I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. PUBLIC COMMENTARY
The public is welcome to address the Senate about items on the agenda only. Each speaker has a time limit of five minutes. While a speaker has the floor, Senators will refrain from comments, questions, discussion, and call for action.

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
A. Tuesday, September 8, 2015 (email attachment)

V. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

VI. OLD BUSINESS
A. Correspondence Education: summer session report- Thiebaux/Redwine/Hemandes/Sher/Shibalovich
B. Equivalency policy –Second Reading and Approval - Raman/Robertson (email attachment)

VII. NEW BUSINESS
The Senate will address, review, or act upon the following business in current session:
A. Faculty prioritization list for hire - Raman (presentation followed by discussion)
B. Review of organizations and committee’s list - Raman(email – attachment)

VII. REPORTS
A. Officers
1. President - Raman
2. Vice President - Silva
3. Secretary - Martinez

B. Committees
1. Academic Standards— Raman
2. Basic Skills—Raman
3. Curriculum—Rivera
4. Equivalency— Robertson
5. Flex— Snider
6. Scholarship—Medina
7. Student Learning Outcomes— Frid/Thiebaux

C. Representation
1. Accreditation—Thiebaux
2. Articulation & Transfer—Dagnino
3. Budget— Gaubeca
4. Distance Learning—Lilley-Edgerton
5. 3SP/Enrollment Management— Rivera
6. Facilities—Snider
7. Faculty and Staff Diversity—Wallace
8. Foundation—Turner
9. Program Review— Frid
VIII. **OPEN FORUM**
The floor is open to discuss any business that the Senate may need to address, review, or act upon in future session.
1. Possible template for change in documents from academic senate sub-committees going forward – Raman/Robert (email attachment)

IX. **ANNOUNCEMENTS**
The floor is open for any announcements about activities and events happening at Palo Verde College and in the community
1. Transfer the American Sign Language discipline (ASL) from the History and Social and Political Science division to the Language Arts and Communication Studies division, effective first day of Fall Semester 2015 - Thiebaux

X. **ADJOURNMENT**
Please remain in assembly until the President closes the meeting.

**CALENDAR**
The PVC Academic Senate will meet on the following dates:

*Meeting Dates 2015-2016: Meetings are scheduled on Tuesdays at 3pm in room CL 129*

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