

**LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
STUDENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE  
Educational Services Center  
Board Room/Hearing Room – First Floor  
770 Wilshire Boulevard  
Los Angeles, California 90017  
Friday, January 21, 2011  
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

Committee: Ahmed Mohsin, Acting Chair, WLAC; Shawn Adamski, LACC; Daniel Axelrod, Pierce College; Brendan Binns, LAHC; Robert Crossley, LAMC; Bobbi Kimble, ESC; Hanna Matevosyan, LAVC; Lisa Muñoz, LATTTC; Kessha Perry, LASC; Brian Rodriguez, LAMC; Scott Stamler, WLAC; Jorge Vera, ELAC

Absent: Linda L. Tong, Chair

Mr. Ahmed Mohsin, Acting Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m.

Student Trustee Tong is on District-related business.

A quorum was present.

The following colleges were present: ELAC, LACC, LAHC, LAMC, LASC, LATTTC, LAVC, and WLAC.

Absent: Pierce College (arrived at 9:40 a.m.)

The Committee members and participants introduced themselves.

PUBLIC AGENDA SPEAKERS

None.

ASSOCIATED STUDENT BODY PRESIDENTS' REPORTS

Ms. Lisa Muñoz, LATTTC, reported on issues, activities, and events at her campus.

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Mr. Mohsin entertained a motion to take the Discussion Item entitled "Higher One" out of order.

Motion by Mr. Adamski, seconded by Mr. Rodriguez, to take the "Higher One" Discussion Item out of order.

*APPROVED: 7 Ayes (LACC, LAHC, LAMC, LASC, LATTTC, LAVC, WLAC)  
1 Abstention (ELAC)*

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Higher One

A document entitled "myLACCDcard" was distributed.

(Mr. Daniel Axelrod, Pierce College, arrived at 9:40 a.m.)

Mr. Aaron Poach, Campus Relations Coordinator, Higher One, Inc., gave a PowerPoint presentation and discussed the document with respect to refund disbursement options, the OneAccount checking account, easy help and other student resources, how to use the money in the OneAccount, frequently asked questions (FAQs), and rumors and other myths about Higher One.

A question and answer session was conducted regarding Higher One with respect to the disbursement of financial aid funds.

Dr. Adriana Barrera, Deputy Chancellor, expressed her appreciation to Mr. Poach and the other representatives from Higher One, Inc. for taking the time to attend today's meeting.

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Dr. Barrera recommended that the Committee move into the Hearing Room for the remainder of the meeting.

Mr. Mohsin entertained a motion to move the meeting into the Hearing Room.

Motion by Ms. Muñoz, seconded by Ms. Perry, to move the meeting into the Hearing Room.

*APPROVED: 9 Ayes*

The Committee meeting moved to the Hearing Room.

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Mr. Mohsin entertained a motion to take a five-minute recess from the meeting.

Motion by Ms. Matevosyan, seconded by Ms. Perry, to take a five-minute recess.

*APPROVED: 9 Ayes*

The meeting recessed at 10:42 a.m. and reconvened at 10:52 a.m.

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#### ASSOCIATED STUDENT BODY PRESIDENTS' REPORTS (continued)

The following individuals reported on issues, activities, and events at their respective campuses:

Mr. Scott Stamler, WLAC; Ms. Hanna Matevosyan, LAVC; Mr. Brian Rodriguez, LAMC; Ms. Kessha Perry, WLAC; Mr. Brendan Binns, LAHC; Mr. Daniel Axelrod, Pierce College; Mr. Shawn Adamski, LACC; and Mr. Jorge Vera, ELAC.

Ms. Matevosyan requested that additional time be allocated at future Committee meetings to discuss the issues that impact the students.

Ms. Kimble recommended that a standing item be placed on the agenda to hold a roundtable discussion regarding current topics. She further recommended that the Committee decide ahead of time the two or three topics they want to be discussed. She indicated that she would present this request to Student Trustee Tong.

#### STUDENT TRUSTEE MONTHLY REPORT

A copy of the Student Trustee Report was distributed.

Mr. Mohsin read the report that was submitted by Student Trustee Tong for the month of January 2011.

The following additional documents were distributed:

I-TAP Ad Hoc Committee Report

Description: Hands Across California On-campus Student Representative/Paid Internship

Hands Across California (A Dramatic Event to Support Scholarship Funding for California's 2.8 million Community College Students)

## LIAISON REPORTS

### District Office Report

Ms. Kimble indicated that the Final Budget is available in the Office of the Vice President of Student Services at each of the colleges. She recommended that the Student Affairs Committee consider the possibility of making a presentation at a Board meeting during which they would report on positive happenings at the colleges.

