What do the Election Results Mean?

Presentation to Faculty, Staff and Trustees
Solano Community College
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Proposition 30 – Lens of SCC

• Results were not known at 2:00 am this morning.
• Passage ensures:
  • No cuts in our budget at this time by the state (?)
  • Additional sections of classes will be offered
  • Some vacancies will be released
  • A few faculty positions on hold can move forward
  • We are on road to permanent recovery
Next Steps

- Not out of the wood yet: Sacramento still exists
- Need to maintain our enrollment from last year: Adding classes for spring
- Having a summer session
- No new money, so cuts made last year will continue to hold and help
- Filling selected positions will happen
Gratitude

- Unions for statewide effort and local efforts
- Faculty, staff and students for advocacy
- CCLC for its hard work on our behalf
- CSEA members who has had to endure vacancies and supported new employees
- FABPAC Members for their support through the difficult budgets
- Deans, VP Ligiosso and many others
- The best Board of Trustees on Earth for stewardship.
Yes on Q!
• Too many people to thank without having a comprehensive list
• Yulian Ligioso and Janet Leary for the hard work
• Faculty who openly supported Q and wrote letters, make phone calls, walk precincts
• Staff who openly supported Q and wrote letters, make phone calls, walk precincts
• Administrators who openly supported Q and wrote letters, make phone calls, walk precincts
THANK QQQQQQQ

• To those who secretly supported Q
• To those who unselfishly supported Q
• To those who opposed Q, especially openly:
  It allowed us to wake up and fight for Q
• Thank you to SASO
• Thank you to donors
• Thank you to endorsers
THANK YOU

- To the members of the Board of Trustees who supported our efforts:
  - Ed Master Plan
  - Facilities Master Plan
  - Putting the bond on the ballot
  - Enduring undue criticism for the campaign
  - Supporting the campaign financially
  - Volunteering for the campaign and waving signs like those advertising a good sale
THE Awesome students of Solano Community College!
ASSC for its loud and hard working endorsement
Student Trustee Salazar who became our poster child for the campaign
You supported YOUR projects.
• Voters of Solano County
• Voters of Winters
• Board of Trustees
MEASURE Q

- Biotechnology
- Middle College High School
- Renovated and expanded Theatre
- Larger classrooms at TAFB
- New Science Building
- School of Aeronautics
- New library
- Agriculture
- Pond? Golf?
- Fire Tower
- Automotive program
- New Building at Vallejo
- Career Tech building
- Land at Vallejo
- Modernization
- Structure in Winters
- Larger Humanities Building
Q! in Perspective

- Trust and confidence of the county
- Community’s College
- Outreach to one and all
- Positive relationships with businesses
- Care for the neediest among us
- Keeping our promises: Lab science comment
- Financial support for the college
College Ownership of Q

- Memories of G: Small group
- Q needs unselfish involvement of faculty, staff and students
- Demand reports and updates from all
- Be involved and respond
- Support what makes the college great and not just your own
- Help us thank the community
Where do we go from here?

- Accreditation visit next week
- Continuation of work on SLOs/SAOs
- Planning process ongoing
- Strategic proposals
- Caring for the Centers
- Attending to DE

- Coming months: conversations for financial strengthening of SCC
- Taking care of ourselves: faculty, staff and administrators
- Have been five tough years – We can build a better future