

Meeting Minutes of the Academic Senate	
Grossmont College	
April 07, 2025	
ATTACHMENTS	
1	Call to Order 11:02 am
2	Public Comment: <i>N. Ray</i>-On the coattails of Cory Booker’s record speech, Natalie encouraged faculty to strengthen community through action. <i>A. Deutsch</i>-gave a shout out to the literature arts festival (April 27th) and Bike Anywhere Day (May 15th). <i>T. Hurvitz</i>-gave an update on the Colleague Self-Service refresh. This went live Wednesday afternoon. Encouraged faculty with login issues to bring them to the tech mall desk.
3	Approval of minutes from 3/17/25 VOTE: Minutes approved with no objections
4	Approval of Agenda VOTE: Agenda approved with no objections
5	PRESIDENT’S REPORT- Dr. Pearl Lopez
5.1	Senate Officer Elections The timeline for the Senate Officer Elections was reviewed.
5.2	Vote for FPDC Charge Changes Vote for FPDC Charge Changes: J. Calo/J. Vanden Eynden- Motion passed, (32-1-2)
5.3	Vote for additional PT Senate Officer Vote for the addition of a part-time senate officer on the executive team: R. Unis/J. Calo- Motion passed, (33-2-1) The next step will be to send an official vote out to all campus faculty since this is required to change the Constitution.

5.4	Academic Calendar 2026-2027 It was announced that the Academic Senate will no longer be included in the meetings for future Academic Calendar decisions. Dr. Neault added that this would help streamline the process. All feedback will be received from AFT President Jim Mahler.
5.5	Other Numerous callouts have been going out. Participation was encouraged.
6	UNFINISHED BUSINESS
7	NEW BUSINESS
7.1	Participatory Governance Committees
7.2	Academic Senate Committees
8	Special Reports
8.1	PD Coordinator/FELL Cohort - Victoria Rodriguez 1. PD Coordinator callout has been made. Dr. Rodriguez expanded on the job duties. 2. Accepting applications for 2025-2026 academic year for the Faculty Equity & Innovation Institute.
8.2	District Report - Chancellor Lynn Neault & Guests (will be continued in 4/21/25 meeting) Several topics were reviewed during the report, including the following: • The purpose of the district (goals and priorities) • Exploration of a new Bond • Grossmont facilities for public use • Increase in construction costs due to inflation • Revisiting College for Kids request from faculty • Student Centered Funding Formula (SCFF) • Food Services Update • Health & Safety Committee • Facilities Update
9	Next meeting: April 21, 2025.
10	Adjournment: VOTE: Motion to adjourn M/S: S. Sampson/J. VandenEynden (no objections) Meeting adjourned at 12:17.

SIGN IN

4/7/2025 10:52:51	Tina Young	Guest	AOJ	
4/7/2025 10:57:32	Lynn Keane	Guest	BOT	
4/7/2025 10:59:19	Nancy Saks	Guest	AHN	
4/7/2025 10:59:23	Deborah Chow	Guest	AHN	
4/7/2025 11:04:54	Tate Hurvitz	Guest	LTR	
4/7/2025 11:05:05	Joyce Fries	Guest	Occupational therapy assistant	
4/7/2025 11:05:12	Michele Martens	Guest	Classified Senate	
4/7/2025 11:05:24	Victoria Rodriguez	Guest	CPIE	
4/7/2025 11:05:51	Melonie Grinnell	Guest	Music	
4/7/2025 11:07:35	Adrianne Garay Lee	Guest	Student Services	
4/7/2025 12:18:55	agustin albarran	Guest	VPAA	
4/7/2025 11:16:34	Carl Fielden	Proxy for Senator	ARC	Patrice Braswell
4/7/2025 10:57:43	steve davis	Senate Officer (Only SOC)	Math	
4/7/2025 10:58:42	Natalie Ray	Senate Officer (Only SOC)	Counseling	
4/7/2025 11:02:35	Sharon Sampson	Senate Officer (Only SOC)	AOJ	
4/7/2025 11:03:47	Regina White	Senate Officer (Only SOC)	Cardiovascula r Technology	
4/7/2025 11:05:13	Richard Unis	Senate Officer (Only SOC)	Sociology	

