

Cerritos College

ASCC Senate

Minutes

Wednesday | April 8, 2015
2:00 PM
BK-111/112

1. Call to Order

2:09 pm

2. Flag Salute

3. Roll Call

Quorum established at 24

4. Approval of Minutes

Senator Sanchez/Gonzalez-Move to approve March 4, April 1, and March 25 to approve. No objections

Quorum re-established at 25

5. Approval of Agenda

Senator Sanchez- Moves to have 7C and 7D before 7A. No objections.

Senator Khetani/Gurley- Moves to have Student Activities Report after Public Forum. No objections.

Senator Venegas/Beltran- Moves to have Communications after Public Forum. No objections.

Senator Gonzalez/Arana- Move to approve Agenda with amendments. No objections.

6. Public Forum

Commissioner Jimenez- Budget update

Quorum remains at 24

There will be an agenda item for next week's meeting.

Quorum remains at 23

President Aiello- Next year's administration will run on the approved ASCC budget.

Quorum re-established at 24

7. Old Business | (36 Minutes)

A) ASCC and Board of Trustees | Informational/Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)

The Senate shall nominate Senate representatives for the ASCC and the Board of Trustees meeting.

Senator Sanchez-nominates himself. Senator Oyarzabal nominates himself.

Senator Venegas nominates Villalobos.

Senator Athena reminds the Senate there needs to be 3 representatives and 1 alternative.

Senator Khetani- Inquiry, how many senators are being elected? 3

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Senator Sanchez recommends to give nominees the opportunity to say why they would like to be elected to represent the Senate.

The candidates give a one minute speech as to why they feel they should represent the Senate.

Elected Senator: Sanchez, Villalobos, Oyarzabal. Alternate: Athena

Senator Venegas- Would the students have input as to what will be on the Agenda? *Yes, alongside the Cabinet members elected.*

Quorum remains at 25

Vice President moves to open discussion for 1 minute per speaker. No objections.

President Aiello- Encourages the Senate to come to himself, Vice President Nino, and the elected Senators to speak about what they would like to see on the Agenda.

Dr. Contreras- Encourages the Senate to voice concerns now.

Senator Beltran- Would the Senate be creating the Agenda now? *There can be a discussion about items now. If there is a discussion about the items now, there can be a draft for next week's meeting.*

Senator Beltran/Sanchez- Moves to have this item on the Agenda for next week.

Senator Sanchez calls a point of order on President Aiello for signaling Senator Gonzalez to object to the previous motion.

President Aiello- Suggests to have a discussion now to allow the board time to prepare for the meeting, seeing as how the meeting is in a week.

Vice President Nino suggests to Senator Arana to allow time for suggestions where the Senators can leave questions and possible discussion items.

Senator Villalobos wishes to amend the motion to open discussion, 1 minute each speaker, to allow time for the Senate to give input on what will be on the Agenda, so no Brown Act will be violated.

Senator Beltran- Suggests to have an open document on the progress of the Agenda now to allow sufficient time to see a draft of the Agenda.

Senator Venegas- How would it be a violation of Brown Act? *Senators are not allowed to speak on Agendized items outside the meeting, this item has been moved to be agendized for next week.*

Quorum remains at 20

Senator Sanchez/Serna- Move to end discussion and move to Agenda Item 8C. No objections.

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B) Student Government Calling Cards | Action Item | (7 Minutes) (Senator Gonzalez)

Senate shall discuss and possibly take action to support providing Student Government Business Cards

Business cards are very important on providing a service to a client.

Senator Sanchez- Feels like it would be a waste of money to have them for this semester because the student government administration is almost over. Suggests implementing them for next year. Suggests maintaining the logo the ASCC Faculty, President and Vice President have. *Senator Gonzalez spoke with Miya Walker about the logo and there would be a copyright issue.* How would it be a copyright issue if the Student Body President and Vice President have the school logo on their calling cards?

President Aiello- Agrees with the points made by Senator Sanchez and feels like those are concerns that should be addressed. What account would this be coming from? *That is stated on the second Resolution of the bill*

Senator Venegas-Sanchez/Moves to extend time by 5 minutes. No objections.

Senator Athena- Would the government leaders have to pay out of pocket, or come to Senate for funding for the calling cards? *Vice President Nino- to clarify for the question reads the Senate Bill.* Do the leaders have to come in one-on-one for a single funding for the calling cards? *The Bill can be amended.*

Senator Arana-Moves to not approve SB15-085

Senator Castillo- Feels like the cards should be similar to the President and Vice President's cards. The monetary statements on the bill are unclear.

Senator Beltran- Not all Senators have money to pay out of pocket. It would not be fair for next year's Senators because what if the following administration does not like the calling cards.

Roll Call Vote: **9.3.6 Motion Passes**

Quorum remains at 17

C) Financial Update | Informational/discussion Item | (5 Minutes) (Commissioner Jimenez)

The Commissioner of Budget and Finance shall update senate of the Special Projects Account

Commissioner Jimenez presented a PowerPoint to the Senate of what the current budget looks like. Suggests investing in a system to look at current and past years to know how to allocate money and create more accurate projections, and to lessen a failure of potential audits.

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Senator Beltran/Athena- Move to extend time by 5 minutes. No objections.

Dr. Contreras- Suggested to the campus on implementation of a new software package. Suggestion will be presented to the Board within the next month.

Senator Hakeem- 4% went to services, what does that entail? *ID Center, employment, maintenance.*

Senator Beltran- How is the administration funding spent? *Campaigning, awards banquet, ICC, Spring Festival, Homecoming.*

D) Psychology Club/Psi Beta | Action Item | (5 Minutes) (Adriel Olvera)

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action in sponsoring the Psychology Club for the 2015 Western Psychological Association (WPA) conference.

Vice President Nino makes amendment to the legislation, correction from year 2105 to 2015.

Has received necessary 20%.

Senator Sanchez/Castillo- Moves to approve SB 14-080. No objections

Quorum re-established at 26

E) Senate Officer Positions | Action Item | (7 minutes)

The Senate shall elect officers to fill current vacancies within Senate.

Vice President Nino to postpone 7F with no objections.

Vice President Nino requests to recess for 2 minutes.

Recalls meeting to order at 3:25pm.

Majority Leader: Senator Arana

Vice President Nino moves to table 8B, move 8A. No objections.

F) Senate Committees | Discussion/Informational/Action Item | (7 Minutes)

The Senate shall reestablish the senate committees and Chairpersons.

8. New Business | (17 Minutes)

A) General Assembly | Discussion/Action Item | (5 Minutes) | Joe Nino

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action to fund trip to the General Assembly in Ontario, California.

B) ASCC Awards Amendment | Discussion/Action Item | (5 Minutes) | Chief Justice Lopez

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action on amending Government Organization Code 2.94

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Senator Sanchez- Does not agree with the part of removing the requirements for Man of the Year, Woman of the Year. Agrees in recognition of the Student Government leaders.

Senator Sanchez/Castillo- Move to open discussion for 5 minutes. No objections.

Clerk Parga- On the legislation it's stated the government term on the certificate of recognition, would it include previous terms? *No, but the Senate can make amendments.*

Senator Gonzalez- Agrees in allowing to open Man and Woman of the year to all students.

Senator Athena/Gonzalez- Move to end discussion.

Senator Sanchez/- Moves to approve JL 14-004, but with the removal of requirements for Man and Woman of the Year (Whereas 2, 3, and Resolved 2). Senator Beltran objects. **Motion Fails. 5.12.0**

Motion to approve. **Motion Passes: 13.2.2**

C) Student Advocacy | Discussion Item | (7 Minutes) | (Kendra Barnes-Eyles)

The senate shall be informed of local student advocacy

Quorum remains at 18

-Do not advocate for yourself. Ensure individuals know who they are representing. Setup a meeting with a representative- Call the legislature office. Send appointment email 4 weeks in advance. Follow up with a phone call. Ensure to know the representative and how they have voted in the past.

9. Communication

Student Activities Report

Budget update: \$49,846.59/ Reminder of ASCC elections/Volunteers for commencement/Student Equity committee to discuss the remodeling of the ASCC building.

Quorum re-established at 26

Executive Report

Hydration Stations: Purchasing order is still in for Hydration Stations, hoping to have them implemented by the end of the year./Awards applications and banquet are May 8th/

Judicial Report

No court member present.

Student Trustee Report

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Student Trustee not present.

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

Faculty Senate Liaison not present.

Party Whip Report

Inform Senator Athena for any suggestions to have on the Rule Guide at the Student Center.

Delegate Report

General Assembly applications are out, applications are due ASAP. General Assembly is an Agenda Item.

Vice-Presidential Report

Was out sick last week, apologizes to Psych club for delaying the legislation.

Committee Report

Senate Report

Senator Serna- MUN Competitions, happy to announce 2 students were awarded at the competition.

Senator Arana- Eddie presented the Student Notation to Dr. Johnson who liked the legislation, and made a few amendments.

Senator Beltran- Creating a plaque.

Senator Sanchez- Shout out to the senators and commissioners present who received Academic Awards.

Senator Fierro- Encourages the Senate to attend the General Assembly for an amazing leadership experience.

Senator Guzman- Possibility of having a student representative for the compressed calendar committee.

Quorum remains at 25

10. Announcements

A) Next ASCC Cabinet Meeting | April 13 | 2PM | BK-111/112

B) Next ASCC Court Meeting | April 14 | 11AM | BK-111/112

C) Next ASCC Senate Meeting | April 15 | 2PM | BK-111/112

11. Adjournment

Lack of quorum. Adjournment at 4:04pm

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Wednesday | April 15, 2015
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1. Call to Order

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2. Flag Salute

Athena

3. Roll Call

Quorum established at 19

4. Approval of Minutes

Senator Sanchez- Correction: Called point of order to President Aiello. President Aiello signaling to one of the Senators to object to a motion.

Senator Athena/Fierro- Move to approve the Minutes with corrections. No objections.

5. Approval of Agenda

Senator Fierro/Gurley- Move to have Communications after Public Forum

Senator Sanchez- Would like to limit per speaker. *There is a 2 minute limit per speaker as posted on the Agenda.*

Senator Venegas- Was there a motion last week to have the board of Trustees meeting Agenda drafted for this meeting? *Yes, but for issues regarding a violation of Brown Act, it will come to the Senate*

Quorum Re-established at 20

Senator Sanchez/Athena- Move to approve the Agenda with amendments.

6. Public Forum

Vice President Nino recommends to have the public speak on Agendized items during Public Forum in order to have a faster Senate meeting, and to allow the Senators to make decisions in which they feel is best, rather than voting based off of public influence.

Senator Villalobos- What if the public hears information about an item that was not presented before, and they have a question, would they not be able to ask? *The public may still be addressed.*

Senator Athena- We are representatives of our constituents, we should be allowed to represent them, or allow them to ask questions.

Quorum re-established at 21

Senator Sanchez- Would like to agree with Vice President Nino, it would help run the Senate meeting more efficiently.

Senator Villalobos- Does not agree with Vice President, the public should be allowed to speak during agendized items.

Senator Villalobos/Venegas- Move to appeal the decision of the chair.

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Vice President Nino- Explains the point for this is to not allow for outside sources to influence the Senators' vote.

Senator Villalobos- Those who allow themselves to be swayed by outside sources are not qualified enough to be here. The Senators should not have the consequences to the actions of the President in last week's meeting.

Senator Sanchez- Feels like this is a great idea, because it will allow the Senators to do their job and connect with the students outside of Student Government, rather than the few that attend the Senate meetings.

Roll Call Vote: 4. 14. 3

Christian Hernandez- Speaking on behalf of Agenda Item 8D, and wishes to have it changed from a Discussion Item to Action Item.

Ruben (Math Club President)- Math Club is having a fundraiser in front of the library for Su Casa. Opportunity to buy books.

7. Old Business | (8 Minutes)

A) General Assembly | Discussion/Action Item | 5 Minutes | Joe Nino

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action to fund trip to the General Assembly in Ontario, California.

SB14-087

Open discussion for remaining 3 minutes. No objections.

Senator Khetani- 12 people for 1 day? *It's 2 nights. 10 students 2 advisors.*

Senator Villalobos- Is there a breakdown? *\$87 per person. 7 rooms booked. 1 per advisor, 2 people per room on the remaining 5 rooms. Travel expenses were over \$600. Registration was \$235/person.*

Pro-tempore Sanchez- Moves to open discussion for 3 minutes. No objections.

One of the students applied for a scholarship and it was granted, the Delegate and one advisor fee are waived.

Senator Arana/Athena-Move to approve SB14-087. No objections

Quorum re-established at 21

B) Senate Committees | Discussion/Informational/Action Item | 3 Minutes

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Quorum remains at 16

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Rules and Administration Chair- Senator Athena
Health and Safety Chair- Senator Beltran
Appropriations Chair- Senator Hakeem
Special Events and Activities Chair- Senator Sanchez

Senator Athena/Arana- Moves to have 8D before 8A because it is time sensitive. Senator Guzman objects- Commissioner Jimenez has class at 330.

Roll Call Vote: 0.17.2

Quorum remains at 18

Senator Fernandez/Sanchez- Moves to have 8D after 8A. No objections.

8. New Business | (51 Minutes)

A) 2015/2016 Budget Proposal | Action Item | 7 Minutes | Commissioner Jimenez

The Senate shall review the 2015/2016 Budget Proposal and take action for it to be effective July 1, 2015

Quorum remains at 17

Commissioner Jimenez presents to the Senate the projected income for the upcoming school year.

Senator Fierro/Sanchez- Move to extend time by 2 minutes. No objections.

Senator Sanchez/Fierro- Move to open discussion for 5 minutes. No objections.

Senator Fierro- This information will be emailed? *Yes.*

Senator Villalobos- Would like to see the breakdown of Student Hourly and Student Services Classified.

Senator Sanchez- Will the breakdown of who the staff are would be included? *Yes.* Recommendation to have a breakdown for Athletics and why their funding was cut. *Vice President Nino states the Athletics department would like a copy of this new breakdown as well.*

Senator Beltran- Are the Organizational Projects account under Special Projects? *It is under Student Activities.*

Vice President Nino requests to extend time by 3 minutes. No objections.

Senator Guzman- Will we be voting on this next week? *We need further information, and this item will still be on the Agenda for next week.*

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Dan Smith- Athletes are 10% of full time students. The athletes have won 3 state championships in just the last semester.

Vice President Nino suggests moving to other items.

Quorum remains at 16

B) Id Center Software | Action | 10 Minutes | Dr. Contreras

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action to update and upgrade the ID Center Software.

C) Transfer of Funds | Action Item | Dr. Contreras | 7 Minutes

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action to transfer funds to the Special Projects Account.

D) Military Ball | Discussion | 7 Minutes | Christian Hernandez

The Senate shall be informed and have discussion regarding funding the Military Ball

Vice President nino moves to have discussion for the remaining 2 minutes. No objections.

Senator Serna- The tablecloths requested, are they reused every year, or buy a new one? *They are rented from Culinary Arts, and the expenses also come from dry cleaning afterward.*

Senator Khetani- How would Veterans who are not involved in the VRC know about the military ball? *There is an email sent out to all registered student veterans.*

Senator Fierro- Have they fundraised enough to request for funding? *Yes, they have raised well over the required amount.*

Senator Arana/Ubbu-Moves to approve SB14-086. No objections.

Vice President Nino- Requests to postpone the remainder of the Agenda to next week under Old Business.

E) Cerritos Community Garden | Discussion | Wilfrido Hernandez | 10 Minutes

The Senate shall discuss the funding of the Cerritos Community Garden

F) Office Construction | Action | 10 Minutes | Dr. Contreras

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action to allocate money for the construction of the Student Activities Office

9. Communication | 2 Minutes Per Report |

Student Activities Report

Congratulations for the elections./Budget update is \$48,454.59./AJ- Memory book for Dr. Lacy. Deadline is April 24th asccadvisoraj@gmail.com /Daniel-Congratulations again, to

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those elected.

Executive Report

April 25, 2015 at 6:30 pm picture day out on football field, individual photos and group photos. Is mandatory. Congratulations to new elected officers. Spirit Day tomorrow at 11am./Earth Day next Wednesday.

Judicial Report

No representative- no report

Student Trustee Report

Presidential Search- 2 candidates: Fierro and Suarez. Board of Trustees visited campuses of candidates./ Student Equity committee meeting next week./Cabinet presentation for Safe Space Guidelines/Budget committee has been meeting every Friday./Important Board meeting tonight regarding counseling./Student feedback about the hiring committee./ Luis Guzman will be giving a brief report about the proposed 16 week schedule./Congratulations to the student officer elects.

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

Follett Co. presented to Faculty Senate regarding a new website which will show students the resources and materials necessary for courses. Faculty had questions on how it would affect them./ ACJCC report/Safety Committee meeting in LC162.

Party Whip Report

District is paying for leadership classes this Summer/Discussed rules for Student Center/ Discussed Board meeting/Cabinet rules and regulations/ Update for iFalcon workshop/Looking for names for Initial Campaign transportation.

Delegate Report

Packet for those attending the GA.

Vice-Presidential Report

There is a lot of information in the packets, which will be reviewed before the General Assembly. Purpose of having Kendra present last week was to provide the Senate with useful information, but unfortunately ran out of time.

Committee Report

Senate Report

Senator Sanchez- Recommends having the Student Activities report emailed instead of printing them out./Still looking for people to volunteer for Senior Preview Day.

Senator Fierro- Congratulations to everyone who was brave enough to want to take the initiative /Felt like the process to review the application was really rushed and felt it was disrespectful to those who submitted an application.

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Senator Villalobos- Would like to have a meeting with those who want to provide input for the Joint Board meeting.

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- B) Next ASCC Court Meeting** | April 21 | 11AM | BK-111/112
- C) Next ASCC Senate Meeting** | April 22 | 2PM | BK-111/112

11. Adjournment

Vice President Nino adjourns the meeting at 3:45PM

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Friday | April 24, 2015
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1. Call to Order

2:13 PM

2. Flag Salute

Senator Serna

3. Roll Call

Quorum Established at 18

4. Public Forum

Associate Justice Trent- Speaks as a student athlete, and how the Athletics department should not be cut because their equipment and necessities are expensive.

President Aiello- Thanks all the Senators thank you for being present on a Friday to discuss something important like the budget for the upcoming academic school year.

Andrew Prieto- Track and Field Captain, speaks about how the team fundraise because there is not sufficient funds to support for what they need to compete.

Gustavo Lopez- Requests the Senate to clearly look at the budget and not look at it at face value.

Ruben- Budget meetings were Fridays from 1-5 and sometimes 1-7. Committee discussed over controversial items.

Janet Parga- Raises concerns about paying an ASCC employee 50% of salary, but the salary amount in the human resources page, based by pay grade, and the medical compensation, it does not equate to the large amount of being requested. Also addressing to the statement made by President Aiello and the comparison to President Obama. If the President and Vice President were to be paid, Chief Justice, the court, the Cabinet, and Senate should all be compensated because they all work just as hard.

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5. Old Business | (45 Minutes)

A) 2015/2016 Budget Proposal | Action Item | 45 Minutes | Commissioner Jimenez

The Senate shall review the 2015/2016 Budget Proposal and take action for it to be effective July 1, 2015

Dr. Contreras- There is a projection for increase in ASCC revenue. Thanks the Senators for being present on a Friday afternoon and for wanting there to be transparency for the budget for next year. Also thanks Commissioner Jimenez for looking over the budget once more after receiving the news from the new incoming revenue.

Commissioner Jimenez- Would like to have the presentation going page by page so it flows easily.

Senator Sanchez- Would the Senate approve section by section, or to approve as a whole? *It would be approved together.* Recommends beginning with Special Operations. *Suggested to remain in order so there is no going back and forth.*

-----ADMINISTRATION-----

Student Trustee Flores- To make a clarification that the \$106,000 was distributed yesterday, out of nowhere, by an unknown someone.

Commissioner Jimenez- Removal of election clerks. Cut of Leadership Conference by \$10,000, to find a closer location

Senator Sanchez- What supplies were cut? *There is no specific supplies that were cut. The budget was cut as a whole and it will be administered.*

Elected President De La Rosa- Would it not be cheaper to buy in bulk? *It would cut costs and easier to micromanage.*

Chief Justice Lopez- Where are the quotes from, because the ones taken from UC Irvine were cheaper? Was it reviewed in the bylaws because the clerks are stated on the student government manual? *The bylaws can be amended, if this is the option chosen. Everything is at the discretion of the Senate.*

Senator Sanchez- Did the budget committee consider how the votes would not be altered? Even though he agrees with having electronic voting, it must be something changed in within the bylaws. Recommendation would be to approve both and have next year's administration remove the less beneficial option.

Senator Athena- *The alternative for Electronic Elections is under Special Services. There will be training for the staff and faculty.*

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Elected President De La Rosa- Would the IT services be included in this? Due to their workload, was IT informed of these changes? *NASFA is a national conference focused for students.*

Associate Justice Trent- Catching people online violating the rules would make it difficult for the Court to set regulations. It would also take away from face to face interaction. *Serna- At LBCC, where this system is used, each student is assigned a student pin, and a valid pin is necessary in order to access.*

Senator Villalobos- Would like to agree with associate justice. Suggests moving on to another item.

Discussion about a loss of Senator. New quorum established at 17 Quorum remains at 17

Senator Sanchez- Would like to agree with Senator Villalobos. The electronic voting would take away from student to student interaction.

Commissioner Hickman- Would also like to agree with Senator Villalobos and Senator Sanchez.

Elected President De La Rosa- If this was approved, when would it be implemented? *If approved now, it would go into effect in the Summer. Training is necessary for the staff.*

Senator Gonzalez- Does not feel like the electronic voting will take away from student to student interaction, and it will not take any jobs away from the Court.

Senator Sanchez- Would there be a way to change the Judicial Code now? *C.J Lopez- As long as the Senate can approve it before the end of the academic school year. Can there be a legislation written to change the bylaws? The court can meet with a Senator to draft a legislation.*

Senator Arana- Is there a process that will be implemented to choose the top 3 floats because the committee removed a lot of funding for Homecoming? *It was not discussed, because it was left to the Senate to discuss how to choose those winning floats. Senator Serna- An idea brought up about tailgating in order to bring up revenue.*

Elected President De La Rosa- The bylaws state the students are allowed for a summer session, was that taken into consideration? *Summer programs are not supposed to fall under ASCC accounts, that is meant for administrative funding.*

Senator Villalobos- Would like to agree with the cut of homecoming funds. Would like an explanation for Pre-Game reception.

Senator Sanchez- Homecoming is about the club experience, and bringing club members together. It is not about burning money, it is paying for an experience of

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bringing clubs and their members together. Does not agree with funding pre-game reception, because as mentioned,

President Aiello calls for a Point of Inquiry.

Vice President Nino calls for a Point of Order on President Aiello for speaking out of queue.

Senator Athena- Agrees with Senator Sanchez, but feels like there should be less floats in order for the members to bond together and with other clubs. *The idea behind it was to give more of a competitive aspect, where the clubs compete.*

Senator Villalobos recommends to move along.

Senator Venegas- We need to look at the bigger picture, and it as a whole. Take into consideration how many students are actually involved in clubs.

Elected President De La Rosa- It is up to the Senate to set parameters for these costs.

Dr. Contreras- Keep in mind that the additional time.

Senator Villalobos- Recommends to keep current section as is.

Senator Athena- Amends the recommendation to approve the the electronic elections and elections clerks.

Dr. Johnson- Suggests voting per section.

Senator Athena- Recommends voting per line item.

Senator Sanchez- Agrees with Senator Athena. If there are any questions or concerns, the committee members can elaborate on that line item.

Senator Ubbu- Can the Senate vote multiple lines at once? *Yes*

Dr. Contreras- Recommends to vote as consent items and pull out items that need to be discussed.

Senator Venegas/Olivera- Move to extend time by 30 minutes. No objections.

Senator Sanchez/Athena- Would like to pull ASCC President/VP expense, Elections Clerk, and Electronic Elections. Villalobos objects, feels like the Senate should vote on either Elections Clerk or Electronic Elections.

Senator Sanchez- It is not denying the items. It is just pulling the item out for further discussion.

Senator Villalobos retracts his objection.

-----Special Operations Account-----

Senator Villalobos- Does not suggest to approve Capital Outlay until there is an itemized list. Who are the “we” that agreed to pay for a 50%, because no one in Senate has agreed this item, feels that it was more of an administrative decision. Requests more

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information on the OSCG salaries. *More computers for the students in ASCC for students that need to print or send something. The 50% was an administrative decision, the amount the ASCC is paying is not all salary based, it is for the pay, the benefits, and new implementations from the Obama Care.*

Senator Sanchez- Regarding the 50%, and looking into the Board Book from November where it was not specified that this employee would be getting paid from ASCC account, like some of the other hires. Feels like it would not make the student government look bad, it would make us look good for catching items like these.

Ruben- Recommends pulling out these items and discussing them on Wednesday when there are more Senators present.

Senator Serna- Agrees with the Senators, why should the students be paying for a district employee?

Student Trustee Flores- Does not agree with the mascot funding, because it should also be something on a volunteer basis.

Senator Athena- Pull items: ASCC construction, 50% salary, and OSCG salary.

Senator Sanchez- Pull items: Presidential and Vice Presidential Stipends.

Senator Venegas- Pull item: Mascot salary

Senator Sanchez- Pull item: Student Center hourly. Is that for Student Center security? *Dr. Contreras- No, that's to create jobs for students in the Student Center.*

Vice President Nino requests a recess for 5 minutes. No objections.

Senate reconvenes at 3:54PM

Senator Athena- Recommends going over everything in the budget, pulling as it goes, and discuss them afterward.

Senator Sanchez- Objects to the recommendation because Commissioner Jimenez is explaining the items as they go along.

Senator Sanchez/Fierro- Moves to extend discussion for an hour. No objections.

