

The Mission of the Student Success Planning Group is to encourage, document and support the persistence and retention of Saddleback College students.

NOTES

Meeting conducted by: Lise Telson

Members in attendance: Patti Weekes, Larry Perez,
Jan Mastrangelo, Joyce Semanik, Steve Handa, Nick Nikbakht

ARCC Report College Level Indicators (see handout)

ACTION ITEM: Forward to SSPG a copy of *OC Business* issue with OC demographics by zip code.

Review of SSPG Priorities to PBC & CCC System Office Oct 15 Letter

The goal of PBC is to begin finalizing decisions before the holidays. The A&R front area redesign (SSPG recommended goal to PBC) has been delayed due to state regulations that require additional bids and all construction projects must be submitted for state architectural review.

The newly funded state initiative has officially been changed from “Basic Skills Initiative to “California Community Colleges Student Success Initiative”. The initiative is seen as a marriage of academics and student services. The basic skills recommendations from SSPG to PBC are outside of the criteria for funding from the “Initiative” and therefore must fall under consideration for funding sources through PBC. (FTES only in 300 classes is what the SSI funding was based on.) SSPG members on the SSI Task Force reported that Denice Inciong presented very informative data at their meeting. The SSI Task Force plans to report the Saddleback College plan by the end of the year.

ACTION ITEM: Next meeting review statistics from Denice Inciong that she presented to the Basic Skills Initiative Task Force.

50 % Law Recommendations

The State requires every penny spent over 50% of the budget must be spent on instruction. Every unit/ department had the opportunity to recommend new positions. The President and Vice Presidents will work together and decide through which planning group position requests should go forward. Each planning group will send forward prioritized recommendations.

Next meeting: November 29

Review of the classified positions will be on the agenda.

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STUDENT SUCCESS PLANNING GROUP
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