Ventura College Academic Senate Agenda

Thursday, October 17, 2013 1:30 – 3:30 p.m. MCW – 312

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- II. Public Comments
- III. Acknowledgement of Guests
- IV. Approval of minutes
 - a. October 3, 2013
- V. Action Items
 - a. BP/AP 5055 (Re: enrollment priority)
 - b. Resolution re: child care center (1st reading)
 - c. "Making Decisions at Ventura College" (1st reading)
- VI. Study Sessions
 - a. Copyright and Fair Use
- VII. President's Report
- VIII. Senate Subcommittee Reports
- IX. Campus Committee Reports
- X. Information Items
 - a. Senate dues drive
- X. Announcements for the Good of the Order
- XI. Adjournment

Attachment 1 to 10/03/2013 Agenda

Suggested Academic Senate Goals for 2013/2014

Communication

- 1. Continue to improve campus-wide and campus-to-district communications, particularly with respect to the new VC President and EVP, as well as with faculty and committee leadership.
- 2. Create and sponsor social and open forum events to engage and inform faculty.
- 3. Implement periodic small group discussions in Senate meetings.

<u>Success</u>

1. Foster a productive transition for new faculty and leadership.

College-Level Operations

- 1. Continually evaluate and improve the program review process.
- 2. Open district communication with MC and OC re: implementation of a plus/minus grading system.
- 3. Open dialogue with MC and OC Senates and AFT re: developing a contiguous finals week schedule.
- 4. Form a committee to explore opportunities for more faculty participation in middle and high school recruitment efforts.