

**UNADOPTED MINUTES  
IMPERIAL VALLEY COLLEGE  
ASSOCIATED STUDENTS GOVERNMENT SENATE  
FORTY-FIFTH ASSEMBLY**

**Monday, March 1, 2010**

President Steven Sciaky called the regularly scheduled meeting of the Associated Students Government Senate to order at 1:34 p.m. in the Administration Board Room.

**PRESENT**

Jose Casas	Carolina Godoy
Mario De La Torre	Ashley Nicole Juarez
Crystelle Enriquez	Brian Phillips
Carlos Espericueta Jr.	

**ABSENT**

Chris Corrales  
Brian Phillips (*excused*)

**VISITORS**

Daniel Bermudez, IVC Student  
Rusty Lacsina, IVC Student

**ADVISOR**

Mr. Sergio A. Lopez

**CLERK**

Claudia M. Aguilar

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

M/S/C (Ashley Juarez/Carolina Godoy) to approve the agenda for Monday, March 1, 2010 as submitted

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

M/S/C (Ashley Juarez/Jose Casas) to approve the minutes for the meeting of Monday, February 22, 2010 as submitted

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None

**REPORTS**

**President**

President Sciaky reminded the Senate of the upcoming committee meetings for this week:

- College Council will meet today for a special meeting at 2:30 p.m. in the Administration Board Room. President Sciaky, Mario De La Torre and Carlos Espericueta are scheduled to attend.
- Student Affairs Committee meeting has been cancelled for today.
- Executive Council will meet Tuesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 8:00 a.m. in the Administration Board Room. President Sciaky is scheduled to attend.
- Academic Senate will meet Wednesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 1:30 p.m. in the Administration Board Room. President Sciaky is scheduled to attend.

### **Accreditation Team**

Mr. Lopez received the Midterm Report on Friday, February 26<sup>th</sup>. The Accreditation team reviews records to see if the college is functioning in a proper manner. The report stated that the institution is currently in warning status. Six issues have been addressed and will be corrected by March 2010.

### **Senate Vacancies**

ASG Senate applications are available in the Student Affairs office (Bldg. 1000). Deadline to apply is March 5<sup>th</sup>. Nine Senate applications have been submitted. Six are in good standing and three were disqualified.

### **Install New Officers**

President Sciaky opened the nomination for two Executive positions:

- **President Pro Tempore (Vice President):** He/She will work directly with ASG President and becomes the leader during the absence of President.
- **Elections Officer:** He/She will make sure that rules and regulations are followed prior and after elections.

Nominations were as followed:

Jose Casas nominated Crystelle Enriquez for Vice President nomination.

Crystelle Enriquez declined.

Carolina Godoy nominated Ashley Juarez for Vice President nomination.

**M/S/C** (Ashley Juarez/Jose Casas) to close the Vice President position.

There was a unanimous vote to elect Ashley Juarez as the 2009-10 Vice President.

Ashley Juarez nominated Carolina Godoy for the Elections Officer position.

**M/S/C** (Ashley Juarez/Jose Casas) to close the Elections Officer nomination.

There was a unanimous vote to elect Carolina Godoy as the 2009-10 Election Officer.

Mr. Lopez congratulated everyone.

**Treasurer**

Mr. Lopez stated that the current revenue was an estimate of \$127,000.00. The majority of revenue has been supplied by vending machines.

**Parliamentarian**

Carlos Espericueta stated that on Friday the Wi-Fi was not working. Mr. Lopez stated that the system shuts down for maintenance.

**Commissions**

**Activities**

Jose stated that the Welcome Back BBQ/Club Day Event had been a good turnout. All 400 hot dogs, chips and soft drinks were gone within the 45 minutes of serving time.

It was motioned and second by the Activities commission to approve expenditures for supplies purchased for the IVC booth that will be held in the Mid-Winter Fair (High School Madness) on Monday, March 1<sup>st</sup> not exceed \$220.00.

*The motion carried without further discussion.*

The State Wide Day of Action event will be held on Thursday, March 4<sup>th</sup> at 11am in the College Center Quad area. The ASG will have a voter registration booth and provide free t-shirts to the first 300 students.

**Affairs**

The Spring Awards Banquet will be held on Friday, June 4<sup>th</sup> at the Old Eucalyptus Schoolhouse. More information will become available as the date approaches.

Chris Corrales submitted his Letter of Resignation to Student Senate due to class conflict. Chris would like to volunteer in upcoming ASG events.

The Spring Health Fair will be held on Wednesday, March 17<sup>th</sup> in the College Center Oasis room. Free hot dogs, chips and soft drinks will be provided to students that participate in the Health Fair.

**Cultural**

Mr. Lopez stated that he would like to purchase for the Cesar Chavez event The Fight in the Fields video. The cost for video is \$250.00 plus shipping.

**Publicity**

Crystelle Enriquez stated that she had created posters for the upcoming events:

- Senate Vacancy (Deadline March 5<sup>th</sup>)
- Health Fair that will be held on Wednesday, March 17<sup>th</sup>

Mr. Lopez announced that the deadline for Degree Application was Monday, March 1<sup>st</sup> for students that would like to participate

in the Graduation Ceremony. Applications will still be accepted through May 7<sup>th</sup> for non walkers.

**Committees**

**Finance**

M/S/C (Ashley Juarez/Crystelle Enriquez) to approve the purchase of Canon camera not to exceed \$290.00.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Charter Form**

M/S/C (Ashley Juarez/Brian Phillips) to approve the following Charter forms as submitted:

**Gamerz Club**

President: Allan Guzman  
Vice-President: Victor Garcia  
Secretary: Kevin Louie  
Advisor: Andres Martinez

**Support of Increase**

M/S/C (Ashley Juarez/Jose Casas) to recommend the increase of Student Health Fee in the amount of \$2.00 per Semester and Intersession.

The proposed increased for the Student Health Fee will allow for a Student Health Center that will have its own Nurse Practitioner and Licensed Counselor. If approved the increase will be effective Fall 2010.

	<u>Fall/Spring</u>	<u>Summer/Winter</u>
Current Fee	\$14.00	\$11.00
Proposed Increase Fee	\$16.00	\$13.00

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Senators**

Mario De La Torre stated that last week during College Council he felt embarrassed and ashamed when Kathy Berry, Vice President for Academic Services addressed a question to the student representative President Sciaky which there was no response given. Mario was also concerned that the President's lack of participation made the Senate look bad. President Sciaky stated that he and Mr. Lopez had responded to Ms. Berry's question.

Mario De La Torre also stated that the Senate was only providing social events and he encountered personal and academic difficulties when attending conferences. Mr. Lopez responded that it was his choice to attend the conference and that the students do work in representing students as evidence through participation in the Shared Governance process.

Due to time constraint no other comments were heard or discussed.

**ASG President**

No Report.

**Advisor**

No Report.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 2:29 p.m.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for **Monday, March 8, 2010** at **1:30p.m.** in the Administration Board Room.

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**PRESIDENT**

**DATE**

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**A.S. ADVISOR**

**DATE**

Respectfully Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_