

PORTERVILLE COLLEGE
Budget Committee Minutes
March 7, 2025
8:30am-9:30am
In-person & Via Zoom

Co-chairs: Griselda Aceves/Chris Ebert

Members: Jacqueline Peters, Diran Lyons, Jacob Sandoval, Thad Russell, Karen Aguilon, Levern Butler, Elisa Queenan, Erin Wingfield, Manny Caceres, Primavera Monarrez, Christopher Ebert, Paden Burgess, Jodie Logan, Michelle Miller-Galaz, Osvaldo Del Valle.

I. Call to Order: 8:32

II. Approval of Agenda:

M/S/C O. Del Valle/M. Caceres

III. Approval of Minutes:

M/S/C O. Del Valle/M. Caceres

IV. Budget Calendar Review

G. Aceves Reviewed the March portion of the Budget Committee's Calendar. G. Aceves encouraged the Committee groups to meet and work together before the next meeting. J. Peters will send out an email reminding everyone of their assigned Group and budgets.

V. Food Service Presentation

G. Aceves shared her food service presentation with the Committee. She highlighted the significance of the Food Services Department proposal, which has been shared with PAC and the College Council. She pointed out that this is the first year in four years that the proposal will impact GUI, and a budget will be created for food services to be reviewed. Historically, this budget has not been included in the process despite its effects on GUI funding. (The presentation will be uploaded to the Budget Committee's SharePoint).

The Committee discussed several options for moving forward with the cafeteria and its staff. O. Del Valle suggested a Position name change to recruit higher-quality applicants. M. Braid pointed out that the cafeteria needs to be more Student-focused. C. Ebert would like to be added to the Food Service Workgroup. G. Aceves will make the current Cafeteria Manager job description available to the Group. The conversation concluded with a commitment to enhance food services, ensuring they meet the needs of students and faculty while fostering community engagement on campus.

VI. Budget Check in with Managers – Tabled until next meeting.

VII. Group Review - Tabled until next meeting.

VIII. Other:

Meeting Adjourned – 9:32

Next Meeting ~~March 21, 2025~~, April 4, 2025, via Zoom at 8:30am