



Santa Monica Community College District
District Planning and Advisory Council
MEETING – FEBRUARY 25, 2015
AGENDA

A meeting of the Santa Monica Community College District Planning and Advisory Council (DPAC) is scheduled to be held on Wednesday, **February 25, 2015** at 3:00 p.m. at Santa Monica College, Drescher Hall Room 300-E (the Loft), 1900 Pico Boulevard, Santa Monica, California.

I. Call to Order

II. Members

Teresita Rodriguez, Administration, Chair Designee
Georgia Lorenz, Administration Representative
Bob Dammer, Management Association President
Katharine Muller, Management Association Representative
Eve Adler, Academic Senate President, Vice-Chair
Fran Chandler, Academic Senate Representative
Mitra Moassessi, Faculty Association President
Peter Morse, Faculty Association Representative
Robert Hnilo, CSEA Representative
Leroy Lauer, CSEA Representative
Ali Kahn, Associated Students President
Caitlin Corker, Associated Students Vice-President

III. Review of Minutes: February 11, 2015

IV. Reports

A. Response from Superintendent/President to DPAC recommendation(s), if any

IV. Agenda

Public Comments

Individuals may address the District Planning and Advisory Council (DPAC) concerning any subject that lies within the jurisdiction of DPAC by submitting an information card with name and topic on which comment is to be made. The Chair reserves the right to limit the time for each speaker.

A. Strategic Initiatives: GRIT and I³ Projects Update

B. Revision to Vision, Mission and Goals Statement (*see reverse side*)

IV. Adjournment

Meeting schedule through June, 2015 (second and fourth Wednesdays each month at 3 p.m.)

2015 March 11, 25 April 8, 22 May 13, 27 June 10, 24
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VI. Council of Presidents Meeting

The Council of Presidents will set the agenda for the March 11, 2015 DPAC meeting.

Vision, Mission, and Goals

**Santa Monica College: Changing Lives in the Global Community
Through Excellence in Education**

Vision

Santa Monica College will be a leader and innovator in learning and achievement. As a community committed to open dialog and the free exchange of ideas, Santa Monica College will foster its core values: knowledge, intellectual inquiry, research-based planning and evaluation, academic integrity, ethical behavior, democratic processes, communication and collegiality, global awareness, and sustainability.

Mission

Santa Monica College provides a safe and inclusive learning environment that encourages personal and intellectual exploration, and challenges and supports students in achieving their educational goals. Students learn to contribute to the global community as they develop an understanding of their relationship to diverse social, cultural, political, economic, technological, and natural environments. The College recognizes the critical importance of each individual's contribution to the achievement of this mission.

Santa Monica College provides open and affordable access to high quality ~~associate~~ degree and certificate of achievement programs and participates in partnerships with other colleges and universities to facilitate access to baccalaureate and higher degrees. The College's programs and services assist students in the development of skills needed to succeed in college, prepare students for careers and transfer, and nurture a lifetime commitment to learning.