BrCCC Meeting 27 September 2021

- 1. Welcome (5 minutes)
 - a. Union Teams: We need you!
 - b. Think about running for chapter leadership positions starting in 2022 (summer)
- 2. Professional Staff Update
 - a. Survey regarding telework (5 minutes)
 - b. Update on statewide
- 3. Vaccine Mandate Questions and Concerns (10 minutes)
- 4. Grievance Report (5 minutes)
 - a. Professional staff: notify union if supervisors asking for proof of work at home
 - b. Workload calculations
- 5. MACER update (5 minutes)
- 6. Chapter Director Report (5 minutes)
- 7. 2019 Vote of No Confidence Status Discussion (10 minutes)

<u>Votes of no confidence proliferate but their impact</u> <u>seems minimal</u>

<u>Surviving a vote of no confidence – Community</u> <u>College Daily</u>

- 8. For Next Time: Charter Schools and BrCCC discussion https://www.southcoasttoday.com/story/news/education/2 021/09/17/new-innovators-charter-school-proposed-newbedford-fall-river-early-college-credit-stem/8361031002/
- 9. Member comments/questions (5 minutes)

Concerns about the COVID Vaccine Mandate

Some people -- faculty, staff, and students -- can't or won't get the vaccination. So what happens?

Will employees be able to teach online and/or work remotely? Will people be terminated?

What will happen to students if they can't come to our classes?

Will this cause further drops in enrollment?

What exemptions will be allowed?

Is the alternative of having weekly testing for COVID if the vaccine avenue is not done?

It's easy enough to not allow students to register for classes if they aren't vaccinated, but how do we make sure they aren't utilizing on-campus services? (Equity issue for prof. staff) How is this (students using services) going to be monitored and enforced? Even protocol that was supposed to limit the number of people coming on campus with students and scanning QR codes was not enforced.

How do we handle exemptions for other vaccines?