There were present:

Ms. Ali               Prof. Garcia-Osuna               Prof. McKinney
Prof. Barnhart        Prof. Gattullo                   Prof. Miranda
Dean Basile           Prof. Graziano-King            Prof. Murphy
Prof. Bassen           Prof. Guigno                   Prof. Nicosia
Prof. Beeber           Mr. Harewood                 Ms. Palmieri
Ms. Bojku             Mr. Herklotz                  Ms. Persaud
Prof. Brancaccio-Taras Mr. Hermida                Prof. Pierre
Mr. Campbell           Prof. Hesse                   Prof. Ruoff
Mr. Charnolusky        Ms. Hnativ                   Prof. Sarinsky
Ms. J. Cohen           Ms. Jackson                 Prof. Sokolow
Dean P. Cohen          V.P. Keller                Ms. Spencer
Prof. Dawson           Mr. Khan                    V.P. Suss
Dean DiLorenzo         Prof. King                   Ms. Suero
Ms. Driscoll           Mr. Klein                  Prof. Thomas
Prof. Farrell           Prof. Kraljic          Mr. Troudt
Prof. Ferretti         Prof. Lax                   Prof. Yarmish
Dean Fox               Mr. Lugo                    
Prof. Gale             Prof. Martin                 

President Peruggi called the meeting to order at 3:08 PM.

I. The minutes of the meetings of September 20, 2012 were approved by acclamation.

II. Reports

A. President’s Report

The President thanked everyone for all of their help, collaboration, participation and enthusiasm in working with the Aspen team from their 8 AM arrival until they departed the campus at 4:30 PM. They met with every group at our very large and complex campus. They came back impressed from every meeting with administrators, faculty, staff and students. They really believed that people here at KCC really care about our students, collaborating to help student success. We did as well as we could, which is all anyone could ask.

We did receive two Aspen requests, one for a release to track data on how many of our students eventually graduate from 4-year colleges, and another to sign a release to get data on our former students in the labor force. Unfortunately it is illegal to release that information in New York state, so we were unable to comply.
The President expressed her pleasure at meeting with faculty in their departmental meetings and hearing their responses to college charts and data, as well as their suggestions for improvement.

She congratulated the Office of College Advancement on a wonderful and successful Homecoming Day. On a related note, she urged anyone who has not yet seen the new campus broadcasting studio to stop by and see how professionally it was put together.

The College Food bank has been depleted and many of our students need food, canned goods to support a meal, or donations to help provide meals, particularly during Thanksgiving season. Many campuses do not address this very real problem, but we are making a strong effort to help students address their needs.

Finally, the Child Development Center at KCC is celebrating its 40th anniversary at a dinner scheduled for November 1. Seats are still available, so interested parties should see Dean Basile about getting tickets.

B. Curriculum Committee

The following resolutions by the Curriculum Committee were approved unanimously:

(a) The following changes in Degree Requirements were approved:

A. Department of Behavioral Sciences and Human Services
   1. A.S. in Chemical Dependency Counseling
      Add: SAC 3000, Compulsive Gambling: Treatment and Prevention
   2. Certificate in Substance Abuse Counseling
      Add: SAC 3000, Compulsive Gambling: Treatment and Prevention
      Add: Passing Part 1 (Arithmetic) of the Compass exam

B. Department of History, Philosophy and Political Science
   1. A.A. in Criminal Justice
      Delete: CRJ 6900 or 7000
      Add: CRJ 6900 and 7000
      Delete: SOC 3600, Minority Groups in the United States
      Delete: ENG 3100 or 3200 or 3500 or 7300 or 7400
      Add: Any English Literature course
      Delete: MAT 1300 and BIO 3300
      Add: Any mathematics except MAT 700 and one laboratory science

C. Department of Communications and Performing Arts
   1. A.S. in Theatre Arts
      Delete: Required 9 credits in Program electives.
      Add: Required 6 credits in Program electives.
(b) After Dean DiLorenzo’s hard work in reconfiguring the following degrees was acknowledged and applauded, the following changes in A.A. and A.S. Degrees were approved:

The following degrees have been modified to accommodate the CUNY Common Core:

1. A.A. in Criminal Justice
2. A.A. in Liberal Arts
3. A.S. in Biology
4. A.S. in Biotechnology
5. A.S. in Chemical Dependency Counseling
6. A.S. in Chemistry
7. A.S. in Community Health
8. A.S. in Computer Science
9. A.S. in Early Childhood Education
11. A.S. in Education Studies
12. A.S. in Engineering Science
13. A.S. in Exercise Science
14. A.S. in Fine Arts
15. A.S. in Journalism and Print Media
16. A.S. in Mathematics
17. A.S. in Mental Health and Human Services
18. A.S. in Physics
19. A.S. in Speech Communication
20. A.S. in Theater Arts