Commissioner Hickman- Would Spirit Day come out of Student Initiative account? *There is no specific account, it would come out of ASCC Branding and Outreach or Student Engagement Fund.*

Senator Sanchez- Is there a set contract for the transportation, because last year money was allocated, it was not used, and this year it has been moving in multiple accounts. *It is in the works, there is negotiations for contracts about that.* Suggests that if this initiative were to start, it should not be limited to just full time students. *Those are questions and concerns about that being discussed with the committee as well.*

Senator Gonzalez- Recommends pull item: Transportation Services.

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Commissioner Jimenez suggests an increase for ASCC Senate Fund (previously known as Special Projects) from \$50,000 to \$75,000.

Student Trustee Flores- Does not agree with increasing the account amount, because it will encourage students to come request for more unnecessary funding.

Senator Sanchez- Is there specific location where Student Relations is under? Shirley requested funding for iPads for high school visits. *Student Relations pay is under the district and any funding for Student Relations is also provided by the district.*

Dr. Contreras- Suggests going back to discuss the salary pay for the Game Room employee.

Senator Sanchez- Calls for a point of order on Dr. Contreras, the salary was already a pulled item. In order to keep the meeting running, there will be discussion later.

Senator Gonzalez- Have the Organizational Programs been approved? *No. They are just being presented, it is up to the Senate whether or not to approve.*

Senator Sanchez- For Math Club, does not feel like there needs to be funding for the club for Club Info Day because other clubs go out and buy things out of their fundraised money. Does not agree with the Math Club Banquet because other clubs have banquets, and again, they do not come to Senate for funding. *Those questions came up during the discussion.*

Commissioner Hickman- If the club can raise 20%, then it would only be fair to fund them.

6. Communication | 2 Minutes Per Report

Student Activities Report
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7. Announcements

- A) Next ASCC Cabinet Meeting** | April 27 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- B) Next ASCC Court Meeting** | April 28 | 11AM | BK-111/112
- C) Next ASCC Senate Meeting** | April 29 | 2PM | BK-111/112

8. Adjournment

Due to lack of quorum, meeting adjourned at 4:25PM

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Special Meeting Agenda

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Wednesday | April 29, 2015
2:00 PM
BK-111/112

1. Call to Order

2:00 PM

2. Flag Salute

Senator Athena

3. Roll Call

Quorum Established at 23

4. Approval of Minutes

Quorum re-established at 22

Quorum re-established at 25

Corrections to the Minutes made prior to the meeting. Highlighted items are corrections to the Minutes.

Senator Sanchez/Athena- Move to approve with amendments. No objections. **23.0.0**

5. Approval of Agenda

Senator Athena/Oyarzabal- Move item 7A after 8C.

Quorum re-established at 26

Quorum remains at 25

Vice President Nino requests a strike out of items 7C, 7E from the Agenda.

Senator Sanchez/Holan- Move to have 8C before Old business. No objections.

Senator Oyarzabal/Serna- Move to have Communications after Public Forum.

Senator Arana/Athena-Move to approve Agenda with amendments.

Quorum re-established at 26

Senator Khetani- Would there have to be an approval for the budget today? *As stated in the bylaws, the Budget must be proposed the second to the last Senate Meeting.*

Senator Guzman- Can 8B be combined with the budget proposal? *No, it is a separate request.*

Quorum re-established at 27

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6. Public Forum

Rich Cameron- Appreciates the Support from the ASCC. Has an understanding that the proposal assumes that there will be saving of money by limiting the amount of copies. The way to cut costs would be to limit the number of issues to cut advertising expense. If the numbers of copies are cut, it would only save \$50 per issue.

Jerry Ramos- 15 students qualified to go to PBL Nationals in Chicago. The funding of about \$24,000 would be for the 15 students and 2 advisors.

7. Old Business | (44 Minutes)

A) 2015/2016 Budget Proposal | Action Item | 7 Minutes | Commissioner Jimenez

The Senate shall review the 2015/2016 Budget Proposal and take action for it to be effective July 1, 2015

Quorum remains at 20

Senator Athena/-Moves to open discussion so Senator Sanchez can make a presentation.

Quorum re-established at 21

Senator Sanchez- Presents that there would be no financial effect with the approval from the Board of Trustees in their November meeting, when speaking of the Administrative Secretary II position.

Quorum remains at 20

Senator Sanchez- In the minutes, it was stated the pay to come out of General Fund. The requisition might have gone in for 50% funding, but the Minutes

B) Cerritos Community Garden | Discussion | Wilfrido Hernandez | 10 Minutes

The Senate shall discuss the funding of the Cerritos Community Garden

Quorum remains at 27

Quorum remains at 26

Quorum re-established at 27

Senator Villalobos- Requests the presenters to zoom in to the PowerPoint.

Quorum re-established at 28

Amount being requested is \$693.

Senator Fierro- Has the club fundraised? *No. The club was just started this semester. Vice President Nino- Clubs that do not have a 600 account only need to raise 10%.*

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Senator Sanchez- When sitting with Facilities and Planning, there were plans for a garden. *This garden is already getting started, and Facilities and Planning do not have blueprints for their garden plan.*

Quorum re-established at 30

Senator Villalobos- Previously working the Wilderness Club, they wanted to start a garden, but was unable to plant because the school used reused water, which is why they were given an area next to the Student Health Services.

Senator Gonzalez- Have you been working with other clubs? Have you been working with other Administration? *Working with the Art Department, who wants sculptures in the area by the aquatic center. Yes, has been collaborating with Faculty.*

Senator Chavez- How would this benefit the students of Cerritos College? *This is a pilot test to demonstrate what the club can do. Eventually, wishes to feed the students with fresh produce. Aside from that, will the food be sold in places like the bookstore. The plan was to sell them to culinary departments to reduce costs.*

Quorum remains at 29

Senator Fierro/Gonzalez- Move to extend time by 2 minutes.

Senator Fierro- Shouldn't the club have funded their required 10%.

Senator Athena- Can the Senate fund the club if they have not raised the required 10%? *No.*

Senator Sanchez- Suggests the club go to speak to Facilities, Dr. El Fattal or David Moore, for a better implementation.

Senator Beltran volunteers to draft Legislation for next week.

C) Office Construction | Action | 10 Minutes | Dr. Contreras

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action to allocate money for the construction of the Student Activities Office

D) Id Center Software | Action | 10 Minutes | Dr. Contreras

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action to update and upgrade the ID Center Software.

Quorum remains at 28

Quorum remains at 27

Quorum re-established at 28

The software is given an 8 year life.

Quorum remains at 27

Senator Athena- May the remaining time be given to discussion? *Yes.*

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Vice President Nino moves to allocate the remaining time for a discussion. No objections.

Senator Athena- Not many students carry their IDs with them, Would students pick up their ID during this time? Because the times are so restricted, would there be a more efficient system or an extended hours for those students? *The hours of operation are tied to the staff of the area. There can be an adjustment based on the demand.*

Senator Serna- IDs were made for the district and staff to identify the student. It is district funded, not meant for students. Feels like the district should fund for this.

Quorum remains at 26

Senator Sanchez- Feels like this item should be allocated or added to the ASCC budget for the upcoming semester. *It would be implemented before next year because there needs to be training for the staff.*

Senator Khetani- Is there a sample of what the ID would look like? *There are 3 samples being produced. Would there be access to view these samples before approval? If approved today, it can be presented next week.*

Senator Beltran- Feels like there should be more advertisement of the hours for the ID Center.

Senator Guzman- Would there be an increased price for the IDs? *It would be the same cost.*

Senator Athena- Suggests to the Senate not to approve because the system is broken. Not many students have their ID, it would be pointless to allocate money to something that not many students use.

Student Trustee Flores- Feels like this would be very beneficial to the students.

Senator Sanchez/Athena- Move to extend time by 5 minutes. No objections.

26.0.0

Senator Sanchez- Would there be other vendors, to lower the cost or requested funding. *This company owns 85% of the shares.*

President Aiello- Encourages the Senate to pass this. If the system is broken, as claimed, the Senate should look at the statistical evidence.

Commissioner Jimenez- This system would allow to keep better track of the events or activities the students participating in.

Senator Sanchez- Recommends looking in to other local services with lower costs.

Senator Chavez- Has had multiple people tell her and her friends that they don't have their IDs. Would like to encourage incoming freshman to get their IDs.

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Vice President Nino- Would like to extend time.

Senator Fierro/-Move to extend time by 2 minutes.

Senator Beltran/Sanchez- Amend to limit time 1.5 minutes per speaker.

Quorum remains at 25

Senator Beltran- Is the \$23,000 going just for the printer or including the software? *The cost would be for start up.*

Senator Ubbu- Why won't the district fund this? *This is a student led area, it would make sense to have the students fund.*

Senator Tommy- Is this budget used for the ID costs? *Not too sure. No one here has been here long enough to see costs of IDs.* What are the benefits of this new software? *It would be easier to scan the ID cards instead of going through the marking of the IDs.*

Senator Venegas/Gonzalez- Move to end discussion. No objections. 25.0.0

Senator Gonzalez/Fernandez-Move to approve this Agenda item.

Quorum re-established at 26

Quorum remains at 25

Senator Holan- Are the numbers an estimate or solidified? *The numbers presented are solidified.*

Roll Call Vote: 12.10.3

Quorum remains at 24

E) Food Court | Discussion/Action Item | Dr. Contreras | 7 Minutes

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action towards food court options.

8. New Business | (24 Minutes)

A) Transfer of Funds | Action | 7 Minutes | Dan Claus

The Senate shall consider transferring funds into the Athletics playoffs account

This is just to let the Senate know the funds are being transferred in order to be transparent to the Senate.

Senator Sanchez/Gonzalez- Move to approve.

Vice President Nino moves to have time for discussion. No objections.

Senator Athena- How much funds are being transferred?

Senator Serna- Where is the money being transferred from? *There is a list of 17 sports, it would be multiple accounts.*

Senator Villalobos/Herrera- Move to end discussion. No objections.

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Approval for transfer, No objections. 24.0.0

B) Funding for Athletics | Discussion | 7 Minutes | Dan Claus

The Senate shall consider funding Athletics

Senator Sanchez- Speaks in support of funding the Athletics department

Quorum remains at 23

Quorum remains at 22

Senator Athena-

Senator Villalobos-

Senator Sanchez/Gonzalez-Moves to approve with an Executive Order following.

Quorum remains at 21

Vice President Nino clarifies if the motion passes, then there would be a stance of support for an Executive Order. **No objection. Motion Passes 21.0.0**

C) PBL National Conference Funding | Discussion | 10 Minutes | Cesar Hernandez

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action in funding Phi Beta Lambda in the amount of \$24,000.00 to attend the National PBL Conference

Amount presented: \$22,076 requested to be funded.

PBL presented looking for other sources of funding such as the Office of Academic Affairs and the Foundations Office.

Senator Fierro/Gonzalez- Move to extend time by 1 minute. No objections.

28.0.0

Senator Khetani/Athena-Move to have 5 minute discussion. No objections.

28.0.0

Senator Khetani- On the first slide, what is the number of 7 for? *The number of days for the conference. It is multiplied by the number of meals and number of people attending the conference.*

Senator Villalobos- Requests account balance for Special Projects. *Current balance, as presented \$43,742.50. Commissioner Jimenez- The balance has not been reconciled. Dr. Contreras- There might be a little bit more money.*

Senator Gonzalez- Where are the expenses for hotel reservations? Or, would it be requested later? *Registration includes room stay. California Phi Beta Lambda partially pays for room stays.*

Senator Oyarzabal- When is the Conference? *June 23-27. Leaving June 22nd.* Is this conflicting the bylaws for Summer funding? *No, because if the funding comes through before the end of the semester, then there will be no need for a signing of requisitions during the Summer.* Speaks in support of funding PBL.

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Commissioner Jimenez- Reminds the senators that there will be a precedence of funding for Summer events.

Dr. Contreras- Is PBL tied to a class? *No*. Just because there are no co-curricular activities during the Summer should not prevent the Senate from funding such events.

9. Communication | 2 Minutes Per Report |

Student Activities Report

\$43,742.50 balance in Special Projects account.

Executive Report

Hydration Stations should be implemented this semester, there might be some formal ribbon cutting. Reminder that there is a joint meeting with the Board of Trustees.

Judicial Report

No representative present

Student Trustee Report

~~*Student Trustee not present.*~~

Shows the Senate how to access the Board meetings online./Math Club contest on Friday./May 1st for May Day protest.

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

Liaison not present

Party Whip Report

Spoke about the joint meeting./Photoshoot next Wednesday/Dr. Lacy memory book: email to asccadvisorAJ@gmail.com

Delegate Report

GA is this upcoming weekend.

Vice-Presidential Report

Thanks all the Senators for the entire year, or semester, or however long the time served to the Senate.

Committee Report

Senator Sanchez- To special events and Activities: text availability to meet.

Senate Report

Senator Sedano- MUN is officially inviting the students at large to the End of the Semester Simulation on May 5th.

Senator Castillo/Olivera-Move to have a Special Meeting before the last Senate meeting.

Senator Venegas/Athena- To have special on Tuesday at 2PM

Commissioner Jimenez suggests Tuesday at 3PM

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No Objections. **27.0.0**

Quorum re-established at 28

Senator Serna- Wishes to have the tables back. Requests to have the office opened during ASCC events or activities. Reminds the Senate not to be influenced by other people, look at the information in front of you before making a decision.

Senator Oyarzabal- Reminder that "Hair" is opening up this weekend. Would leave Board/Student Leader Joint Meeting early for show rehearsal where Senator Athena will take his seat on the board.

10. Announcements

A) Next ASCC Cabinet Meeting | May 4 | 2PM | BK-111/112

B) Next ASCC Court Meeting | May 5 | 11AM | BK-111/112

C) Next ASCC Senate Meeting | May 6 | 2PM | BK-111/112

Vice President Nino: Special Senate Meeting May 5th at 3PM

Senator Sanchez- Rummage sale for PBL, if anyone has anything to donate, contact Senator Sanchez or Senator Holan.

Senator Sanchez- Congratulations to all the Senators who made it into UCLA

11. Adjournment

Vice President Nino adjourns at 3:54PM

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Wednesday | October 1, 2014

2:00 PM

BK-111/112

1. Call to Order

Vice President, Charles Caguioa, called the meeting to order at 2:04 P.M.

2. Flag Salute

Led by Senator Ubbu

3. Roll Call

Senator Sanchez, Senator Nino, Senator Blanshard, Senator Beltran, Senator Ugbah, Senator McIver, Senator Lee, Senator Khetani, Senator Diaz, Senator Oyarzabal, Senator Subrai, Senator Castillo, Senator Ollivera, Senator Zepeda, Senator Green, Senator Venegas, Senator Vuong, Senator Jimenez, Senator Vidal, Senator Leyva, Senator Ubbi, Senator Arcilla, Senator Florendo, Senator Arana, Senator Athena

Quorum Established 23

4. Approval of Minutes

Minutes have not been posted, thus Charles postponed the minutes of approval to next meeting.

No objections

5. Approval of Agenda

Motion on the floor: Senator Athena move to add the 9C Bio Chem Club Presentation, Seconded by Senator Olivera. (Present their presentation today) No objections **Quorum Reestablished 24**

Motion on the floor: Senator Sanchez: to approve agenda with amendments, seconded by Senator Athena. No objections. Agenda is now approved with amendments.

6. Public Forum

Quorum Reestablished 25

Rob Flores (Student Rep in Two Shared Government Committees). He talked about the SLO Committee and how each of the departments are trying to write all the descriptions of majors, courses, prerequisites, and the expectations. He also represents the enrollment management committee, discussing the importance of resisting getting W courses, and getting into academic probation, it is very crucial to get the classes we all need. He reminded us that it is very important to stay on task.

7. Communication | (15 Minutes)

Advisor' Report

Dean of student services:

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- *Court meeting: Talked about how to keep ASCC alive year round. He mentioned that during the summer the President, Vice President, and the Trustee are the only one's active as the student body's representative. Going to be looking at bi laws and constitutions to see if ASCC can be kept alive year round.*
- *Budget Process: Really imperative to establish and finalize our mission and core values, along with everything that we fund. These requests should be approved of value, and what's important, making Cerritos College a better place for students. Establish our priorities.*
- *Save the dates: Leadership Retreat, working hard to finalize the details. Held somewhere San Diego (January 7th, 8th, 9th)*

Executive Report

President Miles:

- *Go Green meeting is held next week and applications (task course) are already out.*
- *Presidential Meeting is going to be held in October 6 and students will be able to attend to see the committee and what it's all about*
- *2 action items for cabinet next week and will be voted on without any discussions – Mission Core Value Vision and Fall Awards banquet*
- *Announced that Faculty Senate has a new representative (Senator Venegas)*
- *Faculty Senate is launching a task force to look at what classes to start adding back in Cerritos College.*

Judicial Report

No report.

Student Trustee Report

Mr. Flores:

- *Budgeting Process: Democratic decision making – present ideas about how the money will be spent.*
- *November 4th is when the elections are – be ready to vote!*
- *Board meeting tonight, October 1, 6:30 P.M.*

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

Senator Venegas

- *Talked about a discussion on student development*
- *Presentation about “Open Education Resources” (a way to lower text books cost)*

Party Whip Report

Senator Athena

- *On Monday they discussed the pros and cons of the cancellation of the Fall Banquet (voting next Monday)*
- *Voted on their monthly event for October to dedicate people in getting involved in the Zombie Fest and encouraging people to participate in it.*
- *Discussed about recommendations for mission statements which will be voted on next Monday*

Committee Report

No report.

Senate Report

No report.

8. Old Business | (20 Minutes)

A) SB 14-001: Clerk of the Senate | (5 Minutes) (Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall consider approving the Clerk of the Senate.

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Senator Sanchez approves, seconded by Senator Athena. No objections on the floor.

B) Senate Standing Committees | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed and appointed to their standing committees.

Charles assigned the Senators to their standing committees and explained what each of them were (Rules and Administration, Health and Safety, Appropriations, and Social Events and Activity)

C) Agenda Item Request Form | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed of the process to request an item in the agenda.

Charles passed on the forms to request something to put into the agenda, and it's due every Thursday at 3 P.M. He also mentioned that just because they've written a request form, there's no guarantee that it'll be added to the agenda.

D) ASCC Mission/Vision/Core Values | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the recommend Mission Statement, Vision and Core Values of the ASCC.

Charles explained more in details about Mission/Vision/Core Values of ASCC and showed a powerpoint on it. There was a motion for discussion: Senator Oyarzabal for open discussion (2 minutes) Seconded by Senator Athena. Senator Jimenez recommended that they need to be more specific and be more detailed about social, economic, environmental justice. Senator Oyarzabal also stated to try to make cohesive efforts towards campus commission statement. Another motion on the floor: Senator Oyarzabal (add 1 minute for discussion) seconded by Senator Leyva. There was also a discussion by Senator Nino, about the focus of academics (academics excellence to mission)

9. New Business (40 Minutes)

A) Transfer Celebration, University Fairs and Transfer Conference | (5 Minutes)
(Marveline Barcelo/Brittany Lundeen)

The Senate shall further have further discussion in regards to the various events from the Transfer Center.

The transfer counsellors talked about how the majority of the money will be going to the transfer celebration, and discussing about how and where the funding will go.

- Charles limited the discussions to 2 minutes: No objections
- Motion on the floor made by Senator Nino, Seconded by Senator Sanchez, to extend discussions to 1 minute per speaker, until there are no discussions.
- This will be a part of the agenda next week.

B) Caltech Pasadena Skeptics Society Talk
(Active Minds/Psi Beta (Psychology Club)/STEM Club)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss an event Active Minds, Psi Beta and STEM shall attend.

Quorum Reestablished 19

The Active Minds and Stem Club presidents explained what their club and this Caltech Pasadena Skeptics Society Talk is. They also mentioned that they're speaking on behalf of the Psychology Club. The presidents explained that the Skeptics society talk is like a live TED talk. It's a scientific organization that speaks and engages skeptical

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professionals. They mentioned that it benefits Cerritos College as a whole because it exposes students to various things and other clubs on campus. It was also mentioned that they need funding from ASCC.

- There was a motion on the floor by Senator Athena, Seconded by Senator Nino, to have an open discussion for 3 minutes.
- This will also be in the agenda in the next meeting.

C) Bio/Chem Club Presentation

Quorum Reestablished 18

- The representative of this club asked for a reimbursement.
- A field trip to UC Davis next weekend from October 11 and 12.
- No fundraiser yet (didn't have enough time)

The representative of this club basically talked about what will be happening at UC Davis in their field trip, and what the benefits are. He also mentioned that those who are going will be provided with hotel, and 6 meals a day. He mentioned that there'll also be other universities such as UCLA, UC San Diego, Harvard, and etc. that will be going there too.

- There was a motion on the floor by Senator Nino, Seconded by Senator Athena

10. Announcements

A) Homecoming Elections | October 1 – 2 | 9AM – 2PM and 5PM – 8PM | Falcon Square, Social Science Patio, and Health Sciences

B) Cabinet Meeting | October 6 | 2PM | BK-111/112

C) Court Meeting | October 7 | 11AM | BK-111/112

D) Next Meeting | October 8 | 2PM | BK-111/112

Additional Announcements:

- Senator Sanchez announced that they have a QSA Meeting from next week from 11 to 12:30.
- Senator Nino announced that there are positions available for Region Aid to represent about 3000,000 students. The elections are on October 10th.
- Charles announced to be here on time so we'd end on time, and so that the meeting would run more efficiently.
- Senator Arcilla announced for everyone to come out to Stem Club meeting tomorrow from 11 to 12pm at BE 109. They have a meeting every Thursday.
- Senator Arana announced that the can drive has already begun for the zombie fest. Note: check expiration date of cans!

11. Adjournment

Charles adjourned the meeting at 3:19.

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Wednesday | October 29 2014

2:00 PM

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1. Call to Order – 2:02 P.M.

2. Flag Salute – Led by Senator Sanchez

3. Roll Call

Senator Sanchez, Senator Nino, Senator Blanshard, Senator Beltran, Senator Ugbah, Senator Lee, Senator Khetani, Senator Diaz, Senator Oyarzabal, Senator Subrai, Senator Castillo, Senator Olivera, Senator Green, Senator Venegas, Senator Aponte, Senator Vuong, Senator Jimenez, Senator Fierro, Senator Garcia, Senator Vidal, Senator Leyva, Senator Ubbu, Senator Arcilla, Senator Florendo, Senator Arana, Senator Hernandez, Senator Guzman, Senator Athena

Quorum Established 25

4. Approval of Minutes – Postpone approval of minutes until the next meeting (No objections)

5. Approval of Agenda – Moved by Senator Oyarzabal and seconded by Senator Fierro to move item 8C above 8A. (No objections)

- Charles: Change the wordings from item 9A, from Senate to Assistant. (No objections)

6. Public Forum

- Reminder: There's a change in the priority enrollments (2016) there will be no more Bogg Fee Waiver.

Quorum Reestablished 28

- Commissioner of student outreach: Financial aid, workshops (realized students didn't know about ASCC), so he's asking if anyone wants to join the committee. The meeting is this coming Monday in BK 111/112 at 1 P.M. This may also be put on your Fall Awards resume.

7. Communication | (15 Minutes)

Dean of Student Services Report – *Reminder about the budget (Budget Committees are coming soon). There'll be a future presentation coming to you (changing game room to diversity equity center). Reminded us about the Leadership Conference in San Diego; talks about diversity, communication and is much like a TED talk.*

Assistant Coordinator of Student Affairs Report

1. Awards/Scholarship applications are out
2. GA Applications are available now and is due 3:45 P.M. today (tomorrow's registration fee will be \$75.00)
3. Student emails are very important! (Profession Email) It's very easy to make, and can give you many benefits.
4. Working on TED Talks.

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Executive Report – No report

Judicial Report – No report

Student Trustee Report – Discussed with other colleges about how schools need more funding for students' education. There'll also be a Board meeting on Monday.

Faculty Senate Liaison Report –

Party Whip Report – On Monday, they appointed who will be a part of the Awards Committee (they're less bias). They talked about the Zombie Fest tomorrow at 11 A.M. and did some team building exercises.

Committee Report

- SPAC: Postponed Meeting
- HS: No report
- RA: Meeting on Monday the 3rd at BK 111/112 from 12:30 P.M. to 1:00 P.M. and will be going over the constitution.
- A: No report

Senate Report

- Senator Sanchez: Encourage you to get your EDU emails because it's really fast and really easy to do! If anyone's free tomorrow at 11 A.M. and 6 P.M., please help for the Zombie Fest Event (this will be on your record sheets for hours to put on your Fall Awards applications)
- Senator Oyarzabal: Elections are coming up (November 4th), set an example for who we believe. There have been 4 crimes in the past month and this is something that needs to be addressed. There are not enough lights on campus after 9 P.M. He strongly advises to think of propositions for this campus to be safer.
- Senator Venegas: Schedule for Summer 2014 is going to be implemented in 2015.

8. Old Business | (15 Minutes)

A) C4 Program | (5 Minutes)

(Phi Theta Kappa)

The Senate shall be take a stance on the C4 Program.

- Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Athena to approve SB 14-040

B) Safe Zone Student Training | (5 Minutes)

(Safe Zone Committee)

The Senate shall discuss on considering funding training students with Safe Zone.

- Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Subrai to have discussion for two minutes per speaker.

Quorum Reestablished 16

- Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Sanchez to suspend rules of the day (do not have to talk in parliamentary procedures) – No objections

Quorum Reestablished 14

- Approving legislation funding of \$2,500 – Motion Passes

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C) Fall Awards Banquet | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the possibility of cancelling the Fall Awards Banquet.

- Senator Oyarzabal: Discussion for 2 minutes for each speech (no objections)
 - o Senator Oyarzabal: Misuse of money to the awards. He's not sure how it's been budgeted but it's still a substantial amount of student money. He agrees with the Congresswoman; need more funding in our education.

