

5.	New Business		
	<p data-bbox="138 120 1703 159">5a. Smoking on Campus: E-Cigarettes</p> <ul data-bbox="205 159 1703 591" style="list-style-type: none"> • Diona Shelbourne explained that LMCAS wanted to bring this forward to SGC because it has come up in their meetings and in Student Life. There are concerns about students smoking in areas beyond the parking lot (e.g. the large tree planter between Lot B, the Math Building, and Auto Tech). The student representatives wanted to find out about any citation or enforcement of the current smoking policy, and whether or not the campus could become 100% smoke-free. Concerns were also raised about e-cigarettes, as they also contain chemicals and are subject to the same legislation/policies as regular cigarettes; Ms. Shelbourne noted that the Peralta colleges produced a study about the effect of e-cigarettes on African-Americans, and she was working to obtain a copy of the report. • The Council members viewed (online) and discussed: District Board Policy 2045 and HR Procedure 1080.1; the Student Code of Conduct (4CD Student Services Procedure 3027) posted on LMC’s website; and an article about the Board of Supervisors amending the County’s smoking ordinance to cover e-cigarettes. The dialogue included consideration of: installing kiosks/shelters in designated areas; developing wallet-sized handouts to raise awareness of smoking policies; increasing signage on campus; removing misplaced cigarette snuffers (e.g. near Child Study Center); and enforcement strategies for existing policies. • President Kratochvil will talk with Russ Holt, Buildings & Grounds Manger, about campus signage and snuffer locations. He will also explore opportunities for gaining broader campus feedback about the issue (i.e. going “smoke-free” or designating new smoking areas) and put forward the topic at Chancellor’s Cabinet. 		
6.	<p data-bbox="138 591 1703 630">Updates & Announcements/Constituency Reports:</p> <ul data-bbox="205 630 1703 1276" style="list-style-type: none"> • President Kratochvil commented on how busy the campus had been with Accreditation meetings; he reminded the SGC members about the Exit Report scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Thursday (10/9). • Academic Senate: Tue Rust reported that Silvester Henderson showed a PPT he put together about the Ed Code and Academic Senate. They also received an update on the CSLO Coordinator Position, and the agreement reached about adjuncts being given consideration to serve in that capacity (if no full-time faculty are available and if the adjunct instructor holds a teaching assignment during his/her tenure in the CSLO role). President Kratochvil noted that there may be some exceptions for positions that have policy-making responsibilities. • Associated Students: LMCAS will be sending representatives to the upcoming Region IV conference and approved a calendar of activities for Anti-Bullying Month (e.g. words of encouragement, express yourself through art, performances, etc...). Other scheduled events include “Dig Pink” and a pep rally for the Volleyball team and IMPACT Leadership Retreat. LMCAS also approved a funding request for the Transfer Center and Honors Program to visit UCLA. President Kratochvil extended kudos to the students for the Homecoming activities. • Classified Senate: Linda Kohler shared that Dave Belman provided a presentation on the Student Equity Plan. The Senate is gearing up for the 2nd Annual “Mid-Semester” Melt-Down, and the flyer is now out with info on the Annual Soup Cook-Off. • Curriculum Committee: Louie Giambattista reported that the committee’s first few meetings have been relatively slow, compared to the ramped-up efforts approving all of the Transfer Degrees (ADTs). The Anthropology and Music ADTs have now been approved by the State, along with the IGETC certificates. At a higher level, they are working on Assessment and the courses yet to come through; there are some “orphan” courses that are tied to initiatives, but don’t live within particular departments/disciplines (e.g. ACS class). • The student representatives inquired about: 1) State legislation directing the California Community College system to pilot a baccalaureate degree program; and 2) ADTs offered at LMC. Several members of SGC explained that the pilot baccalaureate program has very specific parameters; it’s limited to 15 districts and the degrees can’t be those offered by local four-year institutions. At this point our district is not part of the pilot, so it’s unlikely that LMC likely will be offering bachelor’s degrees in the near future. Regarding the ADTs, students can now pursue any of the transfer degrees appearing in the College Catalog. 		
7.	<p data-bbox="138 1276 1703 1315">Campus Communication: Actions & Notable Items to Report from SGC</p> <ul data-bbox="205 1315 1703 1382" style="list-style-type: none"> • SGC agreed that the items worth reporting out to the Senates and other campus groups included: 1) the Strategic Plan timeline and key dates for review/action; and 2) the discussion about smoking on campus. 		
8.	<p data-bbox="138 1382 1703 1421">Adjournment</p> <ul data-bbox="205 1421 1703 1466" style="list-style-type: none"> • SGC voted to adjourn the meeting. <i>MSC: Richards/Stewart.</i> 		