



Cypress College Associated Students
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Draft Minutes

Monday September 11th, 2017 11:30AM

Student Activities Center, Conference Room
9200 Valley View Street, Cypress, CA 90630

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Associated Students of Cypress College will meet, commencing on **July 24th, 2017**. The start time is approximate. Pursuant to the Government Code Section 54955 and 54954.2(b)(3), the council may adjourn, reconvene, and re-adjourn from time to time, as may be necessary to transact the business of the Council. Those wishing to address the Council shall be present during public forum and express their concern. For further information, please contact Maria Alvarez at (714) 851-1832 or by e-mail at mariaisabelalvarez@gmail.com.

I. Organizational Items

1.1 Call to Order: (11:32 am)

1.2 Roll Call: Maria Alvarez, Robert Mounce, Daniel Sebastian, Aaron Hutchings, Yesenia Renteria, Kayla Zuniga, Angiel Mendieta, Kathryn Olimberio, Monica Santana

1.3 Pledge of Allegiance: Adrian

1.4 Introduction of Guests: Cheryl

1.5 Approval of Minutes: Moved to Approve the Monday August 21st, Draft Minutes made by Robert Mounce, Seconded. Motion carried.

1.6 Approval of Agenda: Moved to Approve the Monday September 11th, Official Meeting Agenda made by Monica Santana, Seconded by Daniel Sebastian. Motion Carried.

II. Public Forum

This time is reserved for members of the public to address the A.S. Council on issues not already appearing on the agenda. A limit of five minutes per speaker and fifteen minutes per topic shall be observed.

- Speakers Name: Cheryl – Hello, I already introduced myself. Our blood drive is coming up October 4th-5th 8am-4pm both days. It is really important to get students to donate so please try advertising the Blood Drive as much as possible!
- Tanya – This coming week I wanted to remind you all about the Teacher Prep Program Orientations, for those who are interested in teaching. They are in Humanities room 311. September 12th 4-5pm, September 13th 11-noon, September 14th 3-4pm, and September 15th 11-noon.
- Maria and Robert – moment of silence for 9/11 Memorial Day.

III. Old Business

(A limit of five minutes per item, please hold questions until the end)

3.1 Recap: Welcome Back – VP Zuniga

VP Zuniga recapped that Welcome Back was successful! There was a lot of student traffic coming to our event, and we even ran out of food. AS was promoted more, and students were interested in the AS sticker. Overall the event went really well.

IV. New Business

(A limit of five minutes per item, please hold questions until the end)

4.1 Discussion: DACA Update – President Alvarez

President Alvarez updated that the DACA table at Welcome Back was a huge success, and many students signed the petition. It is important to represent those students who are affected by the resign, and also to spread awareness to those students who didn't even know this happened.

4.2 Discussion: Food Bank – Advisor Okawa

Advisor Okawa thanked the United Faculty for donating \$1000 to the Food Bank. The money was used to buy food to put back in the inventory for this semester. There are also 7 new students utilizing the Food Bank! Advisor Okawa would like more students to utilize the Food Bank so AS will promote/advertise by placing posters and flyers around campus.

4.3 Discussion: Fighting Food Insecurities – Advisor Okawa

Advisor Okawa discussed new ideas to advertise the Food Bank and our fundraiser for "Fighting Food Insecurities". Ideas were discussed among the council and will be brought back up next meeting.

4.4 Discussion: Club Rush – VP Zuniga

VP Zuniga discussed Club Rush that is coming up September 26-27th, 11:30-1:30 pm. Sign-up sheets were passed around. A.S. will be serving pizza and drinks.

4.5 Discussion: Golf Tournament Fundraiser – Advisor Okawa

Advisor Okawa discussed what the Golf Tournament Fundraiser was, and how many volunteers are needed. The Golf Tournament is on October 9th and AS would help pass out t-shirts. Sign-up sheets were passed around.

4.6 Discussion: AS Photos – Secretary Santana

Secretary Santana set a day to take headshots for e-board and those council members who are planning to run in the Special Elections. AS Photo day will be on September 14th after the general meeting.

4.7 Discussion: AS Goals – President Alvarez

President Alvarez discussed new goals and asked the council what their goals for A.S would be. Ideas about having an AS website, portable “Charger charging stations” around campus, and fundraisers at restaurants were some ideas that were discussed.

4.8 Funds: Retreat – EVP Mounce

Tabled.

V. Shared Governance Committee Reports

(A limit of five minutes per committee report, please hold questions until the end)

5.1 PAC – President Alvarez

President Alvarez went to the first meeting where they discussed about having a DACA online forum. More details are to be announced. The faculty and staff were pleased to hear that A.S. was taking a positive stance and had a laptop with the DACA petition out during Welcome Back for students to sign.

5.2 PBC – VP Mendieta

VP Mendieta discussed that they want to improve the next Curriculum if anyone has an ideas or input on that. Also the school purchased a new multi-purpose school bus for future events/field trips. \$4000 was used towards a new softball field and the Dean of Health received a new desk for \$5000.

VI. Reports

(A limit of five minutes per item, hold questions until the end)

6.1 Advisor

David Okawa: The Great California Shakeout will be on October 19th at 10:19am. We also will be helping out at the Pre-Graduation Fair by providing burgers and carnival games. The date is to be announced. If you are in the independent study class please turn in your contracts and contact information sheets, I need those as soon as possible.

6.2 Executive Secretary

Monica Santana: Just a reminder AS Photos will be taken on Wednesday after the meeting that is e-board and those running in the special elections. Also, I want to give a shout out to Ivana who isn't here because she has class, Diondre, and Grace for cleaning out our AS storage room last Friday! They came on their own time, and volunteered to clean it out. It is now super nice and clean so let's give a hand to them and thank them!

6.3 Chief of Staff

Vacant

6.4 Vice-President of Public Relations

Kathryn Olimberio: I have an Academic Senate meeting this week if anyone wants me to bring up any issues at the meeting.

6.5 Vice-President of Fiscal Affairs

Angiel Mendieta: No report.

6.6 Vice-President of Campus Activities

Kayla Zuniga: My sign-up sheets are going around so please sign-up when you can! I would greatly appreciate it.

6.7 Vice- President of Campus and District Affairs

Vacant

6.8 Vice-President of Student Organizations

a. ICC Updates

Yesenia Renteria: ICC meeting today after the meeting at 1:45pm.

6.9 Vice-President of External Affairs

a. Region VIII/SSCCC

Aaron Hutchings: CCCSAA applications will be out Monday, and I will have some leadership activities for you guys on Wednesday.

6.10 Student Trustee

a. Board of Trustees

Daniel Sebastian: I have a student trustee meeting tomorrow so I will keep you guys updated on that. Hope you guys have a good day!

6.11 Executive Vice President

Robert Mounce: I have an opening for the Safety committee if anyone wants to sit on it.

6.12 President

Maria Alvarez: Happy Monday, keep up with your classes and please keep in mind that we are going to come back to the AS Goals topic on Wednesday!

VII. Announcements

- 7.1 Club Rush September 26-27th
- 7.2 Women in Leadership Conference September 27th
- 7.3 ICC Meeting September 11th at 1:45pm

VIII. Adjournment

- 8.1 (1:32 pm)

Monica Santana, Executive Secretary