

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

**Monday, October 11, 2010**

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.

<b>PRESENT</b>	Danitza Aguirre (1:37) Mayra Beltran Daniel Bermudez Carlos Espericueta Ana Gaytan Jesus Gallegos Craig Holloway	Antonio Leon Jerica Maciel Dallis Ontiveros Raim Torres Lisa N. Tylanda Mitchelle Vasquez
<b>ABSENT</b>	None	
<b>VISITORS</b>	Gaylla Finnell, Political Science Instructor & CTA President Frances Beope, Counselor	
<b>ADVISOR</b>	Mr. Sergio A. Lopez	
<b>CLERK</b>	Saria Cardoza	
<b>APPROVAL OF AGENDA</b>	M/S/C (Craig Holloway/Daniel Bermudez) to approve the agenda for Monday, October 11, 2010 as submitted.	
<b>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</b>	M/S/C (Jesus Gallegos/Ana Gaytan) to approve the minutes for the meeting of Monday, October 4, 2010 as submitted.	
<b>PUBLIC COMMENTS</b>	None	
Suspend the Order of Business	M/S/C (Daniel Bermudez/Ana Gaytan) to suspend the order of business at 1:34 p.m.	
<b>Academic Calendar</b>	Ms. Gaylla Finnell handed copies of the proposed Academic Calendars to the ASG Senate. She stated that the State finally approved and signed the budget which is good news for all community colleges. She stated that there has been a 2.2 % growth that will benefit all colleges. The Academic Calendar strongly affects faculty. The calendars have been presented to the Academic Senate and a subcommittee has been formed to discuss and put together different options of the calendar. The subcommittee is now asking for student's input and is requesting at least two (2) ASG representatives to be part of the Academic Calendar Subcommittee. After Ms. Finnell explained the options of the calendars for 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 she stated that they are not a done deal until it goes to the Negotiation Committee. She stated that this is the first time that she has	

everyone collaborate in such project because she believes everyone's input is extremely important. The Academic Senate will be discussing the options at their next meeting scheduled for Wednesday, October 20<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 p.m. in the Administration Board Room. She would like for the ASG to be prepared and join the discussion on this item. The deadline to submit the calendars to the Chancellor's office is January 2011. The deadline also impacts Financial Aid and that is important for students. The goal is to submit at least two years but the subcommittee wants to go as far as four years. Please keep in mind that this is a work-in-progress and changes are still being made. Version 2 of the 2011-2012 includes Winter Intersession where version 1 includes two summer sessions. As most students are now aware Winter Intersession was cut due to the current budget crisis. Since the calendar cannot be moved up now that winter has been cancelled the college will now have a six-week 'dead time' from January 6<sup>th</sup> through February 8<sup>th</sup>. Ms. Finnell stated that the college is still in a budget crisis. IVC keeps getting short loans to pay out salaries, bills, etc. She stated that there is money that has been promised but the college does not have it yet and meanwhile we are all suffering. Ms. Finnell explained how summer's FTE's are accounted differently than winter. She stated that summer gives flexibility when it comes down to counting FTE's. The Administration has decided not to offer winter but instead will offer two summer sessions. She stated that the first summer session will only help college students since the start date will be May 14, 2012 and most high school students will not be able to take advantage of this particular session. The second summer session will begin June 25 and this will benefit those students right out of high school. Another item discussed was the 2012 Spring Break. Mr. Lopez mentioned that in the past, IVC has kept the spring break in line with the K-12 schools. Ms. Finnell stated that IVC has kept in line to accommodate our students, staff and faculty but that most colleges and universities do not line up Spring Break with the K-12 calendar. Therefore, version 1 states having Spring break from March 5 through March 9 while the K-12 will be from April 9 through April 13, 2012. Ms. Finnell again emphasized the importance of having student representation at the next Academic Senate Meeting scheduled for Wednesday, October 20<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 p.m. in the Administration Board Room. The Academic Calendar Subcommittee will be meeting right after that meeting at 3:00 p.m. in room 303. Students are encouraged to contact Ms. Finnell with any questions, comments or concerns via e-mail at [gaylla.finnell@imperial.edu](mailto:gaylla.finnell@imperial.edu)

Ms. Finnell thanked the ASG for their time.

Resume Order of Business

**M/S/C** (Jesus Gallegos/Ana Gaytan) to resume the order of business at 2:01 p.m.

Suspend the Order of Business

**M/S/C** (Ana Gaytan/Craig Holloway) to suspend the order of business to allow Ms. Frances Beope discuss Measure “J”

**Measure “J”**

Counselor, Frances Beope stated that the college needs student volunteers this Friday, October 15<sup>th</sup> to spread the word about Measure “J”. Mr. Lopez is requesting that all Senators submit ten (10) names with their e-mail address no later than this Thursday. Ms. Beope stated that we will walk all over Imperial County and will only talk to registrar voters. The meeting will take place at 8:30 a.m. somewhere in El Centro (location yet to be determined). A simple script and a fact sheet will be disseminated along with some training in order to begin walking no later than 10:00 a.m. Measure “J” will allow for a Career Technical Building to be built and such building will house EMS, POST, Fire Tech, etc. The building is necessary and we hope students can help with this effort.

