Accreditation Steering Committee – February 16, 2017

Attendees: Mallory Newell, Tono Ramirez, ~~Anu Khanna~~, ~~Susan Cheu~~, George Robles, Karen Hunter, ~~James Nguyen~~, Mayra Cruz, ~~Anita Muthyala-Kandula~~, Lorrie Ranck, Marisa Spatafore~~, Brian Murphy,~~ Coleen Lee-Wheat

The committee reviewed minutes from the previous meeting: <http://deanza.edu/ir/planning/Accreditation_Steering_Committee_Notes_1.26.17.docx>.

Veronica Neal from the Equity Office presented to the group on options for utilizing the equity-driven change model and rubric to assess our Educational Master Plan in 2017-18. Neal provided the group with the rubric, model and a toolkit to get started and answered the teams questions around the model and rubric. The group agreed that this would be a much larger discussion about how to use the model and rubric moving forward, but that it nicely fits into the equity work that will be included in the Quality Focus Essay.

The committee then reviewed the action plans and quality focus essay draft. Newell explained that the QFE was drafted by a small group of the full committee which meets every two weeks. The group went over all of the items in the QFE. The final draft for review will be ready by the next committee meeting.

The full self-evaluation report will be back from the editor by mid-march. The QFE will be submitted for editing at that time. All items will be shared with the shared governance groups by early April for a roadshow in April and May. Feedback will be incorporated in late May for approval by College Council and the Board of Trustees in June.

The next meeting is on March 30 from 3:30-4:30 p.m.