



Minutes: April 29, 2022

- I. Call to order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Public Input
 - a. Robert Rek
 - i. Speaking about Learning Disabilities. People can be cruel to people with disabilities. People with disabilities should be treated as equals. Trying to start a movement to treat peoples with disabilities as equals in Laramie County. Talking to DVR to also get help with services. May 16th at 11am, will be meeting with Dr. Stutz. Reviewed 10 major issues students with disabilities face in their educational journey. Ready for action, not just talking about the issues.
 - ii. Would like to partner with SGA to begin the conversation to get students the services and advocates they need for success.
 - iii. Offer more support by bringing awareness to the disability support services available on campus and in the community.
- IV. Funding Requests
 - a. Contingency Fund Request for SkillsUSA
 - i. Won State and headed to Nationals, was @ World Tryouts, placed 4th.
 - ii. Took 1st and 3rd individual and 2nd in Fabrication at State
 - iii. Travel Worksheet – Advisor must pay the student rate to register for the event. Mileage is for travel to and from the airport – must pay for the trip to and from the airport twice. Student cannot ride with faculty in a personal car, so someone had to drive the pair. Food costs for the advisor is paid the per diem rate – which is listed in Section G.
 - iv. Ex-Officio Beckwith motioned to approve the request.
 - v. Vice President Beckwith seconded the motion.
 - vi. Motion passed unanimously; travel request is approved.
- V. Executive Reports
 - a. President
 - i. Met with Dr. Schaffer re: Open Forum. Enjoyed the conversations that were casual to interact with the students and educators present. Did review the costs and go over what each organization pays. Would like to review as a group.
 - b. Vice President
 - i. Thank you for doing all your desk hours.

- c. Secretary
 - i. Action: Minutes Approval for 4-25-22
 - 1. Treasurer Guille motioned to approve the minutes.
 - 2. Ex-Officio Beckwith seconded the motion.
 - 3. Motion passed unanimously; minutes are approved.
- d. Treasurer
 - i. Total Balance
 - 1. \$8365.84 (with the estimation of the lunch costs removed)
 - 2. May 15th check will have the next checks. Or, checks mailed on the 12th.
 - 3. Stipends are paid twice per semester based on committee work, attendance, etc.
- e. Ex Officio
 - i. BOT plans for the PF building remodel – move the Hub desk/space to the side of the building to allow for more adequate space.
 - ii. RAC is still over budget. Looking for more budget cuts.
 - iii. New program – Raspatory Therapy – CRMC will provide half the money for the program. About \$300,000 for initial costs for program start-up. Going to fast track the program to get approval of the program. One of the only programs in the region. Questions: where will the program live? Will it be part of another program?
 - iv. Dr. Stutz told us about a mental health conference in September. There is a national event happening and Zeke will get information to keep Senate up to date on attendance options.

VI. Committee Reports

- a. College Council
 - i. Adding some new positions. \$900,000 over budget for the RAC.
 - ii. Dr. Kim Bender and Tammy Maas are retiring.
- b. ITGC Committee
 - i. Active Directory is completely virtual now.
 - ii. Concern: Can't use Chrome to get onto MyLCCC. Go to the IT Desk for help to make sure you can use MyLCCC.
- c. Food/Advisory Committee
 - i. End of year event posters are up. Focusing on keeping food different and diverse for the students.
- d. DEI Advisory Board
 - i. Discussion on what statement is going to be on the website. Ensure its representative of LCCC. Zeke will send document showing what should be included in the document and statement. Include links to resources supporting diversity especially those that can show how they are supporting diversity.
- e. Student Committee
 - i. Open Forum went really well but hoped from more students to attend. Felt it was successful to get feedback from students.

- ii. Thanks to everyone who has helped to the committee work and work outside your assigned committee.
 - f. Faculty and Staff Committee
 - i. Went over the layout for the event on May 2nd. Looking forward to a great event and thank you for helping with the event.
 - ii. Heather sent reminders for those who signed up to help with shift times.
 - g. Campus Committee
 - i. No Report: Square Dance was the big event for the year.
 - h. Community Committee
 - i. Blood Drive went well. Thanks for all the help and the donations. Should consider making that a reoccurring event. Not everyone has picked up their meal vouchers.
- VII. Advisor Reports
 - a. End-of-Year Reports and Committee Reports
 - i. Please complete individually and submit to Zeke by May 13th.
 - b. Elections Update
 - i. Three returning students on the ballot for the Spring. All running uncontested. President Tolman and Vice President Beckwith are running for offices in addition to the Senator positions. Elections will be online during finals week. Emails will be sent to students to vote.
 - c. SAFAC Feedback and Suggestions
 - i. Update the format and layout of the application. Learn what Sonography did making the printed report easier to read.
 - ii. Outright ask the question how much of the fundraising will be going to the travel.
 - iii. Don't put a set amount for what is being required to be contributed for travel, but say they much contribute and then put a place to show what they are going to be contributing.
 - iv. Phase out the presentations and allow the presentations to be optional if the group is not asking for travel? Would help the timeline.
 - v. Put in policy that the students are required to present the request, not the advisor.
 - vi. Can the process be moved to start sooner? When can the budget that will be allocated be able to be calculated?
 - vii. How can we help the groups provide the most detail so the decisions can be made on that detail?
 - viii. Outline the allowable and non-allowable costs for the requests. For example – the amount of money you can ask for the snacks for each of the meetings vs. full all campus student events.
 - ix. Clarifying the percentages and the need to have some cuts across the board rather than just the one group.
 - x. More education on the previous presidencies and how they have been applied in the past and the expectation of how they are intended to be applied in the future.
 - xi. Explain all of the “jargon” and abbreviations that are being used in the process.

- xii. Is there a way to make the timeline shorter or do a refresher of the training before the presentations begin?
 - xiii. SAFAC is an intense process, so is that clearly explained to students who are interested in becoming a senator. Does SAFAC include the 10 hours expectation outside the meeting time for each week?
 - xiv. The binders were great and very organized! Thanks, Connie!
 - xv. Clarification of the benefit to students and how they address it – students on the greater campus or students in a specific organization. Does it matter to have the difference outlined on the application?
 - xvi. Better explain the Miscellaneous on the travel form.
 - d. Fuel for finals is next week! Encourage students to attend and if you can't find Zeke in his office, find him in the Student Lounge.
 - e. Next week is the last meeting – May 6th. No meeting or desk hours during Finals Week.
- VIII. New Business
- a. Application Adjustments for SAFAC (see above)
 - b. Discuss creating senator position(s) to represent ACC
 - i. Have an Ex-Officio position for the ACC where you have a student who is providing the perspective but is not a voting member. For example – an ACC liaison position who joined on Zoom to the SGA meetings. Person was given zoom link; student did not attend any meetings this semester.
- IX. Adjourn
- i. Ex-Officio Beckwith motioned to adjourn
 - ii. Vice President Beckwith seconded the motion
 - iii. Motion passed unanimously; meeting was adjourned at 4:06 p.m.