**Chief’s Advisory Board Meeting Minutes**

**February 26, 2025**

***In Attendance:*** Professor Christine Gardiner, ASI Chief Diversity and Inclusion Officer Andrea Ramirez Rivera, Professor Greg Brown, Sergeant Chris Brown, Chief Anthony Frisbee, Associate Dean Kiran George, Facilities Coordinator/Administrative Analyst VJ Kuan-Roberts, Associate VP Sonja Daniels, Assistant Vice President Cecil Chik.

1. ***Call to Order/ Approve Minutes –*** Meeting was called to order at 2:32. The minutes from August 2024 through January 2025 were approved by the board. The date on the January 2025 minutes needs to be corrected. President Rochon was a guest and board members introduced themselves to President Rochon.
2. ***President Rochon –*** The president expressed gratitude to the board for their ongoing efforts. He spoke about the importance of leading a campus community and emphasized that no leader can be effective without employees willing to work together. He shared concerns about the persistent anxiety present on campus and stressed the need to maintain civility and calmness. He noted that this can only be achieved through open communication from everyone. Additionally, he highlighted the importance of ensuring safety for all who work and live on campus. As he receives guidance from the Chancellor’s office, he will share those expectations with the campus community.
3. ***New Business***

**Campus Safety Forum –** The Chief discussed the past Safety Forum briefly and stated he would have more detailed information next time. The past forum featured tables where participants discussed what safety means to them. The current forum is scheduled for Wednesday, April 16, 2025. The Chief is open to changing the format this year, favoring the idea of table discussions followed by group reports. Associate Vice President Daniels inquired about feedback regarding the pedestrian area. Chief Frisbee responded there is none at this time, but a soft launch is planned for spring. He noted that understanding the impact of this change could take a few years. The Chief suggested including conversations about pedestrian safety, as well as discussions on federal, campus, and state laws. Assistant Vice President Chik recommended reporting back on actions taken based on previous suggestions, so participants can see that their input was valued and addressed. There was also a suggestion to highlight programs offered by the UPD and how they prepare students for careers in law enforcement. The Chief encouraged board members to gather questions to bring to the next Campus Safety Forum. Vice President Daniels suggested having informational handouts available.

***CAB Survey –*** An email regarding the survey has been sent out, aiming to gather insights on how the campus community feels about policing, campus police, and their personal experiences. Associate Vice President Daniels raised a question about how the evolving situation in Washington, D.C., might influence the survey results. Professor Gardiner reflected on past surveys and the valuable information they provided. Assistant Vice President Chik reminded everyone that this current survey is specifically focused on California policing and the campus police. Professor Gardiner suggested the possibility of hosting a panel discussion on state and federal law enforcement. Assistant Vice President Chik mentioned that these conversations are already taking place in the Titan Resource Center, with Professor Gardiner affirming that point. Chief Frisbee added this could also be a meaningful discussion for the upcoming Safety Forum. The survey will remain open for approximately one month.

1. **Round Table** – The Chief confirmed that ICE activity has increased in both California and Orange County. Assistant Vice President Chik asked how the campus should respond to activists who come to campus to share their views. Chief Frisbee explained responses would be handled on a case-by-case basis; if activists come onto campus and cause a disturbance, they would address it accordingly. He also reminded everyone that CSUF is an open campus, and the Time, Place, and Manner policy must be followed. ASI will be hosting a "Know Your Rights" workshop on March 15th from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., focusing on immigration issues. ASI requested police officers wear polos for this event to avoid making attendees feel uneasy. President Rochon reminded the group police officers are tasked with protecting both sides, not favoring one over the other. He acknowledged the jobs officers are asked to do can sometimes feel impossible but are essential, and he emphasized that the campus is fortunate to have people committed to ensuring safety for all.
2. **Adjournment** – The meeting was adjourned at 3:33 p.m. The next CAB meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 26th from 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.