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 agendized 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 Caguiao- 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**
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. Rememer: 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.
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 scheduled 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 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.
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.

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
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 bringing 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. Galarte, 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 create 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.

11. Communication

Student Activities Report
Executive Report
Judicial Report
Student Trustee Report
Faculty Senate Liaison Report
Party Whip Report
Delegate Report
Vice Presidential Report
● Student Activities Clerk
● Student Initiative Planning
Committee Report
Senate Report

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