

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE October 28, 2010, 3:00 P.M. GPRC FAIRVIEW CAMPUS BOARD ROOM FAC114

Board Members: Mr. Michael O'Connor, notice of absence Ms. Anita Luck

Ms. Jackie Clayton
Mr. Tim Garner
Mr. Don Gnatiuk
Ms. Wendy McMillan
Mr. Grant Menzies
Mr. Pete Merlo
Ms. Debra Gustavson
Mr. Chris Scheller

Mr. Richard Horner Mr. Vince Vavrek, Chair

Mr. Daniel Lemieux, notice of absence

Guests: Ms. Susan Bansgrove Mr. Carmen Haakstad

Ms. Marg McCuaig-Boyd Ms. Lynne Ness

Mr. Ken Riley Ms. Karen Scribner

Ms. Dianne Bedford Mr. Chris Eakin, Fairview Post

CALL TO ORDER

The Board Chair called to order the public session of the meeting at 11:00 a.m.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

The Board Chair called for amendments to the Agenda of October 28, 2010.

MOVED by D. Gustavson, seconded by G. Menzies, the Agenda of October 28, 2010 is approved with the following amendment: to accommodate our guests, Item 5.1 will be the first item of business on the agenda.

CARRIED 5390/2010

MINUTES OF AUGUST 26, 2010

The Board Chair called for errors or omissions in the August 26, 2010 Minutes.

MOVED by J. Clayton, seconded by D. Gustavson, the Minutes of August 26, 2010 are approved as received.

CARRIED 5391/2010



GOVERNANCE PROCESS/ITEMS FOR DECISION

Ends Discussion and Approval

Mega End

The Board received the revised Mega End.

MOVED by R. Horner, seconded by D. Gustavson, the Board approve the Mega-End as follows:

Grande Prairie Regional College exists so that there will be:

People in the stewardship region and beyond have opportunities to improve their lives and communities at a cost that can be justified by the results.

This is interpreted to include, but not be limited to:

- Individuals seeking post-secondary education can develop quality relevant skills for success in an evolving world.
- Increased accessibility to Post-Secondary Education
- The community has accessible resources to improve quality of life
- Enhanced applied research and innovation capacity in the stewardship region.

CARRIED 5392/2010

E1, Relevant Skills for Success

The Board received the revised End E1, Relevant Skills for Success.

MOVED by D. Gnatiuk, seconded by J. Clayton, the Board approve End E1, Relevant Skills for Success as follows:

Individuals seeking post-secondary education can develop quality, relevant skills for success in an evolving world.

This is interpreted to include, but not be limited to:

- Graduates have credentials that are recognized by professions, industry and stakeholders.
- Students have an opportunity for a well-rounded campus experience.
- Learners have credentials that are transferable and recognized by other postsecondary institutions.

CARRIED 5393/2010



E2, Increased Accessibility to Post-Secondary Education

The Board received the revised End E2, Increased Accessibility to Post-Secondary Education.

MOVED by C. Scheller, seconded by D. Gustavson, the Board approve End E2, Increased Accessibility to Post Secondary Education as follows:

There will be Increased Accessibility to Post-Secondary Education.

This is interpreted to include, but not be limited to:

- Regionally accessible Degree completion.
- Safe and affordable accommodation is available for students who wish to live on campus.
- Post-Secondary Education that is accessible to under-represented groups.

CARRIED 5394/2010

E3, Accessible Resources to Improve Quality of Life

The Board received the revised End E3, Accessible Resources to Improve Quality of Life.

MOVED by P. Merlo, seconded by C. Scheller, the Board approve End E3, Accessible Resources to Improve Quality of Life as follows:

The community has accessible resources to improve quality of life.

This is interpreted to include, but not be limited to:

- The community has resources for fitness, health, and wellness.
- The community has resources for the arts and culture.
- The community has resources for sustainability and stewardship of the environment.
- Alumni value being members of the College community.
- Community members have opportunities for life-long learning.
- Community stakeholders have opportunity for workforce development.

CARRIED 5395/2010



E4, Research-Based Knowledge

The Board received the revised End E4, Relevant Skills for Success.

MOVED by W. McMillan seconded by A. Luck, the Board approve End E4, Research-Based Knowledge as follows:

Enhanced applied research and innovation capacity in the stewardship region.

CARRIED 5396/2010

GP2, Board Members Code of Conduct

The Board amended the Code of Conduct to clarify the Procurement Process and any exclusion of public Board members from that process. Board members requested that they be advised of amendments to the College procurement process and its impacts on GP2.

MOVED by D. Gustavson, seconded by C. Scheller, the Board approve the following amendment to GP-2, Board Members' Code of Conduct:

2.9 A public Board member may receive remuneration from the College through the supply of goods or services provided that it is through a process that assures transparency, competitive opportunities, and equal access to otherwise "inside" information.

CARRIED 5397/2010

CONSENT AGENDA

AUPE/Board of Governors Contract

The negotiating teams for the Board of Governors and for the Alberta Union of Provincial Employees (AUPE) signed a memorandum of Agreement on October 6, 2010. The AUPE ratified this Agreement on October 21, 2010.

MOVED by J. Clayton, seconded by G. Menzies, the Board of Governors ratify the Alberta Union of Provincial Employees Contract for the three year period of 2010-2011 to 2012-2013, as discussed in Committee of the Whole.

CARRIED 5398/2010



The Board expressed its appreciation to the negotiating teams and to the AUPE for providing a cooperative negotiating environment. Special thanks to: Dianne Bedford, Bill Knudslien, Dan Litke, Monica MacDonald, Marg McCuaig-Boyd, Karen Scribner, and Don Watson.

2009-2010 Audited Consolidated Financial Statements and Internally Restricted Net Assets Whereas the College's 2009-2010 Financial Statements have been audited by the Auditor General's Office, and

Whereas the Auditor's Exit Conference was held with the Board Audit Committee on August 30, 2010, and

Whereas the Internally Restricted Net Assets of the College total \$1,811,437. This includes the total of Alumni/Foundation internally restricted net assets of \$969,267.

MOVED by R. Horner, seconded by A. Luck, the 2009/2010 Grande Prairie Regional College Audited Consolidated Financial Statements, including the internally restricted net assets, be approved.

CARRIED 5399/2010

The President provided recognitions and reported on activities undertaken since the last Board meeting.

INCIDENTAL INFORMATION

CEO Report

The President presented the list of recognitions for inclusion in the GPRC Insider Publication.

The President reported on activities undertaken since the last Board meeting including discussions regarding use of College Land. The Board recommended that decisions regarding the use of College land utilize the expertise of the College Land Advisory Committee and be a result of a public process in place for all land initiatives.

SELF-EVALUATION OF GOVERNANCE PROCESS AT THIS MEETING

Board members received with their Board packages the Board meeting self-evaluation form. Members are asked to complete the form in hard copy and hand in. Results will be discussed at the November meeting.



ROUNDTABLE

Board members comments:

- P. Merlo commented on the activities of the past month. The Muriel and Clem Collins Recital Hall dedication was very well done. The Alumni/Foundation has welcomed three new members: Ms. Carol McLevin, Mr. Trenton Perrott and Ms. Gwen Tegart.
- D. Gnatiuk expressed the pride in his Executive Team.
- C. Scheller informed the Board of an upcoming SA hockey game fundraiser.

ADJOURNMENT

The public meeting adjourned at 11:50 a.m.

Vlace Vavrek, Vice-Chair

Maureen Clarke, Secretary