Associated Students of Solano College
Regular Meeting
MINUTES
March 25, 2014 12:30pm-3:00pm

Solano Community College
Student Union Building Room 1421
4000 Suisun Valley Road
Fairfield, California

I. Call To Order
- Meeting was called to order at: 12:30 pm by President Johnson

II. Seating and Oath

III. Official Roll Call
9 Senators Present  5 Associates Present  8 Executives Present

IV. Approval of Agenda:
- Senator Walton moved to approve the agenda as it is, seconded by Senator Jaramillo,
  Motion passes. Associates 0,0 Senators 9,0.

V. Approval of Minutes:

A) March 4th, 2014
- Senator Ogden moved to approve the minutes of March 4th, 2014 with all necessary
  corrections, seconded by Senator Baig. Motion passes Associates 0,0 Senators 9,0

B) March 18th, 2014
- Senator Ogden moved to approve the minutes of March 18th, 2014 with all
  necessary corrections, seconded by Senator Bolin, Motion passes Associates 0,0
  Senators 9,0

VI. Public Forum

VII. Instructor’s Report: Felipe Wilson
No report.

VIII. **Advisor’s Report: Jose M. Ballesteros**

No report.

The orders of the day were suspended to prohibit going to 13A by Senator Bess, Second by Senator Ogden. Associates 1:1 Senators 8:0. Motion passes.

IX. **Committee Reports**

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<td>Activities: Casey Bess</td>
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<td>Club Funding: Jeniece Cordova</td>
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<td>Election: Latifah Alexander</td>
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<td>Political Activities: Charlene Alimboyao</td>
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<td>Procedural Review: Naser Baig</td>
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| **Student Riders: Luis Garcia** | The Student Riders Committee has been working on the drafting of a Resolution to have the students pay a small fee to begin working on solutions to the ridership issues. They have attempted to hold several meetings that do not work out. They have been working on a resolution as proposed by the administration. He is in process of drafting it and needs a bit more of statistical information to finish it.

The resolution is going to begin the process to solve the student rider's issues. In accordance to Californian Legislation, the Governing Board of a community college can charge a fee to students in order to subsidize transportation. The STA has been working with the administration, and after the $40,000 Clean Air Grant, it was suggested that SCC subsidizes the use of the bus, following the model set by the grant.

The current state of the resolution is that it remains in the drafting stage. |
| **Technus: Geff Freire** | As for Curriculum Division Report today is the meeting. As for Technus, I need at least 4 senators and the two who attended last time (Jeniece and Steve) to attend the next meeting. There's a doodle poll ready for it, and I'm hoping to aim for Tuesday as Roger (The Director of Technologies) will be busy on the other days of the week. I'll be sending out the Technus Agenda tomorrow, so please, vote and attend if you can so we can have the 2nd meeting be more productive, as Technus can help make SCC's Technologies improve! |

### X. Division Reports
I reported on the elections to the Board of Trustees, as well as trips made by members of the ASSC to the State Capitol and to Assemblyman Frazier's Budget workshop.

At the meeting, Dr. Dambrosio and Dr. White gave an update on accreditation, and a presentation made on financial and performance audits on Measures G and Q. Details of the reports can be found at http://solano.edu/governing_board/meetings.php.

Finally, Professor Carlos Esteve, Math 310 instructor, reported on the sabbatical leave he took to write an open-source math text book. The text book is freely available to his students and applies to several classes, helping make fundamental math classes more accessible to financially underprivileged students.

I have made appointments to meet with dean of admissions and dean of counseling.

The teaching excellence award will, with Election Committee’s approval, be starting by Wednesday.
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**Associate Senators**

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Two students received I-Car certification of California in hazardous waste and personal safety. There are over ten students working in shops; three of which are for Solano Community College as student workers.

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**XI. Executive Board Reports**

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Before the Board Meeting began last week. I went on a tour of where the future Jimmy Doolittle Center will be. There was an upgrade to the Storage Area Network, which means that there is more space. There will be a CCCAST General Meeting phone conference, that I will hopefully call in.
XII. Information Items

A. Funding Requests

The following groups presented their ASSC Spring 2014 Funding Requests:

- Campus Cats – Wendy Phillips
- French Club – Victoria Wright/Lauren Gunn
- MESA Student Society – Casey Bess
- Nursing Class of 2015 – Amy Abad/Janet Schwartz
- Rugby Club – Chris Roco
- SCC Math Club – Douglas Sherman
- Interior Design Club – Denina Fredrickson
- Art Department – Kathryn Kearns
- Biology – Cristina Young
- Ethic Studies/Umoja – Dr. McCord
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XIII. **Action Items**
   a. **Women’s History Month Resolution**

   Senator Baig move to approve the awarding of Women’s History Month Awards with a budget not to exceed $200, Second by Senator Ogden.

   Associates 0:1 Senators 4:4.

   President Johnson voted no as the tiebreaker. Motion fails.

   b. **Transportation Fee – Louis Garcia**

No update.

XIV. **Unfinished and Ongoing Business**

XV. **Announcements**

XVI. **Upcoming Agenda**

XVII. **Adjournment**

Quorum was lost and meeting ended at 3:00 PM.