Minutes from Student Affairs Committee Meeting 9/04/2019 2:02pm  
Approved Electronically September 10, 2019

Present: Neely, Chair, McLean, Towhidi, McIvor, Allen, Moran, Cowen, Nauenburg  
Absent: Geisler, Connell, Hilderhoff, Drake, Whitaker, Clark, Beck

Neely discussed the purpose of this committee and said she would include the purpose within the minutes.

“Purpose: to serve in an advisory capacity to the Vice President for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management and to recommend policy and procedures concerning financial aid, orientation, housing, health, career and counseling services, student security and safety, student discipline, student publications, student organizations and government, student development, internship programs, and other student matters referred to the committee. It is recommended that members of this committee be invited to serve on related committees across campus, e.g., SAFBA.”

Neely gave information about the SAFBA committee and there was some discussion about the cuts due to less undergraduate on-campus enrollment. This is a trend that is expected to continue for the next several years.

Neely informed the committee that although the Faculty Senate Chair had not given the committee any tasks at this time, she would probably want the names for the next year’s Faculty Senate committee chairs early into the Fall semester. Neely will rotate off the Faculty Senate in 2020. Eligible chairs for the 2020-2021 Student Affairs committee are Dylan McLean (COSS, Senator) and Gelareh “Ellie” Towhidi (RCOB, Senator).

Neely encouraged the committee to think about any topics that the committee might want to address or take up for the 19-20 academic year. After the first Faculty Senate meeting on 9/13/19, Neely may have more information or assigned tasks for the committee.

With no further topics or questions, the meeting adjourned at 2:15pm