

Yuba Community College District
Academic Senate
M I N U T E S
May 15, 2008

Senators Present: Rubiales (Chair), Nickolson (Vice Chair), Abele, Althausen, Boren, Canto-Lugo, Gomez, Heaton, Kemble, Kitchen, May, Morgan, Willson.
Guests: Davidson, Dobbs, Harrington, Harvey, Husted, Lowe, Mendoza, Sasaki, O'Bryan, Stranix, Lee, Trutna, Wheeler.

1. The meeting was called to order at 12.
2. Minutes of the May 8 meeting were approved.
3. Rubiales reported on hiring matters: the Learning Disabilities position is being re-advertised (too few applicants); a candidate has been offered and accepted the librarian position.
4. Rubiales said he was not alone in voicing Senate disapproval of the "Click It or Ticket" campaign on campus. Assurances were given that the campaign will be toned down.
5. User groups have been formed for the remodeling work in the areas of Allied Health, P.E., the 1000 Building, and the 800 Building. (The newly remodeled 800 area needs further work on the air conditioning.)
6. Rubiales entertained a motion to commend Dr. Alan Lowe for his years of service to the District and, in particular, for his service to the Academic Senate. Dr. Lowe thanked senators for their support and said that over the last six years, he has been pleased to see a collaborative work relationship develop among the Senate, the Administration, and the Board of Trustees. The resolution thanking Dr. Lowe was endorsed unanimously.
7. Nickolson said the SLO Committee has met for the last time this year. Work on SLO's will continue in the fall: the committee will examine how well individual departments and courses are implementing the objectives.
8. At the Board Meeting in Lake County, Nickolson proposed that