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San Diego Miramar College Academic Standards Subcommittee

Meeting Minutes

December 11, 2012, 12:30 – 1:30
M-202

Present: Reggie Boyd; Lisa Clarke; Marc Hollman; Ryan Monroe; Duane Short

1) Call to order

The meeting was called to order at 12:36pm.

2) Approval of agenda

The agenda was approved by consensus.

3) Approval of minutes

The minutes from the last meeting were approved by consensus with one correction.

4) Adjudication of student petitions - none

5) New Business - none

6) Old Business

a) Proposal for broadening the Health Education requirement

The committee continued discussion of how this requirement might be broadened to include different types of courses, such as those on the CSU GE Area E list. Options discussed included the consolidation of the PE Activity and Health Education requirements into one broader district requirement and also the idea of replacing the PE Activity and Health Education requirement with a new GE requirement encompassing these areas (instead of the current unspecified GE requirement). The committee also discussed the potential effects on required units of GE and student degree completion. The following committee members agreed to bring additional information to the next meeting:

- D. Short agreed to prepare a draft committee recommendation form, including potential language for the new more broad requirement
- L. Clarke agreed to generate a list of benefits to students as a result of this change
- R. Monroe agreed to survey his classes to determine how many of his students have decided not to pursue the associate degree because of the PE Activity or Health Education requirement
- R. Boyd agreed to research the history of the PE Activity and Health Education requirements

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- M. Hollman agreed to research other colleges in Region 10 to determine if any had a broader requirement than SDCCD's.

7) Standing Reports

- a) Evaluator – no report
- b) Articulation Officer – no report

8) Roundtable

The committee briefly discussed how the petition process works and the difference between petitions pertaining to departmental requirements and petitions pertaining to college-wide requirements.

9) Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 1:22 pm.