

**ADOPTED MINUTES
IMPERIAL VALLEY COLLEGE
MEETING OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS GOVERNMENT
FIFTY-SECOND ASSEMBLY
Location: Administration Board Room @ 12:50 p.m.
Monday, September 19, 2016**

Vice President Benjamin Barajas called the regularly scheduled meeting of the Associated Students Government Senate to order at 12:58 p.m. in the Administration Board Room.

PRESENT

Christine Bermudez
Luis Caloca
Jessica Cardenas
Victor Cervantes
Ubaldo Chavez [Late 1:05 p.m.]
Kyle Deol
Julia Escobar
Stephanie Estrada
Jose Gutierrez
Brianna Guzman
Karla Lopez Espejo
Kaelyn Minor
Karen Villa

VISITORS

Miriam Trejo, *Student Services Specialist*
Yethel Alonso, *CSEA President*

ADVISOR

Mr. Everardo Martinez-Inzunza

CLERK

Saria Cardoza

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

*M/S/C (Guzman/Villa) to approve the agenda for Monday, September 19, 2016 as amended:
Add item "q" under Activity Function Forms: Fitness Club*

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

M/S/C (Cardenas/Caloca) to approve the minutes for the meeting of Monday, September 12, 2016 as submitted.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

California State Employees Association (CSEA) President, Yethel Alonso introduced herself to the Senate. She works in coordination with Labor Council #427 and announced a job opportunity, preferably students majoring in Political Science or who take part in a political awareness club on campus. The job will run until the day of National Elections, Tuesday, November 8, 2016 and pays \$1,500 a month. The job entails extensive hours including evening hours. One position is funded and available. Students interested are encouraged to apply. Please contact Ms. Alonso via email at yethel.alonso@imperial.edu should you need additional information or have any questions. Ms. Alonso thanked the Senate and was excused at 1:05 p.m.

REPORTS

Vice President

VP Barajas reminded the Senate of the following committee meetings scheduled this week:

- Distance Ed will meet tomorrow, September 20, 2016 at 12:50 p.m. in room 2727. Senator Minor and VP Barajas are scheduled to attend.
- Academic Senate will be meeting this Wednesday, September 21, 2016 at 12:50 p.m. in the Board Room. President Bermudez will be attending.
- CART will be meeting this Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. in room 304A. Senator Lopez Espejo will be attending.
- Publicity and Marketing Committee is scheduled to meet this Thursday, September 22, 2016 at 12:50 p.m. in room 903, IT Conference Room. Senator Escobar volunteered to attend.
- College Council Agenda Committee will also be meeting this Thursday at 12:50 p.m. in the Board Room. President Bermudez will be attending.

An informational meeting with Assembly member, Eduardo Garcia will take place this Friday, September 23, 2016 at 2:30 p.m. in the Board Room. Everyone with the exception of Senators Gutierrez, Caloca and Cardenas will be attending the informational meeting. Cookies and refreshments will be served.

Commissions

Activities

Rock the Vote will take place this Thursday, September 22, 2016 in the Amphitheater from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The event will have music bands, photo booth, drinks, etc. Secretary Deol volunteered to be “Uncle Sam.”

*It comes motioned and seconded by the Activities Commission to approve expenditures towards the Rock the Vote activity, not to exceed more than \$300. **The motion carried without discussion.***

Affairs

Health Fair will take place Tuesday, October 4, 2016 in the College Center from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. A planning meeting with PMHD will be held next Tuesday, September 27, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. in the Student Affairs Conference Room. Affairs Chairs, Deol and Estrada are scheduled to attend.

Mark your Calendar: Suicide Awareness Day will take place next Tuesday, September 27, 2016.

*M/S/C (Estrada/Cervantes) to approve expenditures towards the Suicide Awareness Day event, not to exceed more than \$200. **The motion carried without discussion.***

Cultural

The Cultural Commission continues to work towards having a very successful Hispanic Heritage Celebration scheduled to take place Friday, September 30, 2016. Flyers will be disseminated on campus and within our local communities.

Tacos de Pescado Marlyn located in El Centro donated ten, \$10 gift cards towards the event. Senator Cardenas purchased two piñatas. Two free crunchy tacos will be given to the first 150 attendees. About a dozen Campus Clubs will be participating.

Publicity

Parliamentarian Guzman has volunteered to distribute the Hispanic Heritage Celebration flyers during the Ambassadors tour scheduled the morning of the event (Friday, 9/30/16).

Other Committees

CCCSAA

Senators attending the CCCSAA Conference must turn in the agreement and student code of conduct forms to Ms. Trejo or Ms. Cardoza at their earliest convenience.

