

**New Members:** College Council welcomed two new members: Mary Wink – Hourly representative, and Daena Ramos – Mid-Management representative.

**Operational Assembly:** Kurian Tharakunnel reported the following highlights from the May 9 meeting. Student Affairs reported that the new platform for Financial Aid has gone live. Summer Refresh will be available again this year for students who received a D, F, or W. Business & Facilities are working together with art students on a cost-effective solution for displaying the artwork removed from the B Building. Construction projects ongoing include door installations and welding lab expansion. Technology reported that the Multi Factor Authentication is rolling out as planned, as is the phone system upgrade set to happen the first weekend of June. Student photo IDs will now have suicide prevention language on them. The Guided Pathways Steering Committee continues to plan and prepare recommendations for the future. Research reported that the student satisfaction survey is underway.

**Academic Senate:** Michael Flaherty reported highlights of the Senate meeting as follows. Curriculum approved several new programs as well as new instructional strategies that will go into curriculum forms. Academic Standards continues their investigation of a forgiveness policy, and Academic Support continues looking at having a central location for policies about what is required on a syllabus. Professional Development has a proposal for high impact practices for the fall workshop. Assessment reported that Learning Improvement Week was successful. Online Tech reported 19 online courses developed for the fall semester, and a new committee chair – Gretchen Reyes.

**Summer Co-Worker Connect Events:** Susan Rohde reported on the many Professional Development Center offerings this summer. Co-Worker Connect events will be held every week, including a picnic, Zumba, BBQ, scavenger hunt, yoga, s'mores, and more! PDC programming includes Bridging Differences and Storytelling. In the portal, under Employee Resources, visit the PDC, Employee Recognition & Events, and Co-Worker Connect pages for all the details, and please spread the word!

**Summer Enrollment Initiative:** Jodi Koslow Martin discussed the Summer Refresh program that was started last year, and allows students who received a D, F, or W grade the opportunity to re-take the course in the summer at no cost. Outreach will be made to 2,400 eligible students from the fall and eligible students from the spring semester for this year's program. An invitation will also be made to students who have less than nine credit hours to completion. Outreach is also being made to students who are eligible to take classes in the summer using Pell funds.

**FY 23 Budget Preview:** Colleen Rockafellow provided an update on the budget process including innovation presentations and verification of personnel. Innovative projects approved are architecture space, cannabis curriculum, EMT space, PLUS laboratory, and robotic welding. A new construction or rehab project request form has been developed and will be posted on the portal. You can view this information and more budget materials on the portal under Employee Resources, Business Services, Budget.

**Next Meeting:** The June College Council meeting has been moved to Monday, June 13 at 1:30 p.m.