

Modesto Junior College
Student Services Council
January 13, 2017
Morris Memorial, Conference Room A

Members	Representing	Present	Absent
Dr. James Todd, VP of Student Services	Chair	✓	
Francisco Banuelos, Dean	Dean Rep	✓	
Peggy Fikse, Director	Student Financial Services		
Henna Battan	ASMJC	✓	
Geri Vargas, Recorder	Student Services		
Wyatt Unruh *	ASMJC		
Vacant	CSEA		
Rhonda Mizuno, CSAC	CSAC		
Martha Robles, Dean	Dean Rep		
Araceli Zarate, CSEA Rep	CSEA appointee	✓	
Michael Girardi, Instructor, Health Education	Academic Senate	✓	
YFA (Vacant)	YFA (3)		

I. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 10: 06 a.m.

II. Introductions

Guests: Amanda Hughes from Stanislaus County Foundation
 Ulises Ochoa, SSSP
 Eva Munguia SSSP

III. Business/Discussions

- a. Stanislaus Futures (Amanda Hughes) - Amanda presented the goals and partnerships and outreach with the Stanislaus County high schools and sharing data to assist students placing appropriately when placed in lower levels of math when taking assessment placement tests. Conversations of integrating math with CSUS., MJC with high schools to have students be better prepared and successful in college.
- b. Community Partnership Solutions Summit Update –Kickoff meeting occurred January 12, 2017. Ulises shared his thoughts regarding the event and sharing that he was impressed of the various resources throughout the Stanislaus County and the connections that he made, i.e. first generation, health services, transportation, and many more resources available throughout the county and given an opportunity to share individual stories. Ulises also shared that he shared with the group of financial literacy and implementing having an individual full time on campus and also focus on food, housing, and transportation and the possibility connect with the City of Modesto to implement a free bus transportation for students. Eva shared that the group she participated in discussed how the organizations can communicate and work together to partner up and focus on parent involvement. Another part of the conversation was outreach and how to connect with other organizations, currently having outreach in high schools is not reaching the entire community. The purpose of the meeting was getting staff here at MJC connected with outside organizations to

discuss issues and concerns within our community.

- c. DREAM Network Update – James discussed the changes and announced Florida and Eva will work together to continue this task. Currently, they are working on an event of “National Educator Coming Out Day” and Ariana Gonzalez and Ulisés assisting in the coordination. Ulises described the *Sabada de Educacion* event and shared they are working on a repeat of this event. James encouraged staff to attend the “MJC Educator Coming Out Day.”
- d. Multiple Measures Assessment Project – Implement the Multiple Measures Projecting using GPA as an indicator, following their established and recommended algorithm, for students beginning at MJC in fall 2017. Araceli Z. motioned to move forward. Rhonda M. seconded. Motion carried.
- e. Pathways –Apply for and pursue the California Guided Pathways Project <http://www.caguidecpathways.org/> Florida motioned to apply for the CA CC Pathways Project, Rhonda seconded. Motion carried.
- f. Student Success Specialists/Counseling - Tabled
- g. Accreditation Update – Draft is available online.
- h. Student ID Cards – A. Zarate – Challenges to ID card, and she wants to breakdown the challenges for the firefighting academy students. The ID card machine and its availability is operational and currently, Enrollment Services is in conversations.

IV. Announcements:

1. **Adjournment** - Meeting adjourned at 11:56 a.m.

Next meeting: October 28, 2016 (Student Services Building, Room 203); Note: last meeting was canceled due to members attending the High School Counselor Day