

**Associated Students of Solano College**

**Meeting Minutes February 28, 2012, 12:32pm-2:58 pm**

**Solano Community College, Room 1421**

**Call to Order** President Moran-Richardson called the meeting to order at 12:32pm. Karl Pua took the minutes.

**Seating and Oath** Kristine Barruzo was seated as Vice President. Karl Pua was seated as Executive Secretary. Laura Duran-Gomez was seated as senator of Business Services. Ana Valenzuela was seated as senator of Student Services.

**Official Roll Call** **Executive Officers** present: Barruzo, Moran-Richardson, Eljach, Castillo, Freire, Pua, Sperow;

**Senators** present: Duran-Gomez, Zapantis, McCaffrey Jr., Baig, Steverson, Salazar, Vaughn, Schmidtgal, Valenzuela;

**Associates** Present: Davis, Ott. **Quorum met with eight (8) senators; two (2) associates.**

**Approval of Agenda** Motion Senator McCaffrey, second Senator Zapantis to approve the meeting agenda of January 31, 2012. **(2,0,0) (9,0,0)**.  
Salazar walked in at 12:37.

**Public Forum** Matthew Pinkerton-Lloyd discussed the March in March which is going to be held on March 3rd 2012. He asked for ASSC's support.

Sharman announced that they are replacing the old newspaper dispensary to make the campus look nicer and for The Tempest to have a better place to put newspapers in.

Montes walked in at 12:41PM.

**Instructor's Report** Powell suggested for the ASSC students to attend the budget forum that is going to be held on Wednesday February 29th 2012 at 10:00AM.

**Advisor's Report** Dr. Laguerre spoke during Ghous' advisor's report. He announced that SCC has a great chance of not offering summer classes. The school is hoping to not be cut \$2.2 million. There will not be any additions to the budget. By cutting summer classes, SCC is hoping to save about \$1 million. The decision will be made on Thursday, March 1st 2012.

Kristine, Phil, Geoff, Kayla left at 1:15PM.

Phil and Geoff came back at 1:16PM

Davis left at 1:16PM

Ghous announced that the office hour time sheet will be collected around midterms. Time sheets will be available at the SDO.

**Information Items** Phil stepped outside at 1:18PM.

A) Jack Batson wants to host a political debate. Phil came back at 1:19PM. B) Deborah of the Student Health Center talks about events and hopes to have more students aware of the services.

C) Moran-Richardson informs ASSC that the Vacaville and Vallejo centers need to be utilized. The proposed dates to hold ASSC meetings at other campuses are March 20th 2012 (Vallejo) and March 27th 2012 (Vacaville). D) Karl Pua, speaking on behalf of Kayla Salazar, proposed to have the ZimRide link on the SCC homepage. He gave an instructional presentation on how to use the website. E) No report F) Kelsey Moran-Richardson talked about ASSC having day trips to high schools to promote student government. G) Zack Sperow presented how to use GoogleDocs for minutes editing.

**Unfinished Business** No unfinished business.

**Committee Reports** A) Kelsey Moran-Richardson suggested that the Election committee meet soon. B) Arturo Castillo said that his committee sent out a school-wide survey with results showing that 30 people wanted to participate in the March in March. Phil moves that ASSC allocates a budget of \$700 for transportation. James Vaughn seconded the motion. **(1,0,0) (8,1,0)**. Naser friendly amends the motion by having it contingent upon a minimum of 15 people attending. Phil seconds the amendment. **(1,0,0) (5,4,0)**. C) Zack Sperow talked about the expenses for having a flea market, and how hiring a management team would be best. Phil left at 2:16PM. Phil came back at 2:17PM.

**Division Reports** Charlene talks about the FABPAC. Geoff walked in at 2:22PM. Naser discusses changes that want to be made in regards to curriculum names, additions, and scheduling. Geoff explains the importance of logging off the internet when it is not being used, for it slows down. Ana and Jose left at 2:33PM. Phil said that he met with autobody and that the class is doing well. Joseph Zapantis explains how the business building as well as other buildings should have a booth to survey students on their preferred classes. He also informed ASSC of the research project that is about to ensue called BSAC. The BSAC conference is going to be held in San Diego on April 19th-21st 2012. Phil and Geoff left at 2:37PM. James Vaughn shortly talked about the Earth Day committee. Geoff walked in at 2:40PM. Terilyn Steverson talked about cutting summer school, and names of classes being changed. Daniel Schmidtgal talked about losing German out of the curriculum for the teacher will be retiring, and that Theatre will be taking a huge hit.

**Executive Board Reports** President Moran-Richardson explains how Laguerre is saying that students aren't involved, but from her personal experience, she thinks otherwise.

**Adjournment** Motion by Senator Zapantis, seconded by Senator Duran-Gomez to adjourn the meeting. **(1,0,0) (6,0,0)** Meeting adjourned at 2:58PM.