4/7/2025 11:14:13	June Yang	Senate Officer (Only SOC)	Phil and relg	
4/7/2025 10:36:49	Jennifer Vanden Eynden	Senator	Mathematics	
4/7/2025 10:48:27	Michele Perchez	Senator	Biology	
4/7/2025 10:52:04	Patricia Chow	Senator	CTE/Business	
4/7/2025 10:54:17	Romeo Madrid	Senator	Nursing	
4/7/2025 10:55:39	Angela Feres	Senator	History	
4/7/2025 10:58:53	Ryan Gray	Senator	VAH	
4/7/2025 10:59:21	Adam Deutsch	Senator	English	
4/7/2025 11:00:50	Joel Castellaw	Senator	Communicatio n	
4/7/2025 11:01:00	Diana Vance	Senator	Chemistry and Science	
4/7/2025 11:01:01	Sébastien Cormier	Senator	Physics	
4/7/2025 11:01:15	Jamie Gould	Senator	ASL	
4/7/2025 11:01:19	Kathleen Banville	Senator	Theatre Arts	
4/7/2025 11:01:58	James Holden	Senator	Biology	
4/7/2025 11:01:59	Claire Liu	Senator	World Languages Dept	
4/7/2025 11:02:44	Holly Reed	Senator	OTA	
4/7/2025 11:03:02	Denise Schulmeyer	Senator	Communicatio n	
4/7/2025 11:03:28	Jeff Waller	Senator	Math	
4/7/2025	Sosha	Senator	BOT	

11:03:33	Thomas			
4/7/2025 11:03:33	Michael Bacon	Senator	Behavioral Sciences - Psychology	
4/7/2025 11:03:37	Hau Nguyen	Senator	CSIS	
4/7/2025 11:03:40	Alan Traylor	Senator	English	
4/7/2025 11:04:12	Raymundo Quezada	Senator	Ethnic Studies	
4/7/2025 11:04:48	Jeanette Calo	Senator	Media Communicatio ns	
4/7/2025 11:04:57	Ricardo crespo	Senator	Political economy	
4/7/2025 11:05:08	Randy Abshier	Senator	ESNH	
4/7/2025 11:05:25	Robin Sepúlveda	Senator	CDEFS	
4/7/2025 11:05:58	Martin Larter	Senator	Chemistry	
4/7/2025 11:05:58	Lara Braff	Senator	Behavioral Sciences/ANT H	
4/7/2025 11:06:44	Malia Molina	Senator	Arts Language Communicatio n	
4/7/2025 11:11:16	Ruth Navarro	Senator	World Languages	
4/7/2025 11:17:11	Victoria Curran	Senator	Communicatio n	
4/7/2025 11:17:56	Julie Middlemas	Senator	Library LRC	
4/7/2025 11:19:20	Sarah Moore	Senator	Counseling	
4/7/2025 12:27:43	Kelly Menck	Senator	AOJ	
4/21/2025 13:41:00	Selene Miles	Senator	Biology	

VOTE FOR FPDC Changes

4/7/2025 11:13:34	Regina White	ABSTAIN
4/7/2025 11:13:38	Melonie Grinnell	ABSTAIN
4/7/2025 11:13:08	Joel Castellaw	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:25	Michael Bacon	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:25	Holden	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:25	Jamie Gould	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:25	Diana Vance	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:26	Alan Traylor	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:26	Sharon Sampson	AYE
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4/7/2025 11:13:27	Richard Unis	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:27	Randy Abshier	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:28	Lara Braff	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:30	Patricia Chow	AYE
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4/7/2025 11:13:33	Ruth Navarro	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:34	Michel Perchez	AYE
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4/7/2025 11:13:40	Kathleen Banville	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:41	Ryan Gray	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:42	Angela Feres	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:46	Martin Larter	AYE
4/7/2025 11:13:23	Malia Molina	NO

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4/7/2025 11:15:38	Sosha Thomas	AYE
4/7/2025 11:17:35	Ryan gray	AYE
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VOTE FOR ADDITIONAL PT SENATE OFFICER

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4/7/2025 11:17:26	Diana Vance	NO
4/7/2025 11:17:53	Martin Larter	NO