# Notice of the Fourteenth SARDP 2022-2023 Council Meeting

February 27th, 2023 Council Chambers @ 5:30pm

Present:

Aiyer, Shree - Councillor

Bast, Erin - Vice President External

Canas, Marian - Councillor

Fuiten, Alex – Vice President Academic

Henri, Ryan - Councillor Kaur, Lovejeet - Councillor

Pass, Channing - Councillor

Sadeghi, Ali – Councillor Snow, Savannah - President

Sweiger, Elizabeth - Executive Director

Talay, Odessa – Councillor

Watson, Anne Marie – Chairperson

Welch, Kiara - Councillor Woodford, Kindra - Councillor Young, Marian - Secretary

Absent with notice: Khanna, Jhavni – Councillor Rudd, Tiara - Councillor

Guest Speakers: Vice President Bast and Jessica Walker, Membership Engagement Manager, will present the results from the SA's Mental Wellness Survey

Councillor Welch Left at 6:46pm

#### 14.0 Call to Order

Chairperson Watson Called the meeting to Order at 5:58pm

#### 14.1 Approval of Agenda

22-23-122-C

Councillor Kaur, Councillor Aiyer

MOTION: Motion to approve the agenda as presented.

**CARRIED** 

#### 14.2 Land Acknowledgment - Councillor Aiyer

#### 14.3 **Approval of Meeting Minutes**

14.3.1 Approval of 2022-2023 Council Meeting Minutes #thirteen

22-23-123-C

Councillor Woodford, Councillor Sadeghi

MOTION: Motion to approve the minutes of the thirteenth 2022-2023 Council

meeting as presented.

CARRIED

Approval of 2022 – 2023 Executive Council Meeting Minutes #thirty-one 14.3.2

22-23-124-C

Vice President Bast, Councillor Aiyer

MOTION: Motion to approve the minutes of the 31<sup>st</sup> 2022 – 2023 Executive

Council meeting as presented.

**CARRIED** 

### 14.4 Old Business

14.4.1 BARC Bylaw Recommendations – Final Reading

22-23-125-C

Councillor Kaur, Councillor Welch

MOTION: Motion to approve edits to the Association Bylaws Article 2 as

presented. CARRIED

22-23-126-C

Councillor Aiyer, Vice President Bast

MOTION: Motion to approve edits to the Association Bylaws Article 4 as

presented. CARRIED

22-23-127-C

Councillor Kaur, Councillor Sadeghi

MOTION: Motion to approve edits to the Association Bylaws Article 6 as

presented. CARRIED

22-23-128-C

Councillor Sadeghi, Vice President Fuiten

MOTION: Motion to approve edits to the Association Bylaws Article 13 as

amended.

22-23-129-C

Councillor Canas, President Snow

MOTION: Motion to rescind the Students' Association of Red Deer Polytechnic

Bylaws dated March 2022 and accept the 2023 amended Bylaws.

CARRIED

### 14.5 New Business

14.5.1 2023 – 2024 Honoraria Proposal

22-23-130-C

Councillor Kaur, Councillor Sadeghi

MOTION: Motion to approve the 2023 – 2024 Honoraria Proposal as presented. CARRIED

14.5.2 2023 – 2024 Executive Council Compensation Package Proposal 22-23-131-C

Councillor Kaur, Councillor Sadeghi

MOTION: Motion to approve the 2023 – 2024 Executive Compensation Package Proposal as presented.

**CARRIED** 

Abstained: Vice President Fuiten, Vice President Bast, and President Snow

Council would like it noted that BARC should review the current policy which restricts Executive Wage Increases.

14.5.3 2023 – 2024 Students' Association Membership Fees Proposal 22-23-132-C

President Snow, Councillor Woodford

MOTION: Motion to accept the 2023 – 2024 2023 – 2024 Students' Association Membership Fees Proposal as presented

**CARRIED** 

#### 14.6 Discussion

- 14.6.1 Mental Wellness Survey Report Discussion VP Bast
  - Counseling should not be grant funded, but base funded.
  - The institution does not seem to take Mental Health on Campus or the Counseling department seriously.
  - The Institution needs to:
    - Address funding issues
    - Increase access to supports
    - Plan for future supports as they plan for enrolment growth
    - Centralize supports
  - Highlight that we had 12.5% of student fill out our Wellness Survey. How many more pages of Counseling services issues would there be if more students filled it out.

## 14.7 Executive Council, Committee, and Other Reports

14.7.1 Executive Council and Committee Reports

President - S. Snow

VP Academic - A. Fuiten

VP External - E. Bast

- 14.7.2 Executive Director E. Sweiger (Verbal report was given)
  - T4's and T4A's have been sent out.
  - We have received our winter Membership and Health and Dental Fees from the Institution.
  - January Financials will be presented at the next meeting

- Summer Budget is being developed
- The SA Leadership awards nominations close March 10th

22-23-133-C

Councillor Sadeghi, Councillor Kaur

MOTION: Motion to accept the Executive Council and Committee reports as presented.

CARRIED

## 14.8 In-Camera Session

### 14.9 Information

If you would like to discuss any of these items, you must make a motion to move them to the Discussion Agenda.

22-23-134-C

President Snow, Vice President Fuiten

MOTION: Motion to accept the Information Items as presented.

**CARRIED** 

- 14.9.1 March SA Calendar of Events
- 14.9.2 Council Meeting Schedule
- 14.9.3 General Election Timeline

# 14.10 Adjournment

22-23-121-C

Councillor Aiyer, Councillor Sadeghi

MOTION: Motion to adjourn

CARRIED

**President Snow** 

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Executive Director Sweiger

Secretary Young