



## Equal Employment Opportunity Advisory Committee *MINUTES*

**December 3, 2015**

The meeting of the Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) Advisory Committee was held on Thursday, December 3, 2015 in the HRS A-1 conference room. Human Resource Services Interim Vice President, Mike Popielski, called the meeting to order at 3:00 pm upon establishment of a quorum.

### **Roll Call**

Members Present: Abbie Cory, Shawna Cohen, Marlene Forney, Anel Gonzalez, Sadaf Hane, Kalyna Lesyna, Diane McAllister, Mike Popielski, Russell Thomas

Members Absent: Michael Arguello, Tami Barker Sutter, Lisa Hornsby, Jose L. Ramirez

Recorder: Jennie Vastola

### **I. Approval of Minutes**

The minutes from the November 5, 2015 meeting were approved with three abstentions. (MSC: SC/KL) The minutes will be posted on the Palomar College website at [www.palomar.edu/committees/eeoc](http://www.palomar.edu/committees/eeoc).

### **II. Old Business**

#### **Diversity Event**

- Theme - *Crossing Borders: Challenges Facing Immigrants, Refugees, and Migrants*
- Date - April 14, 2016
- Time - 4:00 – 7:30 pm
- Keynote Speaker: Marisol Clark-Ibanez confirmed
- Moderator: Jack Kahn confirmed
- Abby Cory volunteered to make contacts and arrange for the following panelists:
  - Palomar student
  - LGBTQ person
  - Multicultural Studies faculty member
  - Someone to speak on the Syrian refugee crisis
- Sadaf Hane volunteered to make contacts and arrange for the following panelist:
  - Someone to speak on the issue of human trafficking
- Panelist and keynote speaker bios will be included in the event program and resource list.
- The need for ASL interpreters was discussed
- Entertainment
  - Anel Gonzalez volunteered to make contacts with Native American dancers and/or Ballet Folklorico dancers.
  - Sadaf Hane volunteered to contact a Thai dancer.

### **III. New Business – None**

**IV. Reports**

**PC3H:**

Abbie Cory presented a report on Pride Center events and other news. She said the film, *TransVisible: Bamby Salcedo's Story*, was viewed by about fifty people on November 19<sup>th</sup> in the Brubeck Theater. A discussion with the director followed the film and he talked about his next film which will focus on the life of a transgender high school student.

**V. Other - None**

**VI. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 4:00 p.m.