



SAFETY & SECURITY COMMITTEE

MINUTES

October 6, 2021

A meeting of the Safety & Security Committee was held October 6, 2021. Manager of Environmental Health & Safety, Derrick Johnson, called the meeting to order at 1:02 p.m.

Roll Call

Members Present: Ruth Barnaba, Michael Finton, Tracy Fung, Sean Heath, Tamara Holthaus, Derrick Johnson, Tom Medel, Chris Miller, Dave Miller, Chris Moore, Patrick Savaiano, Ryan Williams, Christine Winterle.

Members Absent: Dan MacNeil, Marie Templo-Capule.

Guests: Wendy Corbin.

Recorder(s): Jason Bennett

A. Approval of Minutes:

The minutes from September 1, 2021 were approved unanimously. Minutes are posted on the Palomar College website as follows:

<https://www2.palomar.edu/pages/safetyandsecurity/minutes-and-agendas/current/>

B. Discussion/Information Items

1. Workers' Compensation: 3 injuries since May. (Exhibit 1) (Corbin)
2. Campus Police
No Report (Moore)
3. Risk Management
No Report (Johnson)
4. Health Services
1 urgent behavioral health visit in September, addressed by telehealth appointment.
COVID-19 CRAT: 116 total cases in September, 34 of those high risk, 18 confirmed positive cases. (Savaiano)
5. Associated Student Government Vacant Position.

6. Environmental Health & Safety

Outstanding items from Fallbrook Fire Inspection: placard for chemical storage on campus and annual inspection stickers at fire risers. Before the inspection stickers can be issued, repairs and corrections to a corroded fire sprinkler and labeling at PIV devices must be completed. We are currently awaiting a quote for these repairs. (Bennett)

C. ACTION ITEMS/SECOND READING

1. None.

D. ACTION ITEMS/FIRST READING

1. None.

E. OTHER ITEMS

1. Campus Safety and Security at Escondido: Campus Police is working with the Escondido Police Homeless Outreach Reach Team. Adjusted police schedule to address homeless encampments present early in the morning. (Moore) Facilities is planning on working with an engineer and architect to obtain state permits to build a fence greater than 6ft around the property. Gates would also be present for vehicle access. (Miller)
2. Campus Safety and Security at Fallbrook: Staffing shortage limits police coverage of the campus. Recommends fencing for the campus and additional officers. (Moore) Exploring use of HERF funding for fencing, lighting, and cameras. Cost for solar panels damaged by vandalism is 15,000\$. (Miller)
3. Vaccinations: Majority of employees have submitted proof of vaccination or an approved exemption. Employees who have not been vaccinated or do not have an approved exemption by October 11th will not be allowed on campus. (Winterle) 23% compliance among students. Working with non-compliant students to complete courses online. Using Cleared4 platform for prescreening and testing. (Saviano)

F. SAFETY CONCERNS

1. Concerns with carts not using lights during darker hours.
2. Importance of good descriptions when contacting campus police.

G. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:58 p.m.

Reminder: Next meeting is scheduled for November 3, 2021 at 1 p.m. on Teams.
