Foothill Academic Senate Agenda
9 February 2009, 2:00-4:00pm, Toyon Room

President: Dolores Davison 10
Vice President: C. Holcroft-Burns 10
Secretary/Treasurer: Tess Hansen 09
Curric. Co-Chair: C. Holcroft-Burns 10
Student Liaison

Adjunct Faculty Donna Frankel 09
Bio & Health Sci: Karl Peter 10

Language Arts: Rosemary Arca 09
 Jordana Finnegan 10
Business & Soc. Sci: Sara Seyedin 09
 Brian Evans 10
Library Sciences: Karen Kieffer Gillette 0
Counseling: Tobias Nava 09

PE & Human Perf: Shanan Rosenberg
 Dixie Macias 09
CTIS: Mike Murphy 10
 Sandi Watkins 09
PSME: David Marasco 08

Adaptive Learning: Don MacNeil 10
 Ernie Schmidt 09
Fine Arts & Kate JordahMI8phIOx8G8hm Mp—OhIOI Mp—OhIOIgxhIzM—G8hl I—OhIOIgxhIzM–2MgcRbIG2OzWzg.Rb—Mp2—g RbMxGxxWzg RbpG8xx MpGWWhTL Tm[g RbpG8xMIg RbpG8x28 R]T” MpG8zhTL Tm[g RbpG—8W—8g RbpG–IW8I2gERbWG—OGOzhTf xGOO—x2IhxhxhM8xMIgRbMxGpgn8gERbWG—OGOzRbMG—28—8geRbpG—8W8I2gaR8GxzOx2grRbpGppzMzgeRbpG—8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg R—G82xI2g RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RI8x]T” NR—hOGOzhTf MMxGI8p8W—8bWG—xp—pgvRbIx22pIpgeRbpG—8W—8grhTf xGOO—x2hRIGzxIpIgyRxG—zp8MMg RbpG8xMIg1hTf xGOO—x2—zp8MMg RbhRIGzxIpIgyRbMG—28—8gesRMGpIzIMgcRWWpG—8]T” hI—8xhl O8phI—8xhl h Whn q Ix2GIgARbzG—Mp2—grRbpGpT” ’TnRbpG8xx2nF a pG8xMI—MgaRMpG8zhTL Tm[gVRbIGMMOOMgiRbIMg RbpG8xx22gg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg R—G82xI2g RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RI8x]T” NR—hOGOzhTf MMxGI8phxhTd gnRTj NRMxhOGOzhTf O2GMW2phMpGWWhRbpG8xMIg R—G82xI2g RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RbpG8xMIg RI8x]T” NR—hOGOzhTf MMxGI8p8W—8MIg1Rb2Wp—8geRbpG—8W—

Consent Calendar—
PDL Committee (Winter/Spring) – Sara Seyedin

5. Roundtable update. There was discussion about pink slips being sent out in March. Two
programs are facing possible elimination or consolidation with De Anza (Geology and Travel
Careers). The rumor control website will start with FAQ’s. Rumors should be sent to Dolores,
Kurt Hueg, or Judy Miner.
Approval of Minutes
M/S Approval of minutes as amended from January 12, 2009, meeting. Unanimously approved.
Consent Calendar
M/S approval of consent calendar as listed below. Unanimously approved.
Scholarship Committee – Victoria Taketa
Nominating Committee – David Marasco
Action & Information
1. Faculty Award – Gillette/Frankel
Karen Gillette presented an excerpt for an article from the Chronicle of Higher Education that points to
the importance of recognizing faculty excellence. She also gave a review of websites from various
college that currently have faculty recognition awards. Some of these awards have monetary
remuneration while others include faculty recipients on college websites and publications.
Donna Frankel reported on West Valley College, which gives out a full-time and part-time teaching
excellence award as well as a publishing award and college community service award. She indicated
that nominations could be made by anyone and the prize was a special parking place on campus.
In discussion, the following issues were raised by various senators: • How would faculty excellence be evaluated? • Would we consider research, service, both? • What would the process be? (important to include students) • What would be the reward? • Should part-timers be included in the award or should they have a separate award? • What should be the terms of service to be eligible? 4 years to avoid tenure conflict?
Donna, Karen, David, and Jordana have agreed to put together the common criteria from the various
colleges and bring an update to the Senate by the end of the quarter.
2. Budget Update -- Davison