

Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

PROGRAM COMMITTEE NAME:		Amarillo College Moore County Campus Advisory Committee			
CHAIRPERSON:		Monty Hysinger			
MEETING DATE:		11-01-2017	MEETING TIME:	11:30am to 1:00pm	MEETING PLACE:
RECORDER:		Iris McDonald			AC-Moore County Campus Room 126
					PREVIOUS MEETING:
					04-04-2017

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

List all members of the committee, then place an X in the box left of name of those present

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VPAAs Comments	Dr. Clunis thanked everyone for their commitment to our success. AC is up for an award from TX Workforce Commission / MCC is a big part of AC receiving the award which comes with some funding. Coordinate with business to make sure we have the facilities and personnel to respond to the need in training the labor force.	Dr. Tamara Clunis, VPAA Amarillo College
President's Comments	Dr. Russell Lowery-Hart thanked everyone for continuing to support Moore County Campus and helping us to be successful. Dr. Russell Lowery-Hart complimented the MCC Staff on how they work so well together. "Moore County does it right," he said "without regard for budget lines."	Dr. Russell Lowery-Hart, President Amarillo College
Continuing Business:	Presentation: Mentoring @ MCC This presentation focused on our FTIC program (First Time in College) it emphasized the importance of keeping students in college through student involvement and multi-level mentoring.	Melissa Bates Vicki Swiedom Tim Leeper Amanda Ashbaugh Kristen Johnson
New Business:	Dr. Clunis - Pathways and new onboarding processes being introduced during welcome week. Dr. Russell Lowery-Hart – ACE program expanding in Amarillo to all AISD grads. Renee Vincent – With the permission of QUEST and Dumas ISD; MCC has shared Quest program files with new Sunray Superintendent, Marshall Harrison to use in creating a scholarship program in Sunray similar to Quest	Dr. Tama Clunis Dr. Russell Lowery-Hart Renee Vincent
Community Input	Cheryl Clark noted that mentoring is crucial to many students' success Marshall Harrison gave us an update on new goals for Sunray ISD: • Chrome books for grades 9-12, • More Dual Credit offerings to give students the chance to be dual graduates. • New Scholarship program like Quest in the works. New Website • New website / billboards Mike Running gave an update on Dumas EDC projects: • Agrium Crop Services has started construction • TNW Rail – wants a training program with AC • New Walk in clinic – Dr. Purl's Fast Care • Hi Plains Oil & Seed • Life's Abundance Pet Food expanding – Tax dollars to Dumas	Monty Hysinger and Renee Vincent

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	o Long term – looking at Anderson Group Carl Watson, Chamber of Commerce – we need to educate the workforce for Dumas to prosper and keep moving forward.	
Closing Comments	Thank you for attending and for your input.	Monty Hysinger.
Meeting Adjourned	1:00 pm	
KEY DISCUSSION POINTS		
Old Business:	Approval of minutes from previous meeting on 04-04-2017	
Continuing Business	Presentation: Mentoring at Moore County FTIC (First Time in College)	
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Meeting Adjourned	1:00 pm by Monty Hysinger	
Recording Secretary Signature: Iris McDonald 		Date: 11-01-2017
		Next Meeting: TBA