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Summary of Proceedings at the Meeting of the Board of Trustees September 18, 2013 5:00 p.m.

Mary T. Norton Room, 70 Sip Avenue Jersey City, New Jersey

Trustees present were: Karen A. Fahrenholz (Secretary/Treasurer); James Fife; Dr. Glen Gabert (ex officio); Shannon Gallagher (Alumni Representative); Roberta Kenny; Joanne Kosakowski; Bakari Gerard Lee (Vice Chair); Alfred Zampella

Trustees not present were: William Netchert (Chairman); Jeanette Peña; Adrienne Sires and Katia Stack

Comments from the Public:

Dr. Lloyd Kahn, Professor of Life Science and President of the Professional Association, said he was happy that the one-year contract approved by his membership had passed. In the future, he hoped multi-contracts could be negotiated.

Awards, Recognitions and Special Reports:

- Dr. Gabert reported on the following:
 - He announced that an event was scheduled at his home on September 27th,
 5:30 p.m. recognizing new employees and employees who have made significant contributions or who have reached milestones.
 - 2. He reminded Trustees that the Foundation's Donor Scholarship Dinner is scheduled for Wednesday, October 9th, 5:30 p.m. at the Culinary Conference Center.
- Trustee Lee told trustees that the ACCT Annual Congress is scheduled for October 2-5 in Seattle, Washington.
- Ara Karakashian, Chair, All-College Council gave a presentation on the activities and focus goals of the All College Council. (Attachment)

The trustees **approved the minutes** of the Regular Meeting of August 13, 2013 and amended Minutes of the June 13, 2013 Meeting.

The following actions were taken concerning **fiscal**, **administrative**, **lease and capital recommendations** brought forward by the Administration and endorsed by the Finance Committee:

- The award of an integrated library system (ILS) vendor for F14 was awarded to SirsiDynix Corporation of Lehi, Utah at a cost not to exceed \$25,310.62.
- The award of annual Apple Computers & assorted electronic & maintenance
 Parts for FY14 was awarded to Apple Computers of Austin, Texas at a cost not to exceed \$180,000.00.
- The award of a sprinkler system/monitoring/inspection service vendor for FY14 for all college locations was awarded to SIMPLEXGRINNELL LP., of Rockaway, New Jersey at a cost not to exceed \$ 25,230.00.
- The award of an alarm/monitoring/inspection service vendor for FY14 for all College locations was awarded to AFA Protective Systems, Inc., of North Brunswick, New Jersey at a cost not to exceed \$17,500.00.
- The contract for services to the Blackboard Learning Management System was extended with Blackboard Incorporated of Washington, D. C. for FY14 at a total cost not to exceed \$164,904.00.
- The Dinner Sponsor by the College for the 2013 Annual College Foundation Dinner was approved at a cost of \$20,000.00.
- The award of a vendor for the leasing of mail processing equipment for FY14 was awarded to Pitney Bowes of Stamford, Connecticut at a cost not to exceed \$39,600.00.

The following actions were taken regarding **personnel recommendations** brought forward by the Administration and endorsed by the Personnel Committee:

• The retirement of a Call Center Coordinator was approved.

- The resignations of a Secretary; Counselor; Assistant Registrar; and Assistant Dean of Students were accepted.
- Staff was appointed to the following full-time job titles: Director of Practical Nursing; and Head Tutor.
- Staff was appointed to the following temporary assignments: Instructor, Culinary Arts, Instructor, Criminal Justice, Instructor, Academic Foundations (2), Instructor, English; Instructor, ESL; Instructor Biology, Instructor History.
- Persons were approved for inclusion on the list of those authorized for new, and continuing part-time employment: August 15 – June 30, 2014.
- The appointment of the adjunct faculty pool for Fall 2013 was approved.
- The collective bargaining agreement between HCCC and the HCCC Professional Association for July1, 2013 June 30, 2014 was approved.

The following actions were taken concerning academic and student affairs:

 The proposed Associate in Science degree in Business Administration was approved effective AY 2013-2014.

The following actions were taken concerning **new business:**

 The resolution naming room E214/215/216 in honor of Philip Johnston was approved.

The **meeting was adjourned** at 6:00 p.m.

The minutes of the Board of Trustees, upon approval, are available in the College Library, the President's Office and on the College website.