Quorum Reestablished 27

- o Senator Sanchez: It's open to all students who turned in an application; therefore he encourages to keep the banquet.
- o Senator Nino: It's taking away the incentive students have in this school, and that wouldn't be good. It would be a wise choice to keep it and to support this awards banquet.
- o Senator Khetani: Last year there were a few scholarships going out, is that still going on?

Charles: Those scholarships are still going to keep going; those scholarships come from ICC thus these scholarships will still exist to just be awarded to you directly rather than having to go through the actual fall awards banquet process; awards are also given out from different types of avenues.

- o Senator Ubbu: If we do pass the banquet, can we change what's in it to make it less expensive?

Charles: We are looking into the budget coming into this year and part of that is looking into how much we really need to spend. Commissioner of Budget and Finance will be in the Budget Committees keeping track of this.

- o Senator Leyva: With all this process going on, is this banquet still getting funded?

Charles: Yes, it is.

- o Senator Arana: Encourage to keep it because we do, it's just done and we move on and look at the fall awards details instead and focus on that.

- o Senator Beltran: There aren't many people who know about this banquet, meaning there wouldn't be much people showing up. So why should we spend so much on something that people don't really know about?

- o Senator Guzman: Feels we should cancel it because it's not really open to the students. According to the bylaws, not everyone is a priority because not everyone is involved in the ASCC.

Quorum Reestablished 26

- o Senator Sanchez: If we approve to keep the banquet, then we can recommend how we should spend the budget.

Quorum Reestablished 24

- Motion on the floor: if there are no objections Charles would like to table the discussion to move on to 8B
 - o Objection: to proceed with discussion
 - o Senator Lee: If there's going to be a Spring Awards Banquet, we might as well have a Fall Awards Banquet for it to be consistent.

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Is the scholarship money included in the \$13,500?

Charles: No, it comes from different avenues.

- Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Garcia to call previous question (end discussion, straight to voting) – Discussion ends.
 - o Roll Call Vote:

Sanchez Aye

Venegas Aye

Nino Aye

Fierro Abstain

Blanshard Aye

Garcia Aye

Ugbah Aye

Vidal Abstain

Lee Aye

Leyva Nay

Khetani Aye

Ubbu Aye

Diaz Aye

Arcilla Abstain

Oyarzabal Nay

Florendo Aye

Subrai Nay

Arana Aye

Castillo Aye

Hernandez Nay

Olivera Aye

Guzman Nay

Green Aye

Sanchez Aye

16 Ayes | 5 Nays | 3 Abstentions

Quorum Reestablished 23

- Moved by Senator Oyarzabal and seconded by Senator Venegas on cancelling the Fall Awards Banquet.
 - o Roll Call Vote:

Sanchez Nay

Green Aye

Nino Nay

Venegas Aye

Blanshard Nay

Fierro Abstain

Ugbah Abstain

Garcia Nay

Lee Aye

Vidal Aye

Khetani Aye

Leyva Aye

Oyarzabal Aye

Ubbu Nay

Subrai Aye

Arcilla Nay

Castillo Nay

Florendo Nay

Olivera Abstain

Arana Nay

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Hernandez Abstain

Sanchez Aye

Guzman Aye

10 Ayes | 9 Nays | 4 Abstentions
Quorum Reestablished 19

9. New Business | (20 Minutes)

A) Appointment of the Senate | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)

The Senate shall consider approving members of the Senate.

I. SB 14-039: Assistant Commissioner of Student Center

- Approve to appoint SB 14-039
 - o Motion Passes: **13 Ayes | 0 Nays | 1 Abstention**

B) Awards Committee (5 minutes)

The senate shall nominate two representatives to be in awards committee

- Postpone for next week.

Quorum Reestablished 10

C) Zombie Fest (10 minutes)

The Senate shall be informed of the event happening on Halloween

- Bring friends, canned food (going to student health services; we have students that are homeless). Come out, bring all your friends and be a zombie!

10. Announcements

A) Zombie Fest | October 30 | 11AM | Falcon Square

B) Veterans Day Event | November 10 | 11AM | Burnight Steps

C) ASCC Awards Banquet Application Due | November 10 | Student Affairs Office

D) ASCC Cabinet Meeting | November 3 | 2PM | BK-111/112

E) ASCC Court Meeting | November 4 | 11AM | BK-111/112

F) Next ASCC Senate Meeting | November 5 | 2PM | BK-111/112

11. Adjournment

Charles adjourns this meeting at 3:32 P.M.

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Wednesday | November 12, 2014

2:00 PM

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1. Public Forum
2. Communication | (15 Minutes)

Advisor' Report

Dean of student services:

- 1) Thank you for everyone that supported Veteran's Day especially the staff
- 2) Please sign up for the Leadership conference it's going to be a great opportunity

Assistant Coordinator of Student Affairs

-Daniel Gomez

- 1) Application for Leadership Conference are available bring 50\$ cash by November 20th
- 2) General Assembly is coming up and Senator Aranna, Senator Guzman, and Senator Fierro

will be attending

- 3) Please get your Student Emails it makes your look professional

Executive Report

- *President Aiello*
- *1) Veteran's Day was a very emotional day which was one of the goals. Just to show how much we mattered Miles reiterated that after stating a "from November to December of 2013, there were 75 suicides than combat deaths" where a woman thanked him for stating that because her husband has committed suicide. He also Thanked everyone for their hair work*
- *2) wanted to update the senate on what the Sustainability Initiative was about because it was stricken from today's agenda*

Judicial Report

No report.

Student Trustee Report

Mr. Flores:

- 1) There is a Board Meeting Tonight
 - Students will be there to support Dr. Lacy
 - the ASCC budget will be presented and will move that up if there is a big crowd of

Student representatives

- 2) a shout out to Tommy Diaz
- 3) Apologizes for not attending the General Assembly this weekend because he will be in Washington DC for an open conference and talk about the campus can do for open source textbooks

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

- *Senator Venegas*
- *No Report*

Party Whip Report

Senator Athena

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- In Cabinet they discussed Zombie Fest and suggested way to improve for next year
- Cabinet voted to take a stance of Support Dr. Lacy's employment
- Told to think of ways our position can help the idea of Sustainability
- Told about the Student Initiative
- Discussed possible ideas for the game room that loses 60,000\$ a year and was told to research possible uses
 - o Diversity Center
 - o Mini Café → Starbucks Atmosphere
 - o Publicity center
 - o Silent Study

Delegate

-Senator Nino

- 1) General Assembly resolution packet please review and discuss
 - Student Leader Transcript where being a student leader will be noted on your transcript
 - 2Support Credit by exam where we might be able to test out of a certain class
 - Recycling cigarette waste where companies collect and pay to reuse this waste (26.01)
 - (27.05) Electronic Textbooks

Committee Report

-RA: Meetings are every Monday at 12:30 pm in the club room possible meeting multiple times per week

Senate Report

-Senator Sanchez: Thanks the Senator Hernandez and Garcia for their service. Describes how he supports the veterans and thanks everyone who showed up for Veteran's Day

-Senator Oyarzabal: Thank you for Veteran's. He will be meeting with Derek Reich to talk about a potential concert in Spring. He also would like to thank the police department for identifying the offender who took pictures in the restroom

3. Old Business |

A) SB 14-042: Appointment of the Commissioner of Night Time Activities | Action Item| (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)

The Senate shall consider approving the Commissioner of Night time Activities

→ Stricken From the Agenda

B) No Passport Required: Los Angeles | Information and Discussion Item | (5 Minutes) (International Students Association)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the possibility on funding a trip for the International Students Association

-Brenna is asking for funding for ISA, she says this is a big deal and they will need funding for 5 more students

-She explains that they will be going to LA to Olvera Street then Little Tokyo, and China Town

-They are asking for \$200. \$60 for the train \$50 for lunch and \$77 totaling to approximately \$189.50

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-DISCUSSION:

-Senator Sanchez: How many students are going?

→28 students total

-Senator Nino: If they are given \$500 dollars for 28 students how does \$200 only cover 5 students?

→Dr. Contreras: they were awarded \$5,400 and an additional \$ 4,500 to cover this trip and they need \$200 more

-Senator Zepeda: What is the trip for?

→the trip is for international students to introduce our culture to them

-Senator Khetani: Please reiterate Nino's question for a better answer

-Vice President Caguioa: Please someone from Special events and Activities write legislation

4. New Business

A) A Stance of Support for Dr. Lacy's Employment | Action Item | (5 Minutes) (President Aiello)

The Senate shall be informed, discuss and take a stance of support regarding Dr. Lacy's employment

-The Senator is shown a video from Talonmarks.

-President Aiello: 1) Dr. Lacy is already resigning in 4 months why are they starting this controversy?

Doing this isn't in the best interest of the students. 2) Its interesting that what started it was that the daughters Financial Aid because she didn't declare a major, Whose responsibility is to to declare a major, its up to the student to seek out resources and answers. 3) The woman in the video also states that classes are not available but Dr. Lacy is working with what she has, she is for student success and to say "shame on her" is not right because she is advocating for the students, its unethical and irrelevant

-DISCUSSION:

-Senator Sanchez: the whole video is pointing fingers but its what the student didn't do on her own that has caused the Financial Aid problem. Dr. Lacy is always taking the time for students and support them and is still pushing

-Senator Nino: We are adults, when there is a problem I don't send my parents. When I was placed in a class I didn't think I needed to take I went out of my way to get my transcripts and get placed in a higher math class. There are different ways to find out how to succeed. I disagree with how big of a scene she is making. When we were talking in Senate about adding higher classes because 30% of the courses are remedial courses, I shared my story with Dr. Lacy and she gave me her email and helped my out in getting my classes I needed. She went out of her way.

-Daniel Florez: 1) College is big for 1st year students it takes time to get use to it. 2) This has no effecto on what happens to us. 3) Most people don't know who Dr.Lacy is. 4) Please state what is meant my "Stance of support " to represent the Transparency we advocate

-Public Comment: During the video they said this is Dr. Lacy's fault for not having classes when every year they spend 1.5% over our budget to get more classes. You can ask any administrator for this information

-Senator Venegaz: Maybe this was the only way they could fund their education, think from their shoes. This is irrelevant to ASCC issues

-Senator Guzman: Dr. Lacy is a great person but we shouldn't take a stance. If shes such a good leader how come during accreditations we were cited for lack of leadership.

-Commissioner Castillo: we get the BOG waiver to pay for classes; Financial Aid is the money in your pocket so paying for classes shouldn't be an issue.

-Public: I am hearing the pros being factual and cons being philosophical, we make decisions on the evidencer and on how things work in the world. Challenges exist to build character not to weaken it

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-Commissioner Garcia: Being Military I go to school for free but because I have a BA I do not receive financial aid. I was told that even though I had a BA I still needed to take my general education classes so I talked to the Dean's and took all the avenues and steps I needed to talk to the head chief and that is what she should have done instead of attacking the top of the chain immediately. Just let Dr. Lacy finish her employment she did what she could

-Senator Nino: This is the student's issue . Please call the previous question

→**The Senate is taking a Stance of Support**

B) Senate Powers Overview | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed of their powers

→**Postponed**

C) Senate Standing Committees Reorientation | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)

The Senate shall be informed on their new Standing Committees

-Vice President Caguioa informs the senate of their Standing Committees

-RA: Senator Athena, Senator Lee, Senator Subrai, Senator Venegas, Senator Vidal

-HS: Senator Beltran, Senator Nino, Senator Khetani, Senator Castillo, Senator Vuong, Senator Garcia, Senator Leyva, Senator Florendo, Senator Fierro

-A: Senator Ugbah, Senator McIver, Senator Diaz, Senator Olivera, Senator Jimenez, Senator Ubbu, Senator Aponte, Senator Martinez, Senator Guzman

-SE&A: Senator Sanchez, Senator Oyarzabal, Senator Zepeda, Senator Blanshard, Senator Arcilla, Senator Hernandez, Senator Green

D) Senate Training | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed of training sessions made from student government

→**Postponed**

E) Student Initiatives | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed of the Student Initiative Project

→**Postponed**

F) Theater Department Graphic Design Concept Contest | Informational and Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)

(Senator Oyarzabal)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the contest structure and requirements and vote for immediate incorporation to the school year

-This is an opportunity to have scholarships by having people submit designs for pamphlets. This is to promote cohesion on campus and give students an opportunity to be involved in the Arts Department.

Requesting \$250-500 from the ASCC

-DISCUSSION:

-Senator Nino: Anything to bring the students together is great idea, are you Requesting money?

→Senator Oyarzabal: yes

-Senator Fierro: This is a great idea. Will it be implemented this semester?

→I would hope so, id like it for 1 play in the school year or a season pamphlet

-Senator Garcia: how many pamphlets will be produced for \$250-500?

→I do not know at the moment

-Senator Ubbu: Do yoy have to be a Theater/Arts major to participate

→Its declared that way but I am willing to work around it but it's to promote more students to declare major to have more money for the Fine Arts department

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-Senator Guzman: this is a good idea because Art students are not involved on campus and introduce to ASCC and yay scholarships!

-Commissioner Garcia: it takes a lot of work and about 3-4 hours to create a pamphlet. Giving Art students to opportunity to get recognition and scholarships because they don't usually get that opportunity

G) Sustainability Initiative | Informational and Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)

(President Aiello)

The Senate shall be informed of the Sustainability Initiative for the rest of the year

→Postponed

H) Game Room | Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the Game Room

→Postponed

5. Announcements

A) American Red Cross Blood Drive | November 17 – 20 | BK -111/112

B) ASCC Cabinet Meeting | November 17 | 2PM | BK-111/112

C) ASCC Court Meeting | November 18 | 11AM | BK-111/112

D) ASCC Leadership Conference Applications Due | November 20 | ASCC

E) Next ASCC Senate Meeting | November 19 | 2PM | BK-111/112

6. Adjournment

Charles adjourned the meeting at 3:20 pm.

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Wednesday | January 14, 2015

2:00 PM

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Flag Salute**
3. **Roll Call**
4. **(POSTPONED) Approval of Minutes**
5. **Approval of Agenda**
6. **Public Forum**
7. **Action Items | (10 Minutes)**
 - A) **(POSTPONED) SB 14-049: Commissioner of External Affairs | Action Item | (5 Minutes)**
(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)
The Senate shall consider appointing the Commissioner of External Affairs.
 - B) **(POSTPONED) SB 14-050: Amended Meeting Time | Action Item | (5 Minutes)**
(Vice President Caguioa | Senator Guzman)
The Senate shall discuss and take action on changing the length of Senate meeting to two hours.
 - C) **(POSTPONED) Budget Transfers and Reallocations | Action Item | (5 Minutes)**
(Dr. Contreras)
The Senate shall take action on the budget transfers.
8. **New Business | (35 Minutes)**
 - A) **Senate Overview | Informational and Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)**
(Vice President Caguioa)
The Senate shall be informed on various changes done to Senate, its meeting structure and other projects moving forward.
 - Reminder to Senators about a couple of the changes we made during the semester for Senate meetings including: printing our own Senate agendas, moving communication items after business items, etc.
 - B) **Pep Band Mobile Event Unit | Informational and Discussion Item | (10 Minutes)**
(David Betancourt)
The Senate shall be informed about the Pep Band Mobile Event Unit and discuss the possibility of funding them.
 - Aiello: In order to increase the school spirit around campus we need to utilize our drum line on campus. Currently, they are immobile so they need funding of \$5,000 in order to have equipment that allows them to be mobile. (David Betancourt was absent.)
 - C) **Forensics Club | Informational Item | (10 Minutes)**
(Elsa Anaya)
The Senate shall be informed about the Forensics Club and the benefits of joining.

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- The Forensics Club competes in various competitions that practice orator skills, events vary from 2 minutes preparation, to presenting prose, drama, etc. Trophies are awarded to those who do well in these competitions
- Nationals took place in Colorado.
- In order to participate, you don't have to be enrolled in the class, but in order to compete with the team; you need to be enrolled in the class (flyers handed out). The class is transferrable, and is 3 units.

D) Mascot Naming Opportunity | Informational/Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be asked to recommend 3 members to be on the taskforce to Name the Mascot. Taskforce meets on Fridays 9AM.

- Funding for the mascot came from the Special Projects Account. The senators nominated to participate in this taskforce are: Sanchez, Nino, Aponte, Garcia. There are already 3 members of the taskforce from cabinet.

E) ASCC Constitution Taskforce Update | Informational/Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed about the current status of the Constitution Taskforce.

- Daniel Gomez: There are 13 members that are split up into three groups, going back three years. One year is assigned to each group. The groups are responsible for looking at the agendas, the votes and the minutes to figure out which bi-laws are going to be changed. After this process, the changes will go through the Rules & Regulations Committee, and will then be presented to Senate.
- Gil Contreras: The taskforce is meant to reflect transparency in the student body, recently it was discovered that there were two constitutions. Overall, it is better to have more students involved in our campus. The constitution should represent that goals of the student populations.
- Athena Sanchez: When does this taskforce meet?
- Daniel: The schedule is complicated, because it is based on the availability of the members for each group, but the schedule will be available this Friday.

9. Communication

Dean of Student Services Report

- Gil Contreras thanked all of those who participated in the Leadership Conference. The students who attended had access to various resources, including leadership workshops, insight from other campuses, and the board of trustees. As for the bus transportation program, there is research being done and data being collected in order to better understand the needs of the student population when it comes to bus transportation. Lastly, he wished us all a successful and fun spring semester.

Assistant Coordinator of Student Affairs Report

- Daniel Gomez talked about parking passes, and how they are now available, but only with a parking permit (the parking permit and the vehicle must belong to you). Also, Club information day sheets are now available, so if your club wishes to participate then stop by and sign-up. As for the leadership conference, he congratulated everyone who went and encouraged us to empower those who were not able to participate. Lastly, grades! Our number one priority is grades—we are losing senators

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and student government personnel due to low grades, so please do well this semester. Be a student first!

Executive Report:

- Miles Aiello addressed the importance of the Speech and Debate Club in your development in the professional world, it changed his life and will most likely change yours. He also talked about the Leadership Conference and how memorable it was. Welcome week was a success despite the lack of participation from him—various reasons, if interested please talk to him. During Thanksgiving, Miles talked about a local church and how we should give back to the community.

Judicial Report:

- Alejandra Lopez stated that how nice it is to see encouragement from other student leaders from the Leadership Conference, and how the justices are working on something new.

Student Trustee Report:

- Daniel Flores welcomed us back, and greeted us all a Happy New Year. A couple of things were talked about during the last Board of Trustees meeting, and it included the possible raise of the trustees' salary to around \$2,000. Daniel Flores disagreed with this, and stated that the trustees are already being adequately paid. Next Wednesday they are going to talk about a textbook contract, which will cover the costs/benefits, etc.

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

- January 22nd, next meeting, (n/a)

Party Whip Report

Delegate Report

- Joe Nino talked about the upcoming Region 8 meeting that is going to happen at Golden West College. Nino is also planning to offer Cerritos College as a meeting place for a future Region 8 meeting.

Vice Presidential Report:

- Charles Caguioa talked about a couple of the positions that are open in Senate. There are currently 5 freshman positions open, so those with less than 30 units are encouraged to join. He also talked about how great the Leadership Conference was: it was a tear-jerker, with children stories shared, and insight from other colleges. "Senators, you are a bunch of knights, and I am your steed." (Puts on horse mask).
- Stated the goals for this semester: professionalizing the student government and promoting mentorship.

Committee Report

Senate Report

- Various senators talked about their experiences from the Leadership Conference.

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10. Announcements

- A) **Club Paperwork Due** | January 15 | 12PM | ASCC
- B) **Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Observed)** | January 19 | CAMPUS CLOSED
- C) **Club Advisor/Officer Meeting** | January 20 | 11AM | HS102
- D) **Next ASCC Senate Meeting** | January 21 | 2PM | BK-111/112

11. Adjournment

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Wednesday | January 21, 2015

2:00 PM

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1. **Call to Order** 2:03 pm
2. **Flag Salute** Athena Sanchez
3. **Roll Call**
 - A) See [ASCC Attendance Log](#)
4. **Approval of Minutes** No objections approval of minutes; postpone last week
5. **Approval of Agenda** Nino: Move 9A after 8E, second A. Sanchez, 0 objections; Jimenez: Senate reports after Public Forum, Second Fierro, 0 objections; 0 objections approval of agenda with amendments.
6. **Public Forum**
 - I. Cypress College Region VIII rep
 - II. Alejandra Colon
7. **Immediate Items | (5 Minutes)**
 - A) **Pep Band Mobile Event Unit | Informational and Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)**
(David Betancourt)
The Senate shall be further discuss about the Pep Band Mobile Event Unit.
President Aiello speaks to support the purchase of Drumline Equipment.
Senator Jimenez- Life expectancy? *Harnesses are years; windbreakers are per year.*
Senator Khetani- If given equipment, when, other than six games, will it be used?
Once every three weeks for spirit weeks
Senator Arana- Length of time? *Band times are to vary depending on events.*
Senator Guzman- Will drumline be present to other events? *It is to vary on faculty that can also attend. If band is to play at different events, that increases costs.*
8. **Action Items | (35 Minutes)**
 - A) **SB 14-051: Senate Clerk | Action Item | (5 Minutes)**
(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)
The Senate shall consider appointing the Senate Clerk.
Move by Senator Nino, Second by Senator Athena Sanchez to approve SB14-051. Motion by Senator Guzman, Second by Senator Hakeem to open discussion for 5 minutes. Move to call the previous question by Senator Nino, Second by Senator Athena Sanchez. Approval with no objections.
 - B) **SB 14-052: Assistant Commissioner of Inter-Club Council | Action Item | (5 Minutes)**
(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)

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The Senate shall consider appointing the Assistant Commissioner of the Inter-Club Council.

Move by Senator Aldemar Sanchez, Second by Senator Athena Sanchez to approve SB14-052. Approval with no objections.

**C) ~~SB 14-053: Senator | Action Item | (5 Minutes)~~
~~(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)~~**

~~*The Senate shall consider appointing a Senator.*~~

**D) ~~SB 14-054: Senator | Action Item | (5 Minutes)~~
~~(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)~~**

~~*The Senate shall consider appointing a Senator.*~~

**E) ~~SB 14-055: Senator | Action Item | (5 Minutes)~~
~~(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)~~**

~~*The Senate shall consider appointing a Senator.*~~

F) Faculty Senate Liaison | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

The Senate shall nominate a Faculty Senate Liaison.

Senator Venegas gave the Senate a brief overview of what Faculty Senate Liaison consists of. 11-12:20PM, except third Tuesday of the month.

Sanchez-Arana, denied nomination

Guzman-Oyarzabal

Venegas-Villalobos

Beltran

Senator Sanchez, Second by Nino: move to close nominations

1 minute per speaker

Quorum Re-Established: 26; 2:55pm

G) Transfers and Reallocations | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Dr. Contreras)

The Senate shall take action on the budget transfers.

No objections, postpone to next week's meeting.

H) SB 14-050: Amended Meeting Time | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa | Senator Guzman)

The Senate shall discuss and take action on changing the length of Senate meeting to two hours.

No objections; postponed to next week

9. New Business | (20 Minutes)

A) Statewide Legislation Updates | Informational, Discussion and Action Item | (10 Minutes)

(Senator Nino and Region 8 Senator Buttice)

Region 8 Senator Buttice will update the Senate on statewide legislation that affects community college students in California.

15 colleges to start pilot BA/BS programs.

Governor's budget: Increases for higher education. Funding to be split with student success and student programs.

Senator Sanchez: AB15 and AB27 legislations for Veterans.

Leginfo.legislature.ca.gov to look up any bills, information, amendments

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Move by Senator Venegas, Second by Senator Fierro to extend time by 1 minute.
Senator Guzman- How does Region VIII delegate report? *Reports are done after any Region VIII meetings*

Senator Venegas- Explain SB42. *Students vote themselves on whether they would like to pay their student fees.*

Quorum Re-established: 27 at 2:40pm

Senator Jimenez suggested calling a special Senate Meeting to order.

**B) ASCC Senate Goals | Informational and Discussion Item | (10 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa)**

The Senate shall be work on their goals for the semester.

No objections to postpone until next week's meeting.

Quorum Re-Established: 25 at 3:04pm

10. Communication

Dean of Student Services Report

Dr. Contreras not present. No report

Assistant Coordinator of Student Affairs Report

Parliamentary Procedures presentations, and Brown Act presentations.

Remember school work comes first.

Executive Report

-Thank you to Senators for hard work.

-Talked to David Moore about pool of water by the SS building.

-Contact Kim Appleberry about transfer and transfer questions

-Bike committee; committee members needed. Contact President Aiello.

-Next week about Go Green

-To students transferring, remember to update grades.

-Unveiling of mascot two weeks from this Thursday.

Judicial Report

-No report given

Student Trustee Report

-Follet agenda item at board meeting tonight.

-Revision of contracts.

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

-No liaison, no report.

Party Whip Report

-No Report due to no meeting on Monday.

Delegate Report

-Proposing to have following Region VIII meeting at Cerritos. Upcoming Region meeting this Friday.

-Future discussions on March in March event.

Vice Presidential Report

- Reports will now be asked to be turned in every Wednesday at 1PM
 - Reports can be either in a bullet form or in a paragraph.
 - During communication, just report the important areas for the Senate and the public to hear.

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- Read your emails
 - It is important that Senators read the emails and agendas on time so we know what happens at the meetings.
 - If we want things to work as efficiently and get out in time, we need everyone's cooperation.
- Lots of Cabinet Positions Open
 - Current positions open
 - Commissioner of External Affairs
 - Commissioner of Financial Aid
 - Various Assistant Commissioner Positions
 - Contact Miles or Charles for details
- Student Initiative Planning Meeting
 - After the Senate Meeting till 4:30PM
 - Will cover what has been done so far and what to do moving forward.

