Meeting Notes
November 7, 2012

Members: Raúl Rodríguez Present
          Peter Hardash Absent
          Steve Kawa Absent
          Jim Kennedy Present
          Jose Vargas Present
          Kimo Morris Present
          Lisa McKowan-Bourguignon Present
          Doug Deaver Present
          Michael Taylor Present
          Tammy Cottrell Present
          Laurene Lugo Absent
          Jana Cruz Present
          Hugh Nguyen Absent
          Student – SCC Absent
          Valerie Martinez – SAC Present

Also Attending:
               Judy Iannaccone
               Elisabeth Pechs
               Susan Sherod

1. **Air Quality Institute**
   Derrick Alatoree from South Coast AQMD made a presentation regarding the AQMD and introduced the Air Quality Institute. This program is an effort to reach out to the largest number of people possible to educate them. There are three themes for the Air Quality Institute – health, technology and public policy. The AQMD would like to partner with the RSCCD to conduct Air Quality Institute presentations to our faculty, staff and students. It was agreed that an Air Quality Institute would be conducted at each college. Jose Vargas/Doug Deaver volunteered to coordinate the SCC event and Jim Kennedy/Kimo Morris volunteered to coordinate the SAC event. Anna Sennatore, Cordoba Corporation, will work with RSCCD staff on these events.

   It was also discussed that the AQMD attend future RISC meetings to make presentations on Transportation and Technology Advancement.

2. **UCI Sustainability Conference**
   Jana Cruz reported on the UCI Sustainability Forum that she and Don Maus attended on October 30. A written report was also provided.
3. **Other**  
Chancellor Rodríguez reported that the district was looking into grants that are being offered to install central plants on the campuses. These plants are found to be more efficient and cost effective. Discussion followed on alternatives to a central plant and the possibility of achieving net zero energy usage.

The Committee supported Ms. McKowan-Bourguignon’s efforts to research the cost free installation of a charging station at the campuses.

Receiving clarification of the questions relating to the OCTA Bus Pass Program that may make the program possible, *Chancellor Rodríguez committed to have someone look into the OCTA Bus Pass Program once again.*

4. **Next Meeting**  
The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, December 5, at 3 p.m. in the District Office Board Room #107.

Meeting Adjournment: 4:10 p.m.