

District Executive Council

Charge: https://intranet.gcccd.edu/dec/charge-and-composition.html

MEETING NOTES

Monday, February 12, 2024 – 1:00–2:30 PM Grossmont College – Griffin Gate

Council Members

Name	Title	Attendance
Lynn Neault	Chair: Chancellor	\boxtimes
Sahar Abushaban	Vice Chancellor Business Services	×
Linda Beam	Interim Vice Chancellor Human Resources	×
Barbara Gallego	Interim Associate Vice Chancellor Educational Support Services	\boxtimes
Denise Whisenhunt	Grossmont College President	×
Jessica Robinson	Cuyamaca College President	×
Cesar D. Nuñez	Grossmont College ASGC President	
Manny Lopez	Cuyamaca College ASGCC President	
Jim Mahler	American Federation of Teachers (AFT) Guild, Local 1931 Rep	×
Colleen Parsons	California School Employees Association (Chapter 707) Rep	×
Wayne Branker	Administrators Association Rep	
Craig Leedham	Confidential Administrators Rep	×
Rosie Ibarra	Confidential Employees Rep	×
Perla Lopez	Grossmont College Academic Senate President	×
Manuel Mancillas-Gomez	Cuyamaca College Academic Senate President	×
Michele Martens	Grossmont College Classified Senate President	×
Rana Al-Shaikh	Cuyamaca College Classified Senate President	X
Guests:		
Kerry Kilber Rebman	Associate Vice Chancellor Technology	×
Steve Abat	Director, Information Security	X
Meeting Recorder:		
Mike Williamson	Executive Assistant	×



Agenda Item	Documents
A. Tuesday, February 13, 2024, Governing	Questions and discussion regarding the
Board Meeting Docket	Governing Board Meeting Docket included the
	following:
	11.1 Advance to Financial Aid Funds
	 Michele M. asked for further explanation
	on this item.
	The Chancellor explained that students
	received financial aid funds before being
	fully qualified, and then ended up not
	qualifying.
	Because the District was unable to
	collect funds back from these students,
	the District had to write off a significant
	amount of accumulated advances using general funds.
	 Manuel noted he had a student that got
	financial aid, and it was later determined
	that he did not have a high school
	diploma or GED.
	It was noted that students must have
	either a high school diploma or GED to
	be eligible for federal financial aid.
	 The Chancellor and Denise shared that
	there have been huge improvements in
	the Financial Aid Department in the past
	few months.
	 11.5 Nonresident Tuition Fee for FY
	<u>2024-2025</u>
	 The group discussed the calculations for
	determining GCCCD's fee.
	It was noted that the SDICCCA colleges
	and districts are aligned on their fees.
	11.6 & 11.7 Out-of-State/Country Travel
	These items prompted a discussion
	about student and employee per diems.
	All agreed both are too low and need to
	be updated.



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	13.4 GCCCD PC Rules and Regs Linda and Jane Kennington will work with the constituent groups to explain the new classified recruiting processes. A short PPT will be created. The Rules and Regs will be available online when finally adopted by the Commission.
B. Governance Council Updates (Standing Item)	
IEPI – Next Steps (Barbara & Kerry)	 Each council will have a three-hour meeting next month facilitated by Dr. Debbie DiThomas focusing on the charge, composition, representation, and functioning of each specific council. The information presented will be unique to each council. The Chancellor explained that DEC will address its regular agenda first, and then have its facilitated coaching session with Dr. DiThomas. Sessions with Dr. DiThomas will also focus on the charge of each group, and how members understand and interpret the charge. The appropriateness of the composition of each council will also be examined. The deadline for completing this IEPI has been extended. Lunch will be provided at the session.
District Strategic Planning & Budget Council	 The State Chancellor's Office is projecting 3.5% deficit at P1. It was reported at a State Business Officers meeting that the State is looking to pull back unspent money from grants or programs that were funded in the past in order to offset the current state budget deficit.



