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
Minutes
- In Cabinet they discussed Zombie Fest and suggested ways 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
  ➔ 2) Support 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
-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 of their 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

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

-DISCUSION:

-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 you 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
Minutes

-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.