

Washington Association of Community and Technical Colleges Board of Presidents

BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES

FEBRUARY 24, 2023 SOUTH PUGET SOUND COMMUITY COLLEGE

Members Present

Lin Zhou, Bates

Gary Locke, Bellevue

Jim Lemerond, Bellingham

Sara Thompson Tweedy, Big Bend

Eric Murray, Cascadia

Bob Mohrbacher, Centralia

Karin Edwards, Clark

Joyce Loveday, Clover Park

Amit Singh, Edmonds

Darrell Cain, Everett

Ed Brewster, Grays Harbor

Suzanne Johnson, Green River

John Mosby, Highline

Amy Morrison, Lake Washington

Chris Bailey, Lower Columbia

Chemene Crawford, North Seattle

Marty Cavalluzzi, Olympic

Suzanne Ames, Peninsula

Julie White, Pierce Colleges

Matthew Campbell, Pierce Puyallup

Yoshiko Harden, Renton

Bradley Lane, Seattle Central

Jack Kahn, Shoreline

Chris Villa, Skagit Valley

Tim Stokes, South Puget Sound

Jean Hernandez, South Seattle

Greg Stevens, Spokane Colleges

Kevin Brockbank, Spokane

Kimberlee Messina, Spokane Falls

Ivan Harrell, Tacoma

Chad Hickox, Walla Walla

Faimous Harrison, Wenatchee Valley

Linda Kaminski, Yakima Valley

Substitutes

Nate Langstraat for Kathi Hiyane-Brown, Whatcom

Members Absent

Rebekah Woods, Columbia Basin Rosie Rimando-Chareunsap, Seattle Colleges

Ex-Officio Members — SBCTC

Paul Francis, executive director
Choi Halladay, deputy executive director, BO
Grant Rodeheaver, deputy executive director, IT
Carli Schiffner, deputy executive director, ED

SBCTC Staff

Arlen Harris, SBCTC
Cherie Berthon, SBCTC
Darrell Jennings, SBCTC
Julie Huss, SBCTC
Kim Tanaka, SBCTC
Laura McDowell, SBCTC
Shannon Bell, SBCTC

Call to Order

Chris Bailey, WACTC president-elect, called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m., thanked South Puget Sound Community College for hosting the meeting, and welcomed those present.

Approval of Minutes

MOTION: It was moved and seconded that WACTC approve the January 25, 2023 minutes

without corrections.

MOTION PASSED.

Treasurer's Report

Tim Stokes presented the treasurer's report with a current balance of \$60,208.32

Executive Committee Report — Chris Bailey, WACTC president

Updates were provided on:

- DEOC follow-up have DEOC leadership participate in March Presidents academy.
- Presidential Transition Work being done formal system of orientation for new presidents, will work with State Board staff to develop in conjunction with regular WACTC meetings.
- Jill's final draft on-boarding checklist will be reviewed, and recommendations will be made to the group at a later date.
- Informal mentoring process for new presidents in development.
- Top three competency's that came out of Warren Brown's work will be implementing recommended competencies into general academy sessions.

Technology Committee Report — Kimberlee Messina, chair

Updates were provided on:

- Presentation from Gartner Institute, reviewed external data with the institute and innovations and strategies.
- How do we define ourselves as a sector, which are close to mission and which are out of panic for enrollment issues?
- Grant Rodeheaver: Financial aid RFP working on goal to release first week of March.
- Payroll updates released two weeks ago, successful deployment.
- Staffing plan updated that was approved and colleges paid additional money for additional staff support for ctcLink.

Capital Budget Committee Report — Chad Hickox for Rebekah Woods, chair

Updates were provided on:

- Best practices for indoor environmental, capital budget approved.
- Future class and lab use, recommendation forwarded that all colleges should use 25Live for room scheduling. State Board staff has expertise and can help with training.
- Other space utilization recommendations will move forward and be brought back for further discussion at future meeting.
- What gets counted when you report your space utilization? That will be brought forward for further discussion at future meeting.
- Use of system pools (emergency and hazmat) recommendation is no changes to current use.

- Recommendation State board should use a third-party cost estimator to discuss projects in the pipeline.
- Review procedures and policies for returning funding if the project has bid savings.
- Review of major project scoring process, task force to be started to review this.
- Capital projects prioritization process, potential pause on new projects for the upcoming biennium.
- 2024 supplemental budget request review.
- Change to the major projects list, Olympic college has agreed to voluntarily remove their project from the major list at this time. Olympic College will then be first place on the list for the next round.

Equity Committee — Julie White, chair

Updates were provided on:

 Presidents' academy focuses on principles of leading? inviting DEO's to March WACTC academy to foster relationship building.

Operating Budget - Kevin Brockbank

Updates were provided on:

- Continuing work of knowledge building of the allocation model for the review starting in July. Presentations of general overview and knowledge building at other system meetings.
- May WACTC meeting will be an in-depth presentation, general overview and provide a tool for practicing. More discussion at the WACTC retreat.
- Working to July to continue forming and finalizing task force. Also working with DEI to include in process.

Legislative and Public Information Committee Report — Amy Morrison, chair

Updates were provided on:

- Review of bills potential not making it out of cut-off.
- Review of bills on watch list.
- Review of current legislative happenings.

Educational Services Committee Report — Sara Thompson Tweedy, chair

- Reviewed committee work plan, instruction commission (full time faculty expansion), RPC clarity of 5peer comparisons (meeting with Ed Harry from Northwest Commission), Institute and services
 (watching leg un-funded mandates, on-boarding) Student Services (moving classified staff into
 program specialist 3 positions for consistency in staffing among colleges) WISC (retired career and
 performance services council)
- On-Boarding document ready for review at a spring meeting.

Promising Practices Exchange topics

- March 1 (dual credit)
- April 5 (adult re-engagement)

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Trustees Report — Kim Tanaka, ACT director

Updates were provided on:

- Recap on ACCT National Legislative Summit in D.C.
- ACT Spring Conference May 15-16, 2023 Walla Walla Community College
- ACT nominations due on April 3, 2023

State Board Report — Paul Francis, executive director

Updates were provided on:

- Legislative Update
- Government to Government Summit
- Overtime Eligible Rules
- Corrections Education Update
- Deputy Executive Director for Education search

Adjournment

There being no further business, the February 24, 2023 Board of Presidents meeting adjourned at 10:15 a.m. The next meeting will be March 23-24, 2023 at South Puget Sound Community College.

Minutes prepared by Shannon Bell