



SENATE MEETING MINUTES
March 26, 2019 | 3:00-4:30p.m., |
Location: 9C Council Room

VOTING: Sebastian Garcia, Jessica Heredia, Gloria Herrera, Andy Shin, Jacob Duran, Luis Vazquez, Sophia Ruiz
ABSENT: Tatianna Alonso
NON-VOTING: Richmond Tang
GUESTS:

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 3:05pm by Richmond Tang

II. FLAG SALUTE

III. ROLL CALL

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes of 3/19/19 approved under general consent

V. OPEN FORUM – Daniel Garcia, former AS Senator, congratulated everyone on a good job so far. Mohammad Al Mouaza, student at Mt. SAC who is Muslim spoke about his concern about shootings around the world and Islamophobic attacks, and the AS lack of response to recent events such as the recent attack in New Zealand. He calls for a campus wide simple recognition and show of solidarity by Mt. SAC.

VI. REPORTS

A.S. Advisor – Andi Sims congratulated the board on getting the survey for the ballot out. The AS advising team has decide to get out the progress reports for you for next week, look for the form. Inspiring Women luncheon is this Thursday, our own Donna Vazquez from Student Court will be honored. Students of Distinction selection is under way. Educators of Distinction can be submitted until April 5. Andi just sent an email for a special invitation, please check your emails. Great job to President's Cabinet for preparing the budget. Gio reminded all that AS visibility is going on this week. Senate applications are due May 10. Student Court applications are due this Friday. Ongoing applications for College Committees are happening.

A.S. Secretary – Reminder to sign the appropriations that Leslie asks for and also RSVP for Inspiring Women.

A.S. President – Sophia and she are working on sustainability initiatives. And some things for Earth Week.

A.S. Vice President –

Student Trustee –

ICC –

College Committees –

VII. INFORMATION & ANNOUNCEMENTS (15 minute maximum) – None

VIII. DISCUSSION & ACTION ITEMS

A. Town Hall Meeting Discussion – Jacob Duarte sought other senators thoughts about this event and planning.

B. Feminine Hygiene Project = tabled



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- C. Bill #2 – AS Financing the Future** – Update was giving on the voting piece by the student body. As of right now we have 316 votes, 159 yeses and 127 no's. Void was 30. This did not meet the constitutional requirement to make it on the ballot for elections next week. 209 votes as yes would be needed. If reached, we could do a special election in the Fall, or wait until the next elections. Discussion continued about options. Table discussion to next Tuesday April 2 and to May 14.
- D. Presentation of 19-20 AS Budget Recommendations** – Richmond Tang, Shadiyah Omar, Andy Shin and Maricela Vasquez.

IX. BOARD COMMUNICATION –

X. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 4:30pm
Minutes taken by Leslie J. Hennings