



District Technology Committee

April 18, 2023

Minutes

VOTING MEMBERS PRESENT: Stewart Kimura, Eric Bladh, Stephen Schoonmaker, Khaoi Mady, Jose Sanchez, Geoff Hurst, Kashu Vyas, Archie Delshad, Azin Biatani, Michael Land, David Soto, Samantha Simmons

NON-VOTING: None

ABSENTEES: Cherry Li-Bugg, Tina McClurkin, Henry Hua, Martha Gutierrez, Simone Brown Thunder, Morgan Beck, Darnell Kemp, Kathleen McAliser, Janet Williams, Terry Cox, Cynthia Azarcon, Melissa Gunther, Treisa Cassens, Danielle Barbaro, Karen Bautista

GUEST: None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: February 21, 2023 and March 28, 2023: Quorum was not met. The minutes will be approved at the May 16, 2023 meeting.

IT RESOURCE OPTIMIZATION PROPOSAL: Geoff Hurst said that there have been discussions with the Board and Chancellor's Staff about centralizing some IT functions. Right now, IT across the District is a very decentralized model. The idea of doing an IT reorganization is to redefine the roles and to have District Information Services be responsible for all the District-wide functions; infrastructure, support, security, enterprise applications and to have the campuses focus on Academic Computing. The idea is to have positions that are infrastructure, security or applications be moved under District Managers and then allow the campuses to do academic computing responsibilities. Currently, also trying to fill a CISO position. The goal is to have everything in place by July 1. This is in conjunction with the IT job families study being done by Human Resources.

CANVAS ADAPTER: Geoff Hurst said that he has been working with a vendor to provide a Canvas adapter. This was discussed at TIC and everyone was in agreement to do it. Currently, the integration between banner and canvas is not as robust as we would like it to be. So each semester we have problems with it. Been working with Apogee who have created a canvas adapter and it's real-time and a tow day adapter. As the information is updated in Banner then updated to Canvas. The idea is instead of faculty entering their grades twice once in Canvas and then again into Banner self-service. That it will automatically take their grades and after faculty has approved it, they will be able to move the grades automatically into Banner. Proposing to purchase the adapter at the three campuses with NOCE who has an immediate need to go first. NOCE wants to pay the extra cost of \$5,000. Further discussion is needed from the Distance Ed staff.

NETWORK REFRESH: Geoff Hurst said that they are still trying to meet the June 30th deadline for that project to be completed. He said Fullerton College is still working on rolling out their phones. Cypress College is completing final cutover to services to their new Aruba cores and network switches. Once the milestone is met at Cypress we will be almost complete. Anaheim and NOCE are now completely off the old services and on the new one. Khaoi Mady said that Fullerton discovered that somethings they thought were in place were not and so since they have been working with Vector and trying to get a re-discovery of the VoiP system. They are progressing to get things completed. Their plan is to get their VoiP migration started within the next month and hopefully done within the beginning of the Fall semester.

DISCUSSION: Kashu Vyas brought up the proposals that are being implemented that when we talk about implementing changes it would be helpful to know what other areas will also have impacted by these projects.

Meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

NEXT MEETING: May 16, 2023