HACU

President Bermudez and Senator Lopez Espejo will be attending the HACU conference scheduled to take place Saturday, October 8, 2016 through Monday, October 10, 2016 in San Antonio, Texas. Departure will be Friday, October 7th from the San Diego International Airport.

Fall General Assembly

The Fall General Assembly will be held Friday, November 11, 2016 through Sunday, November 13, 2016 in Sacramento. A student delegate will need to be chosen as well as a student to attend the assembly. More information will become available next week.

NEW BUSINESS

Charter Forms

M/S/C (Guzman/Chavez) to approve the following Charter forms as submitted:

- a. **Spay, Neuter Incredible Pets (SNIP) Club**
President: Kayla White
Vice-President: Gabrielle Urena
Secretary: Danielle Gonzalez
Club Advisor: Veronica Soto
- b. **Military & Veteran's Support Club**
President: Ubaldo Chavez
Vice-President: Samyasen Torres
Secretary: Francisco Magallanes
Club Advisor: Paige Lovitt
- c. **Fitness Club**
President: *Pending*
Vice-President: Cesar Badillo
Secretary: *Pending*
Club Advisor: Dr. Cuauhtemoc Carboni

Activity Function Forms

M/S/C (Cardenas/Chavez) to approve the following Activity Function forms as submitted.

- a. SPA Club – Donation Drive for African Refugees, Sat., 9/17/16 from 9am-12pm in the Calexico Homeless Shelter (545 Encinas Avenue)
- b. SPA Club – Donation Drive for African Refugees, Sat., 9/18/16 from 9am-12pm in the Calexico Homeless Shelter (545 Encinas Avenue)
- c. CAAP Club – Food Sale (Cake, Cup Cakes, and Hispanic Food) during the Rock the Vote Event, Thurs., 9/22/16 at 11am
- d. CAAP Club – Informational Table during the Rock the Vote Event, 9/22/16
- e. ASL Club – Potluck Social, Fri., 12/2/16, in the Amphitheater from 3pm-5pm
- f. SSS Club – Food Sale (Pizza & Sodas) during the Career Fair & University Day, Thurs., 10/6/16 in the gym from 9am-1pm

- g. SSS Club – Recruitment of Club Members during the Rock the Vote Event
- h. STEM Club – Food Sale (Tostitos Locos & Churros Locos) during the Rock the Vote Event, Thurs., 9/22/16 from 11am-2pm
- i. Chemistry Club – Free Lemonade during the Rock the Vote Event, Thurs., 9/22/16 from 11am-2pm
- j. Philosophy Club – Food Sale (Tostadas and Drinks) during the Rock the Vote Event, Thurs., 9/22/16 from 11am-2pm
- k. Business Club – Food Sale (Tortas) during the Calexico High School Conference, Sat., 9/24/16 from 10am-2pm at the De Anza School in Calexico
- l. SNIP Club – Food Sale (Mexican Candy, i.e., mazapanez, pulpas paletas, popcorn, apples w/ tamarindo and duros & churros locos) during the Career Fair & University Day, Thurs., 10/6/16 in the gym from 9am-1pm
- m. Future Leaders Club – Food Sale (Mangoneadas and Water bottles) during the Hispanic Heritage Celebration, Fri., 9/30/16 from 5:30pm-8:30 pm
- n. Future Leaders Club – Krispy Kreme Fundraiser, Sale Dates TBA
- o. Future Leaders Club – Food Sale (Sno Cones, Hot Cheetos with Cheese and Chile), during during the Career Fair & University Day, Thurs., 10/6/16 in the gym from 9am-1pm
- p. Christian Club – Food Sale (Nachos) during the Rock the Vote Event, Thurs., 9/22/16 from 11am-2pm
- q. Fitness Club – Recruitment during the Rock the Vote Event, Thurs., 9/22/16 from 11am-2pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

President

The Region X meeting was held last Friday on campus. Senators who attended expressed that the workshop was very informative. The meeting ended close to 6:30 p.m. Senator Guzman shared what she learned. She stated she was unaware of how much power student senators have on campus. Overall, she felt the workshop was very informative.

Senator Chavez attended the C&I (Curriculum & Instruction) Committee last week. Blackboard will be phasing out within this school year and CANVAS should be fully implemented by Fall 2017.

Advisor

Dean Martinez reminded Senators that they in fact have a lot of power but also reminded them to always be friendly as they are here to serve the students.

Dean Martinez was in attendance at SDICCA last Monday where colleges were invited to go “textbook-less.” The cost of textbooks keep increasing every year and eliminating textbooks will benefit students.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 1:46 p.m.

The next regular meeting is scheduled Monday, September 26, 2016 at 12:50 p.m. in the Administration Board Room.

PRESIDENT

DATE

A.S. ADVISOR

DATE

Respectfully Submitted by: _____ Date _____