Committee Report

Quorum Re-Established: 22 at 3:19pm

No reports

Senate Report

- Senator Gonzalez:
Good afternoon senators,

In the wake of recent concerns, it has been brought up to my attention of some student complaints about the Modular Classroom building. There has been issues about the classroom design by both students and professors. The classroom is not set up to be in the most optimal learning environment. The seating orientation pushes students seating in back too far too see the white board. The professor is reminded to rewrite in bigger characters at times. The median sized white board covers less than one-fourth of the entire empty wall, so the professor is at constant erasing vital formulas. Due to timing of the class he cannot rewrite the formulas and must move forward through his lectures. It is visually difficult for students to see, but the most distracting occurrence for the whole class is the air conditioning that runs its engine too loud for one to hear the lectures, let alone it does not work properly. This is not an appropriate classroom to be in when taking any academic course that involved using both the human visual and auditory senses

I am currently enrolled this class with this students taking trigonometry, and I also testified to the building's disruption. The air conditioning utterance gives no real hopes to passing such abstruse course subject. I am hoping to work with

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members of my class, Dr. Carolyn Chambers, and anyone else with any ideas to help solve this problem and so we can learn in a comfortable environment.

Thank you for your time!

- Senator Guzman:
 - Board of Trustee Meeting
 - Textbook Contract
- Senator Jimenez:
 - Budget task force and ask if those who volunteered are still interested to then reply to the email I will send out so we can set a meeting time.
 - Follet contract that is being reviewed tonight at the board of trustees meeting and address the issues with the contracts in terms of not lowering the price of books for students
- Senator Fierro
 - Give students information about food.
 - Go Green: Expect big things

11. Announcements

- A) **Early Bird Special** | January 27 | 8:30AM | Falcon Square
 - B) **Next ASCC Cabinet Meeting** | January 26 | 2PM | BK-111/112
 - C) **Next ASCC Court Meeting** | January 27 | 11AM | BK-111/112
 - D) **Next ASCC Senate Meeting** | January 28 | 2PM | BK-111/112
 - E) **Next ASCC ICC Meeting** | January 29 | 11AM | BK-111/112
- Senator Athena Sanchez-** *Encourages Senators to use Google Docs to access agenda and minutes.*
- Senator Khetani-** *Clarification, adding all Senators to access Google Docs.*
- Commissioner Garcia-** *Faculty Art Exhibit opening this coming Tuesday at 6-9pm. Special guest, USC Professor. Running separate 3-D art exhibit with faculty.*

12. Adjournment

Vice President Caguioa adjourned the meeting at 2:29pm

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Wednesday | January 28, 2015

2:00 PM

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1. Call to Order

Vice President Caguioa called the meeting to order at 2:00 PM

2. Flag Salute

Senator Nino led the Senate and public to the flag salute

3. Roll Call

Quorum established: 21

4. Approval of Minutes

Approval of Minutes from 1/21 and 1/14 with no objections

5. Approval of Agenda

Senator Villalobos/Sanchez- Senate Reports before Public Forum

Senator Athena/Sanchez- Item 9C before Old Business

No objections- Strike 8E

No objections- Approval of Agenda with amendments

Senate Reports

6. Public Forum

Commissioner Dennis Garcia- Speaking in favor of approval of Hydration Stations

Commissioner Sarah Hickman- Speaking in favor of approval of Hydration Stations

7. Old Business | (20 Minutes)

A) SB 14-050: Amended Meeting Time | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa | Senator Guzman)

The Senate shall discuss and take action on changing the length of Senate meeting to two hours.

Senator Sanchez/Guzman to deny legislation SB14-050. Approval to deny legislation with no objections.

Dean Contreras requests to have all questions asked during Senate reports and be presented for next week's meeting.

Senator Venegas/Sanchez- Move to have President/Vice President employment to next week's meeting, informational item 10 minutes. No objections.

Senator Sanchez- Move to amend motion for 30 minutes.

Senator Fierro- Move to amend motion for 20 minutes.

Senator Villalobos- Would the questions have to be written out in order to have them acknowledged?

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No objections from Senate to have informational item for 20 minutes to next week's agenda.

B) Transfers and Reallocations | Action Item | (5 Minutes) (Dr. Contreras)

The Senate shall take action on the budget transfers.

Clarifying job descriptions for Student Affairs Clerk and Student Services Assistants.

The responsibilities of Student Government leaders is to support students.

Request for transfer funds

Request for student hires was presented to the board October of last year.

Senator Sanchez/Villalobos- Move to open discussion for 5 minutes

Sanchez- Discrepancies with the funding and re-allocations of funds that were not presented in last year's ASCC 2014-2015 budget. Such being: Transportation, Bicycle funds. Requests students to be paid over \$9.93.

Arana- Do we have ideas of what the money will be spent on? What tangible items would it be spent on?

Sanchez- For student initiative: Will be allocated to a 250 or 600 account? -Fiscal Services will create a 600 account.

Nino- If the money is not spent, what will happen to the money?

Commissioner Jimenez- Address where the money will be going, so we know how much to allocate in the future.

Senator Nino/ moves to table item until after 8A, 8B, 8C, 8F.

Senator Arana/Sanchez- Open discussion

Senator Sanchez- If the money is not spent, allow it to go to Special Projects instead of Reserves to give clubs the opportunity to come to Senate for funding.

Senator Venegas- How many students will be hired for new position? How will the positions be advertised? There will be an application process, and hiring.

Senator Nino/Vidal- Approval of transfer allocations (Objection by Senator Sanchez).

Senator Nino/Zepeda- Open discussion for 3 minutes.

Senator Nino- Millions in reserves. With that, there should be enough funding for clubs. Will the money not being spent go to the students? In the creation of jobs on campus for students. In support of reallocation.

Senator Villalobos- Urges those in budget task force to think about the future of Cerritos College.

Chief Justice Lopez- In favor of reallocation. Give the opportunity, if it fails, change it.

With time expired, roll call vote in favor of approval for reallocation of funds.

Final count: 7.2.11

Quorum Remains: 20

Senator Nino calls for a Division of the house.

Final Count: 7.2.14

Quorum Remain: 22

Quorum Remain: 19

C) ASCC Senate Goals | Informational and Discussion Item | (10 Minutes) (Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be work on their goals for the semester.

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No objections

8. Action Items | (35 Minutes)

A) SB 14-056: Pep Band Mobile Unit | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Senator Khetani | Senator Fernandez)

The Senate shall consider funding the Pep Band Mobile Unit.

B) SB 14-057: Senator | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)

The Senate shall consider appointing a Senator .

Senator Sanchez/Athena to approve. No objections

C) SB 14-058: Senator | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)

The Senate shall consider appointing a Senator.

Senator Arana/Athena to approve as a block (8C, 8D, 8F). Approval with no objections

Quorum Reestablished: 23

D) SB 14-059: Senator | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)

The Senate shall consider appointing a Senator.

E) ~~SB 14-060: Assistant Commissioner of Convocations and Fine Arts | Action Item | (5 Minutes)~~

~~**(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)**~~

~~*The Senate shall consider appointing the Assistant Commissioner of Convocations and Fine Arts*~~

F) SB 14-061: Commissioner of Budget and Finance | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)

The Senate shall consider appointing the Commissioner of Budget and Finance

9. New Business | (20 Minutes)

A) Hydration Stations | Informational and Discussion Item | (10 Minutes)
(President Aiello)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the possibility of purchasing and implementation of hydration stations at Cerritos College.

Quorum Remains: 20

Quorum Remains: 21

President Aiello presented a powerpoint to the Senate with information about Hydration Stations. \$2,523 per hydration station. Go Green is asking for 5 hydration stations. Labor= \$5,000, Contingency for tax= \$1,761.50. Research done by the entire Go Green Task Force, with the help of David Moore. 3 reasons why they are needed: Mini Monopoly; Helping the environment; Shifting the culture. Who will need the hydration station? The faculty, Administration, Cerritos College, and the community at large. Locations for hydration stations will be picked at next Go Green meeting, and will be based on high traffic areas.

Senator Villalobos/Guzman- Move to open discussion for 5 minutes. No Objections

Senator Villalobos- Acknowledgement to the Go Green Task Force. What is the maintenance like, where is the funding for maintenance coming from? *Go Green*

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Recycling Technicians will be responsible for cleaning them. David Moore has agreed to have facilities employees to get the most cost efficient expense. Will the task force come to the Senate for funding? Only if necessary.

Zepeda- Are the Senators allowed to attend the meeting and give input?

Guzman- How will the job positions be advertised? *The hire of the nest technicians were done last Spring and they were advertised in ASCC, Daily Falcon, and on the marquee.*

Sanchez- *Speaking in favor of hydration stations. Is proud of the task force for taking initiative to do what's best for the students.*

Aponte- Do we know how much money we have in our ASCC budget? Will they be able to access other ways of funding for the Hydration Statements? *If we do not sufficient funds, they can ask the Senate to take it out of Reserves.*

Nino- Is the task force going to be asking funds from the Budget Committee? *Yes. Can there be requests for hydration stations and separate fundings? Yes, if necessary.*

Senator Gonzalez/Fierro to extend time by 2 minutes. No objections.

Khetani- Will the hydration stations replace current water fountains? *Yes, due to the current piping. Have we allocated money to this? No, because this is the first time that it's being presented.*

Quorum Re-Established: 19

Gonzalez- What is the approach to let students know of hydration stations?

Quorum Re-Established: 18

Venegas- Hydration Stations will be maintained by Nest Technicians? *Just the appearance.*

Student Trustee Flores- The board is in favor and full support of new hydration stations.

Quorum Re-Established: 19

Senator Athena/Vidal- move for 8A, 9B postponed until the next meeting. No objections

B) Commencement | Informational Item | (5 Minutes) (Coordinator of Student Activities)

The Senate shall be informed on the deadline to petition to graduate and other dates relative to commencement.

C) MVA/Final Salute | Informational, Discussion, and Action Item | (10 Minutes) (Commissioner Garcia)

The Senate shall be informed of Miss Veteran of America, an advocacy program to support homeless women veterans and children and shall consider taking a stance of support for the program.

Final Salute Inc help and support homeless veterans. Why they are homeless: - Unemployment -Ineligibility for or lack of Veteran's benefits. -Legal Trouble -Military Sexual Trauma -PTSD (Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder) -Disabilities - Divorce/Separation; Any money donated to Final Salute Inc. is a tax writeoff.

-Sanchez: Would the Senate take a stance of support or funding? Based on description, it's to take a stance of support.

-Khetani: What is the Senate doing for Commissioner Garcia? The Senate will decide whether or not to take a stance of Support.

-Gonzalez: Where to go to donate? Donate through the website on the flyers.

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-Student Trustee, Flores.

Senator Sanchez/Olivera for Senate to take a stance in support. Approval with no objections.

10. Communication

Student Activities Report

Quorum Re-Established: 18

- **Student Affairs Assistants**
 - *The Cerritos College Board of Trustees approved the employment of Miles Aiello and Charles Caguioa as Student Affairs Assistants. Their jobs will not interfere with their duties and expectations as the ASCC President and Vice President. The positions will be funded out of Student Equity Funds.*
- **ASCC Budget Committee**
 - *Student Activities will email the campus this week about how the campus may apply for ASCC Funds for the 2015-2016 year. The ASCC Budget Committee timeline will be included in this email.*
- **Bookstore Contract**
 - *The bookstore contract with Follett was discussed at the January 21, 2015 Cerritos College Board of Trustees meeting. ASCC will receive increased revenues from this contract and \$30,000 dedicated to the library. The Board will take action at the next meeting.*
- **Mascot Unveiling February 5, 2015 at 11:00am**
 - *The Mascot will be unveiled to the campus community.*
- **Mascot Naming Task Force**
 - *The Task force will meet February 6, 2015 and February 20, 2015 at 9:00am in the Club Room. Several concerns from alumni and employees have come forward regarding the name of the Mascot. It has been brought to our attention that Cerritos College had 2 mascots in the past (Freddie and Frida).*
- **Club Paperwork deadline is February 12, 2015 at 4:00pm**
- **Parliamentary Procedure/Brown Act Training**
 - *Any students interested in more training, please inform Student Activities Coordinator, Anna Jara.*
- **Club Information Days are February 4-5, 2015 10:00am to 1:00pm**
- **Club Information Night is February 4, 2015 5:00pm to 7:00pm**
- **Safe Zone**
 - *Student Safe Zone workshop will be held on Tuesday, January 27, 2015 from 11:00am to 12:30pm in BK111/112. Please confirm your attendance with Student Activities Coordinator, Anna Jara.*

Quorum Lost: 17

Executive Report

Delighted to see so many senators and their dedications. Come out to mascot unveiling on Feb. 5. Remember legislations on drumline and hydration stations. Remember Presidential Elections are coming up. If anyone has questions or concerns, come see President Aiello.

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Judicial Report

Court meeting held in Club Room. Only discussion item was to add an extra voting location for Student Trustee. No action taken because it is up to the election board, and there is no current boards.

Student Trustee Report

Bookstore Contract. If anyone is interested in seeing the discussion, it can be viewed online. Board suggested changes. If the board feels like it is acceptable for the students and those being affected by it, it will be voted on at the next senate meeting. Another discussion was Action Item 33. Conflict of Interest for job. Trustee Drayer had concerns regarding the employment. Child Development ribbon cutting ceremony. Also attended Safe Zone meeting.

Quorum Re-Established: 18

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

- bookstore contract
- looking into elevators (*for the science building*)
- lumen courses *Charges from \$5-\$40 per class with covers course materials, and the ebook.*

Quorum lost: 17

Party Whip Report

- See Cabinet Minutes 1/26/15

Delegate Report

Region 8 meeting at Golden West College. Discussed March in March. Reassessing the way it is done. Region reps would like to train students participating. List of possible resolutions and adopted resolutions. SSCCC is requesting the college's budget and bylaws. Offered Cerritos College to be host for training day. Trying to increase involvement in SSCCC.

Vice Presidential Report

Mascot unveiling; hydration stations, drumline; discussions about creation of bike committee.

- Student Initiative Planning
 - After the Senate Meeting. BK-111/112

Committee Report

Senate Report

- Senator Venegas
 - *In the last Board of Trustees meeting not only was the bookstore contract brought up but also the issue of approving employment of four students. Two of those students are the President and Vice President of the student body are employed as Student Affairs Assistants. As we all know the President and Vice President have a lot of responsibilities and duties as such and should be compensated but the process this was handle gives us suspension of bias being involved. As representatives of students we needed clarification and why the process was handle the way it was.*
- Senator Guzman
 - *Board Meeting*

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- Senator Gonzalez

I wanted to quickly update on the status concerning the Modular Classroom building I discussed in the previous Senate Report. The Instructional Dean of Science, Engineering & Mathematics, Dr. Carolyn Chambers, is working very hard to collaborate with the best interest for the students. She has done a phenomenal job to response to a student issue by implementing a second white board, with that the seating orientation is manageable at the time. The air conditioning still pose as a severe distraction for those students seating near its high noise level perimeter but it is something that can also controlled. As students we have the human compassion to understand that a machine like that might take some time to fix; we just hope it is fixed before the arrival of the scorching summer days.

Now to conclude, seeing this immediate weekend result makes us students feel highly valued, and that our education here at Cerritos College truly matters. So, I called upon the students' altogether to write a sincere thank you note to Dr. Chambers, because I believe it is also the students' responsibility to recognize such amazing efforts conducted by our staff and administration.

On that lovely, I wish for all of you present today to have successful Senate Meeting. Thank you!

- Senator Sanchez

- *Board of Trustee Meeting relating to agenda item on the bookstore contract, student employment, and ASCC Budget.*

11. Announcements

- A) Next ASCC ICC Meeting** | January 29 | 11AM | BK-111/112
 - B) Next ASCC Cabinet Meeting** | February 2 | 2PM | BK-111/112
 - C) Next ASCC Court Meeting** | February 3 | 11AM | BK-111/112
 - D) Club Info Day** | February 4-5 | 10AM-1PM | Falcon Square
 - E) Club Info Night** | February 4 | 5PM-7PM | SS Patio
 - F) Next ASCC Senate Meeting** | February 4 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- Mascot unveiling Feb. 5th
Remember to turn in Club Info Day sheets, must be turned in tomorrow afternoon.
ASCC Budget request went out yesterday, available on website.

12. Adjournment

4:04 PM

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Wednesday | February 04, 2015

2:00 PM

BK-111/112

1. Call to Order

2:04PM

2. Flag Salute

Senator Athena

3. Roll Call

Quorum established: 28

4. Approval of Minutes

Senator Athena/Nino approval of minutes. No objections.

5. Approval of Agenda

Nino- Move 10A after item 5, Senator Guzman objects; Second by Senator Sanchez to move agenda item. Roll call vote

Senator Villalobos/ Move to open discussion on amendment to move by Senator Nino.

Senator Villalobos- Thanks the administration for coming out to the meeting, but there are other important items that concern the students.

Senator Oyarzabal seconds to Senator Villalobos's comments.

Senator Sanchez- Agrees with Senator Nino, thanks Dr. Schilling for taking time out of her schedule to attend the meeting.

Senator Serna- Does not agree to continue postponing agenda items.

Senator Villalobos/Guzman- Move to extend time by 1 minute.

Senator Nino retracts motion.

Senator Sanchez/Villalobos- move 10F after item 6. No objections.

Senator Villalobos speaks when Senator Venegas motioned to have discussion with President and Vice President.

Vice President Caguioa- With no objections to move 10B, 10C, and 10D after immediate business.

Senator Sanchez- Postpone 7B, 7C. No second, motion fails.

No objections, agenda approved with amendments.

6. Public Forum

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Commissioner Castillo- Speaking about her experience in March in March last year. Is looking for committee members for Spring Festival and Falcon Games.

Commissioner Garcia- Grant used towards video cameras, and better security. Share the link from the Cerritos College page on Facebook. Vote via text to 334455 and type “Cerritos”, vote on Twitter: #StanleySecurity #Cerritos, or go to StanleySaferSchools.com/vote/ID/Cerritos. All votes must be submitted by February 13.

Quorum re-established at 27

Rob Flores- Representative for shared governance committee: -Enrollment management committee: Creating Winter sessions. Reduction of Fall semester from 18 weeks to 16 week courses. Concerns from students about having ID’s presented by computers at the Library Computer Lab, feedback was all from students. If anyone wants to contact Mr. Flores, come to Falcon Spotlight from WPMD Radio Station.

Edith Collin (Ex-Commissioner of Financial Aid)- Speaking in favor for those to attend March in March. Collin was not involved with Student Government prior to attending the event.

Chief Justice Lopez- Stay objective. Remember: Main goal is to represent students.

Commissioner Ochoa- Reminder about the benefits of installment of Hydration Stations.

7. Immediate Business | (10 Minutes)

A) Unveiling of Mascot | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed of the logistics of unveiling the mascot.

Quorum Lost at 17

Unveiling out on Falcon Square tomorrow. Need people to line up so the new mascot high-fives those participants. Be there by 10:45 to position everybody. ASCC will have a booth so students have the opportunity to take pictures with the mascot.

Quorum re-established at 18

Unveiling of the mascot is at 11AM

B) March in March | Informational, Discussion, and Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the possibility of funding the March in March.

Marching to the capitol. Students from California Community Colleges will be rallying. Proposed budget for 25 students to fly out Monday morning, and fly back Monday night, projected cost \$5,800. March in March is a day of advocacy. Applications are available for students to speak during the event.

Senator Castillo/Sanchez- Open 3 minute discussion. No objections.

Senator Castillo- Speaks about experience from last year. Helped her understand more about the SSCCC, and learned more about the positives and negatives of legislations.

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Senator Sanchez- March in March is a great experience for students. Those who attended came back different, in a positive way. They came back more involved.

Senator Nino-It is important to know whether or not the students want to go, in order to purchase flight tickets before the prices increase.

Daniel Gomez- Training from Region 8 is opened to all students in order to prepare them for the March in March event.

Senator Sanchez/Castillo- Move to have this item on a legislation for next week.

Senator Nino/Villalobos- Moves to amend. Have legislation approved today, presented next week, and signed by the President after next week's meeting.

No objections for approval for funding.

Senator Khetani/Villalobos- Moves to postpone all items to next week.

Senator Sanchez/Athena- Moves to postpone all items, except for 10D. No objections

8. Old Business | (10 Minutes)

A) SB 14-056: Pep Band Mobile Unit | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Senator Khetani | Senator Fernandez)

The Senate shall consider funding the Pep Band Mobile Unit.

B) Commencement | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)
(Coordinator of Student Activities)

The Senate shall be informed on the deadline to petition to graduate and other dates relative to commencement.

9. Action Items | (5 Minutes)

A) SB 14-062: Hydration Stations | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(President Aiello | Senator Gonzalez)

The Senate shall consider funding the Hydration Stations.

10. New Business | (55 Minutes)

A) ACCJC Follow-up Report | Informational Item | (10 Minutes)
(Dr. JoAnna Schilling)

The Senate shall be updated for students regarding the accreditation follow-up report.

B) Funding For Phi Rho Pi Tournament | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(April Griffin)

The Senate shall be informed of the Cerritos College Forensics team taking a larger team than originally anticipated and discuss average cost per student.

Allotted budget from ASCC is not enough to fund for all students going to National Debate. this year, there are 11 student qualifying to go to Nationals. Nationals are held in Cleveland, Ohio. \$4,600, not counting meals, and fees (registration, new students), and an additional \$500 for emergency funding. Four years universities attend Phi Rho Pi to recruit students.

Senator Villalobos- What account will it be coming out from? *Special Projects account.*

Senator Sanchez/Fierro- Extend discussion for 5 minutes.

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Senator Sanchez- This is important, because it goes back to the students and opens opportunities.

Senator Nino- We can always tap into our Reserves account for more funding.

Senator Diaz- Have they fundraised to 15%? *There is a schedules fundraiser, which is a big source of funding*

Senator Aponte-

Quorum re-established at 25

Senator Khetani- How much money was allocated to the club last year? *\$20,000, but the club has already attended over ten competitions.* Can we have the money pulled from the Reserves before approving the funding? *Yes.*

Senator Villalobos/Venegas- Move to extend time by 5 minutes. No objections.

Senator Villalobos- Does not feel comfortable in funding for the club until the 20% is raised. *With the hosting of the debate competition, the expected revenue would meet the 20% mark.*

Quorum re-established at 26

Quorum re-established at 25

Senator Athena- If we go zero in Special Projects, are we not allowed for more funding until we get money from our Reserves account? *Senator Nino calls for a point of order. Senator Sanchez- legislation for club funding must state money will be pulled from Reserves instead of Special Projects.*

Senator Sanchez- Feels comfortable with funding the club after the 20% is raised.

Senator Villalobos- Requests to know the process of moving money from Reserves to Special Projects.

Quorum re-established at 23

Daniel Gomez- The 20% does not need to be fundraised as long as the club has at least 20% in their account. *There is about \$10,000 in the account.*

Quorum re-established at 24

Senator Nino/Villalobos- Moves for a recess for 3 minutes. No objections.

Quorum re-established at 20

After Recess- Quorum re-established at 20

Senator Nino/Sanchez- Move to have Joint Legislation on this agenda item for funding from the Reserves account. No objections.

Dr. Contreras- Recommendation: Pull "X" amount from Reserves to Special Projects.

Senator Nino/Athena- Moves to allocating \$50,000 from Reserves to Special Projects. No objections.

C) Funding of IPDA Nationals | Action Item | (10 Minutes) (April Griffin)

The Senate shall be informed of the Cerritos College Forensics team attending IPDA nationals in March and discuss the additional funding for them to do so.

Opens scholarship opportunities for students. Wanting to take 4-6 students to IPDA. IPDA Nationals competition in March 26-29. Additional \$300 is requested for emergency funding. Total funding is \$4,000.

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Senator Nino- How many students are going? *There are 4 students scheduled to go. IPDA is opened to students who do not necessarily plan on attending the Phi Rho Pi Nationals Competition. Only one student is overlapping both competitions.*

Senator Sanchez- Feels like this is a great opportunity for the students.

Quorum re-established at 19

Quorum re-established at 18

Senator Sanchez/Zepeda- Move to have legislation for funding from Special Projects account.

Senator Sanchez- Moves to have 10B, and 10C under immediate business for next week.

Senator Khetani- Moves to amend, in having legislations before Student Affairs Assistant agenda items. No objections.

D) Funding for Student Trip to Awards Ceremony | Discussion and Action Item | (10 Minutes)

(WPMD Broadcasting Club)

The Senate shall discuss funding award nominated student, Carlos Madrigal, to attend Intercollegiate Broadcasting System Conference and awards banquet in New York City from March 6th – 8th.

Quorum lost with 17

4 students were nominated to attend the conference, but only 1 can attend, due to schedule conflict. Asking for funding to have student, Carlos Madrigal attend to represent himself, Cerritos College, and WPMD at the awards ceremony.

Senator Castillo- Are they aware they have to raise 20%? *Yes. The club has already raised the required amount.*

Senator Fierro- How many students are attending, 1 or 4? *1, because the other 3 have class during those days.*

Senator Villalobos-

Senator Khetani- Would we vote on it today? *No, quorum is lost.*

Dr. Contreras- The program for WPMD was cut due to the budget. [Addressing Senator Villalobos]: look into why the funding was cut.

Senator Fierro- Can we have a breakdown of the funding? *Yes, it was emailed.*

E) Board of Trustees Orientation | Informational and Discussion Item | (10 Minutes) **(Student Trustee Flores Resendiz)**

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the Student Trustee responsibilities and how to relay and receive information from the Board of Trustees.

F) Student Affairs Assistants | Informational and Discussion Item | (20 Minutes) **(Student Affairs)**

The Senate shall be informed and discuss about the Student Affairs Assistant position.

