

## LPC Mission Statement

Las Positas College is an inclusive learning-centered institution providing educational opportunities and support for completion of students' transfer, degree, basic skills, career-technical, and retraining goals.

## LPC Planning Priorities

- ❖ Establish regular and ongoing processes to implement best practices to meet ACCJC standards.
- ❖ Provide necessary institutional support for curriculum development and maintenance.
- ❖ Expand tutoring services to meet demand and support student success in Basic Skills, CTE, and Transfer courses.
- ❖ Coordinate available resources to address current and future professional development needs of faculty, classified professionals, and administrators in support of educational master plan goals.

## Welding Advisory Board Meeting

### Members:

Bob Paredes – Snap On Tools  
 Brian McKee – Hunter Engineering  
 Brian Hagopian – Las Positas College  
 Ed Woodworth – TriValley ROP  
 Larry Weiss – Castro Valley High School (retired)  
 Sebastian Hood – Las Positas College  
 Adam Drake - Mercedes-Benz of Pleasanton  
 Henry Chan - Foundation for Community Colleges  
 Terry Johnson – Las Positas College  
 Louis Rodriguez—Service Manager Hyundai, Dublin  
 Carl Kuo—Owner, R & C Auto Sko  
 Scott Randall—Tri-Valley ROP/LHS  
 Shelley Parker—HR Dublin Hyundai  
 Darren Rees—Castro High School  
 Alejandro Ortega—Las Positas College  
 Sam Balanon—Auto Mall of Livermore  
 Dean Johnson—Napa Auto Parts  
 George Romero—Tri-Valley Auto Body  
 Jeff Pawlowski—Allen's Automotive and Towing  
 Patrick Chand—CCC Foundation  
 Jeff Gill – Gil's Body Works  
 Don Danner—Tri-Valley ROP/GHS  
 Dr. Stuart McElderly—Dean, Las Positas College  
 James Weston—Las Positas College  
 Vicki Shipman—Las Positas College  
 Thomas A Duvall—Snap On Tools

## 1. Welcome & Introductions

6:05 pm meeting called to order by Brian Hagopian, faculty.

Members present: Bob Paredes – Snap On Tools; Brian McKee – Hunter Engineering; Brian Hagopian – Las Positas College; Ed Woodworth – TriValley ROP; Elizabeth McWhorter – Las Positas College; Jeff Gill – Gil's Body Works; Kristopher Gallinatti – Las Positas College; Dr. Stuart McElderly—Dean, Las Positas College; James Weston—Las Positas College; Vicki Shipman—Las Positas College

## 2. Previous Meeting Minutes Approval

Ed Woodworth motions  
 Bob Paredes seconds  
 Unanimous approval

## 3. Faculty Report

Brian Hagopian, faculty, provided the following report:

Fall 2019 enrollments (see handout)

Rotating Auto Tech marketing banner on LPC website to create student interest.

LPC Auto Tech Offerings

- Revamped Auto Electronics Tech AS degree
- Adding alternative fuels
- 5 more certs coming online
- Some non-credit courses too including smog; what's great about non-credit is that students may repeat the classes.

ASC (aka NATEF) Certification

- m Had our site visit. Everything went well, with 1 major exception & a few small ones – taking care of it. Need a letter from the Dean. And then approval will go through.

Textbooks Update

LPC Bookstore selling a 1-year or 2-year license to rent Auto Tech books

[online]

Website Update

- Trying to increase enrollments of women, students of color, Spanish speakers
- Video that our State Chancellor's office put together depicting women students

Tools Update

- Took a lot of the common tools, put it out in the shop (took strain off tool room people)

## 4. Industry Updates/Input

609 certification

- ASC does it! (\$20)
- Part of LPC's A7 class
- Insurance – important for this
- New EPA rules & regs

Science aspect of cars / incr. female enrollments

- Get Set (ROP heads it)

Ed Woodworth, Livermore HS teacher, concurs:

- He has a similar issue (RE: female enrollments)

Bob Parades, Snap-On Tools provided information:

- Women as service writers at car dealerships
- Some went into it because of their dad
- Help put customers more at ease!

## 5. New LPC Building (Fall '23)

- Top of the hill, near solar panels
- Automotive, welding, public safety, Dean
  - o Covered work area, classrooms, labs, stalls, separate referee area

## 6. Advisory Board Recommendations

Brian Hagopian, faculty, shared out new curriculum he developed this semester asking the advisory board to review and vote on a recommendation to move forward.

Automotive Alternative Fuels/Hybrid Technology AS  
Automotive Alternative Fuels/Hybrid Technology Certificate of Achievement

# Automotive Technology Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

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December 4, 2019 | 6:00pm to 7:00pm | Room 814

Automotive Light Duty Diesel AS  
Automotive Light Duty Diesel Certificate of Achievement  
Automotive Master AS  
Automotive Master Certificate of Achievement  
Automotive Mechanical Certificate of Achievement  
Automotive Smog Technician AS  
Automotive Smog Technician Certificate of Achievement

Terry Johnson retiring as of this year, it is important that the college replace him with a full-time instructor. Faculty and their Academic Dean, Stuart McElderry, ask for a recommendation.

**VOTE:** Ed Woodworth/Bob Paredes  
Motion passes unanimously.

## 7. Adjournment & Next Meeting

May 6, 2020 @ 6:00 pm