Cerritos College
ASCC Senate

Agenda

Wednesday | January 21, 2015
2:00 PM
BK-111/112

1. Call to Order 2:03 pm
2. Flag Salute Athenas 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)
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
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

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 to 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 student's 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
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