**Professional Development Committee Minutes** 

August 15, 2016 9:00am to 10:13am

Attendees: Crozier, Judy; Manikandan, Gayathri; Sasser, Rachelle; Zambrano, Ruth; Mary Grace-Hall

- 1. July 2016 meeting minutes was approved.
- 2. Minutes from Previous Semester:
  - Gayathri Manikandan got Sheryl Kimball's help in posting the past meeting minutes online.
- 3. Goals for the year 2016 2017:
  - 1. Presentation about Professional Development Funds at the Fall 2016 Flex Day:
    - Ruth will be presenting on Friday 26, 2016 from 11:30 to 12:00pm.
    - Went over the presentation and fixed things and Ruth gave a sample presentation.
    - In order to get mileage reimbursement, employees need to take the Safe Driver Program. Employees need to email Lt. Box to set up an appointment for taking the Safe Driver Program.
    - Mr. Lopez gave permission to post the forms online.
    - A complete packet for the reimbursement along with the completed sample form will be available at Human Resources office.
    - > Brown bag meeting could be arranged so that employees who attended conferences through professional development funds can share what they learned with other faculties and staff.
    - > Ms. Sasser will contact Ms. Perez to see if flex credit can be given for attending these brown bag meetings.
  - 2. Adjunct Faculty Welcome Lunch on the Fall 2016 Flex Day:
    - > Due to lack of funds this Welcome Lunch is canceled.
  - 3. Health Fair tentatively on May 10th, 2017 around 10:00am at student Lounge for approximately 3 hours:
    - > This event is still on.
- 4. Expenditure Tracking:
  - 2016-2017 budget for professional Development activities is going to be approximately \$15,000 (possibly more).
  - Our thanks to Mary Grace-Hall who agreed to keep track of all the expenditures. This way the maximum amount for full-timers \$1200 and the Part-timers \$800 will be tracked.
  - Mary will create a draft worksheet to track the budget.
- 5. Miscellaneous: Yet to discuss!
  - All members review PSD plan sent by Ruth; on the next PD meeting the Mission statement, goals, objectives and other items can be reviewed and submitted to CEO.

Next meeting → Thursday September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016 1:00pm to 2:00pm.