### ASO/ASU Advisors Report

Mr. Robert Crossley, ASO Advisor, LAMC, reported that the ASO/ASU Advisors did not meet in December 2010. The next meeting will be held at LAVC on Tuesday, January 25, 2011 at 9:30 a.m.

### Chief Student Services Officers (CSSO) Report

No report.

### District Academic Senate Report (11 a.m.)

No report.

## ISSUES FOR THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Ms. Matevosyan expressed her concern regarding the reduction of ASU office hours at LAVC.

### DISCUSSION ITEMS (continued)

#### Higher One

This item was taken out of order and discussed earlier in today's meeting.

#### Hands Across California

Mr. Mohsin indicated that this item will be on the agenda of the next Student Senate for California Community Colleges (SSCCC) Region VII meeting.

It was decided that discussion regarding this item would be postponed until this meeting.

#### Districtwide Talent Show/Fundraiser

There was discussion regarding the possibility of the students lobbying for funds instead of having a Districtwide talent show fundraiser.

It was decided to remove this item from future Committee agendas.

#### Board Presentation by Student Affairs Committee

Ms. Kimble reiterated her earlier statements regarding the possibility of the Student Affairs Committee making a presentation at a Board meeting during which they would report on positive happenings at the colleges.

Motion by Ms. Muñoz, seconded by Ms. Perry, to make the presentation at a Board meeting in April 2011.

Mr. Vera expressed his concern that several student events and activities are already scheduled for April 2011.

Motion by Mr. Adamski, seconded by Ms. Perry, to amend this motion to state that the Committee requests dates to be presented in the future.

Ms. Kimble indicated that she will provide possible dates for the presentation.

*AMENDED MOTION APPROVED: 9 Ayes*

Mr. Mohsin entertained a motion to postpone the remainder of the discussion items until the Committee meeting of February 25, 2011.

Motion by Mr. Stamler, seconded by Mr. Binns, to postpone the remainder of the discussion items until the next Committee meeting.

*APPROVED: 8 Ayes (ELAC, LAHC, LAMC, Pierce College, LASC, LATTTC, LAVC, WLAC)  
1 No (LACC)*

The following discussion items were postponed:

- Grant Writing Workshop
- Paying ASO/ASU fees and parking fees online
- Priority Parking for ASO/ASU Officers
- Priority Registration for ASO/Student Workers/Honor Students

### ACTION ITEMS

#### Resolution to use coal as an energy source

A copy of the resolution that was provided by LACC was distributed.

Mr. Stamler read the resolution.

Mr. Adamski noted that the agenda item should have read "Resolution to end the use of coal as an energy source."

Due to the lack of time, Ms. Kimble indicated that the resolution with the corrected title will be brought back for action at the Committee meeting of February 25, 2011.

### SAC STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

District Academic Senate – Representative (vacant); Jorge Vera/Kazooba "Ronnie" Kawamara, Alternates

District Budget Committee – Hanna Matevosyan, Representative; Brian Rodriguez/Siraze Bawa, Alternates

District Curriculum Committee – ASO Officer from LACC (TBD – S. Adamski)

District Citizens' Oversight Committee – Lisa Muñoz, Representative

Financial Aid Subcommittee – Kessha Perry, Representative; Siraze Bawa/ASO Officer from LAVC (TBD – H. Matevosyan), Alternates

No reports.

### AD HOC COMMITTEE AND TASK FORCE REPORTS

No reports.

RESOURCE TABLE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE – January 26, 2011 (ESC); February 9, 2011 (ELAC) and February 23, 2011 (ESC)

Mr. Shawn Adamski, ASO President, LACC, will serve as the Student Representative at the Resource Table for the Board meeting of January 26, 2011 and Mr. Jorge Vera, ASU President, ELAC, will serve as the Student Representative at the Resource Table for the Board meetings of February 9, 2011 and February 23, 2011.

NEW BUSINESS

None.

SUMMARY – NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Student Affairs Committee is scheduled for Friday, February 25, 2011 at 9 a.m. at the 811 Wilshire Boulevard Building in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Hearing Room. The deadline for submitting agenda items is Monday, February 7, 2011.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no objection, the meeting was adjourned at 12:02 p.m.