

Date:

Time: 9:00-10:00pm

Location: Tivoli 329, Senate Chambers

ATTENDEES

Community College of Denver

- Ola Alsaadi, SACAB—*present*
- Jesus Robledo, SACAB—*present*
- Kathryn Mahoney, Ex-Officio—*absent*

Metropolitan State University of Denver

- Emily Straka, SACAB—*absent*
- Bela Puigvert, SACAB—*present*
- Angela LeValley, Ex-Officio—*absent*

University of Colorado Denver

- Mayra Gallegos-Lopez, SACAB—*present*
- Frida Silva, SACAB—*present*
- Joe Halter, Ex-Officio—*present*

Auraria Higher Education Center

- Ariel Redell, Advisor—*absent*
- Jared Rollheiser, Secretary—*present*

Others Present

Chris Herr (SCP, Officer), Rob Byers (AHEC, Director of Campus Programs), David (MSU, attending for Angela LeValley)

AGENDA

- Approval of Agenda and Minutes 9.22.17

Approved unanimously

- Guest Speakers: Markus Masai, CU Denver SGA Legislation and Outreach Coordinator

Markus told the group that they are working on a bike highway campaign. Their group has met with Carl Meese (AHEC Campus Planner) and Chris Herr (AHEC SCP Officer), and at that time, they told them that a bike path through campus is already part of the Auraria Master Plan. The idea behind the highway initiative is to improve efficiency for bikers and safety for pedestrians. The hope is that together, we come up with a way to fund this project (or something similar). Rob asked for a ballpark cost, and it sounds like it will be in the millions. Joe pointed out that

awareness is really important. Since there will be a vote on the bonds, a potential 50K student votes might help in allocating the money toward something like these bike paths, and that's where CU Denver's focus should rest. SACAB is willing to help raise awareness about this. SCP is interested in finding ways to help create an education campaign.

New Business

a. Review Resolution Draft

Emily tried to mirror some of what MSU Denver said in their resolution, and that will also be taken into consideration by the other institutions. Bela suggested omitting the word "marginalized" so that the resolution is in support of all students, however if the wording is directly from a formal communication, it must be run by the institutional legal counsel first.

b. Event Feedback Themes – tabled

c. Gender Neutral Bathroom Initiative

The main issue with adding a gender neutral restroom into the Tivoli is the funding. It's very expensive to add a completely new, single stall bathroom (which would serve gender neutral folks as well as families and people with ADA needs). Frida wanted to know where to start with raising funds for the project, and Rob suggested partnering with other organizations to see if there are grants or annual funding available from outside groups that could help. He also reminded the group that the cost estimate is rough right now, and they don't really know how much funding they would actually need (possibly somewhere around \$45K). Bela suggested doing some research first to discover methods of paying for the bathroom and getting feedback from the institutions about them. Frida then remarked that she wants to reach out to the institutions to see if they can get more options for funding.

d. Tivoli Pricing Task Force/ Tivoli Reprogramming

Joe gave a brief explanation of what the Pricing Task Force was and why it was created. It started as an initiative to evaluate the cost of renting spaces outside on Auraria campus. However, it ended up extending to indoor Tivoli spaces as well, as it was found that there was a need to review these costs as well. There are updated cost amounts for all three "groups", including student organizations. This was decided on by the group, due to the financial need of the building and the event equipment, chairs, tables, etc. that often need replacement. Student Orgs still get a 98% discount on renting spaces in the Tivoli and there is room to modify the costs depending on the application form submitted. The event application is new and ACES is still working on making sure the process goes smoothly. Some kinks in the system have arisen, the prices aren't always consistent, but that is an error on the backside, and AHEC will work to get that fixed.

Frida asked Angela about the reprogramming task force. She told the group that among other things, CCD hopes to be more visible in the Tivoli by possibly moving to a larger, more conducive and continuous space on the second floor. Lots of things will have to happen in order for CCD to gain continuous space, as it is not currently available, but the committee talked about "dominos", and slowly and intentionally creating spaces that work in the Tivoli. Other things that were talked

about were the “student corridor”, the “retail corridor”, and the old ID Center space. The group talked about adding a Market type offering in that space that offered ice cream. There are full reports from both committees available. Barb should be invited to an upcoming meeting to discuss this, as she was on the task force.

e. Check Goal Tracker

Nearly all events on the goal tracker were completed for September, apart from one and that was having Chief Phibbs present to SACAB.

f. Set October Goals – tabled

g. AHHA Update

A new student got involved, Coby Wikselaar, and she’ll will be bringing a list of ideas for this event to Bela. In terms of the “thanksgiving dinner”, it’s beyond the budget thus Bela is considering more affordable options such as pasta meals. Bela will also talk to BJ from MSU Denver Student Life to get things sorted as he’ll oversee the marketing team. SACAB needs to work on the food budget and get requests in to their SGA’s and Student Life/Activities offices.

Position Announcements

o SGA:

CU Denver is planning on having a safety fair although no work has been started just quite yet. The Auraria Library will keep in contact with the CCD SGA to cover the issues with library accessibility to students.

o ABOD

There was a lot of discussion about getting support for DACA.

o PODSOC

Frida has been encouraging everyone to keep in contact with projects that are going on.

o FSAC

Marketing is working with FSAC to create a survey about the food services and the poll will be posted on two sites. The committee for FSAC is full.

o SCP – No update

o Campus Update – Ariel Redell/Rob Byers: No update

Public Comment

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 10:09pm.