

## Diversity Council meeting minutes: October 22, 2019

In attendance: Ruby Alhajar, Audrey Mayer, Cyndi Perkins, Brenda Rudiger, Shannon Vairo

Due to low attendance, we had an abbreviated meeting today.

We will go back to using Doodle polls to find future times that are convenient to a majority of the members.

The USG has contacted the Diversity Council to assist them with organizing an on-campus forum on the U.S. impeachment process. Our group discussed various strategies to organize the forum and to adhere to a non-partisan format with a focus on the process and procedures, as well as the history of impeachment. Audrey Mayer will work with USG to design the event.

We also discussed the potential change in structure from one Diversity Council comprised of students, faculty, and staff, to a set of three Councils (one each for students, faculty, and staff), coordinating and communicating with an Executive Committee that would maintain better connections between the Councils and the President's Council. The formal transition to this three-council structure will take place after the new VP for Diversity is hired and can provide input and guidance on the transition.