



## Classified Senate Meeting Minutes

Date: May 12, 2023

Time: 10:30 am

Location: via Zoom

**Present:** CS Officers: Maridel Barr, President; Monica Applegate, Vice President, Kim Foulger, Past President and Treasurer

CS Senators: Sally Wong, Becca Yim, Melanie Palomino, Manny Rodriguez

**Absent:** Brier Welch, Lauren M Amundson; Janis Olson, Secretary

### **Committee Reports:**

**College Council:** Kim reported that May is AAPI heritage month. The ASCOM board has 3 open positions and during finals week there is a cramming carnival event. The Academic Senate had an election with no changes. Over the summer, projects being worked on are carpet/floor replacement and window cleaning taking place in the Academic Center, Student Services, PE complex, and Performing Arts. The LRC building is two-thirds through the approval process. Still waiting on fire and building permits.

**Maridel:** The CPLC is submitting 5 classified candidates to the Board of Trustees for the President/Superintendent screening committee. From the list, the BOT will choose 3 classified members to serve on the committee. This committee will consist of about 2-3 members from each constituency-students, faculty, staff, community, and the COM Foundation.

### **Classified Senate Appreciation Award Nominations:**

We had many nominations for the three categories. The following individuals and department were the final selections.

**Unsung heroes:** Matthew Christman, Henry Herrera, Ellen Shaw, Jon Gudmundsson

**Outstanding individuals:** Brier Welch, Linda Terry, Gina Longo, Ramiro Perez

**Best department:** EOPS

**Book Club Update:** Melanie reported the June Book Club selection is *Remarkably Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt. Members requesting hard copies of the book will no longer be delivered by USPS or Amazon to their homes. Hard copies will be delivered through campus mail and eBooks will continue to be delivered via email.

**Wrap-Up:** Maridel will be sending an email about new meeting dates for the summer schedule. Our next meeting is June 22, 2023.