

ASSC Minutes
August 16, 2016

Stated as unofficial meeting because agenda was not posted 72 hours prior to meeting

- I. CALL TO ORDER
 - a. The meeting was called to order at 12:33pm.
- II. OFFICIAL ROLL CALL
 - a. Present: President White, Student Trustee Bartlow, Student Services Senator De Los Angeles, Career Technology Senator Hartsock, Business Senator Butt, Diversity Affairs Senator Reyes
 - b. Not Present: Vice President Blue
 - c. Late Attending: Fine and Applied Arts Senator Reyes
- III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
 - a. Dominique moves to approve the agenda. Radmehr Norwoozi seconds. Unanimous. 3.0.0 Motion Passes
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. None
- V. PUBLIC FORUM
 - a. None
- VI. ADVISOR'S REPORT - Welcome Poli-Sci Class Fall 2016
 - a. Hello, I am the Advisor for ASSC and the instructor for student leadership. Only book is small and inexpensive. Goal is to go to a government meeting and know if they are doing it right. Read page 1 of syllabus for goal. We have between \$143-\$145K to work with as Senators. Budget will be approved again.
 - b. We need to be the voice of the students. They need to know when a class is being cancelled or if they have a problem they need to be able to come to the Senate. Encourage you to be a Senator.
 - c. Read the rest of the syllabus.
 - d. You learn so much your first year, by the middle of the semester you will be so comfortable with this position and the people around you.
 - e. Will have a report of last year's accomplishments for upcoming Board Meeting.
 - f. We will be having elections in September for Leg. Adv. And the Transportation fee with the correct language and we expect passage.
 - g. One thing I ask is that we find more people for the Senate. If they want to make a difference for our students, tell them this is the place.
 - h. Declaration of Candidacy is from 8/15-8/26. Means all paperwork turned in by the 31st and the pre-election meeting is the 29th.
 - i. First Assignment: 1. Why do you want to take this class? 2. What can you bring to this class and student government, should you decide to run?
 - j. Pick one hour a week where you can help in the office.

Break to show new members the work room.

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VII. INFORMATION ITEMS

A. Welcome New Senate

Hello everyone! We went from 20 to 6 and I am looking to fill every seat in two weeks.

B. Importance of Student Government

We're awesome! No but seriously, I have been President for almost a year and we have grown so much. People are starting to trust us. Students are actually talking to us. They know if they come to us we will actually do something about it. The apathy here is crazy and nobody cares, nobody feels like they are being listened to. That is why we came up with the slogan "Student's Voices Matter", because they do! and we need people in these seats that really care about that and want to change and improve the lives of the students. So it is very important that we have a student government because the administration can make decisions without us. It's good to have a voice and be able to speak up for the students and have a positive outlook for what students want. Thank you for your interest and WELCOME! We are the voices of the students and we are given power and money to improve on any aspect of student's lives as we feel necessary.

C. Positions

Bylaws and Constitution explain Responsibilities and duties of the Senate.

President, Vice-President, Leg. Adv. and Student Trustee are voted in by students.

President oversees the meetings. Call to order, make sure everything runs smoothly. I

also do a lot of organization to help senators know where their meetings are. Each

senator will have their own outside meeting, besides this one, and the Leg. Adv. is

usually over the phone. Leg. Adv also get to go to the conferences and deals with laws and political aspect. Student Trustee attends the BOT meetings and has an honorary

vote AND Governing Board Senator will give the reports at the meetings.

Executive Board also includes Secretary, Treasurer, and Public Relations Officer

Treasurer keeps track of all the money and gives a weekly report.

Secretary keeps all of the minutes and agendas.

Public Relations Officer is our face to the public, Facebook, Newsletter (twice a month).

Only the thirteen Senators can vote.

Page three (of the bylaws) gives all the Executive Positions and page four gives all the

Senator positions. All the Academic Senators meet with the deans and division meetings

and bring us reports on what goes on in those meetings. On Page five we have

curriculum, diversity affairs, student services, governing board, and business services,

which all go to their committee meetings and report back to the ASSC. Student Services

is also chair of the Election Committee.

Dr. Slade explains that you can help make decisions on large contracts.

-Standing Committees

Standing committees do not have to be voted on. There is a difference between

standing committees and ad hoc committees. Standing committees are already here (in

the bylaws) and their chairs are labeled. It tells you what their goals are.

The Select Interim Committee – Selects President in case elections are not valid

Sports Promotion Committee – Promotes sports, Chaired by Health/Kinesiology Senator

ICC – one person from each club meet twice a month – Want to continue to improve our

relationship with ICC

Fine and Applied Art arrives at 1:28pm

Funding Request Committee – Clubs and Departments request money from ASSC and they do presentations and the senate votes who to give the money to.

Activities Committee – Plans events and on campus activities. Co-Chaired by the Vice-President and PRO.

Like a CARNIVAL!!!

ASSC Procedural Review Committee – Review Procedures, impeaching Executive Officers

Only the thirteen Senators have a right to vote. It's either 50% +1 or 2/3 vote to pass depending on the type of vote.

-We have other committees that we formed last semester like the safety committee, the survey committee, the food advisory committee, etc. that are considered ad hoc. They are created for a specific task and once the task is complete they no longer exist. The student debt prevention committee completed their task and it was sent to college governance for review.

- D. Recruiting
 - Posters /Banners – Dayanna / Dom (Today)
 - Flyers – Radmehr (Today)
 - Emails – Megan
 - Tables – Larry / Megan / Geena (Start Thursday)
 - Tables will be in 400, 100, and 1400
 - Radmehr may pass out flyers at Vacaville center.
 - Radmehr is running for Legislative Advocate and Dom may be PRO or Social Science Senator.
 - Assignment is to bring 1-2 people next week.
- E. Year Calendar
 - Postpone until next week
- VIII. Action Items
 - a. None
- IX. Committee Reports:
 - a. None
- X. Division Reports:
 - a. None
- XI. Executive Board Reports
 - a. None
- XII. Review
 - a. None
- XIII. Announcements/ Open Discussion
 - a. None
- XIV. Upcoming Agenda
 - a. Recruiting
 - b. Yearly Calendar
- XV. Adjournment
 - a. Dominique moves to adjourn. Radmehr seconds. Vote is unanimous. Adjourned at 1:58p.

