Contra Costa College Around the Table Thursday, March 28, 2013 Management Council 2:00 p.m., Fireside Room

Sue Abe - Bay Area CCD Employment Relations Consortium – Speaking Freely or Shouting Fire College campuses are flashpoints for First Amendment clashes. Protesters, employee complaints, academic freedom, invocations, religious clubs, school newspapers, Facebook, blogs, cell phones, use of campus mailboxes - what can a college regulate, and when? How does technology affect the right to regulate speech? Our attorneys have extensive experience in litigating First Amendment issues, as well as drafting policies and procedures that have helped colleges more effectively regulate these issues as they arise, and they are in a unique position to provide guidance and solutions to colleges regarding these challenging matters.

Who Should Attend? Managers, Supervisors, Administrators MCLE Credit

LCW is an approved provider for Minimum Continuing Legal Education (MCLE) Credit. Attorneys attending this course will receive 2.75 hours of MCLE credit. An MCLE sign-in sheet and certificate will be available at the workshop.

DATE: Friday, April 5, 2013

TIME: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Login: 8:30 a.m.

PRESENTER: Mary Dowell

LOCATION: Meet and Confer Webinar via CCC Confer

RESERVATIONS: Please register directly through your district's HR Department.

Vicki Ferguson - AB 540 Dare to Dream Conference on Saturday, March 30, 2013 from 9-2 p.m.

Catherine Fites - Priority registration appointments have been assigned for 2013 Summer and Fall registration.

Helen Kalkstein - Jazz Vocal Night on April 1 at 8:00 PM in the John and Jean Knox Center for the Performing Arts. Last year's debut concert was a huge success, and we look forward to another great evening. The concert will feature JAZZ-ology, JazzaNova and Jazz Singers as well as Jazz Voice Soloists.

The rhythm section features Walter Bankovitch on piano, Carla Kaufman on bass, and Greg German on drums with guest percussionist, Wagner Santos and guest flautist, Laura Austin Wiley. What a treat to perform with such great musicians! Tickets are \$15 general admission and \$10 students.

Susan Lee - Sixth Annual Food and Wine event is scheduled for Sunday, April 21st from 11:00 – 2:30PM. Proceeds will support the fundraising to send Culinary Arts students to Italy this summer.

Jennifer Ma - 2012-2013 and 2013-2014 FAFSA applications are still available for students to apply. Financial Aid Computer Lab available for FAFSA assistance. Hours are posted on our financial aid website.