



## FOOTHILL COLLEGE

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### Educational Master & Strategic Planning Task Force June 15, 2009 4:00PM President's Conference Room

#### Agenda

1. Review feedback from constituent groups.

<i>Constituent Groups</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Place</i>
Roundtable	Wednesday, 6/3	1:30 - 3:00	President's Conference Room
Academic Senate	Monday, 6/8	2:00 - 4:00	Toyon Room
Admin Council	Tuesday, 6/9	1:30 - 3:30	President's Conference Room
Classified Senate	Thursday, 6/11	2:30-4:00	Room 6708
ASFC	Thursday, 6/11	1:30-3:30	Campus Center Student Council Chambers Room 2018

#### Team Members Participating

I-Chen Wen (ASFC), Judi McAlpin (CS), Dolores Davison (AS), Rosemary Arca (AS), Jay Patyk (AS), Daniel Peck, Matais Pouncil, Lucy Rodriguez, Katie Townsend-Merino

#### Notes:

1. Admin Council
  - a. Recommended that the "the" before truth be removed. The taskforce agreed.
  - b. Loved both the statements and initiative prose.
2. Academic Senate
  - a. One faculty member had conversation with Katie and recommended that "and meaning" be added after truth.
  - b. Overall loved it the whole mission, vision, values, and purpose statements, and the initiatives and voted to approve them.
3. ASFC
  - a. The students approved the statements and initiatives, although there had been a discussion over the context and meaning of larger words and their difficulty for new second language learners.
  - b. The ASFC was very happy about the openness and transparency by which these were developed.
4. Classified Senate
  - a. Liked the initiatives and their prose
  - b. Noted that the vision and mission were a bit lofty and awkward and that there was a lot of repetition in the mission statement itself.
  - c. Recommended to the taskforce that the statements be a bit more brief and to the point by removing some specific clauses and to be consistent with the vision statement by starting the mission with, "Foothill College commits itself..."
    - i. The taskforce "out consensused" these recommendations noting that the other groups "loved" the language and no changes were needed.
5. Moving Forward
  - a. This taskforce will be advisory and model the ideas that were put forth.
  - b. The Strategic Initiatives groups should utilize technology so that meetings are shorter - much like these have been.
  - c. The strategic initiative groups will have space up front to do other work besides prioritizing resource requests.