PRESIDENT'S CABINET MEETING August 16, 2022 MINUTES

CALLED TO ORDER9:06 am
9:57 am

MEMBERS PRESENT

Bob Austin; Kevin Ball; Tamara Clunis; Cara Crowley; Cheryl Jones; Russell Lowery-Hart; Chris Sharp; Joe Bill Sherrod; Denese Skinner

MEMBERS ABSENT

Mark White

OTHERS PRESENT

Toni Van Dyke

DISCUSSION:

1. Town Hall Lowery-Hart

Dr. Lowery-Hart requested feedback on what they would like to add to the town hall meeting on Friday. The following will be discussed enrollment, budget, Love X Learning, General Assembly, and Athletics.

Action Items:

Town Hall on Friday.

2. Enrollment Update

Austin

Bob Austin reported overall enrollment for the entire college is up 2%, and contact hours are up 3.8% compared to last year. Hereford enrollment has increased, and West Campus enrollment decreased due to programs closing. East Campus and Moore County Campus enrollments are comparable to last year. Increasing enrollment continues to be a challenge due to covid. The economy is another challenge the college faces. Currently, there are 1,311 students enrolled in Dual Credit.

Action Items:

None

3. Table Assignment

Cabinet

Cabinet reviewed the table sponsorship list and chose what tables they would oversee.

Action Items:

• Ryan Francis and Kevin Cheek will attend the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce event.

4. OTHER DISCUSSION

Cabinet

Cabinet discussed the information regarding the faculty compensation handout that will be presented at tonight's board meeting.

Dr. Clunis announced that Amarillo College is approved to teach online general studies programs in any five Texas prisons. She also announced that law enforcement agencies will be on campus next month to visit the STEM Research Center.

Action Items:

• Bob Austin and his team will work with Dr. Clunis and her team on the prison expansion.