

Associated Student Union
Contra Costa College
Minutes

November, 4th 2019 4:00 -5:30pm SAB-107

Attendees

ASU President: Preston Akubuo-Onwuemeka P	ASU Executive VP: Alfredo Angulo P
ASU VP of Club Affairs: Ricardo Sanchez P	ASU Parliamentarian: Edwin Velis P
ASU Secretary: Aman Butt P	ASU Treasurer: Dagim Tessema P
ASU Dir. External Affair: Jacob Espino P	ASU Senator: Luis Rojo P
ASU Senator: Blanca Castillo P	ASU Senator: Albert Dueñas P
ASU Dir. Pub. Relations: Kimyatta Newby P	ASU Senator: Anh Khat P
ASU Dir. Shared Gov.: <i>Vacant</i>	
ASU Act. Coordinator: <i>Vacant</i>	
ASU Dir. T & Recruit: <i>Vacant</i>	

President Preston Akubuo-Onwuemeka called the meeting to order at 4:04

- ❖ Roll Call
- ❖ Approve:
 - Agenda
 - Alfredo motioned to approve the agenda with the corrections of changing Anh Khat's first name from Ann to Anh, and adding Culligan Water to Budget Approval.
 - 2nd by Aman
 - 0 objections 0 abstentions
 - Motion Passed
 - Minutes
 - Alfredo motioned to approve the minutes
 - 2nd by Dagim
 - 0 objections 0 abstentions
 - Motion Passed
- ❖ Introduction of Petitioning Senators and Representatives
 - Petitioning Senator:
 - Jennifer Aguilar (4th Week)
 - Alfredo motioned to accept Jennifer Aguilar as a new ASU Senator
 - 2nd by Albert
 - 0 objections 0 abstentions
 - Motion Passed
 - Leslie Noriega (2nd Week)
- ❖ Public Comment (Each individual has 3 minutes to address the board on items not on the agenda once the list exceeds to ten speakers, each individual will have 2 minutes to address the board):

- (Government Code Section 54954.2(a))

N/A

❖ Budget Approval:

Alfredo motioned to pay \$167 to Culligan Water for water for the months of September and October 2nd by Aman

0 objections 0 abstentions

Motion Passed

❖ Information / Discussion: (Each discussion Item will be 10 minutes after the third Item will be lowered to 5 minutes)

- ASU Act. Coordinator

Jacob motioned to approve Anh Khuat as the new ASU Act. Coordinator.

2nd by Dagim

0 objections 0 abstentions

Motion Passed

- ASU Bylaws Reading

- ◆ The ASU President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer were able to meet Thursday (10/31/19) to discuss procedures that pertains to joining the ASU after the application deadline, the stipends that each member gets, and evaluation at the end of the year. The committee made a draft with changes which the board will decide and vote upon if they agree on.

- ◆ Under Article 2 section 2.01 they added sub points E and D.

d) Application Deadline

1. Each applicant must begin their first meeting of their probationary period by the eighth week of the semester.

2. Applicants that do not meet the previously stated requirement shall not receive a stipend, but will still be allowed to join the board.

e) Stipends

1. Executive members will receive a stipend of \$500 at the end of the semester, if the board acknowledges that they have fulfilled the duties of their position completely.

2. Directors will receive a stipend of \$350 at the end of the semester, if the board acknowledges that they have fulfilled the duties of their position completely.

3. Senators will receive a stipend of \$250 at the end of the semester, if the board acknowledges they have fulfilled the duties of their position completely.

Senators that move to Director or Executive positions after the tenth week of the semester will receive the stipend amount of their previous position, unless the board acknowledges that they have fulfilled the duties of their new position completely.

- ◆ They also created the self-evaluation from which everyone will complete at the end of each semester.
- ◆ Additional information that needs to be added is how the President and the Student Life Coordinator will come to the board with a recommendation of an individual whether or not they will receive a stipend, but the ultimate decision will belong to the board.

- ◆ Additionally add to the Bylaws the time that an Individual in an Interim position will hold that office.
- ◆ The members of the board are okay with the new additions that were presented and will be brought back to the board next meeting with the notes that the board gave.
- LGBTQ event
 - ◆ The gay prom is something that the ASU still wants to do. Due to the time constraints the event will happen next semester.
 - ◆ Instead the event will have workshops that revolve around the LGBTQ which will happen early December. Some points that will be discussed will be the issues in the communities and how professor can deal with certain situations that pertains to the LGBTQ community.