Proving transparency about the job descriptions. Students hired were not hired due because of their title of President and Vice President, they are hired as Student Affairs Assistants. Dr. Contreras speaks that when he was hired, he made the commitment of creating more jobs for students. Questions from last week's meetings arose to why the President and Vice President would need to be getting paid, concerns of conflict of interest. Dr. Contreras speaks that he feels like the President and Vice President work as hard as the Student Trustee, and for as long as he serves as Dean of

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Student Services, he will continue to hire the President and Vice President in order to create more jobs, because they work tirelessly. Dr. Contreras will fight for students, and if change is necessary, change will occur.

Senator Sanchez, Pro-tempore steps in as chair Quorum re-established at 27

Senator Sanchez- Does not feel like some of the subjects spoken by Dr. Contreras were relevant to the subject. The reason why Senators are bring up the issue, is because it is a student concern and the students they are representing do not feel comfortable with the hiring of the President and Vice President. Does not feel comfortable that the job positions were not opened.

Senator Guzman- Address to the President and Vice President: When were [they] notified of the hiring? *Vice President Caguioa cannot recall. President Aiello requests Dr. Contreras to answer: Sometime in the Fall. They found out they were hired after the approval from the board.*

Senator Oyarzabal- Did they follow the Equal Employment Opportunity? *As told by Dr. Gularte, all regulations were followed. Is this a new position? No. They were under Student Affairs.*

Quorum re-established at 30

Senator Nino- When jobs are created and it involves student leaders, it does open a can of worms, and it will created conflict. Bottom line is positions were already approved by the Board. Where is the cut off? How many hours? When is the switch from working as ASCC President and Vice President, to Student Affairs Assistants? *The maximum amount of hours a week is 20. What certain hours will they be working? Times have been allocated, and they have assigned schedules.*

Senator Villalobos- The job positions do not have to be posted, but where is the transparency in allowing the students to know of the job positions? Why were the students not notified that the President and Vice President had been hired for these positions? How are the Senate and students to trust the President and Vice President if there was not transparency to begin with? *President Aiello- As President, he has fought for the students. He does not feel comfortable with the fact that there is no trust. He has no issue with posting times, whether it be office times, and work times. Taking on another position might impact the way they are representing the students, and will it be too much work?*

Senator Beltran- It is great that Dr. Contreras is creating more jobs for students, but where is the transparency? If students had not been present at the board meeting, how will the students be notified that the President and Vice President had been hired for the position? *Making sure there is a difference and allow to distinguish between what the job content is and their responsibilities in office.*

Senator Venegas- Does the Student Trustee have a supervisor? *Student Trustee Flores- Not a supervisor, exactly. He works for the students just like the other board members. Who will they report to? They'll be reporting to Dr. Contreras.*

Student Trustee Flores- There was a lengthy debate during the board meeting about this issue. The board receives a list of students to be hired, and when it came down to voting, the vote was 4 aye, and 3 abstentions. The positions should be compensated, per memo from the board: The President and Vice President will be getting paid for their positions. Where is the transparency with the hiring?

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Senator Sanchez/Villalobos- Time extension for 10 minutes. 1 objection, by Senator Fernandez.

Senator Fernandez- Senator should move forward

Roll Call Vote: 13.17.0

Senator Athena/Fierro- Move to postpone to next week's meeting, allotting for a 20 minute discussion. 1 objection, by Senator Sanchez who moves to amend and have 10B, 10C, 10D, along with this discussion on the agenda only. Feels like the Senate needs to speak on what items should be on the agenda for the following week's meeting.

Quorum re-established at 27

Senator Oyarzabal- Calls to have a special meeting to order. Amendment: Calls to have item 10F as a special meeting agenda item. Only 10B, 10C, and 10D to next week's agenda item.

Senator Sanchez receded amendment.

Senator Oyarzabal- Moves to amend to have special meeting to Friday. Senator Nino- Does not follow Brown Act, cannot have meeting until after this current time.

Senator Oyarzabal- Moves to amend to have Special Meeting on Monday at 3.

Senator Sanchez- Moves to bring back previous motion.

Senator Venegas- Moves to have 10F postponed to next week's meeting as Immediate Business for 20 minutes. 1 objection-Senator Nino.

Roll Call Vote: 16.7.4

Quorum re-established at 26

Senator Sanchez/Arcilla- Move 10B and 10C before 7A. No objections.

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- Student Activities Clerk
- Student Initiative Planning

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12. Announcements

- A) **Mascot Unveiling** | February 5 | 11AM | Falcon Square
- B) **American Red Cross Blood Drive** | February 9-12 | Falcon Square
- C) **Next ASCC Cabinet Meeting** | February 9 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- D) **Next ASCC Court Meeting** | February 10 | 11AM | BK-111/112
- E) **Next ASCC Senate Meeting** | February 11 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- F) **Club Paperwork Due** | February 12 | Student Activities

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G) Campus Closed | February 13

13. Adjournment

Due to loss of quorum, adjournment at 4:27PM

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Wednesday | February 11, 2015

2:00 PM

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1. Call to Order

2:00 PM

2. Flag Salute

Senator Lee

3. Roll Call

Quorum Established at 22

4. Approval of Minutes

Senator Arana/Sanchez move to approve minutes for last week's meeting. No objections

5. Approval of Agenda

Senator Nino/Fernandez- Strike 7H from the Agenda, Legislation was approved during last weeks' meeting. No objections.

Senator Zepeda/Fierro- Move 7A after 7G. No objections.

Senator Nino/Fernandez- Call item 7A Out of Order, reason being Student Affairs Assistants do not fall under student government's jurisdiction. Move to Strike 7A Out of Order. Objection by Senator Oyarzabal/Sanchez

Senator Nino/Beltran- Move to open discussion for 2 minutes.

Senator Oyarzabal- Possible violation of student equity plan.

Senator Nino- Student Affairs Assistants jobs are not coming out of ASCC accounts. We are not questioning how the jobs are done, but the process in which [they] were hired.

Student Trustee Flores- Recalling to last semester when the students took a stance with Doctor Lacy

Senator Villalobos- The discussion is not about money, and as student representatives we are here to voice concerns.

Quorum Re-established: 25

Senator Ubbu/Venegas-Extend discussion by 2 minutes

Senator Sanchez objects. Leave discussion for time during agenda item. Senator Ubbu rescinds motion.

Senator Nino calls a point of order, due to Parliamentary Procedures.

10.15.1

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Quorum Re-established: 26

Senator Nino/Zepeda- Moves to have Delegate Report after Approval of Agenda. No objections.
No objections on approval with amendments.

6. Public Forum

Quorum re-established: 25

Rob Flores- Shared Governance committee update; Will SLO's be affected by Winter sessions? Enrollment management- students will have the opportunity to view courses in advance, as a plan for upcoming semesters. There is a talk about a bill where other JC's will be asking for grants.

Shirley, Louis, Krisandra (Architecture and Technology Club)- Plan to push for a shaded patio and a garden. Purpose is to give a place for students to hang out, but will also be educated about the materials and plans located in the garden. Advantages- Give students learning opportunity, unity between clubs and student government, promotes Sustainability.

Robert Rooney- Speaks in support of hydration stations.

Senator Oyarzabal/Fierro- Moves to allow more time for Public Forum.

Talon Marks Editor in Chief- Tells the Senators they have a lot of power, and they vote without complete knowledge and understanding of the issues. Feels like there is a lack of connection between the Senate and the students at large. Remember to educate yourselves on the issues and not vote blindly.

7. Immediate Business | (55 Minutes)

A) Student Affairs Assistants | Discussion Item | (20 Minutes) (Student Affairs)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss about the Student Affairs Assistant position.

Senator Nino/Fernandez- Moves to have a Pro and Con Discussion. 1 objection:
Senator Villalobos,, there is a presentation that would alleviate information regarding this agenda item.

Roll Call vote: 11.10.1

Division of House: 12.10.1

Student Trustee Flores- What is the issue? Why is it necessary to have a pro-con.

It is a discussion item.

Senator Oyarzabal- It is unfair to limit to only two sides.

Senator Nino- Unsure if discussion is about description or process of hiring.

Quorum remains: 18

Senator Arana- Is it pro and con on description or transparency.

Senator Sanchez/Athena- Moves to close pro and con discussion. No objections.

Senator Oyarzabal/Venegas- Move to open discussion for 20 minutes. No objections.

No quorum: 16

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B) SB 14-056: Pep Band Mobile Unit | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(Senator Khetani | Senator Fernandez)

The Senate shall consider funding the Pep Band Mobile Unit.

Senator Sanchez/Athena- Move to open discussion for 3 minutes. No objections.

Senator Sanchez- Concern: Feels like there should be more money spent on equipment for a longer life. Concerns also arose about the jackets. Suggests amending legislation to remove jackets. *Harness will last for a couple decades. The jackets have normal wear and tear.*

Senator Oyarzabal- Feels like Student Equity should fund for this, and not out of Special Projects account.

Senator Villalobos- How long is practice going on for? We must consider those students who are in class. *The pep band has not gotten any noise complaints.*

Senator Beltran- Was ASCC the first option for funding? *Yes, because they feel like Pep Band is a special project for the students.*

Senator Beltran/Oyarzabal- Move to extend time, 1 minute per speaker.

Senator Beltran- Can we look for other avenues as a source of funding? Would also like to see a breakdown of current funds. *Special projects has \$35,000. The account was created for events and projects like these.*

Senator Sanchez- Have the students in the pep band taken special courses to be in the band? *Funding is done a year in advance, and there is no more money to fund the pep band.*

Senator Arana- Will the students have incentives to be in the pep band? *Yes, it is in their 6 page course syllabus. Even without the money, the band has been out performing.*

Senator Guzman- Have there been money allocated to them? *No, not yet. That is why they are funding it.*

Senator Lee- Is the uniform reused every year? *No. They have*

Senator Athena- It comes down to about \$40 per student. If we fund them, would they be working more with student government?

Senator Venegas/Villalobos- Moves to end discussion. No objections.

Senator Venegas- Moves to approve legislation.

Senator Athena/Sanchez- Amend to cut funding for jackets. No objections.

No objections to approve.

C) SB 14-062: Hydration Stations | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(President Aiello | Senator Gonzalez)

The Senate shall consider funding the Hydration Stations.

Senator Khetani/Sanchez- Move to open discussion for 5 minutes.

Senator Khetani- Wants to see a visual of hydration stations. *Hydration stations replicate what other universities have.*

Senator Sanchez- How many are we funding? *5*

Senator Diaz- How and when will they be maintained? *Currently working with facilities about the maintenance.*

Senator Fernandez- What if they get mistreated? Feels there would be a pilot of two or three.

Senator Gonzalez- Locations would be in HS, SS, Library, PST, and Game Room.

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President Aiello- Remember to vote on what can be done for the students.

Senator Sanchez/Fierro- Extend time by 5 minutes.

Senator Guzman- Recommendation: Not to pass because it was not thought out entirely.

Senator Oyarzabal- Life expectancy? Who is covering the charges for maintenance? *Life expectancy between a decade to 15 years. Money for maintenance is still under discussion.*

AJ- There are photos of the hydration stations.

Senator Khetani- Maintenance money is included in the legislation? *No.* If the model is staying for 15 years, we want something presentable.

Senator Nino- Feels like Go Green has been meeting enough to do thorough research. If the committee wants more money, they do not need to come to Senate. They can request it from the budget committee.

Senator Villalobos-

Senator Sanchez- Agrees with Senator Fernandez, recommends in investing with two or three as a test.

Senator Venegas/Diaz- Moves to limit 30 seconds per speaker.

Quorum re-established: 25

Senator Venegas- Proposed five, map shows eight.

Senator Vidal- Money is coming from Special Projects, and facilities will be taking care of the maintenance.

Senator Diaz- What is the installation cost? *There is no current breakdown, but is believed to be included in amount funded.*

Senator Khetani- How long, after it is passed, will it take to have them installed? *Time varies due to process.*

Senator Guzman- Only concern is the plan for maintenance. Suggests to postpone. Requests to have someone come in to elaborate on funding.

Senator Venegas/Arana- Move to end discussion. No objections.

Senator Sanchez/Villalobos- Amend to have it for two.

Senator Athena/Arana- Amend to amend for three hydration stations.

Senator Khetani objects to amendments. It would take a longer time to install the hydration stations.

Roll call vote: 12.13.0

Quorum re-established: 23

Senator Sanchez/Ubbu- Move to have installation of 2 hydration stations.

Objection by Senator Zepeda.

Roll Call vote: 7.15.1

Senator Nino/Arcilla- Move to approve legislation. 1 objection, Senator Guzman:

there is no plan.

Roll Call vote: 17.5.1. Legislation passes.

5 minute recess.

After recess Quorum: 23

Senator Venegas/Villalobos- Moves to have 7A before 7C. Senator Arcilla- feels time should be allocated to other important items.

Roll Call Vote: 6.17.0

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Senator Sanchez/Arana- Move to approve 7E, 7F, 7G as a block. No objections.

D) JL14-003: Special Projects Account | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(President Aiello | Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall consider replenishing the Special Projects Account from the Reserves.

Legislation approval by Cabinet.

Senator Sanchez/Gurley- Move to have discussion for 5 minutes. No objections.

Senator Sanchez- If there is approval to reallocate money into Special Projects account, there's going to be a will to

Senator Fernandez- Would there have to be an amendment to lower the amount?

Yes. It will go back to Cabinet for approval.

Senator Gonzalez-

Senator Khetani- How much money will we have left in Reserves? *After, it will still be about 1 million.*

Senator Vidal- Are reserves ever replenished? *No.*

Senator Beltran- Contract was signed, so there is more money coming in.

Senator Arcilla- Have we ever tapped into the Reserves account? *There have been a couple legislations written to have money out of Reserves.*

Senator Sanchez- What if the bookstore contract ends? We would be losing on money. Two years ago, the Senate voted on continuous reallocation of funds from reserves.

Quorum re-established: 24

Senator Guzman/Sanchez-Move to deny legislation. Objection by Senator Athena. There will be a need to replenish Special Projects, because there is anticipation from other clubs who will later need funding.

Quorum re-established: 26

Quorum re-established: 23

Approval to deny 1.22.4

Oyazabal/Athena- Moves to approval legislation. 1 objection, Senator Sanchez.

Quorum re-established: 24

Motion passes 23.1.1

Quorum re-established: 22

E) JL14-002: Funding For Phi Rho Pi Tournament | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(Senator Sanchez | Senator Zepeda)

The Senate shall consider funding the Cerritos College Forensics team.

F) SB14-064: Funding of IPDA Nationals | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(Senator Vu | Senator Sanchez)

The Senate shall consider funding the Cerritos College Forensics team attending IPDA nationals in March.

G) SB14-065: Funding for Student Trip to Awards Ceremony | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(Senator Zepeda | Senator Fierro)

The Senate shall discuss funding award nominated student, Carlos Madrigal, to attend Intercollegiate Broadcasting System Conference and awards banquet in New York City from March 6th – 8th.

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- H) SB14-066: March in March | Informational, Discussion, and Action Item | (5 Minutes)**
(Senator Nino | Senator Sanchez)
The Senate shall consider of funding the March in March.
- 8. Old Business | (25 Minutes)**
- A) Board of Trustees Orientation | Informational and Discussion Item | (10 Minutes)**
(Student Trustee Flores Resendiz)
The Senate shall be informed and discuss the Student Trustee responsibilities and how to relay and receive information from the Board of Trustees.
- B) Commencement | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)**
(Coordinator of Student Activities)
The Senate shall be informed on the deadline to petition to graduate and other dates relative to commencement.
- C) ACCJC Follow-up Report | Informational Item | (10 Minutes)**
(Dr. JoAnna Schilling)
The Senate shall be updated for students regarding the accreditation follow-up report.

9. Communication

Student Activities Report

See Student Activities Report 2/11/15

Executive Report

Good Afternoon Senators. I yearn to be with you in today's meeting, for I enjoy them very much and this will be the first one I miss all year. I want to thank all of you for bringing your concerns forward to the table in regards to Charles and my employment. The recent discussion of our employment is a good thing, for it shows that we have concerned Senators who take their role seriously. In regards to our employment, I wish I could participate in the discussion, but unfortunately I am currently at the ACCT National Legislative Conference representing our school. I will bring back a host of information to share with all of you that will shine light on the current legislations in congress that directly affect our school, as well with thousands of institutions. Thank you for all for your commitment, resilience and engaging participation. Lets continue to strive to make Cerritos College a place where students can strive to become better leaders, engage in robust, active student life, and learn how to give back to our community that we love so dearly. I have never been so proud to call myself a Falcon. Thank you for all the hard work and keep it up!

Judicial Report

Student Trustee Report

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

I am elated to announce a student victory in The Social Equality's Club 'Access to Textbooks' campaign. The campaign had two goals, the first was to educate the student population on why textbooks are unfairly priced and simply put its due to the

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oligopolistic market structure, in which the market is dominated by a small number of companies that are able to increase product prices as much as they want, the second objective was to renegotiate the current bookstore contract to have the bookstore company supply the library with Textbooks get a better deal. In a collaborative effort with students, faculty, administration and the board of trustees, we have reached an agreement with Follet Higher Education Group Inc on a new bookstore operating agreement. I will provide a brief synopsis of the terms and give a full presentation next week. The biggest items negotiated are as follows. The increase of commission to Student Activities, they will receive the greater of \$400,000, 90% of the previous years commission, or the calculated amount derived from the Gross Percentage Formula. All Commission to student activities except \$30,000 to the Library so they can purchase reserves for students who cannot afford textbooks. The margin for the cost of new textbooks still remains at 25% except Follet will absorb the 2% shipping cost that students have been paying for in the last 14 years. The margin on e-books, course packs, text packages, kits, sets, new textbooks with digital access codes and bundles has been lowered from 30% to \$25. To provide an example on the impact for all students. There was a textbook in Political Science that was being sold last week for \$120.50 now that same book, this week will cost students \$107.80 (This does not include CA Tax) that's a savings of \$12.82. A \$5,000 agreement for textbook scholarships and one-time commission payment of \$112,000 for Fall Rush Sales. We also asked and received for a contract that was clear, easy to read for students because in the past, there was language that was very ambiguous and riddled with loopholes allowing the bookstore to get away with things that were detrimental to student success. We also questioned the district in their auditing practices, moving forward we expect administrators to be up to date with the financials of this agreement, making sure they are keeping word with what is written in the contract. That's the jist of it, this campaign took the club about a year to complete, it was a very tedious task and it wasn't the work of just one student but that of many minds coming together, collectively putting in work with whatever they could and achieving a goal that will be deeply and widely felt many years to come.

Meeting with Paula

Meeting with Dr. Lacy

Meeting with the Dean of the Library Shawna

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Update on Open Source textbooks in March

Trustee Salazar wants to have a joint meeting with ASCC.

In Solidarity

Party Whip Report

See Cabinet Minutes 2/9/15

Delegate Report

The Region 8 will be having a Legislation retreat on Friday Feb 20 from 11-4. Cerritos will be hosting, lunch will be provided. The retreat will consist of training, presentations, and workshops that will prepare us for the March in March.

Vice Presidential Report

Student Initiative Planning Meeting today

Read your emails

Availability Form

Reference to use for putting in your committees, seating chart, legislation writing, etc.

Committee Report

Senate Report

- Senator Nino
 - *I call item 7A out of order. The Student Affairs Technicians and their duties do not fall under our jurisdiction. This agenda Item does not pertain to our duties as senators.*
- Senator Guzman
 - *16 week session*
 - *Future joint legislation*

10. Announcements

- A) Mascot Unveiling** | February 5 | 11AM | Falcon Square
- B) American Red Cross Blood Drive** | February 9-12 | Falcon Square
- C) Next ASCC Court Meeting** | February 17 | 11AM | BK-111/112
- D) ASCC Presidential/Vice Presidential & Student Trustee Applications Available** | February 17 | ASCC
- E) Early Bird Special** | February 18 | 8:30AM | BK-111/112
- F) Next ASCC Senate Meeting** | February 18 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- G) Club Paperwork Due** | February 12 | Student Activities
- H) Campus Closed** | February 16
- I) Next ASCC Cabinet Meeting** | February 23 | 2PM | BK-111/112

11. Adjournment

Lack of quorum. Adjournment at 3:51PM

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Wednesday | February 18, 2015

2:00 PM

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1. Call to Order

2:05PM

2. Flag Salute

Senator Lee

3. Roll Call

Quorum at 26

4. Approval of Minutes

Senator Oyarzabal/Villalobos- Move to strike reports from last week's meeting.

No objections

Senator Nino/Athena- Move to approve minutes with amendments. No objections

5. Approval of Agenda

Senator Fierro-Moves to have Senate Reports after Public Forum

Senator Oyarzabal- Point of order: Roberts Rules of Order, moved to approve agenda under specified Roberts Rules of Order.

Daniel Gomez

Senator Oyarzabal- Is the senate allowed to suspend Roberts Rules of Order? *Yes*.

Senator Venegas- Quotes Brown Act, due to lack of quorum, moves to have Agenda item before stated business.

Chair Sanchez- Move 8D after 7A. Objection by Senator Oyarzabal.

Senator Oyarzabal/Guzman- Moves Senate Reports, Public Forum, Old Business. Senator Arana objects.

Quorum re-established at 27

Chair Sanchez- No objections, moves Senate Reports after Public Forum

Senator Arana/Arcilla- Moves to have 8B after 7A. 1 objection- Senator Oyarzabal.

Roll Call Vote: 9.18.0

Senator Nino/Athena- Approve Agenda with amendments

6. Public Forum

7. Immediate Business | (50 Minutes)

A) Transfer Center | Informational Item | (10 Minutes)

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(Marvelina Barcelo)

The Senate shall be informed of the 2015 Spring University tours.

Quorum Remains at 20

Quorum re-established at 21

Spring 2015 tours begin for February 27th.

Quorum re-established at 23

Tours are a great opportunity for students to gain information and knowledge about universities.

Quorum remains at 22

Trip to Arizona universities are April 8th through April 10th. Foundations is paying for students to be able to stay at dorms, and compensations for three meals.

Deadline for applications are extended

Quorum remains at 21

One day tours require a \$10 deposit, that will be refunded.

Quorum remains at 19

Senator Villalobos- If you attend the tour, is there priority registration? *No.*

Senator Aponte- Speaks to encourage students to attend the tours.

Senator Garcia- If you have already attended the trip, can you attend again? *Yes.*

Senator Ubbu- Will there be a tour to UC Irvine? *It is only for the Fall.*

Senator Oyarzabal/Athena- Move to have 7C before 7B.

B) Cerritos 5K OBS & Fit Challenge | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)

(Dan Clauss)

The Senate shall be informed of charity event at Cerritos College.

Quorum lost at 17

Early registration is \$19 for Cerritos Students.

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Senator Aponte- Are there any more discounts for groups? *No, it's a rate of \$19 per Cerritos College students. It is \$50 for day-of registration?*

Senator Athena- Has this been presented to athletic and PE classes? *Yes.*

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Senator Oyarzabal- Speaks of support because it is for a great cause.

Senator Fernandez- Are there flyers to pass out? *Yes, they are in Mr. Clauss's office.*

Senator Vidal- What time does it start? *9am*

Daniel Gomez- Speaks in support of attending. Even if there is no actual participation, please volunteer.

C) CMC3 South "Super Pi" Day Conference | Informational and Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(Ruben Alvarez)

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action regarding sponsoring the math club for their trip to the "Super Pi" Day Conference.

Quorum remains at 18

Handouts of information and funding breakdown were given to the Senate. Total cost is \$6,415.40.

Quorum re-established at 19

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Math club has funded 20% (\$1,283.08), asking for \$5,131.92 from ASCC.

Senator Villalobos- Thanks Math Club president for a clear breakdown.

Senator Sanchez- How many students per room? *2 per room. Separate rooms for males and females.*

Senator Nino- Take into consideration about one student having a room for themselves.

Senator Oyarzabal- Thanks Math Club President for encouraging students to participate and attend events like these.

Senator Sanchez- Suggests having four people per room to save money and reduce costs. Concern about t-shirts.

Senator Sedano- How many beds per room? *Two beds.*

Senator Beltran- Personal experience about trip with MUN, where there were 5 people per room. Just a suggestion, to help cut costs.

Senator Villalobos- Speaks to support the club in their funding.

Senator Oyarzabal/Aponte-Moves to pre-approve and present legislation next week. 1 objection, Senator Sanchez- Feels like it should be reconsidered for rooms and costs.

Roll Call Vote: 12.7.0 Motion passes

Quorum remains at 18

Senator Oyarzabal/Aponte- Move 7D before 7B. 1 objection, Senator Sanchez- Speaker is waiting for presentation.

Senator Oyarzabal rescinds motion.

**D) CASHA Conference| Discussion and Action Item | (10 Minutes)
(Ashely Johnson)**

The Senate shall discuss and take action, providing necessary \$945 funds to send 7 students to CASHA conference

**E) Garden Initiative | Informational, Discussion, and Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Environmental Club)**

The Senate shall be informed, discuss, and take action on approving funding for Environmental Club, Science and Technology's Garden Initiative.

8. Old Business | (45 Minutes)

**A) Board of Trustees Orientation | Informational and Discussion Item | (10 Minutes)
(Student Trustee Flores Resendiz)**

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the Student Trustee responsibilities and how to relay and receive information from the Board of Trustees.

No objections to table 8A, move to 8B.

There will be a joint meeting between student government and the board members.

Student Trustee Flores does a PowerPoint Presentation on who the board is, and what their roles as Board members are. Also gives information of who other members who sit at the board are. Dr. Gularte, VP of Human Resources; Dr. Johnson, VP of Student Services; Dr. ElFattal, VP of Business Services; Dr. Schilling, VP of Academic Affairs. Board Members: Dr. Salazar, Mr. Drayer, Dr. Liu, Dr. Avalos, Dr. Lacy (superintendent), Mrs. Perez, Mr. Arthur, Mr. Zurich, Student Trustee Flores. Faculty:

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Faculty Senate President Lewellen, Union President Dr. Namala, CSEA President Lynn L.

