
MONTGOMERY COLLEGE GOVERNANCE
STUDENT SERVICES & SUCCESS COUNCIL MEETING
Thursday, November 12, 2020 2:00 – 4:00 pm
Zoom
MINUTES

Attendees

- Members Present: Benita Rashaw, Nik Sushka, Ernest Cartledge, Keiva Jones, Mark Levine, Juliza Majano, Tonya Mason, Tahrea Mensah, Maria Moreno Uribe, Dontavies Newton, Tyra Peanort, Latoria Strickland, Judy Taylor
- Guests: Rosalind Sanders, Maria Bedenbaugh, Leslie Jones, Joanna Kong, Lauren Landau, Pat Mason, Ashley Roberts, Lynda von Barga, Dr. Clevette Ridguard

Call to Order

Chair Benita Rashaw called the meeting to order at 2:01 p.m.

Constituent Concerns

A constituent concern was raised regarding student inability to reach the Finance office for payment and other account questions.

Agenda

The agenda was approved. Judy Taylor motioned, Juliza Majano seconded

Minutes

The October 8 meeting minutes were approved. Maria Moreno Uribe motioned, Judy Taylor seconded.

Chair Report

Benita Rashaw reported out on updates from College Council. Updates available by request

Old Business

MC Mobile App

The council discussed using technology to our benefit to inform students of upcoming events and deadlines and keep them engaged in our remote environment. Tyra Peanort presented some research on best practices, student preferences and various mobile app features.

New Business

2020-21 Goal Review

The council reviewed the 2020-21 goals and discussed additional outreach options such as working with MCTV. The Chair asked for a subcommittee to develop an outline on how to proceed. Mark Levine, Tahrea Mensah and Tyra Peanort volunteer.

MC Talent Share Program

Ashley Roberts presented a PowerPoint. Hiring is limited due to the financial implications of COVID-19. Opportunities for employees to learn new skills and support the College and instructions for employees looking for opportunities and managers looking for assistance.

Supporting Spring Enrollment Efforts

The council discussed ways to support ways to support enrollment efforts, such as assisting with calling projects

Announcements & Adjournment

The open enrollment deadline for employee benefits is Monday, November 16.

The Shaw Center received a \$75,000 grant to assist students with emergency needs and support. The grant cannot be used to pay tuition or provide cash.

The next Mobile Market is Friday, November 13 at TPSS.

Meeting adjourned at 3:48 p.m.

Next Meeting

The next scheduled meeting will be on Thursday, December 10, 2020 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. via Zoom.

Ernest Cartledge
Student Services and Success Council Secretary