Resume the Order of Business

**M/S/C** (Daniel Bermudez/Jesus Gallegos) to resume the order of business at 2:10 p.m. **DISCUSSION:** Those walking this Friday make sure to wear comfortable shoes. Food and water will be provided.

**REPORTS**

President

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

- College Council will meet today at 2:30 p.m. President Trejo, Daniel Bermudez and Jesus Gallegos are scheduled to attend.
- There will be a President’s Advisory Council meeting tomorrow at 3:00 p.m. President Trejo is scheduled to attend.
- There will be a Special Board Meeting at 5:00 p.m. this Thursday, October 14<sup>th</sup>. A student representative is needed.
- The Educational Master Planning Committee will be meeting this Friday but the Senate will be helping with Measure “J.”

Treasurer

Craig Holloway provided a copy of the current ASG budget. Mr. Lopez said that Pepsi-Cola will be writing a check out to the ASG for over \$30k and another check in the amount of \$28k for revenue generated from the previous contract.

Elections Officer

There will be a voter’s registration table available this Thursday, October 14<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Volunteers are needed to cover the office. Monday, October 18<sup>th</sup> is the last day to register and be able to vote for the November 2<sup>nd</sup> elections.

**Commissions**

Activities

Dallis Ontiveros reported that the IVC Idol last Wednesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> went “great.” The winners are as follow:

- **1<sup>st</sup> Place – Karla Torres**  
iPod Shuffle
- **2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Julio Aguilar**  
Portable DVD Player

The *Hypnotist* will perform on Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 p.m. in the College Center Oasis room. Approval will take place during the next ASG meeting.

Affairs The *Health Fair* scheduled last Tuesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>. Danitza Aguirre stated that the fair was well attended. The iPod went to student, Norma Gonzalez.

Athletics Craig Holloway announced the following Athletic games:

- Men’s Soccer will play against Mesa College tomorrow at 3:15 p.m.
- Women’s Volleyball will play against San Diego City College this Friday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m.

Cultural The Cultural Commission contacted Counselor & Veteran Specialist, Ms. Lori Mazeroll in regards to the Veteran’s Day Celebration scheduled for November. Therefore, Mitchell Vasquez will follow up with Ms. Mazeroll. More information will be available by the next meeting.

Publicity Mr. Lopez thanked the Publicity Commission for a very good job in publicizing the events on campus. Raim Torres thanked everyone who has shown support by assisting with publicity.

**Committees**

Finance The approval for purchasing the recycling bins was tabled due to time constraint.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Charter Forms** None

**Activity Function Forms** M/S/C (Danitza Aguirre/Craig Holloway) to approve the following activity function form as submitted:

1. SSS Club – Food Sale (Pozole) on 11/17/2010 in front of the College Center from 9 a.m.-2 p.m.
2. SSS Club – Adopt a Highway (111-between Evan Hewes & Worthington Road) on Friday, 10/22/2010 from 7 a.m.-1 p.m.
3. SSS Club – Candy Bags for “Los Niños” (Betty Jo McNeece in El Centro) from October 25-29, 2010

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Senators**

Ana Gaytan attended the Technology Committee last Wednesday, October 6<sup>th</sup>. The committee discussed that the rules have remain the same over ten years and they will look into revising them.

Jesus Gallegos attended the Academic Senate meeting where he gave a report about the ASG. He also attended the Budget & Fiscal Planning meeting where Kevin White was selected co-chair.

Danitza Aguirre, Lisa Tylanda, Raim Torres and President Trejo attended the Student Affairs Committee meeting on Monday, October 4, 2010.

**ASG President**

President Trejo attended the C&I Committee meeting last Thursday. The committee discussed the adding FREN 180; FREN 182; CIS 160 and SPCH 130 is pending approval due to lack of information.

President Trejo thanked everyone for doing a good job.

**Advisor**

Mr. Lopez once again reminded the Senate that Measure “J” is very important. The ASG will be providing food on Friday for all the participants. More information will be discussed during Wednesday’s planning meeting at 1:30 p.m. in the Student Affairs Conference Room.

Mitchelle Vasquez has volunteered to talk to the various Political Science classes.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 2:26 p.m.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 18, 2010 at **1:30 p.m.** in the Administration Board Room.

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**PRESIDENT**

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**A.S. ADVISOR**

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