MONROE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DAMON CITY CAMPUS



STUDENT EVENTS AND GOVERNANCE ASSOCIATION (SEGA)

Minutes of December 16, 2011, Meeting

SEGA MEMBERS PRESENT

Teresa Velazquez, President
Alyssa Ginevra, Vice President of Student Events
Sharon Jones, Vice President of Student Governance
Shawnitea Thompson, Adult/Evening Student Coordinator
Cynthia Smith, Civic Engagement Coordinator
Hope Roth, Elections Coordinator
Eric Muhammad, Multiple Campus Coordinator
Carlos Suarez, Publicity Coordinator
Bre'Shawna Jones, Wellness Coordinator

SEGA MEMBERS LATE

Robyn Vetuskey, Committee Member

SEGA MEMBERS ABSENT

Veronica Alexander, Budget Coordinator Ailanda Martinez, Recruitment Coordinator Lisa Good, Roundtable Coordinator Tianna Washington, Committee Member Willie Wofford, Committee Member

OTHERS PRESENT

Dr. Kenneth Humphrey, SEGA Faculty Advisor
Eileen Lanzafame, SEGA Faculty Advisor
Dr. Emeterio Otero, Executive Dean
Megan Scott, Student Trustee
Dr. Ann Topping, Dean of Students
Lisa Wallace, Campus Center Coordinator
Greg Wilson, Campus Center Operations Coordinator
Hency Yuen-Eng, College and Community Relations

The meeting was called to order at 11:07 a.m. The minutes of the December 9 meeting were approved.

SPEAK TO SEGA

Ms. Scott reported on the Board of Trustees' recommended site for the new downtown campus.

NEW BUSINESS

Resolution of Support

Whereas, on December 10, 2011, the Monroe Community College's Board of Trustees unanimously passed a resolution of recommendation concerning the relocation of Monroe Community College's downtown campus; and,

Whereas, the Monroe Community College Board of Trustees recommended that Monroe Community College's downtown campus should be moved from its current location on Main Street, to properties at State Street and Morrie Silver Way currently owned by Eastman Kodak Company; and,

Whereas, the Monroe Community College Board of Trustees' action marks the culmination of a deliberative search process focused on balancing the needs and interests of students, taxpayers, and local employers that rely on and benefit from the college; and,

Whereas, many DCC students have personal safety concerns in and around the Sibley Building; and,

Whereas, Monroe Community College is faced with an increased demand for an expanded facility that provides better parking and safety features than those offered at the Sibley Building; and,

Whereas, the Kodak property has the greatest potential to become a learning environment where students can succeed; and,

Whereas, the mission of Monroe Community College is to provide access to high-quality education and training programs to a diverse community; and,

Whereas, the recommended site for the new downtown campus will enable Monroe Community College to fulfill its mission,

Therefore, be it resolved, that the Damon City Campus Student Events and Governance Association firmly believes that the recommended site of Monroe Community College's new downtown campus is in the best interests of the students; and,

Be it further resolved, that the Damon City Campus Student Events and Governance Association hereby officially supports the recommendation made by the Monroe Community College Board of Trustees; and,

Finally, be it resolved, that the Damon City Campus Student Events and Governance Association hereby officially endorses the MCC Board of Trustees' efforts made in good faith on behalf of all students here at Monroe Community College.

The resolution was moved by Ms. Ginevra, seconded by Mr. Muhammad, and unanimously approved.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Past Events

Stress Free Day on December 12 was reviewed.

NEW BUSINESS

New Club – Black Student Union at Damon City Campus

The revised constitution for the club was reviewed. A motion was made by Ms. Ginevra and seconded by Ms. B. Jones to approve the revised constitution. Motion approved.

Coordinator Reports

Mr. Muhammad, Ms. Thompson, Ms. B. Jones and Ms. Roth reported on their activities and projects.

The meeting adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

Submitted by Linda Bryce, Campus Center Office Coordinator