College Governance Council Annual Report

August 2023 – May 2024

Action Items by Month

September 2023

- **SPARC Budget Recommendation:** Approved roll-forward Fund 1 budget for FY 2023-2024 with no increases or decreases in allocations (9/27/23).
- Equity and Anti-Racism Oversight Creation: Approved governance body within CGC to oversee equity and anti-racism initiatives, ensuring financial and resource commitments for skill and knowledge-building opportunities (9/27/23).

October 2023

• **Participatory Governance Guide:** Approved recommendations to refine participatory governance structures, including streamlined reporting processes (10/25/23).

April 2024

• **Palestine Resolution:** Approved forwarding to the President's Office for further consideration and adoption (4/24/24).

May 2024

- **Institutional Review Procedures:** Approved SPARC's recommendation to adopt institutional review procedures for Skyline College's Mission-Vision-Values (5/22/24).
- **Revised ISLO Adoption:** Approved renaming and revising the Citizenship ISLO to Community Engagement ISLO (5/22/24).

Discussion Items by Month

August 2023

- Comprehensive College Redesign Updates: Integration of Early College Experience, Learning Communities, and other redesign initiatives presented (8/23/23).
- Welcome Week Highlights: ASSC shared successful engagement through themed activities and connection events for new students (8/23/23).

September 2023

- **Student Meal Access Challenges:** ASSC highlighted demand for SAM cards exceeding supply, impacting food security among students (9/27/23).
- Latinx Heritage Event Postponement: Rescheduling discussed due to air quality issues (9/27/23).

October 2023

- **Emergency Messaging Systems:** ASSC raised concerns about inconsistent district-wide alerts and advocated for streamlined messaging protocols (10/25/23).
- **Enrollment Strategy Updates:** Preliminary drafts of the Enrollment Management Plan presented for feedback (10/25/23).

November 2023

- **Living the Promise Initiative:** Reviewed a framework for replicating Canada College's inclusivity and equity model at Skyline College (11/15/23).
- **FTEFAC Final Rankings:** Presented outcomes for faculty hiring prioritization (11/15/23).

March 2024

- **Queer Students of Color Conference:** Celebrated success of the conference and discussed strategies for future programming (3/20/24).
- Women's History Month Activities: Highlights of student engagement in events and workshops (3/20/24).

April 2024

- **Pacific Islander Museum Partnership:** Announced collaboration on student-led cultural programming (4/24/24).
- **Public Safety Updates:** Academic Senate proposed improved lighting, emergency communications, and other campus safety measures (4/24/24).

May 2024

- **Commencement Planning:** Finalized logistics for the May 24th outdoor ceremony (5/22/24).
- **President's Breakfast Recap:** Successful fundraising and community engagement event summarized (5/22/24).

Key Reports

Academic Senate

- **Palestine Resolution:** Advocated for Palestinian student and faculty support, leading to CGC approval (4/24/24, 5/22/24).
- **Curriculum Alignment:** Collaborated with district colleges to streamline curriculum structures (9/27/23, 3/20/24).

Classified Senate

- **Scholarship Fundraising:** Raised \$2,400 for Classified Senate Scholarships, awarding six students (11/15/23).
- **Leadership Development:** Hosted Classified Leadership Institute Retreat focused on professional growth (4/12/24).

Associated Students

- **Cultural Programming:** Organized events for LatinX, Filipinx, LGBTQ+, and Pacific Islander communities, including film screenings and museum exhibits (9/27/23, 10/25/23, 4/24/24).
- **Equity Advocacy:** Raised concerns about meal access, tuition increases, and campus safety on behalf of students (9/27/23, 11/15/23).