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 Districtwide Public Safety and 	There was no report, as this council is still in
Emergency Preparedness Council	abeyance.
- Human Basaurasa Advisany Caunail	Implementation of the Personnel Commission
Human Resources Advisory Council	was reviewed and discussed.
	 HRAC was given a heads-up that Dr.
	DiThomas is coming in March.
	The group discussed HRAC being separated
	in to three different councils/committees –
	HRAC, the EEO Advisory Committee, and
	the Equity in Hiring Committee.
	Volunteers were solicited for each of these
	three committees.
	The EEO Plan, which was submitted to the
	State Chancellor's Office in December, was
	discussed.
	HR is still waiting on feedback from the State
	Chancellor's Office on the EEO Plan.
	
 Student and Institutional Success Council 	 The group is strategizing ways to restructure SISC so that the work that needs to be done
Council	by the council is not impacted.
	The 2025-2026 Academic Calendar is being
	done in two versions.
	The version that will be presented to the
	Board for approval will not include
	operational deadlines.
	The version with deadlines will be used
	internally for operational purposes.
	BP 5220 Shower Facilities for Students was
	discussed and referred to the campuses for
	compliance review.
	Priority registration for Middle College
	students was discussed at SISC. It was
	noted that if this group is offered priority
	registration, then all dual enrollment students
	must be offered the same. SISC is trying to
	get our board policy compliant with current
	law in this regard.



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y	 A proposal for the Student Health Fee increase was presented to SISC and went out to all groups for review. An AB 928 Committee is being created. Drop for nonpayment was discussed.
ADDED DURING MEETING: Parking Fees	 The discussion on the Student Health Fee above prompted a separate discussion regarding reinstituting parking fees. The discussion included Below are the discussion points: Fall 2024 is proposed for the restart of parking fees. Jim M. expressed concern that it may not be worth it to charge parking fees if we lose enrollment. CAPS salaries and benefits now come out of unrestricted general fund because the revenue from parking fees is not currently being collected. Michele M. noted the CAPS website already says parking will be charged starting in August. Sahar will follow up with Nicole. The proposed parking fee would be the same as the previous amount charged pre-COVID.
Technology Planning & Policy Council	 TPPC has not met yet this year. Barbara and Kerry are here today to discuss BP 3726 Information Security. Barbara discussed projects being worked on. She is hoping to go live in March with the new financial aid system, and live for students in April (or May if federal government does not have the FASFA ready in April).
C. Budget Update (Sahar)	Addressed in discussion under DSP&BC.
D. Personnel Commission Update (Linda) Rules & Regulations Transition of Recruiting	Addressed in discussion under HRAC.

COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

E. Board Policies and Administrative Procedures

APPROVED VIA EMAIL FOR 2/13/24 BOARD DOCKET

Agenda Item

BP 3726 Information Security

FIRST READS

- AP 3727 Data Classification
- AP 3728 Email Encryption
- AP 3729 Vendors Risk Management
 - o 3 New APs
 - All reviewed at TPPC and TOG
 - All reviewed and approved at SISC on 1/22/24
- BP/AP 4101 Independent Study
 - 6-year review
 - Reviewed and approved by Curriculum Committees
 - Reviewed and approved at SISC on 1/22/24
 - No changes recommended to either the BP or AP
- BP/AP 4102 Career and Technical Education Programs
 - 6-year review
 - Both the BP and AP were reviewed and updated by CTE Deans (see redlines)
 - Reviewed and approved at SISC on 1/22/24 with no additional changes
- BP/AP 5075 Course Adds and Drops
 - o CCLC Update 42
 - Reviewed and approved at SISC on 1/22/24

AP 3727, AP 3728 and AP 3729

- Jim M. expressed concern about the lack of specific direction in the technology-related APs. Steve Abat explained the reasoning behind their creation.
- The Chancellor explained that when the IT Department was reviewed by an outside consultant, it was noted that many in IT do not understand their roles related to data security.
- It was noted that there is more work to be done on this body of information security APs.
- AP 3727, 3728 and 3729 will come back to DEC for a second read.

BP/AP 4101, BP/AP 4102 and BP/AP 5075 were approved to move forward to the March Governing Board Docket.



Agenda Item	Documents
 Substantive changes to AP only Reference/citation changes only to BP 	
SECOND READS None	

Next Meeting Date:

Monday, March 11, 2024 – 1:00-2:00 PM – followed by IEPI Workshop from 2:00-4:30 PM Grossmont College, Griffin Gate