

CCCFT Steering Committee Meeting  
11/14/14 – CC3-134, 3-4:00 pm

In attendance: Jill Lund, Erin Steinke, Greg Campbell, Dave Shapiro, Jared Leising, Leah Schubert, Louise Spiegler, Chris Byrne, Brian Bansenaur, Gail Alexander

1. Dave Shapiro began the meeting with an overview of the AFT Community Council Meeting he attended last Saturday. The meeting addressed the following:
  - a. Competency-Based Education
    - i. Steering Committee Members asked for clarification on this issue
  - b. Loan Forgiveness Program
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    - ii. Dave said he and/or HR will be sending something out about this to all faculty
  - c. Higher Education Stakeholder Meeting at TCC follow-up
    - i. Steering Committee discussed how to get more involvement in activities such as this and others we are asked to participate in
  - d. Contingent Faculty Report/Update
  - e. Healthy Union Checklist
  - f. Cascadia being the recipient of \$5,000 in SAI funding
    - i. Steering Committee discussed this in relationship to past SAI practices and funding
2. Dave Shapiro had gathered more information and informed the Steering Committee that CCCFT doesn't have to change their name even though the college has. The committee decided that we would discuss this issue at the winter quarter general membership meeting and possibly vote on it in the spring.
3. Contract Management Steering Committee: four members volunteered based on the discussion during the last general membership meeting, and an additional group of members of the steering committee will join them in helping gather information around issues and priorities when it comes to bargaining the next contract.
4. The Steering Committee discussed how we might best organize forums to create conversations to solicit and understand what members are interested in seeing in the next contract.
5. It was agreed upon that we would try to schedule the next General Membership meeting for January 23<sup>rd</sup>.