



Student Senate Minutes

Tuesday, 3/17/2026 4:00 – 5:30pm

Location: Room 224/226/228

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

Chair: Amanda Rivada

CALL TO ORDER: 4:14 pm

I. ROLL CALL

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Yareli motioned to approve minutes, Bepa seconded. M/p/u

III. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Yareli motioned to add swear in of senators and approval of ICE statement to agenda, Olivia seconded. M/p/u

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

Counseling services propose a new map for 2026 and would like our feedback and our approval of the map. Chair of Fullerton District 4 promotes the career fair at the Brea Mall; it's a free event 10am-1pm on April 24. Senator Alan states that Alpha Gamma Sigma is going to have a special event celebrating 50 years. Dylan Juerez asks for 2 senators interested to join him in campaigning. Gilberto Valencia reports that Kinder Caminata needs more volunteers to help and be kinder buddies for 1200 kindergarteners coming to campus.

*Members of the public may address the A.S. Executive Council Committee regarding items on the agenda as these items are taken up by the committee. Members of the public wishing to address matters not on the agenda will be invited to do so under "Public Comment" at the beginning of the meeting. Public comment is limited to **two minutes per person per item**. State law does not permit any action to be taken nor extended discussion of any items not already on the agenda.*

IV. COMMITTEE PRESENTATIONS

- A. Connie Moreno Yamashiro and Victor Meza will present their efforts to update the photos in 224/226/228 with updated culturally relevant photos. (15 min)

Organizations affected include Umoja, Math Lab, APIDA, Hispanic Cultural Center, Puente Center, etc.

- B. Kassandra Flores will present recent updates on the Transfer Center. (10 min)

Cal Poly Pomona and Whitter College campus tours April 10, Spring College Fair April 14 10am-1pm in the quad, 2027 transfer canvas cohorts open, transfer celebration May 21.

- C. ICC President Mahi Kumar will announce an upcoming campus-wide Spring Thrift Event. (5 min)

Absent.

V. REPORTS (5 minutes max each)

- A. A.S. Executives

Amanda met with Dr. Olivo- people are probably taking the whole supply of menstrual products when they are first restocked in the morning, so they will probably add menstrual products to the basic needs center for students to obtain whole packs of this necessity. Amanda reports on the

Federal Advocacy trip in DC. Julietta reports that the AS benefits fee was changed to an opt out. David reports that they need volunteers to make a reel tomorrow, study sesh for midterms on 3/23 and 3/24. Bepa reports that resolutions are completed, midterm study sesh, she's looking into a campus tour, sodexo update:

- B. Student Trustee
Adopted a new board policy 3450, district policy about animals on campus.
- C. Faculty Advisor of A.S. & ICC
Senators must attend their standing and CDO committees.
- D. Student Life and Leadership Director
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- E. Student Services Specialist
No report
- F. Faculty Senate Liaison
Cynthia reports a debate about adjunct professors and their rights to serve, know your rights and first responder training. A conversation with Randa Jarrar March 19th on Palestine: 2-4:30pm on Thursday.

Bepa motioned to extend the meeting to 6pm, Dylan seconded. At least 2/3 voted in favor, motion passed.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

- A. VP of Records will present revisions to the AS Bylaws on behalf of the Judicial Committee (*Discussion, 15 min*)
Moving forward to next senate meeting.
 - B. AS President will present time sensitive information about the upcoming AS Elections. (*Discussion, 5 min*)
Currently orientation week; senators should talk to executives in the roles their interested in.
 - C. Student Senate will discuss how to best publicize crucial resources on campus. (*Discussion, 10 min*)
Senate discusses pamphlets in the bathroom, flyers, etc.
 - D. AS President will discuss efforts to provide a Senator Stipend for eligible Senators. (*Discussion, 10 min*)
Amanda hopes to have set aside stipends for senators by the end of this semester. A total of \$1000 has been allocated for these stipends.
 - E. Student Senate will confirm each Senators' Standing Committees in preparation for the rest of the semester. (*Discussion, 7 min*)
 - F. President of the Senate swears in representatives and senators. (3 min)
- Ethan Shao motioned to appoint David A to Hiring Committee for Dean of Student Support Services, David K seconded. M/p/u.
- G. Approval of ICE Statement
Second read through- David A motioned to approve ICE statement, Bepa seconded. M/p/u.

VII. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- A. No Student Senate 3/31 due to Spring Break.
- B. Orientation Week for AS Elections: 3/16 - 3/20
- C. Election/ Voting Week for AS: 3/23 - 3/27
- D. Spring Thrift Collecting Period: 4/6-4/10; Spring Thrift Event: Thurs 4/16 11 am – 3 pm.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT: 6:01 PM

A. Know Your Rights & First Responder Training on Tues 3/24 4 PM - 6 PM