

March 13, 2026  
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
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## AGENDA

- I. **Call to Order**
- II. **Persons wishing to address the DEqCC Committee**

*Members of the public shall have an opportunity to address the committee either before or during the committee's consideration of each item of business to be discussed at regular or special meetings, including closed session items. In addition, with limited exceptions, the committee will provide an opportunity at regular meetings to address the committee on any other item of interest which is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the committee. In order to efficiently manage the business of the committee, the chair may limit the amount of time allocated for public testimony for each individual speaker to three (3) minutes, and limit the total time allocated on a particular issue to fifteen (15), unless waived by the committee (pursuant to Board Policy 2345). Decorum is to be expected by all members of the committee and public as outlined in Board Policy 2355.*
- III. **Changes to Agenda Order**
- IV. **Consent Calendar**
  - A. Approval of Minutes
    - December 12, 2025
    - February 27, 2026
- V. **Community Building**
  - A. Roll Call / Check-In
- VI. **Information & Discussion**
  - A. Black Student Success Week

**Description:** Update on upcoming programming and possible ways DEqCC may support related activities.
- VII. **Possible Action**
  - A. DEqCC Endorsement Process and APIDA Ally Training Request

**Description:** Discussion of the committee's endorsement process and possible next steps for reviewing endorsement requests.
  - B. DEqCC Participation Expectations Document

**Description:** Review of the revised draft "What It Means to Participate in DEqCC" document and consideration of possible action.
- VIII. **Reports**
  - A. Chair's Report

## B. IDEA Advisory Report

### IX. Adjournment

On September 13, 2022, California Governor Gavin Newsom signed California Assembly Bill 2449 (AB 2449) into law. This bill changes remote attendance rules under Ralph M. Brown Act's open meeting laws. With an effective date of January 1, 2023, AB 2449 imposes four periods of differing rules on remote access to, and member attendance of, local agency public meetings under the Ralph M. Brown Act (Brown Act). Further, a state of emergency is no longer in effect and so governing bodies will now meet in person with the possibility of approved remote attendance. The public may observe the meeting remotely or in person and offer public comment. A link for remote viewing or calling in is noted on the agenda. Therefore, Academic Senate and its subcommittee meetings will be held in person with a Zoom link available. If you wish to attend a meeting and you have another disability requiring special accommodation(s), please notify the Academic Senate Administrative Assistant at 760-795-6873. The California Relay Service (CRS) is available by dialing 711, or 800-735-2929 or 800-735-2922 for English or 800-855-3000 for Spanish.

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# What It Means to Participate in DEqCC

*Draft – Version 2*

*Revised following discussion at the February 27, 2026 DEqCC meeting*

The Diversity, Equity, and Cultural Competency Committee (DEqCC) supports MiraCosta College's efforts to cultivate an inclusive campus climate and advance equitable student success. Participation in DEqCC involves contributing to the committee's conversations and helping move its work forward over time. Members bring different perspectives, experiences, and availability, so participation may take different forms during a member's time on the committee.

Participation may include activities such as:

- Contributing ideas, questions, and perspectives to committee discussions and decision-making
- Serving on short-term working groups or task forces connected to DEqCC priorities
- Helping plan or organize events such as the Cultural Competency Conference, Indigenous Peoples' Day Symposium, History and Heritage Month celebrations, or other campus programming related to equity and belonging
- Supporting professional development opportunities by helping design, organize, or facilitate workshops and trainings
- Participating in equity-related trainings or reviewing proposed trainings as part of the committee's role in reviewing or endorsing campus initiatives
- Providing feedback or consultation on equity-related initiatives brought to the committee
- Helping welcome and orient new members by sharing institutional context and committee practices

Members are not expected to take on every activity listed above. Participation develops over time as members contribute in ways that align with their interests, expertise, and availability while supporting the shared work of the committee.