NOTES:

a. Advisement sheets will be prepared for all degrees and distributed as needed.

b. All degrees will include the following statement placed just after the WAC requirement: Two (2) Civic Engagement interactions—satisfied by ‘CE-CERTIFIED’ or ‘CE-COMPONENT’ courses, or approved outside activity (see the KCC Catalog "General Education: Civic Engagement").

c. The writing intensive statement, “Participation in a Learning Community that includes ENG 12 or ENG 24 also satisfies this requirement” should remain in all degrees.

(c) The following actions were taken by the Council regarding the College’s course submissions for the CUNY Pathways Common Core:

1. Revised course submissions to be approved:

   A. Department of Behavioral Sciences and Human Services
      1. SOC 3200, *Urban Sociology* (Category B, US Experience)
      3. SOC 3900, *Sociology of Religion* (Category A, World Cultures)
B. Department of Communications and Performing Arts
   SPE 2100, *Public Speaking* (Returned for revisions by Pathways)
   Revised FROM: Category D, Individual and Society
   TO: Category C, Creative Expression

C. Department of Foreign Languages
   1. SPA 3100, *Readings in Latin American Literature in Translation*
      Revised FROM: Category A, World Cultures and Global Issues
      TO: Category C, Creative Expression

D. Department of History, Philosophy and Political Science
   1. HIS 3100, *Europe: Napoleon to Hitler*
      In: Category A, World Cultures and Global Issues

2. Revised course submissions were tabled (for review of category):
   A. Department of Business
      1. ECO 1200, *Macroeconomics*
      2. ECO 1300, *Microeconomics*

3. Initial course submissions to be approved:
   A. Department of Biological Sciences
      1. SCI 100, *Issues and Adventures in Science*
      2. BIO 2500, *Introduction to Marine Biology*
      3. BIO 2800, *Biology of Women*
      4. BIO 3700, *Human Genetics*
      5. BIO 3900, *The Biology of Aging*
      6. BIO 4900, *People and the Environment*
      All six courses in: Category E: Scientific World

B. Department of English
   1. ENG 2400, *Freshman English II*
      In: Required Core

C. Department of Foreign Languages
   1. SPA 5500, *History and Civilization of Spain*
      In: Category A, World Cultures and Global Issues

D. Department of History, Philosophy and Political Science
   1. POL 5500, *American Political Parties*
      In: Category B: U.S. Experience in its Diversity
(d) A Change in Course Titles and Catalog Descriptions was approved:

A. Department of English
   1. ENG 8289
      
      FROM: *Gay and Lesbian Literature*
      Introduction to the tradition of gay and lesbian literature, including its relationships to the larger historical, philosophical, political, and cultural contexts, and to the universal themes of literature, in particular kinship, community, gender and language.

      TO: *Sexuality and Literature*
      Introduction to the field of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer literature, including its relationships to the larger historical, philosophical, political, and cultural contexts, and its intersections with the social identities of race, class, gender, ethnicity, nationality, and ability.

(e) The following Changes in Prerequisites were approved:

   A. Department of Behavioral Sciences and Human Services
      1. SAC 3000, *Compulsive Gambling: Treatment & Prevention*
         From: None
         To: Prerequisite: SAC 2000
         Pre- or co-requisite: SAC 2200

   B. Department of Mathematics and Computer Science
      1. CS 13A0, *Advanced Programming Techniques*
         From: Prerequisite CS 1200
         To: Prerequisite CS 1200 with grade of C+ or higher

(f) The following Changes in Prerequisites were approved:

   A. Department of Mathematics and Computer Science
      1. CS 1400, *Computers and Assembly Language Programming*
         FROM: 5 credits / 5 hours
         TO: 4 credits / 5 hours
      2. CS 3500, *Discrete Structures*
         FROM: 5 credits / 5 hours
         TO: 4 credits / 5 hours

(g) The following Change in Academic Policy was approved:

   A. Department of Mathematics and Computer Science
      1. MAT M200, *Introductory Algebra*
         FROM: Students are permitted to repeat Math M2 multiple times.
TO: Students may not repeat Math M2 after receiving two R grades.

III. New Business

In the absence of any New Business, the meeting adjourned at 3:25 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Sokolow

Michael Sokolow, secretary