

## Budget Development Committee Meeting Minutes March 5, 2025 at 11:00 am

Recorder: Andrea Anderson

LPC Mission Statement	LPC Planning Priorities	
Las Positas College is an inclusive, learning- centered, equity-focused environment that offers educational opportunities and support for completion of students' transfer, degree, and career- technical goals while promoting life-long learning.	Establish a knowledge base and an appreciation for equity; create a sense of urgency about moving toward equity; institutionalize equity in decision-making, assessment, and accountability; and build capacity to resolve inequities.	Increase student success and completion through change in college practices and processes: coordinating needed academic support, removing barriers, and supporting focused professional development across the campus.
Chair	Faculty Association (1)	SEIU (1)
⊠ Sean Brooks (Non-Voting Member)	□ Heike Gecox	□ Jason Maxwell
Administrator At-Large	PBC Members	Classified Professional on PBC
1	<ul><li>☑ Ashley McHale</li><li>☑ Rajinder Samra</li><li>☐ Craig Kutil</li></ul>	□ David Rodriguez ☑ Aubrie Ross
Classified Professionals	Faculty Member At-Large	LPC Administrative Services Officer
<ul><li>☑ Alesia High</li><li>☐ Rabiah Choudry</li></ul>	⊠ David Powers □ Titian Lish	⊠ Sui Song (Non-Voting Member)
LPCSG Student (1)		
□ Seerat Kaur		

Attendance (Quorum = 8)

Agenda Item	Information/Discussion	Action/Assigned To
1.	<ul> <li>Call to Order</li> <li>For information</li> <li>Meeting called to order by Sean Brooks at 11:04 am</li> </ul>	Sean Brooks
2.	Review & Approve Agenda  For action  • We do not have quorum to approve agenda.	None
3.	Review & Approve February Minutes  For action  • We do not have quorum to approve agenda.	None
4.	Action Items For Action  None	None
5.	Old Business  For discussion  Review Budget  We are reviewing the budget for the period ending February 28 <sup>th</sup> . We have an overall budget of \$44.5 million. We are 8/12 of the year (2/3 through the year). For our target, we should have expended 67% of our budget, but we have expended about 75%, which is about 8% over budget. Each 1% represents about \$450,000. 8% times \$450,000, we're approximately \$3.7 million over budget. At our current trend rate, we are projecting a \$5.0 Million deficit. The deficit is largely due to backfilling assignments with part-time faculty as well as structural funding issues. We are making plans to address the expenses. We are also looking at categorical funds and opportunities to shift some of our expenses.  Question: What are the possibilities of grant money being pulled next year?  We continue to receive new updates each day and are trying to decipher what is Federally Funded and what is State Funded. There is a high possibility that some of those funds will no longer be available. We are still	Sean Brooks

	waiting to hear clarity on all the details. We do not want to report out about Grant Funding until we receive the final confirmation. There has been a lot of discussions with our Chancellor and the State of California Chancellor, Sonya Christian. We plan to get more feedback and hope to have more clarity by our next meeting in April. These funds are definitely going to be the subject for further discussion. We will get more information on the language to use and further guidance on how to proceed forward.	
6.	New Business	
	For discussion	
	PBC Agenda Review	
	<ul> <li>PBC will be electing a new Tri-Chair. Ashley McHale has been shadowing the committee since last Fall, so she will be putting her name forward to serve in the Tri-Chair Position and Craig Kutil would replace Rajeev Chopra as the Faculty Representative.</li> </ul>	Ashley McHale
	<ul> <li>DEMC was cancelled and there is nothing to report out.</li> </ul>	
	o The Information Discussion Items: budget status report, allocation model walkthrough for fiscal year 2025-2026.	
7.	Updates	
	For information	
	<ul> <li>Please follow the guidelines for closing POs and Reqs. The Budget Development Calendar has been adopted. Position Control Timeline is due back to Administrative Services on Friday, March 7<sup>th</sup>. On Monday, March 10<sup>th</sup>, we will send the Discretionary Budget Worksheets that are due on March 28<sup>th</sup>.</li> </ul>	
8.	Good of the Order	
	For information	
	<ul> <li>Flex Day is on March 20<sup>th</sup> and has been designated as a time to work towards a compressed calendar.</li> <li>Active Shooter Training Drill will take place on March 19<sup>th</sup> around 11am for about 10 minutes.</li> </ul>	None
9.	Future Agenda Items	
	For discussion	
	a Name	None
	• None	

Meeting adjourned at 11:16AM Next meeting: Wednesday, April 2nd