

NSR Meeting Summary

Date: October 9, 2019

Event: North State Roots Meeting

Time: 12 P.M. – 1 P.M.

Location: SSC room 122

In Attendance:



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Introductions

What do students hope for their communities?

- Students in attendance shared that they hoped for an increase in inclusion and recognition of diversity, opportunities in education, resources for youth, and knowledge about future careers
- Staff and faculty in attendance shared that they hoped for youth to learn about opportunities for growth and education within their communities

Updates

- **Handshake**
 - We're ready to "turn the key"
 - Software used by the Career Center will likely be used to catalog our NSR experiences
- **Corning Visit**
 - Great visit last week (9/30) and ongoing connection with Corning High School and their ranch

- An already established master plan with goals and planned outcomes for the ranch is included
 - Hope is to engage more students with more programs and entrepreneurial, agricultural, land management projects
 - Interdisciplinary opportunities for students and faculty
 - Ways to engage Corning High School students in the ranch project, and students in general in future projects in their hometowns
- **Inspiration from Rural County Supervisor Conference**
 - Hyperlocal convergence journalism (small papers in small communities should be locally owned and controlled – every story should be reported through a local lens)
 - [13 Ways to Kill Your Community](#) – 13 ways to **save** your community – Chapter 3 “Don’t Engage Youth” included
 - [Sonoma County Library hotspots for check out](#)
 - New connections made with Live Oak county supervisors and current CSU Chico students
- **Redding Conference with President Hutchinson**
 - [McConnell Foundation granted 7 more years of North State Together](#)
 - CSU Chico is the #1 CSU transfer school from Shasta Community College
- **Voting/Census Outreach**
 - [Census is online](#) in 2020
 - [New Electoral Model](#) in 2020 primaries – Voting centers throughout Butte County instead of polling places
 - PowerPoints included
- **Amanda Widgay**
 - Future classes will be impacted by fourth year quantitative reasoning proposal (requires a fourth-year quantitative reasoning requirement in high school)
 - Particularly impacts students in rural areas
 - Class of 2026 would be the first year impacted by the proposal
 - Anyone interested in learning more can attend the Student Academic Senate meetings on Fridays at 3p.m. in BMU 209 or reaching out to any student AS officers
 - Additional information included
- **Heather Rodriguez**
 - Help with and support in putting together a personal statement workshop for Los Molinos High School,
 - Workshop may also include assistance with scholarship applications, financial aid information etc.

- **Ann Schulte/Enrique Galvan**
 - Scholarship ideas and opportunities for students from rural communities
 - Creating opportunities for students who would like to give back to their communities