

via Zoom
October 5, 2021
Meeting of College Council Volume 49 Number 1

The College Council met on Tuesday October 5, 2021 in a Zoom meeting, with attendance and voting held through the votenet platform. There were present:

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Faculty/staff members: President Schrader; Acosta, Beard, Borgese, Cally, J. Cohen, Daly, Dawson, Delgado, Driscoll, Eaton, Ferretti, Fox, Franquiz, Friedman, Gartner, Hume, Johnson, Kane, Lax, Levy, McKinney, Mikalopas, Nasser, Parker, Patestas, Phillips-Oram, Repetti, Ricciardi, Rohr, Rohrlch, Rozenboym, Russell, Segal-3(ps)] TJETQq0.00000912

We have all worked tirelessly to ensure that students understand university mandates/college requirements with regard to vaccination and testing. We want to ensure that students come into compliance by adhering to vaccination deadlines, uploading information to CUNYfirst and downloading passes (initially Everbridge) now through Cleared4Work that will enable them to enter campus.

KCC implemented an aggressive communications plan, that includes direct text messaging to students, who our records show have not been vaccinated with emails from Sharon Warren Cook as the Chief Student Affairs Officer and Karen St. Hilaire, KCC LVA and I. We are sharing information with student facing staff via KCC AdvisorGram about important information that students need to know, and with social media and website updates as well. In addition, to further support compliance, we partnered with the NYCHHC to have a vax van on campus for a week (9/20 -9/26). From this effort, 245 members of the college community received vaccinations. We also instituted weekly in-services/individual sessions via Zoom to help students (and other members of the college community) upload their documents to CUNYfirst. We also held person uploading/pass downloading sessions for members of our custodial and Public Safety staff as well.

As both our LVA and COVID Liaison, Karen St. Hilaire continues to send out communications to the college community regarding incidences of positive COVID cases. Weekly reports on infections by campus can also be accessed at <https://www.cuny.edu/coronavirus>.

Overall, as you know, enrollment in the community college sector has declined. Latest data

C. The Strategic Planning Committee presented the following Resolution on the
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WHEREAS Kingsborough Community College strives continuously to improve in areas including student success, operational excellence, governance and planning, community and communications, and workforce development; AND

WHEREAS in formulating the proposed plan the College Council Strategic Planning Committee was supplemented by numerous individuals appointed to provide representation from all areas of the College; AND

WHEREAS the Strategic Planning Committee engaged in a broadly inclusive process that provided several opportunities for the College community to provide ideas and opinions;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the attached document be approved as the Strategic Plan for the College. It shall be titled Charting a Course for Equity, Excellence, and Resilience -Year Strategic Plan 2022-2027 [see Agenda Attachment A]

The Resolution passed by a count of 40 Yes votes to 3 No votes, with 2 abstentions.

In the absence of New Business, the meeting adjourned at 4:10 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Sokolow, Secretary

COLLEGE COUNCIL CALENDAR, 2021-2022

Tuesday November 16, 2021 at 3:00 PM [on Zoom]

Tuesday April 5, 2022 at 3:00 PM [TBA]

Tuesday May 24, 2022 at 3:00 PM [TBA]

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