

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

**Monday, September 22, 2008**

President Chantilee Mendenhall called the regularly scheduled meeting of the Associated Students Government Senate to order at 1:08 p.m. in the Administration Board Room.

**PRESENT**

Brenda Antunez	Itzel Bejarano
Jonathan Balint	Josafat Trejo

**ABSENT**

Erika Arias

**VISITORS**

Jade Zoghbi, IVC Student  
Ryan Pimble, IVC Student  
Reanna Guerrero, IVC Student  
Steven Sciaky, IVC Student  
Jason Rushing, IVC Student  
Tanya Rios, IVC Student

**ADVISOR**

Mr. Sergio A. Lopez

**CLERK**

Claudia M. Aguilar

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

M/S/C (Jonathan Balint/Josafat Trejo) to approve the agenda for Monday, September 22, 2008 as submitted

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

M/S/C (Brenda Antunez/Jonathan Balint) to approve the minutes for the meeting of Monday, September 15, 2008 as submitted

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Jason Rushing stated he is planning on creating a new club called Drama/Improv Club but the students he has talked to are not aware of what it is about which takes him about half hour to explain. Jason would like to bring a group from San Diego called National Comedy Club. He asked the ASG for the possibility of funding the group including the group's travel expenses. Mr. Lopez responded that they could not fund a club who is not chartered. Mr. Lopez recommended bringing back the item for discussion at the next meeting. Jason will request a quote from the group along with their availability of dates. Jason thanked the ASG for their time and interest.

**OATH OF OFFICE**

President Mendenhall administered the Oath of Office to Jade Zoghbi, Richard Webster, Tanya Rios, Leroy Lopez, Ryan Pimble, Reanna Guerrero and Steven Sciaky.

**REPORTS**

## **President**

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

- College Council scheduled for today was cancelled. The next meeting will be in two weeks.

President Mendenhall stated that she needs someone to help at the voter's registration table on Thursday, September 25<sup>th</sup> from 10:00am-1:00pm outside the College Center. Brenda Antunez stated that she could cover from 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

President Mendenhall stated that student survey date had been changed to Tuesday, September 23 and Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup> from 10:00am-1:00pm outside the College Center.

Mr. Lopez indicated to all Senators to read the ASG Constitution and become familiar with the positions for Senate Officers.

## **Commissions**

### **Activities**

President Mendenhall stated that Constitution Day last Wednesday, September 17 went very well. She also stated that guest speaker; Mr. Kevin White received a \$50.00 gift card from *Johnny's Carinos* Restaurant thanking him for his time.

### **Affairs**

President Mendenhall announced that the Health Fair will be held on Wednesday, October 1<sup>st</sup> from 9:00am-2:00pm. President Mendenhall stated that six Senators are needed to help with the registration table. The ASG will also be serving hot dogs to students that visit at least five different agencies. Gift baskets will be donated from the agencies and a drawing will be done every hour.

Mr. Lopez announced that flu shots will be available at the Health Center to all IVC students as part of the \$14 health fee.

## **Cultural**

Itzel Bejarano suggested that for next year during National Hispanic Heritage Day two hours of Mariachi would be better than one. Mr. Lopez stated that the main purpose of the celebration was the history of Hispanic Heritage and not the musical performance. Live entertainment was added for fun but we can not get away from the history of a celebration.

Jonathan Balint stated that he would of liked to off seen more club participation during National Hispanic Heritage Day.

President Mendenhall announced the salsa winners from National Hispanic Heritage Day that was held on Tuesday, September 16, 2008:

Hottest Salsa-\$100.00

Student Support Services

Mildest Salsa-\$100.00                      Future Leaders of America  
People's Choice-\$100.00                      Student Support Services

Clubs also received \$25.00 for participation.

**Publicity**

President Mendenhall stated that posters for the Health Fair should be finished and posted by Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Lopez also asked Claudia Aguilar to post the information to the marquee on Aten.

**Committees**

**Finance**

Mr. Lopez went over the budget for the following accounts:

<u>Account</u>	<u>Balance</u>
Activities	\$8,804.98
Affairs	\$7,000.00
Athletic	\$2,000.00
Cultural	\$6,056.67
Publicity	\$1,500.00

**Rules**

Mr. Lopez stated that the time change of the ASG Meeting from 1:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. will be under action item at the next meeting.

**Other Committees**

**CCSAAA Conference**

Mr. Lopez stated that the California Community College Student Affairs Association (CCCSAA) Conference will be held October 16-19, 2008 in San Diego. This is the Statewide Student Leadership Conference. Senators attending will be excused from class on the approved dates. The first group will leave on Thursday, October 16<sup>th</sup> and the second group will leave on Friday, October 17<sup>th</sup>.

**Fall 2008 General Assembly**

Mr. Lopez announced that the Fall General Assembly will be held October 24-26, 2008 in San Jose. Mr. Lopez stated there is a possibility of not attending this particular conference since it will mean the third conference in a row for him. If stated that two or three Senators might go if he can find an advisor from a different college. More information will be released at the next meeting.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Charter Forms**

M/S/C (Josafat Trejo/Jonathan Balint) to approve the following charter forms as submitted:

**Business Club**

President: Vaneza Hacegaba

Vice-President: Yadira Lopez

Secretary: Ivette Romero  
Advisor: Angie Ruiz

**Agricultural (AG) Club**

Officers Pending (Elections will be held next week)

**Activity Function Forms**

M/S/C (Jonathan Balint/Josafat Trejo) to approve the following activity functions forms as submitted:

- AG Club- Community Outreach, Pumpkin Patch activity (location: between future IT Bldg and surroundings), 10/25/08, 12 Noon to 6:00pm.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Senators**

Josafat Trejo stated that on Campus Operations Committee meeting that was held last Thursday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, it was announced that the restrooms in building 10 were going to be available to Staff ONLY. Students and the public would have to go to alternate restrooms in other buildings. Mr. Lopez responded that it was an Administrative decision because Staff located in the Admissions building wants clean restrooms. He also indicated that the ASG may also make a recommendation in regards to this item to College Council and state whether they are in favor or against the decision. ASG will place this item on their next agenda.

**ASG President**

President Mendenhall welcomed all the new Senators.

**Advisor**

Mr. Lopez, President Mendenhall and Itzel Bejarano will be attending the HACU Conference in Denver, Colorado from October 10-13, 2008.

Mr. Lopez also welcomed the new Senators and looks forward in working with everyone.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 1:55 p.m.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 29 at 1:00 p.m. in the Administration Board Room.

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**PRESIDENT**

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**A.S. ADVISOR**

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**DATE**

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