

MILWAUKEE AREA TECHNICAL COLLEGE

District Student Senate Minutes

Attendance:

- **Officers** – Diana Herron – Chair; Deshunna Parker-Goode – Parliamentarian; Secretary – Karen Vogel
- **Milwaukee** – Dianna Herron, Rose Paulus, Taishia Moore, Michale Phason
- **Oak Creek** – Robb Rusch, Brian Galecke, Kenneth Thomas, Sara Paschke
- **West Allis** – Benita Oatis, Vincent Christian, Kamyille Moore-Brown
- **Mequon** – Russell Koenig, Sarah Sperber, Ro Swain
- **ASACC** – Kevin Richter
- **WSG** – Reggie Adams
- **District Board Representative** – Okeema Ikanih
- **Advisors:** Archie Graham, Patrice Jefferies, Ericka Crosby, Mary Arend. Absent: Harriet Croskey, Brenda Saugstad
- **Guests:** Guests are West Allis – VP Al Pinckney; Oak Creek – VP Mark Felsheim. There are ten other guests.

March 24, 2017

Public Comments

Approval of Minutes

- Minutes for March 3, 2017 and March 17, 2017 need corrections to misspelled names.
 - Okeema moved to approve the March 3, 2017 and March 17, 2017 with the corrections.
 - Rose seconded the motion
 - Motion passed with 15 ayes

New Business

- Funding Requests
 - FHMA - Revision
 - President of the club is speaking on behalf of the club
 - Revised the funding
 - Robb moved to accept the revision of the funding for \$1700. Ro seconded the motion. Motion passed with 15 ayes and 1 abstention.
 - SADHA
 - Dental Hygiene Association
 - Funding for a bus
 - Lamers Coach
 - Twenty-nine students and an instructor
 - Wausau, Wisconsin (Conference)
 - Kenneth moved to fund with an additional advisor. Ro seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.
 - Survey on Embracing Cultural Competence Diversity and Inclusion – RHR – Al Pinckney
 - Cultural Competence and Inclusion Committee being initiated at MATC
 - Trying to educate the community (including student, faculty, and staff) what the cultural competence is.
 - Want to partner with outside communities in West Allis area.
 - Want to do a survey of the students

- Would like to have one to two students from each campus to be on the committee
- Today it is informational
- Rotary is an organization that looks out for things in the community
 - Trying to start a rotary club here at MATC
 - Will put something together
 - Maybe a fee of a \$1

Old Business

- Childcare
 - Kevin moved approve amount of \$65,000 dollars to fund Childcare. Brian Galecke seconded the motion.
 - Motion passed with 11 ayes zero nays abstention 5
- Sustainability Summit
 - Students talked about their experiences
 - Russ moved to fund the Sustainability Summit for \$25,000. Sarah Sperber seconded the motion.
 - Robb moved to go to a closed discussion. Benita seconded the motion.
 - Motion passed unanimously.
 - Back to open session
 - The motion that is on the floor was voted on.
 - Motion was defeated with 2 ayes and 14 nays
 - Russ moved to fund Sustainability Summit with \$10,000. There was no second so the motion is dead.
 - Taisha move to fund Sustainability Summit with \$5,000. There was no second so the motion is dead.
 - Ro moved to approve the amount of \$7500 to the Sustainability Summit. Sara Paschke seconded the motion. Motion passed with 14 ayes 2 nays

District Reports

- District Events
 - Family Fun Day
 - April 9, 2017 from 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.
 - Tickets
 - Adults \$5
 - Children over three \$3
 - Students will be buying these tickets
 - Will be in the Peck Pavilion at the zoo
 - Faculty and staff will be able to buy the tickets the last week they are on sale.
 - Need people to be there to set up for games, etc. by 9 a.m.
 - Bring two non-perishable items and will get a voucher to be used at the zoo.
 - Ordered about a dozen games and need people to set the games up and to do clean-up
 - Budgetary
 - There will be a report at next meeting
 - District Board
 - Meeting will be held next Tuesday
 - Legislative Task Force – No report
 - Academic Technology Committee
 - Meeting is every Thursday and talk about different things

- ASACC Report
 - How to become a leader and write your story.
 - Went to museums
 - Went to see the U.S. Representatives and Senators
 - Learned about Washington, D.C.
 - Breakout sessions were great
 - Service Learning – Clean-up of a park
 - WSG Report
 - Next meeting is April 7, 2017 at North Central Technical College, Wausau
 - Applications for the Lt. Governor position will be made available.
- Campus Reports
 - Milwaukee
 - Veteran Resource Center is open
 - Bone Marrow Drive
 - Mequon
 - Speaker on March 28
 - May 10th is the tailgate end of year party
 - Faculty/staff appreciation day
 - Oak Creek
 - Pocket table
 - Student Days - Whatever students want to talk about
 - Getting a pool table and foos ball table
 - Service Learning Project on April 28
 - Talking about funding library games, etc.
 - West Allis
 - Diversity speaker on March 28th

Adjournment

Ro moved to adjourn the meeting at 2:50 p.m.

Next Meeting – April 21, 2017 at Oak Creek at 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted

Karen Vogel
DSS Secretary