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Good Evening WCC,

I hope you're well on a warm April evening. I wanted to take a moment tonight to share with you the first of a few announcements that will come out over the next few months as we complete a busy time of organizational transition here at WCC. We're in the process of hiring several management-level positions, new faculty, classified, and the new Vice President of Student Services.

As with all transitions, it's a process of both welcoming new staff and saying thank you to those that we've worked with here at the college. Tonight, I wanted to highlight two of our managers who will be moving on in the next two weeks, Acting Dean of Arts and Sciences Irma Rodriguez and Interim Dean of Student Services Dr. Siria Martinez. You'll receive an invite next week for a zoom send off reception, but I wanted to take a moment to thank both of these leaders for their work with the college.

I've come to rely on both of them for their skills in their position, experience in the field, candor under pressure, and a strong commitment to supporting students. Irma's last official day with us will be next Friday May 1st, and Siria's last official day will be the following Friday May 8th.

While we finish the searches for the Vice President of Student Services and the Dean of Arts and Sciences, I wanted to give an overview of how we're going to support the day-to-day management of their departments. Until a new dean is appointed, the Arts and Sciences division will report to VP Kasey Gardner with assistance from Arts and Science expert Gema Diaz. In Student Services, Dr. Lisceth Brazil-Cruz will work closely with Marissa Boswell to support the student services units.

Have a great weekend,
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