Quorum re-established 27

If anyone would like to contact Student Trustee Flores, his office is located next to President Aiello's office.

No objections to open for discussion.

Senator - Where are the board meetings held? *In the board room by the Admissions office, every other Wednesday at 6:30 pm*

Senator Garcia- How did you become student trustee? How long is your term? *Election process. Term is a year, from June 5th last year, to June 5th this year.*

B) Commencement | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)

(Coordinator of Student Activities)

The Senate shall be informed on the deadline to petition to graduate and other dates relative to commencement.

Petition for graduation is at 3pm today. March 23rd is the deadline, with name not on list.

Petition is due to Admission and Records. Transcripts will show approval of petition.

Graduation is May 16th. Those graduating are to meet at the gym by 4:30pm, and walk to stadium.

Senator Beltran- If the application was submitted last semester, will there be a need to resubmit it? *No.*

Senator Nino- If there is a petition for AA-T, will the name still show on the program? *Yes.*

Senator Athena/Venegas- Untable 8A. No objections.

C) ACCJC Follow-up Report | Informational Item | (10 Minutes)

(Dr. JoAnna Schilling)

The Senate shall be updated for students regarding the accreditation follow-up report.

No objections to postpone 8C to next week's meeting.

D) Student Affairs Assistants | Discussion Item | (20 Minutes)

(Student Affairs)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss about the Student Affairs Assistant position.

No objections to open discussion for 20 minutes.

Senator Oyarzabal- Concerns: Violations from funding. Student Equity plan states student success indicators. Since there is no description of the job, it is clearly a violation, and takes credibility from the school.

Quorum remains at 26

Senator Sanchez -> VP Caguioa **Quorum re-established at 27**

Senator Sanchez- CSEA President had a concern where her employees are making less money than those of the Assistants.

Senator Villalobos- There has been talks about how Senate has no power over this subject, when it is in the contrary. Trustee Perez stated she is for student jobs, but she hoped that the Dean of Student Services would have opened to all the other students.

Senator Nino- No matter what the Senators agree on, there is nothing that can be done because the jobs have already been approved by the Board. Transparency is not an

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issue with the Senate and our government. The Senate is unsure if there are any success indicators. *The purpose is to create more jobs for the students. Making accessibility easier for students.*

Senator Diaz- Concern is about the pay. Has talked to multiple students who are upset, because they have worked over 6 years to reach the pay that the President and Vice President are getting paid.

Senator Guzman-

Senator Sanchez- Commissioner of IT and Nighttime Activities are to be held responsible for updating the pages. Student Ambassadors went through a hiring process and application process, unlike the assistant positions.

Senator Venegas- Job description says one thing, consisting of outreaching, and that is the responsibility of a President and Vice President.

Senator Beltran- Lack of consistency with job description, which creates a conflict of interest.

Senator Sendano- What can the Senate or student body do to fix this concern?

Positions were approved by Human Resources.

Senator Oyarzabal- Concern because it feels like a handout, because the roles are similar to those of the President and Vice President. CA Community College Chancellor's Office states that the money should go for programs that benefit the students and the community. Encourages student body to base opinions on facts.

Senator Gonzalez- Is it possible for Senate to take a stance to bring the issue to the Board. *There is a legislation being written.*

Senator Villalobos- Human Resources approved the job, and there is no need for this job description. Conflict from HR in that anyone from Student Services office can create jobs as they please, and give job descriptions for certain jobs and not others.

Senator Guzman/Oyarzabal- Move to have 1 minute per speaker.

Student Trustee Flores- There needs to be another discussion. Compensation should be provided to all of the student government members because of the hard work that is done from students at large and student leaders.

Commissioner Jimenez- No one is denying that the President and Vice President are doing their jobs. There was a total lack of transparency, due to the hiring in October, approval in January, and the other student government leaders found out after the approval through Talon Marks.

Quorum remains at 26

Senator Nino- Claims and discussion have been about the means of how the hiring process went.

Quorum remains at 23

Senator Sanchez- Concern about the pay, because they already have a \$1,000 budget and now they are making over \$14/hr.

Ms. Morales- Brought the issues to concerned students. [packets are handed out.] Recommended for the President and Vice President to resign as assistants.

Quorum remains at 22

Senator Oyarzabal/Villalobos- Table agenda item. No objections.

Senator Oyarzabal/Venegas- Moves to have 7C, 7D, 7E about 7A. 1 objection-

Senator Sanchez- There is a speaker, and senate should consider the speaker for 7A.

Quorum remains at 21

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Roll Call Vote: 4.17.2 Motion fails.

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Executive Report

Dear Senate,

~~It feels great to be back at warm Cerritos College. There are a couple things that I would like to inform you on that I believe you will find both important and rather interesting. Again, thank you for passing the Hydration Stations legislation; you have all made history. I have emailed David Moore the finalized 5 locations that were presented to you. I am waiting to hear from him in regards to the next step. He assured me that the implementation process should all be done in a timely manner. Also, my visit to the ACCT National Legislation Conference was a huge learning experience. While there, I was exposed to trustees from all over the country and got to hear what their schools struggle with, and, in contrast, where the success lies. Overall, it was a grand experience that opened my eyes to the rapport that exist between all community colleges in our nation. Some of the major topics at the the conference were free community college for everyone, which President Obama presented in his State of the Union speech. I would be more than happy to share more detailed points of discussion about the conference to anyone who is interested. There is one last major project that I am currently working on for the year: bulletin boards. Getting 5 to 6 bulletin boards in critical locations in the campus so students can better be informed on exactly what is happening around the school. If there are any Senators interested in pursuing this endeavor with me, please come talk to me. In addition, our 3rd Spirit Day is coming up tomorrow! This is going to be a grand event where ASGC gets to demonstrate and showcase everything that we have been working this year. Please come and share this wonderful experience with the students, faculty, administrators, the drumline, and our brand new spunky mascot! Lastly, always feel free to approach me. I am a very approachable person, and actually quite a goofball when I am not in meetings.~~

~~Go Falcons!~~

~~*Report was stricken from Minutes, no Executive Report was presented to the Senate.~~

Judicial Report

Student Trustee Report

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

Party Whip Report

Delegate Report

Vice Presidential Report

~~Spirit Day~~

~~Student Initiative Planning Committee~~

~~*Vice Presidential Report was stricken, no report was presented to the Senate.~~

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Senate Report

- Senator Fierro
 - food project task force
 - March 5th in Student Center
- Senator Oyarzabal
 - Turn on cameras for Faculty meetings. Who provides cost for board meeting recordings, to have that implemented for Faculty meetings.
 - Auditions for musicals
- Senator Guzman
 - Legislation for 16 week sessions

Quorum remains 26

10. Announcements

- A) Next ASCC Cabinet Meeting** | February 23 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- B) Spring Festival Days Applications Available** | February 23 | ASCC
- C) Next ASCC Court Meeting** | February 24 | 11AM | BK-111/112
- D) ICC Meeting** | February 26 | 11AM | BK-111/112
- E) Black History Celebration** | February 26 | 6PM | ?

11. Adjournment

Due to lack of quorum, meeting adjourned at 3:44pm

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Wednesday | February 25, 2015

2:00 PM

BK-111/112

1. Call to Order

2. 2:01

2:04pm

3. Flag Salute

4. Senator Athena

Senator Athena leads the Senate and its public to the flag salute.

5. Roll Call

6.

Quorum established at 29

7. Approval of Minutes

Senator Nino- Correction: Student Affairs Assistans- **There is nothing that can be done as a senate, there is nothing that can be done because there has already**

Quorum remains at 25

Senator Athena/Zepeda- Move to approve Minutes with amendments. No objections

8. The difference between supporting Dr. Lacy's employment

Senator Nino- Correction to his comments made during last week's meeting.

9. Approval of Agenda

Senator Gonzalez/Nino-Move to postpone item 7C

Senator Nino/Oyarzabal- Moves to have Communications after Public Forum

Senator Venegas/Beltran- Move 8I (SR14-002) to move after Public Forum. 1 Objection-Senator

Nino: Move 8I after Public Forum

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Senator Sanchez/Villalobos- Amend the motion to have Public Forum, followed by Communications, followed by Item 8I.

- 10.** Senator Athena/Sanchez- Move to approve Agenda with amendments.

11. Public Forum

Julia Martinez- Creation of petitions to have President and Vice President resign from job positions, and allow other students to apply for the jobs.

Silvester- Supports President and Vice President to keep jobs.

Quorum re-established at 26

Cesar Hernandez- Speaks for Phi Beta Lambda

12. Old Business | (25 Minutes)

- A) ACCJC Follow-up Report | Informational Item | (10 Minutes)**
(Dr. JoAnna Schilling)

The Senate shall be updated for students regarding the accreditation follow-up report.

- B) CASHA Conference| Discussion and Action Item | (10 Minutes)**
(Ashley Johnson)

The Senate shall discuss and take action, providing necessary \$945 funds to send 7 students to CASHA conference

- C) Garden Initiative | Informational, Discussion, and Action Item | (5 Minutes)**
(Environmental Club)

The Senate shall be informed, discuss, and take action on approving funding for Environmental Club, Science and Technology's Garden Initiative.

13. New Business | (50 Minutes)

- A) LAMUN Conference | Informational and Discussion Item | (10 Minutes)**
(CCMUN)

The Senate shall discuss and take action, after the CCMUN presentation to allocate \$400.00 for LAMUN lodging.

Quorum remains at 14

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Model United Nation Intercollegiate Conference. LAMUN at UCLA. Total needed from ASCC would be \$400. Counted with 600 and 250 account, total needed would be \$1,537.

Senator Nino- Thank you to MUN and wishes to approve the funding.

Senator Sanchez- Suggests MUN

Vice President Caguioa- Suggests MUN include funding for food.

Senator Nino- How many students are attending? 15

Quorum remains at 13

Senator Arcilla- Isn't this just an informational item? We can't vote on it. *Rules are suspended. We do not need to wait until next week to vote as long as the Majority*

Senator Sanchez/-Legislation drafted out until amount is finalized. No objections.

B) SB14-067: CMC3 South "Super Pi" Day Conference | Informational and Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(Senator Fierro |)

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action regarding sponsoring the math club for their trip to the "Super Pi" Day Conference.

C) SB14-068: Commissioner of External Affairs | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(President Aiello | Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall consider appointing the Commissioner of External Affairs.

D) SB14-069: Assistant Commissioner of Daytime Activities | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(President Aiello | Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall consider appointing the Assistant Commissioner of Daytime Activities.

E) SB14-070: Assistant Commissioner of Public Relations | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(President Aiello | Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall consider appointing the Assistant Commissioner of Public Relations.

F) SB14-071: Assistant Commissioner of Student Center | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(President Aiello | Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall consider appointing the Assistant Commissioner of the Student Center.

G) SB14-072: Assistant Commissioner of Records and Information | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(President Aiello | Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall consider appointing the Assistant Commissioner of Records and Information.

H) SB14-073: Associate Justice | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(President Aiello | Vice President Caguioa)

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The Senate shall consider appointing an Associate Justice position.

**I) SB14-074: Student Affairs Assistants | Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Senator Oyarzabal | Senator Guzman)**

The Senate shall vote whether to support the resignations of the ASCC President and Vice President from the Students Affairs Assistant positions

Correction: SB14-074 is SR14-002

Senator Beltran- Can the legislation be pulled up on the screen? *No, only a printed copy was provided.*

Quorum remains at 29

Senator Oyarzabal/Sanchez- Move to open discussion for 5 minutes.

Senator Gonzalez/Garcia- Move to amend, to have 10 minute discussion.

Senator Villalobos/Fernandez- Amend to have 2 minutes per speaker.

Senator Gonzalez/Nino- Moves to open discussion for 10 minutes. No objection.

Senator Oyarzabal- Positions were executively given to President and Vice President.

Potential Conflict of Interest, contradict to what the Student Equity Plan is about.

President Aiello-

Senator Villalobos- Point of Personal Privilege, to have President Aiello to be visible to all the Senators.

Reasons why President and Vice President should be getting paid. *EEO-HR for part-time positions on campus, it does not need to be broadcasted to the student body population. *No Job Descriptions- It is between Classified and Districts that there are no job descriptions for part-time hourly. There is difference between job responsibilities and job description. *No Application Process- No part-time positions need to be posted or opened to the student body. *Approval of the Job by Board of Trustees- Revision was put on last minute, Agenda Items could be put as Consent Items where they could be voted as a block. There is video evidence that three students spoke about the agenda item at the Board meeting. *Does not follow Student Equity Plan- Relates to positions directly for ASCC, according to a meeting with Dr. Lacy. *Student Job Opportunities- Wants to become a better leader, but financially, has not been allowed to do so. President Aiello wants to challenge the status quo, of allowing current and future President and Vice President to be getting paid. The bigger picture is to give an opportunity to become better leaders.

Vice Presidents requests to have a motion

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Senator Nino/Gonzalez- Table 8I and proceed to 8B. 1 objection- Senator Venegas: Has been a discussion item for over a month, and feels like it should be voted upon to continue to move on with other items.

Quorum remains at 30

Roll Call vote: 12.15.3

Quorum remains at 29

Senator Villalobos- Not every student employee represents the students the way the ASCC employees do.

Quorum remains at 28

Math tutors go through a vigorous process to show that they are fit for the position. Is not against student jobs, does not agree with

Quorum re-established at 29

Senator Sanchez- Last year, as Vice President, was not paid for the job. Had a budget of \$250, whereas the current leaders have a \$1,000 budget. The position of President and Vice President are voluntary

Quorum re-established at 30

Board members abstained to voting in approval of these job positions, because they did not agree with the hiring process.

Senator Venegas- What schools are paying their President and Vice President?

Quorum remains at 29

Student Trustee Flores- Is against what is being said. During the board meeting, it was discussed that President and Vice President were not hired due to their positions, but eventually admitted that they were. In Senate meetings, they have been asked why they were hired, and it was said not because they hold the title of President and Vice President

Senator Gonzalez- Does not wish the President and Vice President to feel attacked, the item being discussed is the Student Affairs Assistants. President and Vice President are the most qualified individuals, they deserve the opportunity.

No objection to open discussion for 5 minutes, followed by calling the Previous Question. No objections.

Quorum remains at 27

Senator Nino- Are we looking out for ourselves? Are we looking out for the 26,000 students? How many items have been postponed because of this agenda item? If there is a transparency issue, file a Brown Act violation. President and Vice President

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have a lot of duties to do, you know the commitment to the student would be less. In providing them with jobs, we have the President and Vice President more dedicated to the students.

Quorum re-established at 27

Senator Hakeem- Were the positions only created with the President and Vice President in mind? *The opportunity would be opened to the President and Vice President.*

Dr. LoVetere- Think about what the motive and perspective is. The training process is not the same as a hiring process.

Senator Oyarzabal- There are a lot of appeals. There are things mentioned by President Aiello that are irrelevant to the information.

Senator Venegas, Guzman call a Point of Order to President Aiello

Quorum remains at 26

Senator Oyarzabal/Sanchez- Move to approve SR14-002. 1 objection: Senator Khetani- It is not the fault of the President or Vice President, because they did not give themselves the job. If there are any issues, take it with the people who did the hiring.

Senator Beltran- Keep in mind the 300 students that signed the petition.

Senator Nino/Fierro- Move to have discussion for 5 minutes.

Quorum remains at 24

Senator Nino- The petitions have 300 signatures, which are nowhere near the 26,000 students. It is only a sample size.

Senator Guzman- Legislation is about the process. A lot of students felt like it was unfair. 360 voted for the President and Vice President, so 300 students are enough to voice their concerns.

President Aiello- Stipend of \$1,000 can not be spent on personal necessities. Student Trustee position is also a conflict of interest.

Senator Oyarzabal- Point of Order, the Student Trustee position is not what is being discussed.

Senator Athena moves to call the previous question

Quorum re-established at 25

Senator Nino- Moves to amend the second resolved to have a maximum of 20 hours. "...possible amount of hours being 20."

Senator Sanchez/Fierro- Move to approve SR14-002. Senator Khetani objects.

Senator Nino/Zepeda: 6th Whereas to be changed from "should" to "could".

Objection by Senator Sanchez- discussion has been about what they *should* have done.

Senator Nino rescinded his motion.

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Quorum re-established at 28

Roll Call Vote: 12.11.5 Motion passes

Senator Athena/Beltran- Move to Approve 8B, 8C, 8D, 8E, 8F, 8G, 8H as a block.

Senator Guzman/Fierro- Amend the motion to approve 8C-8H as a block. No objections. Items 8C, 8D, 8E, 8F, 8G, 8H approved.

Quorum remains at 20

Senator Nino/Sanchez- Move to have discussion regarding approval for 2 minutes.

Senator Sedano -Moves to have discussion for 3 minutes. Senator Sanchez objects, due to student presentation.

Senator Sedano - retracts her amendment.

Roll call vote: 2.18.0

Senator Nino/Fierro- Moves to have discussion for 10 seconds.

Senator Nino-Where do priorities lie? Spent so much time with the Student Affairs Assistants, the Senate just approved student leaders without knowing [these] individuals.

Senator Sanchez/Athena- Move 8A before 7A.

Senator Nino/Sanchez-Moves to suspend the rules to go over the Agenda Item and vote on it, with a majority. No objections.

14. Communication

Student Activities Report

Joint meeting between student government and board which is to be scheduled in April. March in March has been confirmed, 14 students and 1 advisor will be attending.

Executive Report

Report from last week. Thanks the Senate for passing the Hydration Stations. Bulletin Boards (about 4 or 5) around campus to allow for students to be more aware of what is going on on campus.

Judicial Report

President and Student Trustee Election board has been created. Discussion about

Quorum re-established at 27

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Student Trustee Report

Quorum remains at 26
Quorum re-established at 29

Board has agreed on new bookstore agreement and contract, which will be presented in the future. Textbook prices have decreased.

Quorum re-established at 30

Board revised the bookstore contract which did not allow for any loopholes. Board wishes to have a joint meeting with the student government. Contact of information, Dr. Johnson.

Student Trustee Flores has brought up safety concerns to the board of Trustees.

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

-Online Classes. Faculty spoke about pros and cons of online courses. Spoke about semi-independent courses. Math courses are not listed as semi-independent, speaking about highlighting "semi-independent" course. -Student Equity Committee- Five students to fill as student reps. -March 3rd Depression and Suicide workshop.

Party Whip Report

-Court is looking into online voting. -Outreach booth (food will be provided to those volunteering) -Spirit Day: -Meeting for those attending March in March -Budget Committee meeting -Earth Day and Diversity Week

Delegate Report

-Legislative retreat on Friday, about 30 participants from multiple colleges. Updated those in attendance about legislations for March in March. Commissioner Castillo was able to get four appointments.

Vice Presidential Report

- *Formally resigning position of Vice President. Thank you to all the Senator who have been here from the beginning, thank you to all the Senators who have recently been appointed. Thank you to the commissioners, and thank you to the Court members. Thank you to the staff for helping develop the skills of the President and Vice President. Thank you to the public. Thank you to President Aiello for allowing VP Caguioa the opportunity of being his running mate. Clarification: leaving to focus more on academics.*

Committee Report

Senate Report

Senator Fierro- Safe Zone Training yesterday, was fantastic. -Black History Month celebration, with many participants. Thanks VP Caguioa for doing an amazing job.

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Senator Gonzalez- Business Cards, which allows students the opportunity to contact their senators. Would like the Senate to support the idea of business cards for the Senators.

Senator Oyarzabal- Theatre department Trojan Woman opening this weekend. Opening Night Friday at 8pm. -Safety on Campus: Concerns about safety, especially at night, where the lights are dim.

Senator Villalobos- Safety Committee TBD, which is opened to all students. Campus Police has scheduled a safety walk to point off areas of opportunity.

Senator Sanchez- March 24th next Safe Zone Training. April 21st is opened to all students. Remember to vote of what's best for the students, and not personal feelings.

15. Announcements

- A) ICC Meeting** | February 26 | 11AM | BK-111/112
- B) Black History Celebration** | February 26 | 6PM
- C) Next ASCC Cabinet Meeting** | March 2 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- D) Next ASCC Court Meeting** | March 3 | 11AM | BK-111/112
- E) Next ASCC Court Meeting** | March 4 | 2PM | BK-111/112

President Aiello- It is an inconvenience that there had to be postponements of Deans, Vice Presidents, and Clubs. As the Senate has voted, President Aiello has agreed to step down from the position.

16. Adjournment

Vice President Caguioa adjourns his final meeting at 4:01pm

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Wednesday | March 11, 2015

2:00 PM

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1. Call to Order

2:02PM

2. Flag Salute

Senator Athena

3. Roll Call

Quorum at 22

4. Approval of Minutes

Senator Sanchez-Oyarzabal moves to postpone the minutes from last week

Quorum re-established at 23

AJ requests to have all missing minutes to be posted

Quorum re-established at 24

No objections to postponement

5. Approval of Agenda

Quorum re-established at 25

Vice President Nino- (on behalf of Dr. Schilling), wishes to postpone agenda items 8A, 7D to the next meeting.

Senator Sanchez/Venegas move to postpone items 8A, 7D to next week. No objections

Senator Guzman/Oyarzabal- Senate reports after public forum

Senator Oyarzabal/Fierro- Amendment, Move to have Communications after Public Forum. No objections

Senator Fierro/Villalobos-Move to have 7E to strike from the Agenda, presenters not prepared.

No objections.

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6. Public Forum

Senator Sanchez/Athena- Move to limit to two minutes per speaker. No objections

Quorum re-established at 26

Dr. Contreras- Update: Completion of request to transfer funds. Approval to fund for Phi Rho Pi has been processed.

Vice President Nino (Miya Walker)- Giving feedback about presidential candidates available online. Talon Marks wishes to live stream the forum. Today's forum will begin at 3 o'clock.

7. Old Business | (35 Minutes)

A) Cerritos College Wilderness Club Field Trip | Action Item | (5 Minutes) (Wilderness Club)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss about the consideration for funding the Wilderness Club's field trip at Big Sur.

Senator Athena- Point of Inquiry: Requests account balance.

Senator Sanchez- Have there been any changes to the request amount? *No*

Senator Villalobos/Sanchez- Move to approve SB 14-077. No objections.

B) SB14-075: Assistant Commissioner of Student Outreach | Action Item | (5 Minutes) (President Aiello | Interim Vice President Sanchez)

The Senate shall consider appointing the Assistant Commissioner of Student Outreach.

Senator Oyarzabal/Diaz- Move to open discussion for 5 minutes. No objections.

Senator Sanchez- What position was held in ASB? *Treasurer.*

Senator Oyarzabal- What would the responsibilities entail? *Helping out.*

Senator Gonzalez- Student outreach is very demanding, especially when it comes to public speaking, what is your public speaking experience? *Talked about what the clubs she was in was about.*

Senator Ubbu- Are there any plans of how to help out other students in the college? *It is too soon to plan, as she has not been appointed yet.*

President Aiello- Feels like she would be a great contribution to the Cabinet.

Senator Villalobos- Feels like it would be a great opportunity and a starting step.

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Senator Fierro- (Reiterates what President Aiello and Senator Villalobos has said)

Commissioner Hickman- The assistant commissioners do a great job, and if she needs help, the Commissioner would be more than happy to lend a helping hand.

Senator Villalobos/Sanchez- Move to approve. No objections.

**C) President Veto: SR 14-002 | Action Item | (10 Minutes)
(President Aiello)**

The Senate will address the Presidential Veto and take action.

Senator Zepeda/Sanchez- Move to override the veto
14.7.6, Motion does not pass.

**D) ACCJC Follow-up Report | Informational Item | (10 Minutes)
(Dr. JoAnna Schilling)**

The Senate shall be updated for students regarding the accreditation follow-up report.

**E) Garden Initiative | Informational, Discussion, and Action Item | (5 Minutes)
(Environmental Club)**

The Senate shall be informed, discuss, and take action on approving funding for Environmental Club, Science and Technology's Garden Initiative.

8. New Business | (32 Minutes)

A) Introduction to Public Affairs at Cerritos College | Informational Item | (15 Minutes) (Maya Walker)

The Senate shall be informed by Miya Walker, Director of College Relations and Public Affairs, through a brief presentation to introduce the Public Affairs office and how it can serve the needs of the ASCC.

B) Safety Walk | Informational/Discussion Item | (7 Minutes) (Tom Gallivan)

Police Chief Tom Gallivan shall present the Safety Walk to the Senate.

(Senator Athena) Safety walk, wants 6 student government leaders to go on attend. Their job would be to walk around with campus police and evaluate the campus, where there might be a need for more lighting, etc. Wants permanent and tentative representation.

Senator Serna/Sanchez-Moves to open discussion for 5 minutes.

Senator Serna- How would the leaders sign up? *Vice President Nino, there are no certain requirements as to who can attend the walk. Senator Athena, In Cabinet,*

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there was a silent vote. Whoever has the most votes is the permanent, the second most is the tentative.

Senator Villalobos- Do we have to follow Cabinet's voting procedures? *No.*
The voting matter was discussed with the Cabinet.

Quorum remains at 23

Senator Venegas/Olivera- Move to end discussion. No objections.

Senator Sanchez/Ubbu- Moves to adjourn meeting, all remaining items for next week's meeting. No objections.

C) ASCC and Board of Trustee's | Informational/Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)

The Senate shall discuss logistics and details of the meeting that will be held with ASCC and the Board of Trustee's

D) Student Government Notation | Action | (5 Minutes) (Eduardo De La Rosa)

The Senate shall discuss and possibly take action on the request for implementing student government notation on transcripts

9. Communication

Senator Sanchez/Athena- Move to limit two minutes per speaker.

Student Activities Report

State Education address coming up. Mascot naming survey extended until next week. Last day to petition is March 23rd for graduation. Last student Safe Zone on March 24th at 11AM in SS140.

Executive Report

Very important to attend the Presidential Forums to ask questions that the students feel are critical. Recommends move to a vote on Agenda item 7B. Hydration Stations- Facilities manager has had plumber come in, unfortunately, one of the voted locations do not work.

