West Los Angeles College
College Council
Special Meeting Minutes of
October 16, 2008
3 pm, ATA-116

Attending:  Bruce Anders, Joann Haywood, Sheila Jeter-Williams, Fran Leonard, Rod Patterson, Betsy Regalado, Olga Shewfelt, Stefan Stitch for Eileen Gnehm

I.  Fran called this special meeting to order at 3:20 p.m. after the AFT Faculty Guild meeting ended.

II.  Bruce read to the Council the AFT Faculty Guild’s provisos to the Comprehensive Transportation Proposal action:

1) that the final buses leaving WLAC be scheduled to leave at 10:30 p.m., instead of 10:00 p.m.
2) that if workers at the contracted vendor decide to organize as a union, the vendor will not impede these efforts;
3) that the college will investigate multiple sources for continued funding of the program;
4) that the college will increase student support services in proportion to the additional enrollment attributable to this transportation program;
5) that the college include all costs including advertising;
6) that in order to protect minors, busses will drop students off at times that will ensure that they do not miss their transfers to other transportation;
7) and that the college will explore with Jump Start, bringing students to the campus when classroom space is most available.

III.  After discussion, the Council voted unanimously to recommend the Comprehensive Transportation Proposal as a Spring 2009 semester pilot to the college president with these provisos.