

AFT 2121
Delegate Assembly Meeting Approved Minutes
8/26/2014 3–5pm, MUB 251 Ocean Campus

Attending:

Delegates: Lou Schubert, Ed Rosen, Jim McKinney, Ann Fontanella, Alisa Messer, Ana Fisher, Li Lovett, John Carrese, Wendy Miller, Janey Skinner, Erwin Barrons, Harry Bernstein, Wendy Kaufmyn, Carole Meagher, Debbie Wilensky, Mary Bravewoman, Alan D’Souza, Jessica Buchsbaum, Bruce Neuberger, Rodger Scott, Nancy Mackowsky, Bob Price, Jim Torlakson, Andrew Hom, Patty Gallagher, Yi Liang, Alison Datz, Valerie Berger, Diane Reppun, Gus Goldstein

Members: Hugo Aparicio, Mike Estrada, Rick Baum, Allan Fisher

Staff: Chris Hanzo, Ona Keller, Athena Waid

1. Call to Order 3:00
2. Approval of minutes 3:05
- m/s/p to approve minutes of May 20, 2014 as amended**
3. Officers’ reports 3:10
 - Nancy - will be working with Chris to develop a budget report for our next meeting
 - Alan - we had a fabulous event to kick off the semester
 - Tim - Alan and Tim will be spending time meeting with precinct reps at your location to facilitate organizing.
4. Organizing Reports: Precinct Reps 3:15
 - Math turned in 12 bargaining surveys, many other successes
 - Lou: Biggest issue for faculty – lack of copying/paper – “bad planning.” Can people get reimbursed for outside copying services?
5. Report on Monday Class Cancellation Action 3:25

We had over 2000 “bricks” signed by students asking for a moratorium on class cancellations. These were carried in a march and rally attended by a coalition of faculty, students and concerned community members. We brought them to VC Susan Lamb’s office. She was present, and came out and engaged with our rally. We opened up a dialog, and she got a fuller sense of our issues: classes should not be cancelled at this time, under current circumstances. Students have been told that classes were cancelled that haven’t been. She had various reasons/justifications for cancellations. We didn’t let her answers go unquestioned.
6. Guests:
 - a. Domestic Workers Coalition: Dalia Rubiano Yedidia 3:30
 - Domestic workers’ bill of rights passed last year. New projects: Organizing drive, outreach to nannies and caregivers – all domestic workers have the right to overtime for over 9 hours a day. – sunsets in 2017, so fighting to extend the bill and organize 10% of the sector to make the protections permanent.
 - Event – one year anniversary party 9/26
 - Story collection project – volunteer to collect, or record your story
 - employers who’ve been positively impacted by the law, caregivers/domestic workers who are benefiting

- b. David Campos 3:40
Gave an inspiring speech promoting his candidacy, and his connection to CCSF:
Requested that we step up. 1) Nate Albee, campaign manager is putting together a field campaign with a program of precinct captains who will work on contacting each voter in each precinct. You could be one! 2) Will request a donation from AFT 2121.
7. Nominations to Executive Board 3:55
a. **m/s/p to approve Rodger Scott** (At-large)
b. **m/s/p to approve Joe Berry** (Retiree Chapter liaison – non-voting member)
8. Nominations to Precinct Rep Positions 4:00
a. Armenuhi Hohvannes: Precinct 33 Mission ESL
b. John Carrese: Precinct 20 Ocean Culinary, Hospitality, CTE, Fashion, Workforce Development, Mentoring
c. Richard Compean: Precinct 32 Chinatown Business non-credit, other
m/s/p to approve these three precinct reps (with one abstention)
9. COPE campaign training (see COPE training packet) 4:05
• We are still in a fight to save our college – political issues, campaigns.
• Campaign over the next 9 weeks
• aiming for 450 contributors/\$5000 per month (set by executive board last semester)
• Precinct reps practiced effective one on one COPE ask conversations
• Packets with COPE campaign information were given to pct. reps., and reps committed to asking 5 people to join COPE in the next several weeks
10. Endorsements on Nov 2014 propositions: 4:35
a. Anti-speculation tax (Prop G) = 24% tax on flipping a home within 5 years – an attempt to deter Ellis Act evictions – input from hundreds of people
b. Minimum wage (Prop J) = raise it to \$15 by 2017
m/s/p to endorse both propositions
11. Fall political campaign: Shape & volunteers 4:45
• Labor and community will be doing a big campaign around Campos, prop G and prop J. We will be asking members to do Phone banking and precinct walking for this campaign. Saturday, 9/13 = kickoff.
• College Board campaign. Labor council will be endorsing tomorrow (city wide races), and we will be gearing up to support our candidates.
12. Unfinished and New Business 4:50
• Lunch meeting on pre-flex day can be counted on the independent flex form.
• LA Times article about ACCJC's admission that they did not follow their own team's recommendation on CCSF's accreditation status has gone out on the AFT facebook feed – please like and share.
• El Salvador immigration event on Saturday.
• Li – Union Action newsletter – will go out in mid-October – interested in writing? please contribute. Create a members' corner – shoutout victories that we have had or engagement in the community. Won an award? Exposed something wrong with admin? Have a story from a member in your precinct? contact: editor@aft2121.org
• Paper issue, bookstore issue (Jessica will follow up)
• Can we invite labor chorus to General Membership Meeting?
13. Adjournment 5:20