021

- COVID-19/Return to Campus
- Enrollment Update
- Link to: [DPAC Orientation](#)
- Accreditation Update
- Proposed Support for DPAC 2021-2022 Annual Action Plans
- Response to 2020-2021 Annual Action Plan #3, #7 and #8
- Discussion of 2022-2023 Annual Action Plans

September 22, 2021

- Accreditation Update
- COVID-19/Return to Campus
- 2020-2021 Annual Action Plans – Response to #8. This completes the acceptance by DPAC of the [Responses to the 2020-2021 Annual Action Plans](#).
- Discussion of 2022-2023 Annual Action Plans
- Presentation to DPAC: [Adopted Budget, 2021-2022](#)

October 13, 2021

- Accreditation Update
- COVID-19/Return to Campus
- Discussion of 2022-2023 Annual Action Plans: [The Board Goals 2021-2022 and Ongoing Priorities](#) were reviewed and align with many of the Academic Senate Goals.

October 27, 2021 - Workshop

- The workshop was held to provide an opportunity for members of DPAC to discuss the development of 2022-2023 Annual Action Plans with staff responsible for and/or interested in developing Annual Action Plans. Relaunching the Center for Teaching Excellence for All Staff.

November 10, 2021

- COVID-19/Return to Campus
- Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence
- Accreditation Update
- Strategic Enrollment Management Plan Update
- Discussion of 2022-2023 Annual Action Plans

December 8, 2021

- Vision for Success/IE Dashboard
[Link to Report: Significant Data Trends, Observations, and Recommendations of the Institutional Effectiveness Committee 2021-2022 December 2021](#)
- 2022-2023 Annual Action Plans
 - Master Plan for Education
 - Relaunching The Center
- DPAC acknowledged receipt of Administrative Regulation 3434, Prohibition of Sexual Harassment under Title IX.

January 12, 2022

- COVID-19/Return to Campus
- Accreditation Update
- [Governor's Proposed Budget for 2022-2023](#)

January 26, 2022

- COVID-19/Return to Campus
- Accreditation Update
- Update: [Academic Senate Goals and Objectives 2021-2022](#)
- The 2022-2023 Annual Action Plans were approved and will be forwarded to Fiscal/Budget Committee for review and recommendations.

2022-2023 Annual Action Plans

- #1 Master Plan for Education
- #2 Relaunching The Center

February 23, 2022

- COVID-19/Return to Campus
- Accreditation Update
- Schedule for Updates on 2021-2022 Annual Action Plans:
 - March 23 Annual Action Plan #4
 - April 27 Annual Action Plan #5 and #7, #3 and #6
 - May 11 Annual Action Plans #1 and #2, #8
- DPAC reviewed the DPAC Semi-Annual Report 2021-2022