

**ADOPTED MINUTES
IMPERIAL VALLEY COLLEGE
ASSOCIATED STUDENTS GOVERNMENT SENATE
FORTY-SIXTH ASSEMBLY**

Monday, May 16, 2011

President Josafat Trejo called the regularly scheduled meeting of the Associated Students Government senate to order at 1:31 p.m. in the Administration Board Room.

PRESENT

Hugo Aguilar	Alberto Izarraraz
Daniel Bermudez	Raim Torres
Carlos Espericueta	Mitchelle Vasquez
Iliana Felix	Lisa Tylenda [1:55 p.m.]
Jesus Gallegos	

ABSENT

Antonio Leon
Jerica Maciel
Dallis Ontiveros

VISITORS

None

ADVISOR

Mr. Sergio A. Lopez

CLERK

Saria Cardoza

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

M/S/C (Gallegos/Izarraraz) to approve the agenda for Monday, May 16, 2011

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

M/S/C (Espericueta/Torres) to approve the minutes for the meeting of Monday, May 9, 2011 as submitted.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

REPORTS

President

President Trejo reminded the Senate of the upcoming committee meetings for this week in the Administration Board Room:

- The FEIC will be meeting today at 2:30 p.m. in the Administration Board Room. Senators Felix and Espericueta are scheduled to attend.
- The Student Affairs Committee will be meeting tomorrow, Tuesday, May 17th at 2:00 p.m. President Trejo, Senators Torres, Tylenda and Espericueta are scheduled to attend.
- The Academic Senate will meet this Wednesday, May 18th at 1:30 p.m. Senator Gallegos is scheduled to attend.

- The Board of Trustees will be meeting this Wednesday, May 18th at 6:00 p.m. President Trejo will be attending.
- The CART meeting will be held this Friday, May 20th. Senator Izarraraz is scheduled to attend.

President Trejo attended the Curriculum Committee meeting last Thursday, May 12th. The committee discussed the possibility of merging English 86, 87, 88 & 89 all in one. The course would be named English 10. This particular model has been implemented at other colleges to help students “catch up” and get them prepared for English 100. The course would be credit-no credit course and pre-requisites are not required. The committee also discussed the future of summer school for next year. The Board of Trustees will be discussing summer school this Wednesday.

Commissions

Affairs

Senator Bermudez and Mr. Lopez will meet this afternoon and shop for table centerpieces at the local flower shops.

Mr. Lopez advised Senators that invitations to the Spring Awards Banquet will be e-mailed. RSVP’s need to be made no later than Friday, May 27th.

The banquet is scheduled for Friday, June 3, 2011 at the Old Eucalyptus Schoolhouse in El Centro.

Publicity

Mr. Lopez asked Senator Torres to add the Cap & Gown information on the marquee sometime this week.

Committees

Finance

M/S/C (Gallegos/Bermudez) to approve \$3,000 in expenditures for the Spring Awards Banquet. **Discussion:** Mr. Lopez stated that the \$3,000 will cover the purchase of frames, decorations, cakes, awards, etc.

The motion carried without further discussion.

M/S/C (Bermudez/Gallegos) to approve \$3,900 for the remaining balance of this year’s hall rental. **Discussion:** Mr. Lopez explained that the rental hall for the Old Eucalyptus Schoolhouse must be secured a year before. Therefore, a \$1,000 deposit was approved last year and only \$3,900 remains.

The motion carried without further discussion.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

CTA State of Emergency

President Trejo reported that there was a Media Meeting last Thursday where he, Senator Bermudez, Dr. Gould and others

were in attendance. Channel 11, Imperial Valley Press and local Spanish Radio Stations were present. President Trejo stated that he tried his best in speaking up for students. Mr. Lopez stated that everything has to do with budget and it looks like Jerry Brown, CA Governor will not make more additional cuts to Community Colleges. However, the budget keeps changing and we cannot guarantee that additional cuts will not be made throughout the year. Mr. Lopez also stated that there will be an approximately 400 courses cut for next year. Several students will be impacted.

NEW BUSINESS

Activity Function Forms

M/S/C (Tylenda/Bermudez) to approve the following activity function forms as submitted:

1. CAAP (College Association of Abuse Prevention) – Booth for Drunk Driving Awareness on Wed., 5/18/11 from 10am-12 Noon in front of the Quad Area
2. Future Professionals of I.V. - Food Sale (Chips, Cookies, Coffee, soft drinks, etc.) on Tues., 5/24/11 from 7:30 a.m.- 12 Noon in front of the College Center

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senators

Senator Gallegos attended the Budget & Fiscal Committee last week. He stated that there will be a Special meeting this Wednesday, May 18th after the Academic Senate meeting.

Senator Izarraraz stated that the Master Plan Committee meeting last Friday, May 13th was cancelled and he was not notified.

President

No report

Advisor

No report

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 1:53 p.m.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for Monday, May 23, 2011 at 1:30 p.m. in the Administration Board Room.

PRESIDENT

DATE

A.S. ADVISOR

DATE

Respectfully Submitted by: _____ **Date** _____