Moorpark College Foundation Bi-Monthly Board Meeting 8:00am, February 7, 2018 A-138, Moorpark College

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⊠Dana Apple (C)	⊠Antonio Castro	☐ Charles Champion
□Jill Haney		⊠Michael Hoffman
⊠Wendy Mayea	☑David Pollock	∑Luis Sanchez
⊠Randy Sundeen	⊠Tim Weaver	
) Present:		
Amanuel Gebru		☐ Julius Sokenu
	☑ Dana Apple (C) ☐ Jill Haney ☑ Wendy Mayea ☑ Randy Sundeen) Present:	☑ Dana Apple (C) ☑ Antonio Castro ☐ Jill Haney ☑ Tom Harris ☑ Wendy Mayea ☑ David Pollock ☑ Randy Sundeen ☑ Tim Weaver (C)

C=Chair, VC=Vice Chair, T=Treasurer, MAL=Member-At-Large, EC=Executive Coordinator

I. Meeting called to order by Chair Dana Apple at 8:05am. Introductions were made. The following guests were in attendance: Maria Perez-Medeiros (Scholarship), Gilbert Downs (Classified Senate) and Mara Rodriguez (EATM).

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

January 11, 2018 minutes were approved as written.

III. FOUNDATION COORDINATOR'S REPORT

Foundation Coordinator Tracy Stewart reported on the following:

A. Record Retention Policy

The Foundation's accountant, Farber Hass Hurley, has suggested the Foundation adopt a Record Retention Policy. Tim Weaver moved to adopt the Record Retention Policy as presented, David Pollock seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously. There was discussion regarding electronic record keeping, which we will begin doing in 2018.

B. Bowling

Tracy shared the 3rd Annual Bowling for Scholars is scheduled for Saturday, February 10th at Harley's Simi Bowl. There are currently 16 teams signed up to join. This year we will be hosting a raffle in lieu of a silent auction. Prizes include a 43" TV, Amazon Echo, and a year's worth of tickets to the Studio Movie Grill in Simi Valley.

C. Spring Spectacular

Mara Rodriguez presented on Spring Spectacular, which EATM has been hosting for years. She mentioned that this year's event will also include an "Open House" concept that faculty and staff of Moorpark College will host along Raider Walk. Tracy then shared that the Foundation will set-up a table along Raider Walk, to share how the Foundation supports the college and students.

D. Community Yard Sale

Tracy reported that the Foundation will be meeting with the City of Moorpark on February 8th to discuss hosting a yard sale on campus, in order to generate revenue for the Foundation. More information to follow.

IV. MOORPARK COLLEGE PROMISE

David Pollock reported that Governor Jerry Brown and the legislature have provided additional revenue to fund AB19 (California's College Promise), which will help fund one year of tuition for community college students. These state funds will free up the

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Foundation's efforts to possibly assist Promise students with text book costs or provide tuition assistance for a second year at Moorpark College. Pollock also discussed how the Promise program can complement the President's Scholar Initiative by incentivizing middle school students to eventually enroll in the Promise program.

V. PENDING BUSINESS

No pending business at this time.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

A. James Schuelke, Director of Institutional Advancement and Marketing introduced himself. He previously worked for President Obama's campaign and administration. He also worked under Dr. Jill Biden on the College Promise Campaign, a nationwide free college tuition initiative.

VII. Scholarship Report

Moorpark College's Scholarship Advisor, Maria Perez-Medeiros, shared that the Spring Scholarship application process will be opening up this week online. There are 110 scholarships to be awarded, totaling approximately \$110K. Maria says she is urging students to apply via the student portal and marquee, along with flyers and a newsletter she is distributing. These scholarships will be given out at the Annual Scholarship Awards Reception on Saturday, May 12th.

VIII. COLLEGE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

- **A.** President Sanchez welcomed James Schuelke and shared more about his new position at Moorpark College. Sanchez explained that James will help market programs with the goal of enrolling additional students at the college. Additionally, he will develop a new advancement strategy that will leverage grant, sponsor, and donation opportunities for the college and foundation.
- **B.** President Sanchez shared that the strategic plan for the college will be developed in April, for planning and goal setting for the fiscal year ahead, including the educational master plan.
- **C.** President Sanchez shared his vision for the President's Scholars Initiative. This program will partner with Safe Passages Students beginning in the 7th grade, 5 students from approximately 15 middle schools will be mentored and sponsored by both Moorpark College and Cal Lutheran.

IX. 2018 STRATEGIC PLAN & DEVELOPMENT

A Board retreat will be scheduled in order to develop a strategic plan for the Foundation. President Sanchez is currently looking for a facilitator who will focus on the Foundation's operating base, scholarships, President's Initiative, and other needs. This event will likely be hosted in April.

X. Adjourn at 9:01 AM

NEXT SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING: Wednesday, April 4, 2018, 8-9:30am, A-138