



STUDENT SENATE **Minutes**

Tuesday, **October 31st, 2017** 1:30pm to 3:00pm, Rm 227

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The duration of this meeting may change to accommodate any actions of the governing body

I. CALL TO ORDER: 1:32 PM

The Chair called for a short recess.

Recess ended at 1:40 PM

II. ROLL CALL

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

*Members of the public must be given the opportunity to address the Associated Students (A.S.) Senate regarding items on the agenda as these items are taken up by the A.S. Senate. Members of the public wishing to address matters on and off the agenda will be invited to do so under "Public Comment" at the beginning of the meeting. "Public Comment" shall not exceed a maximum of **two minutes** per person, per item.*

None

IV. PRESENTATIONS

A. Parliamentary Procedure Training

Dr. Joe Carrithers

The chair moved back to this item.

A motion to extend time by 15 minutes passed unanimously (Young/ Serrano).

V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Senate Minutes from 10.17.17

A motion to approve the minutes from October 17, 2017 passed unanimously (Young/ Tusken)

VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. Swearing in New Senators

- a. Zinnia Samra
- b. Skylar Yin
- c. Sergio Heziquio
- d. Anthony Meza

S. Yin and S. Heziquio were sworn in at 3:01 PM,

B. Senator of the Month Nominations - October 2017

- a. Clarissa Escobedo - nominated by Tusken
- b. Adjei Ebenezer - nominated by Sisante
- c. Pascual Castillo - nominated by Ebenezer
- d. Bahar Tavakolian Saleh - nominated by Adjei
- e. Lillian Rodriguez - nominated by Sisante

The chair closed nominations. These will be voted on at the next Execs meeting.

VII. NEW BUSINESS

A. Committee MSPs

- a. Activities Committee

MSP to approve \$200 overall split between \$100 for first place, \$60 for second place, and \$40 for 3rd place for the best booth contest (Darkwood/Galang)

MSP to approve pumpkin muffins and sugar cookies for no more than \$500 (Galang/Darkwood)
MSP to approve a pizza party for the group winner, movie tickets for the couple winner, and a \$25 gift card for the individual prize winner (Tavakolian Saleh/Galang)

Science Club won first place for the Best Booth contest.

b. Executive Council

MSP to approve Camille Serrano as the SSCCC General Assembly Delegate (Imbre/Escobedo)

MSP to approve the criteria for Quad Haunt to be the Best Decorated booth (Imbre/Serrano)

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MSP to approve a pizza party for the group winner, movie tickets for the couple winner, and a \$25 gift card for the individual prize winner (Serrano/Imbre)

MSP to approve no more than \$350 for pumpkin bread and cookies for Quad Haunt 2017 (Young/Escobedo)

Patrice Sisante, Lily Rodriguez, Ebenezer Adjei, and Hannah Yu were appointed as CareBank coordinators.

A motion to approve all MSPs under committee MSPs passed unanimously (Abbaali/ Escobedo).

- B. Campus, District, and Other Committees as Requirements
- C. Impeachment/Removal Process
- D. Executive Pro Tempore Position Review/Vice President of Records
- E. Recording Senate Participation
- F. Standing Committee Chairs Document
- G. Bylaw to Allow Executive Council Meetings Over Breaks

The chair moved to this item.

Patrice intends to send this out to Senators.

A motion to approve the proposed changes to the Bylaws passed unanimously (Darkwood/ Abbaali).

H. Fee Increases

The chair moved to this item.

Rod Garcia, Vice President of Administrative Services and Gilbert Contreras, Vice President of Student Services discussed fee increases in the following areas for Fall 2018:

- Non-Resident Tuition - The district normally adopts the statewide average. Rod will share the rates from the last 5-10 Years with Gaetje for her to present to Senate. This will be voted on by the Board of Trustees in December. Fees are higher for Non Residents because the state does not give any money for these students.
- Student Parking Permit - The semester parking fee hasn't been changed in 20 years and the daily permit hasn't been changed in 30 years. These fees go to the Parking Fund. We currently charge \$2.00 for the daily fee and the semester fee is \$35.00. There are plans to build more parking structures in the future and potential partnerships with the city of Fullerton to use more of their parking structures.

- OCTA Bus Pass Program - Rod and Gil met with OCTA to have a potential Bus program similar to programs at other community colleges in the area. Santa Ana has a fee of \$6.75 cents for full time students and \$5.75 for part time students. We can request for OCTA to make a presentation directly to us. The program will cost approximately \$250,000 to implement. If this is implemented out of Student Fees, it will be a mandatory fee for all students. There was a suggestion that we use Student Equity funds for this. It is estimated that this fee may cost ballpark \$7.00-\$8.00 per person. This would coverage would work year round so Summer would still be included and would allow students to ride any OCTA bus for free. It is estimated that between 3% and 7% of students use the busses to get to campus.
- Student Health Fee - This fee gets adjusted to keep pace with costs. There is a structural deficit in the Health Center currently of about \$3000 per year. There is a huge increase in the use of Mental Health services at the Health Center which has increased this deficit.
- Healthy Campus Initiative - This is in collaboration with St. Jude. They can give us outdoor equipment and hydration station. There would be certain requirements that we would have to meet in order to be eligible for this including increasing the amount out bike parking and having a certain percentage of the food offerings have to be healthy options. We have to provide physical activity to students and the community for free.

The chair referred this item to RPR and will be brought back to Senate on November 21st.

I. Student Representation on Building User Group

VIII. ANNOUNCEMENTS

C. Young said that the DACA resolution will be presented at the next meeting. There is a new water bottle refill station in the 100 building.

C. Serrano invited everyone to Finance. There will be a presentation by Student Support Services regarding a request for money.

E. Adjei discussed changing the name to the AS Benefits fee to Associated Students Benefits Fee.

P. Sisante mentioned the APIA scholarship.

M. Castaneda said that Activities will be having a meeting this week where they will be discussing AS Tank Top promotion, Community Day, and Finals Hospitality.

C. Escobedo will be discussing the Senator Participation form next meeting. She hopes to implement this next semester.

J. Carrithers mentioned that CDO Committees should request for items to be added to the Senate agenda if it requires action from the Senate.

A motion to extend time by 5 minutes passed unanimously (Serrano/ Young).

IX. ADJOURNMENT: 3:16 PM