Judicial Report

Presidential and Trustee applications are due this week, personal statements are due 24 hours after applications are turned in. Orientation will be March 27th at 10AM in BK room. Elections board has been created. Potential special meeting. Thank you to the staff for a great experience at March in March.

Quorum re-established at 27

Student Trustee Report

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No report, student trustee Flores is out ill.

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

Senate meeting cancelled.

Party Whip Report

Hope Garcia, Suleyma Castillo as alternate. Discussed board of Trustee meeting.

Cabinet voted to take a stance to allow President and Vice President to be compensated for their work.

Delegate Report

Meeting past Friday at Cypress College. May 1-3 in Ontario. Recap of March in March was discussed. If there are any questions, please feel free to come to Vice President Nino.

Vice Presidential Report

Be respectful of each other in Senate. Remember, it is a business at the meeting. There is a reason why we follow Parliamentary Procedures, to help eliminate tension amongst certain individuals.

Committee Report

Next meeting there will be a set up of committees.

Senate Report

Senator Oyarzabal- Reminder of the Presidential Forum. So far, there has been a phenomenal amount of student representation. Encourages all senator to vote on behalf of the law, and override the veto.

Senator Sanchez- From the Veteran's Club and Veteran's Resource Center, selling of sweatshirts and t-shirts. Spoke with faculty members regarding the Cabinet's vote of support. Majority of Faculty disagreed that they should be getting paid, this is all volunteer work. If the Senate votes on compensating the President and Vice President, all leaders should be compensated.

Senator Guzman- Remember not to vote based on friendship. Vote based on the facts presented by the Senators.

10. Announcements

A) Next ASCC Cabinet Meeting | March 23 | 2PM | BK-111/112

B) Next ASCC Court Meeting | March 24 | 11AM | BK-111/112

C) Next ASCC Senate Meeting | March 25 | 2PM | BK-111/112

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- D) Presidential/Vice Presidential & Student Trustee Applications** | March 13 | 12PM | Student Activities
- E) Spring Break** | March 16 – 20
- F) Exploring Internship Opportunities** | March 11 | 4pm-5pm | BE 110

11. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 2:56PM

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Wednesday | October 15, 2014

2:00 PM

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1. **Call to Order:** 2:01 P.M.
2. **Flag Salute :** Led by Senator Green
3. **Roll Call :** Quorum Established 20
4. **Approval of Minutes:** Postponed until next meeting by Charles (No objections)
5. **Approval of Agenda :**
 - Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Athena and seconded by Senator Ubbu to move to amend item 9D (Veteran's Day event). (No objections)
 - Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Sanchez to postpone item 8B. (No objections)
 - Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Athena to combine item 8A and 9A. (No objections)
 - Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Athena to approve the agenda with amendments (No objections)
6. **Public Forum**
 - Commissioner of student services: Cabinet took the survey into consideration keeping the Fall Banquet awards (with changes).
7. **Communication | (15 Minutes)**

Advisor' Report

1. Urge to put emphasis into finalizing Mission/Vision/Core values to start looking at budget next year.
2. Budget (going public in November about how our dollars are being spent). Urging ASCC cabinet, senate, and student trustees to come up with some people to sit on a committee who can really analyze the budget and make sure that it reflex the priorities of the student leadership,
3. Court talked about the importance of the collaboration of the entire facet in the ASCC (leadership caucus).

Executive Report

1. Last Friday the first sustainability committee met and discussed to create a sustainability plan for the campus, and hopes that it would be approved by April.
2. Started recruitment process (3 hour presidential meeting) → encouraged everyone to focus on priorities.

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Judicial Report

Parliamentary procedures were postponed. There was an open discussion with Dr. Contreras about their objectives this year.

- They plan on writing guidelines for the librarians to keep the library quiet.
- Establishing policies in student center.
- Homecoming Queen elections are in progress

Student Trustee Report

Today there is a board meeting at 6:30 P.M. (final meeting before elections). Monday is the last day to vote.

Quorum Reestablished 21

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

No report: encourage every Tuesday at 11 am.

Party Whip Report

Voted on Mission/Core/Values – given a presentation on the club competitions on the benefits of doing these competitions, voted to support the implantation of C4, discussed their personal goals (balance studies, get better grades).

Committee Report

- SPAC: Meeting Wednesdays at 12 P.M. (Club Room)
- AP: Meeting Thursdays at 2:30 P.M. (Hill)
- HS: Meeting Fridays at 9 A.M. (Club Room) → Agenda been made to this committee
- RA: Meeting Mondays at 12:30 P.M. (Club Room) → first meeting is October 20th

Senate Report

- Senator Oyarzabal: talked about ASCCJC meeting and thanked senators for being there. Wants to endorse the upcoming Board Trustee Candidates.
- Fierro: made us aware of a problem - noise level and distractions (library and computer lab), students at Cerritos see it as well and it has been going on for more than a year. Asked senate to help find a reasonable solution to solve this problem.
- Nino: attended the Regenate meeting; had elections for another senator (from the one who had dropped out) and had elections for treasurer (both were elected). They ran out of time during the meeting so they're having a special meeting to discuss resolutions.
General assembly coming out (November 14-16) scholarship available for students who are trying to attend that; talk to AJ or Daniel (scholarship sponsored through the student senate or California Community Colleges)
- Daniel:
 1. Better communicate with each other; trying to utilize Talonnet
 2. Leadership conference is being finalized.
 3. Student emails having "edu" at the end of emails have advantages: get discounts.
 - 10/16 – great shake out on 10:16 escorted to designated areas. Looking for two volunteers tomorrow to serve as a victim or someone to report injuries (speak to him after the meeting if interested)

8. Old Business | (25 Minutes)

Agenda

A) Appointment of the Senate | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)

The Senate shall consider approving members of the Senate.

I. SB 14-029: Senator

Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Oyarzabal and seconded by senator Venegas to table item 8A I. (SB 14-029).

- There was an objection by Senator Sanchez to table 8I (roll call vote) 15, 2, 4

II. SB 14-030: Senator

B) C4 Program | (5 Minutes)

(Phi Theta Kappa)

The Senate shall be informed of the C4 Program.

C) Safe Zone Student Training | (5 Minutes)

(Safe Zone Committee)

The Senate shall be informed on training students on diversity.

D) Senate One-on-One | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed on arranging a meeting with the Vice President.

- Charles wants to be able to meet everybody on a personal level (professional but also personal). He wants to get to know each senator! By the end of the semester, he hopes that we're all to share our personal goals.

E) Overview on Senate Resources | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed of the various resources that a Senator shall utilize.

- Charles wanted to have this to be strike from the agenda because sources haven't been prepared and he didn't want to present until everything is ready. (No objections)

9. New Business | (15 Minutes)

A) Appointment of the Senate | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)

The Senate shall consider approving members of the Senate.

I. SB 14-037:

Luis (SB14-037): wants to tackle issues (student debut, access to resources for student success), been in faculty senate meetings, student trustees meeting, so he knows what's going on.

Vouches:

- Senator Sanchez: worked with Luis, very dedicated. (worked with him)
- Miles: always very present and passion in discussions, another excellent to the senate

The appointment passes, and SB 14-037 is now a senator.

II. SB 14-038:

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- Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Nino to approve SB 14-038 as a senator. (Passes)

Quorum Reestablish 24

B) Club Competition | (5 Minutes)

(Commissioner Hickman)

Agenda

The Senate shall be informed of a new club competition devised by the Commissioner of Athletics.

Strike from agenda (by Charles) → no objections

C) Fall Awards Banquet | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the possibility of cancelling the Fall Awards Banquet.

- Senator Athena: cabinet discussed cancelling it; people believed it was a popularity contest (it wasn't judged right). The cabinet also listed pros and cons. Majority of the vote was to keep banquet on (because so many things were put into it). They're well aware that they need to change something; however, they felt that it's too soon and too fast.

Need to work on pinpointing on these issues and changing them for the next fall banquet.

Result: Fall Awards Banquet is still on.

- Discussion for two minutes: Senator Khetani (what're the pros and cons?) → Senator Athena: Cons; using a system we're not happy with. Pros: having two awards banquet would make people more accomplished, made people who're getting into student government more excited and involved.
- Senator Sanchez: keeping it would be a very good thing (keeps students more involved) if not, students would not want to get involved in the spring. This is also an opportunity to get to know each other, and have recognition.
- Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Oyarzabal and seconded by Senator Venegas to extend time for 1 minute.
- Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Venegas to have discussion for 1 minute per speaker.

Quorum Reestablished 18

Point of consideration: have names shown, not hidden

Quorum Reestablished 16

- Charles: postpone item 9D and E

D) Veterans Day Event | (5 Minutes)

(President Aiello)

The Senate shall be informed and further discuss the recommend Mission Statement, Vision and Core Values of the ASCC.

E) ASCC Mission/Vision/Core Values | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed and further discuss the recommend Mission Statement, Vision and Core Values of the ASCC.

10. Announcements

A) Homecoming Queen Elections | October 15 – 16 | 9AM – 2PM and 5PM – 8PM | Falcon Square, Social Science Patio, and Health Sciences

B) Float Building | October 13-17 | 10AM (3PM on Monday) – 10PM | Stadium Visitor Side

C) Homecoming Day | October 18

D) Zombie Fest | October 30 | 11AM | Falcon Square

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E) Veterans Day Event | November 10 | 11AM | Burnight Steps

F) Cabinet Meeting | October 20 | 2PM | BK-111/112

G) Court Meeting | October 21 | 11AM | BK-111/112

H) Next Meeting | October 22 | 2PM | BK-111/112

- Dr. Contreras - announced that there'll be a different setting to the room; a smart classroom
- Daniel - if anyone wants to volunteer for great shake out, see him after the meeting.

11. Adjournment

Charles adjourns the meeting at 3:07 P.M.

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Wednesday | October 22 2014

2:00 PM

BK-111/112

1. **Call to Order** – 2:00 P.M.
2. **Flag Salute** – Led by Senator Ubbu
3. **Roll Call** - Senator Sanchez, Senator Nino, Senator Blanshard, Senator Beltran, Senator Ugbah, Senator McIver, Senator Lee, Senator Khetani, Senator Diaz, Senator Oyarzabal, Senator Subrai, Senator Castillo, Senator Olivera, Senator Zepeda, Senator Venegas, Senator Aponte, Senator Vuong, Senator Jimenez, Senator Fierro, Senator Garcia, Senator Vidal, Senator Leyva, Senator Ubbu, Senator Arcilla, Senator Arana, Senator Hernandez, Senator Guzman, Senator Martinez, Senator Sanchez

Quorum Established 24

4. **Approval of Minutes**

To have minutes approved both 2 weeks ago and prior to that (Approved)

5. **Approval of Agenda**

Charles postponed 8B from two weeks from now (not the right time to present) – No objections

Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Lee, to table item A up until Senator Nino is present. – No objections

Quorum Reestablished 25

Approve agenda with amendments

Quorum Reestablished 27

6. **Public Forum** - None

7. **Communication | (15 Minutes)**

- Dean of Student Services Report: Talked about the homecoming; “thank you for everyone for participating, the outstanding student report, and the staff for huge success.” Told us to consider things next year for the homecoming → have bands, football teams etc., to show participation at homecoming (wonderful outreach opportunity). He also talked about the Leadership Retreat (terrific agenda; January 7 to 9; San Diego).

- Assistant Coordinator of Student Affairs Report:

1. Announced that there was a lack of communication about the general assembly (112 community colleges tell their states what it is they want to focus on and what their concerns are. They’re looking to bring 10 students; 10 student delegations: 2 senators, 2 club members, etc. and applications are due Wednesday.
2. Leadership Retreat is finalized. For more information just ask.

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3. Student emails: The school fought really hard to get student emails; if you have one you get student discounts. It looks professional when you're also applying for jobs or schools.
 - Executive Report: Mentioned the homecoming saying that it was a wonderful event; there was a lot of perseverance, persistence and dedication. Hydration stations – There are 4 companies concentrating and are going to further investigate them and ask for approval: go green task force, bulletin board: finding out what kind of product they want for campus and it will be ran by an ASCC leader, board of trustees. 3 positions coming up (go out and exercise democracy). **Quorum Reestablished 28**
 - Judicial Report: final decision: no mass texting or emailing. Encourage that senators support the library issue (being too loud)
 - Student Trustee Report: He said that it was light on student issues. Reminded everyone that the last day to register to vote was on Monday. Announced to check out the Social Equality Club; a feminist organization and the meeting is on November 4 (encouraged everyone to participate). There will be a special board meeting (Monday) and it will consist of considering refinancing existing bonds (attend the meeting if anyone is interested in economics and business). **Quorum Reestablished 29**
 - Faculty Senate Liaison Report: No meeting this week: no report
 - Party Whip Report: Worked on ASCC Mission/Vision/Core Values. They talked about the Zombie Fest (30th of October Thursday: main event at 11 A.M. Maze at 6 P.M. at 10 A.M.). They also talked about the general assembly. Reminded us that My Cerritos Spring appointment is going online so check it out.
 - Committee Report:
Senator Nino: addressed the issue on bike death: wants to agendize it and save discussion for next meeting. Discussed about possibly utilizing the concern box (permanently) install it: making sure student government over sees it. Make sure everyone is in touch.
 - Senate Report: Senator Nino: reinforce the GA applications, and they are available now. Reminded the senate that it's a great experience.
8. **Old Business | (25 Minutes)**
 - A) **C4 Program | (5 Minutes)**
(Phi Theta Kappa)
The Senate shall be informed of the C4 Program.
 - Focused on increasing community college completion

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- Signing day: get people to commit to complete (understand the benefits & consequences of finishing or not finishing college)
- Increase student success
- Going to be flagged and tracked of their completion for those who sign up (thousands of students have done it from across the country), and now they wanted to bring it here in Cerritos College.
- Not going to be asking for any money, but will be asking for support.

Charles: Discussion and possible action on this next week.

C) ASCC Mission/Vision/Core Values | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed and further discuss the recommend Mission Statement, Vision and Core Values of the ASCC.

Quorum Reestablished 28

- Subcommittee: Senator Sanchez, Senator Arana, Senator Blanshard, Senator Venegas, Senator Hernandez, Senator Vidal, Senator Guzman
- Charles: Opened discussion for 2 minutes
- All discussions will be taken to the subcommittees

9. New Business | (15 Minutes)

A) Safe Zone Student Training | (5 Minutes)

(Safe Zone Committee)

The Senate shall discuss on considering funding training students with Safe Zone.

- Charles: Discussion for 5 minutes (No objections)
 - o Senator Sanchez: Safe zone was made by the faculty and staff. They started this to do training for faculty and staff (stickers with falcon and rainbow on them). He explained its usefulness since it has also been requested by lots of students. \$2,500 is needed for the 4 workshops (towards the end of every month) for t-shirts, buttons, and more. He mentioned that there'll be a certificate given if individuals attend all 4 workshops (great to put in resume). They're not just asking for funds from us, but also from foundations (\$4,000)
- Points of discussion:
 - o Senator Nino: what is money going to be spent on?
Senator Sanchez: the shirts, certificates, buttons; so they can give something back to the students
- Motion on the floor: moved by Senator Venegas and seconded by Senator Diaz to extend discussion for 1 minute.

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- Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Ubbu to amend the motion and to have one minute per speaker (no objections):
 - o Senator Venegas: \$2,500 is a lot for just shirts and etc.
Senator Sanchez: not going to use the whole thing, but if they only use a thousand then good. If that happens, it'll go towards other things they need.
 - o Senator Khetani - point of clarification: Is it optional for students to be in training? And, how many students are they expecting so far?
Senator Sanchez: Only accept cabinet, senate, court and club officers. 10 people have signed up, but they're accepting 30-40 students.
 - o Senator Beltran: Could they provide us with logistics?
Senator Sanchez: Yes, still waiting for companies on how much each things are going to cost.
 - o Senator Guzman: When're you planning to have these workshops?
Senator Sanchez: First – January, February, March and April on Tuesdays 11:00 P.M. to 12:30 P.M.
 - o Senator Martinez: How are you to promote?
Senator Sanchez: student reps are going to cabinet, senate, and court asking commissioner of club counsellor to announce the meetings.
 - o Senator Arcilla: Nothing is going to happen in this semester? Is it for the next?
Senator Sanchez: It's all about planning it out; where to get money from. (Next semester is going to be more doing)

Quorum Reestablished 24

**B) Fall Awards Banquet | (5 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa)**

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the possibility of cancelling the Fall Awards Banquet.

Discussion for 2 minutes (no objections):

- Senator Sanchez: Says that it should be kept because applications are already coming out next Monday. Court already appointed someone to be on the awards committee (too late to cancel because it's just around the corner).
- Senator Beltran: Wants to get hands on the surveys that were answered by students, wondering if students can get access to it
- It was mentioned that it is \$25 per ticket
- Senator McIver: has any of the money from the banquet already been spent?
 - o Charles: He will look more into it.
- Senator Venegas: \$13,500 is being spent on this banquet; believes the money should be used on something else like lights at night, bike racks etc.

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- Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Fierro to have discussion for 1 minute per speaker (no objections)
- Senator Nino: opposes to cancelling the fall banquet and says there are ways to restructure this and go through this. Rating who deserves what; be every mathematical and set up a system. This could be something to work on in the next fall banquet (thinks that cancelling it wouldn't do any good)
- Senator Fierro: \$13,500 is too much – can still have a banquet and break down what we need and break down the prices.
- Senator Leyva: It's important to recognize what's really needed to be changed in the campus, making it a better place.
- Senator Sanchez: Mentioned that every year the budget committee meets and cuts the budget down by changing food, or the photo booth. It's not a great idea to cancel it – we're all getting recognized. This pushes students to get more involved.

Quorum Reestablished 19

- Senator Arcilla: Suggested that we should have a budget sheet where it's all going to be distributed because it could be the minimum or maximum budget, we don't know that and it's important to know.
- Senator Aponte: how is this advertised to the public for people who don't know about it?
 - o Charles: Avenues, ISCC, or from different clubs advertising them as well
- Miles: focus on the bias part of it – should look at it in a different perspective
- Senator Castillo: people who are invited are those who are in the clubs (applications are for those who are involved in clubs) → promotes involvement

Quorum Reestablished 18

- Senator Diaz: Wants to continue hiding the names (just where he/she is in the club)
- Senator Ugbah: Asked why they cancelled out the GPA?
 - o Charles – GPA is kept but in terms of what's considered, it's more on services.
- Senator Sanchez: Open to all students (not just limited to just clubs)

10. Announcements

- A) **Zombie Fest** | October 30 | 11AM | Falcon Square
 - B) **Veterans Day Event** | November 10 | 11AM | Burnight Steps
 - C) **Cabinet Meeting** | October 27 | 2PM | BK-111/112
 - D) **Court Meeting** | October 28 | 11AM | BK-111/112
 - E) **Next Meeting** | October 29 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- Senator Sanchez: sign up for the student safe zone.
 - Senator Nino: Mentioned that there was an incident last week during the float building (robbery); discussed about putting brighter lights in the parking lot.

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- Senator Arana: still accepting canned foods (drop off at ASCC) for the Zombie Fest
- Senator Khetani: scholars honor club volunteering club – organization for building homes for people – this Saturday (paint houses) 8:00 A.M. to noon.
- Commissioner Castillo: Informed that tomorrow there'll be filming of promotion of the zombie fest. Story line, break out, constructing to Miles (being attacked in his office) tomorrow the film will be uploaded. 12:00 P.M. tomorrow in the club room (whoever wants to be in the film)
- Committee heads: please have agendas posted and sent to Daniel. On Mondays after cabinet meeting, Senator Athena and Charles looks at the bylaws and see what they can amend, structure, position, and talk about expectations. “Bylaw studies!” (Meet at Charles’ office) look at how to fix these bylaws.

11. Adjournment

Charles adjourns the meeting at 3:18 P.M.

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Wednesday | November 19, 2014

2:00 PM

BK-111/112

1. **Call to Order:** 2:00 P.M.
2. **Flag Salute:** Led by Senator Nino
3. **Roll Call:** Senator Sanchez, Senator Nino, Senator Blanshard, Senator Beltran, Senator Ugbah, Senator McIver, Senator Diaz, Senator Oyarzabal, Senator Castillo, Senator Olivera, Senator Zepeda, Senator Green, Senator Venegas, Senator Vuong, Senator Jimenez, Senator Garcia, Senator Vidal, Senator Florendo, Senator Arana, Senator Hernandez, Senator Guzman, Senator Athena

Quorum Established 22

4. Approval of Minutes

Motion the floor: Moved by Senator Guzman and seconded by Senator Sanchez, to approve the minutes. (No objections)

Quorum Reestablished 24 (Senator Subrai and Senator Ubbu)

5. Approval of Agenda

- Moved to move item 9 C and D to top of list above by item 8. (No objections)
- Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Athena, to postpone item 9B until next week.
- Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Venegas to approve the agenda with amendment.

Quorum Reestablished 26 (Senator Arcilla, Senator Leyva)

6. Public Forum

- None

7. Communication (2 minutes for each report) – No objections

Dean of Student Services Report

- *Introduced the president of CEO (Dr. Lacy) – She attended the meeting to observe.*
- *Welcomed the new Administration Secretary (started last week). She's going to be a tremendous help, helping Dr. Contreras and other areas that he has overseen. Every job is going to be shifted, so he asked to please be patient with them with what they're trying to accomplish.*
- *Talked about the GEA: "Couldn't be more proud of the representation we set during the GEA. Our student leaders were amazing, talking about very important resolutions. A special thanks goes to the staff". Acknowledged a big thank you for Daniel; a huge representation among the state leaders.*

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- Encourage to leadership academy. They're finalizing two more speakers this week. Student body presidents will be participating. It's a wonderful opportunity. There'll be a TED talk (UCSD faculty, USD faculty) on the beach in San Diego.
- Budget task force – Please sign up. Not the budget committee. It is the task force to look at our budget to look at what our priorities are.
- Launching a program of bus passes for students and hopes to launch it in the Fall. There'll be a committee coming together to start publicizing and finalizing the details of getting students access to free transportations.

Assistant Coordinator of Student Affairs Report

- Student leadership conference is on January 7-9, \$50 cash due upon the applications when you turn it in (we do have change). The applications are due tomorrow. Please promote it around the campus. You're able to sponsor up to 4 members in the club as long as you have the funds to do so. If there are any questions about the funds, see him (Gomez) or Cynthia.
- Student emails (very professional). If there are any questions on how to get it please see him.
- General Assembly: very proud, of the students of Cerritos college. It was very fast paced, and kept on pace the entire time. Acknowledged Charles for being on top of everything (Group Me Chat), and also other senators who were involved in the General Assembly.
- Reminded that it is important for senators to be locally aware.

Executive Report

- Stated his commissioner of student services brought up to his attention: UC and Cal State applications are due on the 30th of November. Don't wait to submit those applications in the last minute, and don't wait to write your personal statements the night before. Encouraged everyone to get them both done.
- GA assembly was amazing (VP did an amazing job, especially with the group app)
- Networking was the most beneficial thing they got out of it, and hearing parliamentary procedures helped a lot of the senators, commissioners, and himself to be more efficient.
- Go green task force met today. They were getting momentum to now push the Go Green initiatives more than they have before with the roots of the sustainability project.
- Student initiatives are tomorrow at 11:00 A.M. in the club room (senate, cabinet, and court will be there).
- ISA office has a movie night for the rest of the week

Judicial Report

- None

Student Trustee Report

- Last week there was a board meeting. The board passed the student equity (the school should have an equal chance of education).
- Went over the ASCC budget from last year, it talks about the revenues and what we've spent.
- Thanked Ivan Oyarzabal and for bringing up the topic of tutors and issues that were needed to be talked about.
- Talked about open data and open source textbook (to make sure every student has a text book in their hand). It was also mentioned in the last meeting that we'll be talking about the text book contract.

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

- None

Party Whip Report

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- *On Monday they went over senate reports. Commissioners threw out ideas on how to relate their position into sustainability. If senators have any ideas on how to do so, they would really appreciate it.*
- *They were given the Pedal Program presentation (people would exercise before studying) → led to better scores due to the flowing of the blood.*

Delegate Report

- *GA was a great experience for everyone.*

Committee Report

- *Public Safety Committee- Meeting this Friday 9:00 A.M. (activity building)*
- *A: Meet Tuesdays, 2:30 P.M. at the Falcon Hill*
- *SA: Meeting next Wednesday at 12:30 P.M. in the club room (if you cannot make it, let Senator Sanchez know before Thursday 4:30 P.M.)*
- *RA: Meeting on Mondays at 12:30 P.M. here in the club room depending on everyone's availability. Might be moving the meeting on Mondays from 9:30 A.M. to 10:30 A.M. if all members are available.*

Senate Report

- *Senator Venegas: He is part of task force, and the last meeting was on November 6. Mentioned that the data shows 80% of students are tested into math 20, 40, 60 (recommending to bring back Math 5). The success rate of that course decreased.*
- *Senator Athena: In cabinet, there was a suggestion that we will no longer be printing out agendas (everyone's responsible for bringing their own) for sustainability reasons*
- *Charles: Encouraged all senators to bring some kind of electronic to have the agenda to save paper and for sustainability.*
- *Senator Guzman: Talked about problems on internet access (Wi-Fi is here not efficient for us) students here say it's not that good, and its important because students have the right to have these resources. The costs of text books are really high. Some book costs \$300 and it's not fair for those who have low income. It's something that we as a senate should focus on. Mentioned that the GA assembly, great experience for him, got to see lots of ideas and was very student oriented. Recommended everyone to go to the one in the next Spring. Working together in a team is a great experience.*
- *Senator Sanchez: Safe Zone committee - they're having their final meeting in December. If anyone wants to be in the training, sign up with him. And that goes for commissioners and assistants also. It's open to club officers and senators. The meetings for next Spring, are Tuesdays from 11:00 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. They're taking 30-40 students for training.*
- *Arana: Encourages everyone to attend the GA next year, helps you not just about leadership, but also with parliamentary procedures.*
- *Aiello: Bringing agendas to class will be going on for the rest of the year, it is now mandatory.*

8. Old Business

A) Senate Powers Overview | Informational Item | (5 Minutes) (Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed of their powers.

