

LIS/Rapid Response Senate Committee Meeting March 21, 2019

12:00 Introductions –We are now an official standing committee of the Senate

12:05 Review Last Meeting agenda

12:10 Meet Venessa Culick: Social Services Coordinator (part-time Social Worker)

12:15 Update From Dr. Olivo:

Rebecca Cobb is hiring and supervising the Professional Expert to serve in the role of Emergency Aid Assistant.

Rebecca presented to the PCC Flea Market Board and obtained \$10,000 for Rapid Response

Rebecca is working with the PCC Foundation to close the Dreamkeepers account and have them divert any new donations to the Rapid Response account that I opened when my friend gave \$10k.

Rebecca mentioned to me that she's going to have her staff member remove the wording about "Dreamkeepers" from the website and just keep Rapid Response Emergency Aid

Manuel Cerda is providing the funding for the Professional Expert as Rapid Response is a form of Financial Aid.

Ketmani hired and supervises the Social Workers and she will ensure they're trained to do Emergency Aid intake and update the We've Got You website with the new info.

For now-Rebecca has a staff member-Siria LoVett doing Rapid Response. And Ketmani has also trained Vanessa Culick-the Social Services Coordinator to utilize Rapid Response, but this is temporary.

12:20 Questions – Who do we send our students to in the meantime? Ketmani Kouanchao or Siria LoVett, but we should have a specialized professional expert soon.

12:30 Procedures (any changes) – no major changes made

Once the PE is hired, they will have the discretion to grant money from the fund if the students meet the old Dreamkeepers requirements and are asking for an amount lower than \$500. If they don't meet the requirement or are requesting money over \$500, we will be asked to review their case as we have been doing (basically the process will be the same).

12:40 Updating "Know Your Resources" – Vanessa Culick has been charged with this