❖ Advisor Report:

The ASU Advisor had 3 items to discuss

Turkey Dinners

- EOPS will buy the turkey dinners and the ASU will reimburse them for \$1,000.
- ICC will also reimburse EOPS \$1,000.

ASU event

- The ASU should have an event that happens before the LGBTQ workshops.
- In-between November and December.

BIO/Information

- The Student Life Coordinator is still missing some bios and information from some members of the ASU please send him the information as soon as possible.

❖ Committee Reports (Executive)

- *Senate member will report decisions that were made in their respective committee.*

➤ ASU President (10 Minutes):

The ASU President had 2 items to discuss

Presidents Cabinets

- During the Presidents Cabinets meeting last Friday the President informed them about the gay prom event and how ASU plans to host one.
- Most of them like the idea and think it will be a great event.
- One concern will be individuals attending and protesting the event.
- One way to counter this will be raising the volume of the music to block it out.

4CD Day

- The ASU President had the idea to have an event in which the other three schools in our district (DVC and LMC) come together and have a friendly competition in certain events ranging from gaming, to obstacles courses.
- The event is for everybody to participate and enjoy.
- The president will bring up this idea to the next STAC meeting and in the Presidents Cabinet.
- And the event will happen next semester.

Aman motioned to extend the meeting by 15 minutes

2nd by Dagim

0 objections 0 abstentions

Motion Passed

➤ ASU Executive VP (10 Minutes):

The ASU Executive VP had only 3 items to discuss

Chancellor

- The ASU Vice President will sit on the committee that will decide the new chancellor since the current one will retiring.

Interim President

- Two candidates have been chosen to be considered for the Interim President for CCC
- Kenneth Gonzales
- Damon Bell
- Both of these candidates are very good and can represent and lead CCC well.

ASU Committees

- The Vice President will create a spreadsheet that contains each committee that a board member sits on to hold accountability.

Currently the members of the board are sitting on these committees.

Preston: Planning, Budget, and College council

Ricardo: Safety

Aman: Sustainability

Jacob: Safety

Blanca: Budget

Kimyatta: Safety, Planning

Alfredo: Safety, Planning, College Council

Edwin: Planning Sustainability

Dagim: Sustainability

Luis: Currently no committee

Albert: Operation

Anh: Currently no committee

➤ ASU VP of Club Affairs (10 Minutes):

The ASU VP of Club Affairs had 3 items to discuss

Day of the Dead

- Day of the Dead was a great event many people showed up.

Movie Night

- The screening of the movie US was great, but it would have been better if more people showed up.

Dreamers Alliance

- Dreamers Alliance Conference will be February 22nd in the fireside hall from 8:30am to 2pm.
- During the Conference we will have Yosiman Reyes, a poet, and Jose Antonio, a journalist, attend the event.
- The event will focus on data protection for undocumented people, along with understanding the rights that we have, and will also focus on mental health.

Alfredo motioned to extend the meeting by 5 minutes

2nd by Aman

0 objections 0 abstentions

Motion Passed

❖ Committee Reports (Internal):

➤ Finance/Budget (3 Minutes):

We have \$30,832 in the Student Activity Fee

We have \$7,434.74 in the Student Representation Fee

➤ Dir. T & Recruit (3 Minutes):.

Vacant

➤ Public Relations (3 Minutes):

- During the Planning Committee meeting they discussed how there will be a new air conditioning unit in the GE by next semester
- And there will be more protocols on how to distribute mask for CCC students in case of hazardous air

Aman motioned to extend the meeting by 5 minutes

2nd by Dagim

0 objections 0 abstentions

Motion Passed

➤ Act. Coordinator (3 Minutes):

Vacant

➤ Dir. Shared Gov. (3 Minutes).

Vacant

➤ Dir. External Affairs (3 Minutes):

No report

➤ Vacant Positions

ASU Dir. Shared Gov.

ASU Dir. T & Recruit

Ricardo nominated Jennifer Aguilar to be the new ASU Dir. T & Recruitment
Jennifer accepted her nomination

ASU Activities Coordinator

- ❖ Adjournment...
Preston motioned to adjourn this meeting at 5:56pm
2nd by Aman
0 objections 0 abstentions
Motion Passed