- *Charles talked about what powers the senators have and explained each of the bullet points.*
- *Section 10: (senate shall be informed of their powers) may have any particular boards as long as it's inferior to the court.*
- *Section 2: senate shall have no less than 30 members*

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- Section 3: senate shall be expanded on the basis of the enrolment at Cerritos college
Quorum Reestablished 25 (Senator Jimenez and Senator Oyarzabal)
- Section 4: the senate shall approve all appointments made by the president and the senate are the ones who vote on it
- Section 5: senate shall choose their own officer and also a president pro tempore
- Section 6: senate shall be judge of elections, returns. And qualifications (ability for you to say who needs to be impeached, you are responsible for that one, to reestablish quorum)
- 10 section in the legislative powers in regards to what senators are able to do
- Section 7: senate shall keep journal of its meetings
- Section 8: Senate shall be responsible of the approval of the budget
- Section 9: all programs that initiate from senate shall go to the president to be approved before they become law. If the president does not sign the paper, the senate will have to reconsider
- Additional powers: ability to put things on your own agenda, write legislations and run it by senate for approval, ability to form committees (like Adhoc Committees) , talking to students getting a better scope and understanding

Quorum Reestablished 21

(Senator Nino, Senator Subrai, Senator Garcia, Senator McIver)

- Senator Guzman: where are the minutes available?
 - o They are posted online, or in the ASCC room
- Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Arana and seconded by Senator Sanchez to postpone budget overview (9A) until next week (no objections)
- Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Arana to postpone item 8E and shall be right under the budget overview for the next meeting. (no objections)
- Moved by Senator Sanchez move seconded by Senator Leyva to move communications right before announcements.

B) Senate Training | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed of training sessions made for student government

- Create a doodle poll (best times to meet with everyone)
- Can ask anyone in the office
- Athena: Roberts rules: read it to understand parliamentary procedures

Quorum Reestablished 19 (Senator Zepeda and Senator Leyva)

C) Student Initiative | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed of the Student Initiative Project.

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- Goal: definitely a focus on sustainability
- Professionalize various structures and processes in the ASCC that students abide, lead, or model by: student government, clubs and organizations.
- Professionalize student government, update bylaws, to serve students as efficient and transparent as transparent can be
- Want to be able to provide everyone with an efficient protocol (constitutions and by-laws, club guide), communication (whether it's with club organizations, student government, outreach), and atmosphere (4 questions: are you proud to be a student leader? Falcon? Are we

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providing you the best help as ASCC? Are we helping students well?). (goal: address this all at once)

- We want to fix this (already in process)
- Tomorrow there's a meeting at the club room (every Monday, 3:30 P.M. at BK111/112) in the Spring, or may possibly have two meetings. (Wednesdays 3:30 P.M. BK111/112)

Quorum Reestablished 17 (Senator Guzman and Senator Castillo)

D) Sustainability Initiative | Informational and Discussion Item | (5 Minutes) (President Aiello)

The Senate shall be informed of the Sustainability Initiative for the rest of the year.

- Fix some policies and try to make these meetings as efficient as we can
- Came up with a name this year: roots of sustainability: a plan that consists of our goals (goal at the end of the year is to brand this, so that everyone knows about the project going on in the school)
- Explained what sustainability really is: gave us a visual vision of what it is → three spheres of sustainability (environmental, economic, and social)
- We need sustainability in Cerritos college is because we have no choice.
- Talked about a slide on the inevitable population growth: how do we adopt?
- Goals: hydration stations, expanding the recycling program, implementing a bike transportation center, nullifying Styrofoam on campus, publicizing go green throughout campus, and earth day: bigger, better and more impactful.
- Senator Sanchez: how would we be paying for the hydration?
 - o President Aiello: Go Green was allocated \$25,000 in the budget committee last year. So the gist of that money will be going towards the hydration station. Additional funds will be asked if needed)
- Senator Venegas: Where is the location for the bike transportation center?
 - o President Aiello: It's not on the agenda yet, but if you're interested into contributing to it, I encourage everyone to come to the meeting and add in some ideas.

Quorum Reestablished 16 (Senator Diaz)

- Senator Beltran: The HS committee was actually talking about bike transportations, and it'd be great if President Aiello comes on Friday to their meeting.

E) Game Room | Discussion Item | (5 Minutes) (Vice President Caguioa)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the Game Room

- Postponed until next week.

9. New Business

A) Budget Overview | Informational and Discussion Item | (5 Minutes) (Commissioner Tenorio)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the current budget and look into some balances.

- Postponed until next week.

B) The Pedal Program | Informational Item | (10 Minutes) (Coach Debbie Jensen)

The Senate shall be informed about the Pedal Program.

- Postponed until next week

C) SB 14-043: No Passport Required: Los Angeles | Action Item | (5 Minutes) (International Students Association)

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The Senate shall be informed and discuss the possibility on funding a trip for the International Students Association.

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Quorum Reestablished 27 (Senator Khetani)

- Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Sanchez to open discussion for 1 minute per speaker
- Senator Sanchez: Question for Ms Farny: is it only for international students going?
 - o Farny: any member that's part of OISS
- Senator Guzman: how much money are they asking for again?
 - o Charles: \$200 (from special projects account)
- Senator Khetani: how much money is there?
 - o Farny: \$30,000
- Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Sanchez to end discussion.
- Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Beltran to approve ISA for their funding, Motion passes and the ISA gets their funding

D) SB 14-044: Theatre Department Graphic Design Concept Contest | Informational and Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)

(Senator Oyarzabal | Senator Venegas)

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the contest structure and requirements and vote for immediate incorporation to the school year.

- Moved by Senator Oyarzabal and seconded by Senator Venegas to approve SB 14-044 (no objections)
- Dr. Contreras (point of information): "After approving the "No Passport Required" the remaining balance is \$36,500 in the fund."
- Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Nino to have discussion 1 minute per speaker.
- Senator Sanchez: how would we choose how much money they'd get? Would it be on how well they did?
 - o Moved by Senator Oyarzabal and seconded by Senator Guzman to amend the legislation to remove \$200, to have it \$500. Legislation is now amended. (No objections)
- Senator Nino: Fundraising for this event? Since it's not a club or organization, do they need to follow the fundraising protocol?
 - o Oyarzabal: No there has not been any fundraising. And they do not need to follow the fundraising protocol.
- Senator Beltran: Were there any changes towards the scholarships requirements?
 - o Oyarzabal: There were no changes.
- Senator Leyva: Has any staff been chosen to select the candidates that are doing it?
 - o Oyarzabal: the structure to which the scholarships will be awarded will be to 3 representatives from the Theatre Department (department chair), 1 full time faculty member, and the director of the play. From the Fine Arts Department it would be the Commissioner of Fine Arts, and a full time faculty member.
- Moved by Senator Guzman and seconded by Senator Sanchez to move previous question (no objections)
- Approved with amendments (no objections)

10. Announcements

A) American Red Cross Blood Drive | November 17 – 20 | BK-111/112

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- B) ICC Meeting** | November 20 | 11AM | BK-111/112
 - C) ASCC Cabinet Meeting** | November 24 | 2PM | BK-111/112
 - D) Early Bird Special** | November 25 | 8:30AM | Falcon Square
 - E) ASCC Court Meeting** | November 25 | 11AM | BK-111/112
 - F) Next ASCC Senate Meeting** | November 26 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- Charles: Thanked everyone for staying after 3:00 P.M.
 - Senator Sanchez: QSA is recruiting people (planning to do an event next semester – May 16)
 - o QSA is doing workshops for high school students to network with us.
 - Gomez: UC and CSU's applications are due on the 30th (please do not wait the night before to write your personal statements). If you want recommendations, let them know ahead of time

11. Adjournment

Charles adjourns meeting at 3:29 P.M.

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ASCC Senate

Agenda

Wednesday | November 5, 2014

2:00 PM

BK-111/112

1. **Call to Order** – 2:02 P.M.
2. **Flag Salute** – Led by Senator Nino
3. **Roll Call**

Senator Sanchez, Senator Nino, Senator Blanshard, Senator Beltran, Senator Ugbah, Senator McIver, Senator Khetani, Senator Diaz, Senator Subrai, Senator Castillo, Senator Olivera, Senator Zepeda, Senator Green, Senator Venegas, Senator Aponte, Senator Vuong, Senator Jimenez, Senator Fierro, Senator Garcia, Senator Vidal, Senator Ubbu, Senator Arcilla, Senator Arana, Senator Hernandez, Senator Guzman

Quorum Established 20

4. **Approval of Minutes**

- Postpone the approval until next week.
- Approve minutes from two weeks ago (No objections)

5. **Approval of Agenda**

- Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Olivera to move item 9D above 8A.
- Approved agenda with amendments (No objections)

Quorum Reestablished 22

6. **Public Forum** – None

7. **Communication | (15 Minutes)**

Dean of Student Services Report: *The smart class room construction has begun (they're purchasing new tables, speakers etc). It'll be a full smart class in this room. He thanked the staff for the extra hours and success that they've done for the Zombie Fest. A reminder that the Leadership Conference is on November 7-9. There are also proposals on the game room to utilize that space for a diversity and equity center.*

Quorum Reestablished 23

Assistant Coordinator of Student Affairs Report: *Reminded us that the Leadership Conference is now finalized and the agenda is full. The applications are now available and you must bring in \$50 cash with you when you turn it in. He reminded us about the student emails and its benefits; free shipping, free streaming movies and music, and student discounts. He congratulated the following senators for being selected to be delegation for the next Fall: Senator Arana, Senator Guzman, and Senator Fierro.*

Quorum Reestablished 24

Executive Report: *The sustainability task force met today and picked a name for what their projects name will be this year (Roots of Sustainability). Their goals are the hydration station, the bike station and etc). He reminded everyone about the Veterans Day Ceremony*

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on Monday at 11 A.M. outside the Burnight steps, and mentioned that Lynda Sanchez will be speaking. He encouraged everyone to go and give an hour of their time to the Veterans who kept us safe all our lives. He also reminded us that the GA Assembly will be coming up next weekend.

Quorum Reestablished 25

Judicial Report: In regards to the Fall Awards Banquet possible cancellation, the ASCC core is now taking a stance in regards to the Fall Awards possible cancellation and the purpose now is to review the organization.

Student Trustee Report:

Faculty Senate Liaison Report: 3 resolutions were passed yesterday

Party Whip Report: They went over the Veterans Day and the positions that they'll be doing on the day of. They voted to keep the Fall Awards Banquet. They also had a presentation from the chief regarding safety with some guidelines in how to defend yourself.

Committee Report:

HS: Plan on meeting next Friday the 14th in regards to the bike thief that have occurred (these problems need to be addressed. Food vendors (follow up meeting next week)

RA: Meeting is on Monday the 10th at 12:30 P.M. in the club room. They met twice already and people aren't showing up. Athena reminded them that it's important that everyone attends.

Senate Report:

- Senator Nino: Encouraged everyone to vote and have more Ayes and Nays than Abstentions.
- Senator Guzman: When you vote, think about the students and how our votes will benefit them. The decisions we make are for the student body.

9. New Business | (20 Minutes)

D) Budget Overview | (5 Minutes)

(Commissioner Tenorio)

The Senate shall be informed of the current budget and look into some balances.

- They presented and fully discussed about our school's budget and how much is being spent and what's left of the budget.
- They'll be coming here every 2 weeks for a budget overview
- If there are any questions or concerns, there will be emails available in the ASCC office.
- Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Beltran, that the next time there will be a budget overview, it shall be with discussion.

Quorum Reestablished 23

8. Old Business | (15 Minutes)

A) Awards Committee | (5 minutes)

The senate shall nominate two representatives to be in awards committee

- Depending on who gets nominated, the committee will be flexible with each of the availabilities of everyone's time.
- The nominees are:
 - o Senator Sanchez nominates Senator Nino (Accepts)
 - o Senator Diaz nominates Senator Jimenez (Accepts)
 - o Senator Aponte nominates Senator Castillo (Accepts)

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- Senator Nino nominates Senator Sanchez (Accepts)
- Nominations are closed (no objections)
- 30 seconds per speech:
 - Senator Nino: He deals with business; you can count on him to be unbiased when it comes to going over the applications and whatnot. (He wants to be an alternate).
 - Senator Jimenez: She's a choosy person; likes to question things (looks a little deeper than most people) but this helps decide who really deserves the awards.
 - Senator Castillo: She's unbiased, and she knows a lot of these events so she's very critical in terms of whom to give the awards to.
 - Senator Sanchez: He's really involved in clubs and events in the school. He was vice president last year so he knows how much hard work goes into planning all these events. He really wants to be in this committee because he would know what most of these events are and whether ASCC events or not, he also helps out with the athletic department.
- Charles shall appoint the three to represent senate for the Fall Awards Committee (No objections)

Quorum Reestablished 22

B) Veterans Day Event | (5 Minutes) **(President Aiello)**

President Aiello shall inform the Senate on the Veterans Day Event and its current progress.

- Gave the senators a different perspective of how important the Veterans Day is and why we should attend the Veterans Day Event. He asked us a question: "Do you think you give back to Veterans and give them the gratitude they deserve?"
- There are 3 reasons why they have Veterans Day at 11:00 A.M. and why we should attend:
 - The military protects us from all countries who want to attack us, and we take that for granted because we've had it all our lives. Without them we wouldn't be safe; we wouldn't be the country we are today who has the Declaration of Independence.
 - What does it mean to sacrifice? These are men who take arms; and it takes a lot of sacrifice, bravery, and courage to be out there fighting for our country just to keep us safe.
 - Responsibility: Being student leaders, we need to set the bars. We need to say what's important, because this is our school. We need to value what's important.
- In conclusion, we need to be out there in our blue polo shirts representing our school, showing that we're giving back to our Veterans.

Quorum Reestablished 18

9. New Business | (20 Minutes)

A) Standing Committee Reorientation | (5 Minutes) **(Vice President Caguioa)**

The Senate shall be reoriented into different Standing Committees.

RA: In charge of looking at the constitution and bylaws, reforming and restructuring to make protocol efficient.

HS: Looking over bike thieves, food vendors, and in how to minimize these incidents. Must do a lot of research and bring it back here to the senate.

A: In charge of looking at the financial things such as the budgets from clubs and etc.

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SA: Check out the different activities on campus (through clubs or ASCC) and do recommendations in how we can better things in the campus.

- The switches being made:
 - o Senator Guzman moved to A
 - o Senator Fierro moved to HS
 - o Senator Green moved to SA
 - o Senator Venegas moved to RA

B) SB 14-042: Appointment of the Commissioner of Nighttime Activities | (5 Minutes) **(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)**

The Senate shall consider approving the Commissioner of Nighttime Activities.

- Postponed by Charles (No Objections)

C) No Passport Required: Los Angeles | (5 Minutes) **(International Students Association)**

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the possibility on funding a trip for the International Students Association.

- Postponed until next meeting by Charles (No Objections)

E) Game Room | (5 Minutes) **(Vice President Caguioa)**

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the Game Room.

- There are limited spaces to hangout. The student senate, library, and this office is now being used as a space to hangout.
- We want to build some sort of home for others and create other opportunities that exist.
- It's time for students to be involved.
- This game room can be a place to learn about our culture and diversity, and advance those goals amongst the student population.
- Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Guzman and seconded by Senator Fierro to have discussion for 5 minutes)
 - o Senator Nino: Thinks the game room is just too small and we're not really utilizing it to its full potential.
 - o Senator Flores: It can be used for better purposes, and thinks that we should be more involved and do more research about the game room. It's difficult to come up with ideas without much information about the game room.
 - o Aiello: We need to think of what students need in this specific college. We need to think outside the box. We need to amend the game room. This is our chance to put something in there that would have an impact in the next decade; we need to make a big change. It can also be a sustainability center, STEM center, or an engineering center.
- This will be put to the agenda in the next meeting under the first item of the new business.

Quorum Reestablished 17

10. Announcements

A) ASCC Leadership Conference Applications Available | November 3 | ASCC

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- B) Veterans Day Event** | November 10 | 11AM | Burnight Steps
 - C) ASCC Awards Banquet Application Due** | November 10 | ASCC
 - D) ASCC Cabinet Meeting** | November 10 | 2PM | BK-111/112
 - E) Next ASCC Senate Meeting** | November 12 | 2PM | BK-111/112
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- Senator Sanchez: their club is leaving for a competition against UC Berklee, UC Riverside (wish them luck) and they'll be leaving this Friday and coming back on Sunday. Also, if anyone wants more information about the Safe Zone Student Training, talk to him after the meeting and he'll sign you up.
 - Senator Nino: Tomorrow there'll be an informational session for Phi Theta Kappa. Whoever got an invitation or would like to know more about it can come and learn about what Phi Theta Kappa is and what they do and the benefits of becoming a member. It'll be tomorrow at SS 138.
 - Charles: Everyone can bring in their laptops or iPads and access the agenda through their email. Thanked the senators who have already scheduled their one-on-one's (he has really gotten to know a lot about them). Encouraged the senators to schedule a one-on-one with him and he will open up more weeks for it.
 - Motion on the floor: Moved by Senator Nino and seconded by Senator Sanchez that the senators are responsible to bring their own agendas to the meeting.

11. Adjournment

Charles adjourns the meeting at 3:06 P.M.

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Wednesday | December 3, 2014

2:00 PM

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1. Call to Order 2:04
2. Flag Salute
3. Roll Call Q 20
4. Approval of Minutes approved
5. Approval of Agenda approved agendas with ammendments
6. Public Forum

-Com StudentOutreach: we move outreach booth to student center and focused on asking student with issues of the college. A student said he was having trouble paying for classes and didnt know that he could get Finacial aid. He went to Finaid and qualified for the BOG wavier and got a refund. Outreach really works!

-Daniel Green: draft before the BOT campus media proceedures, new guidlines that will have negativity that effects talonmarks. the news paper students use the paper to grow and learn and they are saying that their work must be reviewed and changed before they are published. he doesnt agree with this. This make it hard to cover stories effectively because the school is censoring their stories. this effects clubs and staff because their voice will not be heard because it brings a stigma to the school

7. Old Business

A) The Pedal Program | Informational Item | (5 Minutes)

(Assistant Coordinator of Student Affairs) --> postpone next weeks

The Senate shall be informed about the Pedal Program.

B) SB 14-042: Commissioner of Nighttime Activities | Action Item | (5 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa | Miles Aiello)

The Senate shall considering appointing the Commissioner of Nighttime Activities.

-wants to get more involved. wanted to be a senator but could not attend meetings

DISCUSSION:

-guzom: roles and his experience in this position: read his roles and would like to be involved. its new for him because hes international student

-Hemenez: if there was a time conflict how will he presnt to us

-Nino: does he have leadership experience: he has no experience here but was in his country

-Nino: believes that senate would be a better place for him to learn than to go right into cabniet

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-Q 23 Vote A: 14 N: 4 AB: 5

**C) Budget Overview | Informational and Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)
(Commissioner Tenorio | Assistant Commissioner Lugo)**

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the current budget and look into some balances.

- the commissioner and assistant commissioner of Budget and finance gave a presentation of the current budget.

-Oyarzabal: can we get a copy?: charels has the email and should email to you.

-hemenez: does this effect how we spend money? we would like to know where the money is coming out and track the money transfers.

-Dr Contrerez: we do not redirect money

-hemenez: how often is the budget looked at and how are they controled: Dr Contrerez: movinging toward monthly audit toward budget. to make sure money is being spended appropratly

-Student trustee: Commisioer: that is wrong we are working on transparency

-Commisioner: want to set up a system to come and inform how the money is being spent

-Nino: PTK specifies where the money is going : when we are allocating money we want to make sure the money is used well

-Hemenez:are we going to decide what the money will be used for and justify the resons: we encurage students to come to decide where the money should go during the committee: Dr contrerez: please go to the task force better than the budsget committee

-President: we are making a new Core values to make sure we allocate money that allign with our Mission and core values so we can appropirately allocate money.

the budget taskforce will have 2 individuals from each branch please express to charels :

-Khatani: didnt she say there can be as many senator ? now there is a limit: Dr

Contrerez: we want to have at least 2 more reperesentation and most 12

**D) General Assembly Overview | Informational and Discussion Item | (5 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa)**

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the General Assembly, the resolutions, and ways ASCC can utilize this information.

-Senator Arana and Fierro will present the GA: passed legislation

-Legislation that passes was the note of being apart of student government on your transcripts.

-another is improvement in interent access.

-supporting credit by exam--> people can test out of the classes with credit

-support for prop 13 reform : prop 13 was a way to increase the tax of big buissnesses to go back into the education system because when prop 30 ends admission cost goes up.

-Recycling cigarrete waste --> makes carbon based materials

-electronic textbooks --> distribute e-textbook alternatives

DISSCSION:

-President: please bring a report on the status of the transcript project you are working on

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- Oyarzabal: will the go on the ballet in March?: we advocate for it to happen in march but work happen for another year working with legislation.
- Student trustee: if you look at UC and CAL state we dont have representation for community colleges to represent the student the SSCCC. it is 2 times a year to bring up to legislators. the GA works like a bigger Senate meeting for Region 8.
- Garcia: what is going on with the assesments? you can only take it twice: most students are required to take the test, we inform students to take the study guides before the assesment test. Program called A16 take assesment test in sophmore year to put you on tract during senior year.

E) Game Room | Discussion Item | (10 Minutes) **(Vice President Caguioa)**

The Senate shall be informed and discuss the Game Room
DISSCUSION:

- the survey that is suppose to be sent out is being worked on.
- Dr Contrerez: we are working on buying ipads and having the student government to out and ask students at large. the survey wont be out until Spring.

8. New Business

A) Amended Meeting Time | Informational Item | (5 Minutes) **(Vice President Caguioa)**

The Senate shall be informed of a changed

- Sanchez: senate meeting will be from 2 pm to 4 pm for spring semester of 2015.
- Arana: why? President: does this limited time inhibit how we get things done some senator dont contribute as much as they should. this is
- Garcia: required 2 hours or try to get everything done : President we are able to leave when things are done
- Student trustee: our meetings are a minimum of 2 hours
- Sanchez: some senators have classes or work that will conflict with the time and cut items on the agenda: President how much do you want to accomplish and how much time do we give to that goal.
- Fierro: there are committed senators but classes are schedualed. will there be punishment for leaving before the 2 hours? President: this shows the commitment of the senators
- Guzmon: senate has postponed lots of items, having the meeting for 2 hours is beneficial.
- Nino: thinks that we must compromise because the items will also be doubled. Parlimentary proceedures would really help with the process. a summer program is being talked about which would be beneficial
- Garcia: we are students classes come first. Ive chosen my classes and this conflict with the time extension
- President: its out of thin air, its not solidified but is a suggestion. we need to ask oursewelves why we are her not for selfish reasons but for the students dont think more about yourself.
- khatani: what is we are not there for 2 hours will we be penilized? President: the same amount of items will be set and there will be not penalty.
- Anthony: the students need to take care of themselves before they help others. there is no need for extension

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- Arana: can we change it to just 1 hour and 30 minutes? its not solid we will discuss it
- Fierro: this is a healthy conversation. we are committed not just within senate but with other committees.
- Ubuu: suggests that when filling out he application that can be used to figure out the senate availability

**B) SB 14-045: Chief of Staff | Informational, Discussion and Action Item | (10 Minutes)
(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello)-->postpone**

The Senate shall be informed, discuss and take action on the possibility of having a Chief of Staff to student government.

C) SB 14-046: Membership Chair | Informational, Discussion and Action Item | (10 Minutes)

(Vice President Caguioa | President Aiello) --> postpone

The Senate shall be informed, discuss and take action on the possibility of having a Membership Chair to student government.

9. Communication

Dean of Student Services Report

- 1) update on fresh and natural- A rating will be posted Dec 19th.
- 2)Request a transfer of funds for student engagement. Purple sheet 11,500 --> counling services to student engagement for students to work as clerks. offer a counseling course over the summer
- 3)Yellow sheet to allocate funds from the transportation funds to the student initiative committee 20,000

Assistant Coordinator of Student Affairs Report

Executive Report

- 1) GA in addition there is the Micro scale that bring community colleges together. be aware to discuss with other colleges
- 2) David Moore came to the Go Green committee. there will be legislation coming for around 30,000
- 3) concetratre on your finals

Judicial Report

-we will review guideline during leadership conferecnce. and prepose to change some of the guidelines

Student Trustee Report

-social equality club decided that students will speak for professor Ramos

Faculty Senate Liaison Report

- potential cvil suit for violating the brown act.
- Book store margins of textbook prices and questioned on why the books were too high (suppose to be at 20%)
- counseling is going to extend there hours. open the library on weekends

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Party Whip Report

- In cabinet we should have our new mascot in spring and we need to name his
- There was a C4 update, presentation on Roots of Sustainability

Delegate Report

Committee Report

Senate Report

- Nino: sign up for C4 program this is for a scholarship as well
- Guzmon: attended faculty senate meeting. the new media procedures, this censors us and its not right. the students need to be informed and must go through public affairs that restricts the freedom of expression. to not support this draft.
- Sanchez: requests from commissioner and VP work with a senator and senator Athena to make the legislation for text alerts. this draft from faculty senate pushes down the Newspaper students and conflicts with their education.

10. Announcements

- A) ASCC Cabinet Meeting** | December 8 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- B) ASCC Court Meeting** | December 9 | 11AM | BK-111/112
- C) Next ASCC Senate Meeting** | December 10 | 2PM | BK-111/112
- D) Support C4 there are scholarships**
- E) help Senator Athena to write legislation**

11. Adjournment 3:30