



Associated Students of Santa Monica College

A.S. Board of Directors Regular Meeting
 February 21, 2024 3:00 p.m, Cayton Center Student Lounge (2nd Floor)
 Santa Monica College, 1900 Pico Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90405
 The Public may join via: Zoom/Telephone
<https://cccconfer.zoom.us/j/98941154407>

Associated Students Office Phone Number: (310) 434-4250

Minutes

I. Call to Order 3:09 PM

II. Roll Call

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| President, Cecilia Jeong P | |
| Vice-President, Justin Liu P | External Affairs, Esmeralda Hernandez A |
| Secretary, Onni Huang P | Activities, Cleopatra Hansasuta P |
| Budget Management, David Duncan P | Publicity, Lina Fuellemann A |
| Basic Needs, Ee Lin Tsen P | Sustainability, Joseph Sanchez P |
| Instructional Support, Subin Kang P | ICC Chair, Moniriddh (Riddh) Bunyay P |
| Student Outreach, Li Sheng (Finn) Yang P | ICC Vice-Chair, Zacharia (Zach) Makari A |
| Equity and Diversity, Phanphasa (Cin) Parinyasrisawet P (Late Arrival) | ICC Communications Officer, Anastasiia Zakala P |
| Student Trustee, Alyssa Arreola P | |

Associate Dean, Thomas Bui P Counselor/Advisor: Benny Blaydes

III. Public Comments (2 Minutes Per Speaker)

IV. Approval of Minutes — 2/12/2024

- Minutes of 2/12/2024 were postponed until the next meeting.

V. Committee Reports & Informational Items-

- 5.1 SSCCC Resolution Update
- 5.2 Transit Advocacy Presentation & Ballot Initiative

VI. Minor Action Items (Under \$1,000)- Consent Agenda- None.

VII. Major Action Items (\$1,000 and over)-

- 7.1 Approval for Persian New Year by Middle Eastern Club
 (Club President Niki Aghili: Cost \$11,000.00. Requesting \$600.00. ICC Allotment. Requesting \$8,400.00. Activities)

Proposal 328

- Motioned by Budget Management, seconded by Vice-President.
- Increase ICC allotment from \$600 to \$1,000.
- The Amendment was approved.
- Motion by Activities, seconded by Student Outreach.
- Reduced the funds from \$8,400 to \$4,000.

Justin Liu: NO	Onni Huang: Abstain	David Duncan: NO	Ee Lin: NO	Subin Kang: Yes	Li Sheng: Yes
Phanphasa (Cin) Parinyasrisawet: Yes	Cleopatra Hansasuta: Yes	Joseph Sanchez: NO	Moniriddh Bunyay: NO	Anastasiia Zakala: NO	

- The amendment wasn't approved with 4 Yes', 6 No', and 1 Abstain.
- Reduced the funds from \$8,400 to \$6,000.

Justin Liu: Yes	Onni Huang: Yes	David Duncan: NO	Ee Lin: Yes	Subin Kang: Yes	Li Sheng: NO
Phanphasa (Cin) Parinyasrisawet: Abstain	Cleopatra Hansasuta: Yes	Joseph Sanchez: Yes	Moniriddh Bunyay: Yes	Anastasiia Zakala: Yes	

- The amendment was approved with 8 Yes', 2 No', and 1 Abstain.

Justin Liu: Yes	Onni Huang: Yes	David Duncan: Yes	Ee Lin: Yes	Subin Kang: Yes	Li Sheng: NO
Phanphasa (Cin) Parinyasrisawet: Yes	Cleopatra Hansasuta: Yes	Joseph Sanchez: Yes	Moniriddh Bunyay: Yes	Anastasiia Zakala: Yes	

- Item 7.1 was approved with 10 Yes 's and 1 No.

VIII. Other Action Items -None.

IX. Discussion Items

- 9.1 Reviewing Bios and Office Hours
- 9.2 2024 Commencement Ceremony
- 9.3 Election Awareness
 -Revisiting Outreach Action Plan
- 9.4 A.S. Spring Goal Setting and Reflection



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X. Director Reports (2 Minutes Each)

- Justin
- David
- Finn
- Ee Lin
- Cecilia

XI. Student Trustee Report –

- Winter 2024 Enrollment:
 - Total headcount increased by 2.20%. Credit FTES decreased by 0.74%.
 - Non-resident FTES increased by 12.68% compared to the previous winter.
- Spring 2024 Enrollment:
 - Total headcount rose by 5.21%. Credit FTES increased by 5.84%.
 - Non-resident FTES notably grew by 11.66% compared to the prior spring.
- Projected deficits for 2024-2025:
 - Our projection: <\$37.9 billion> & LAO projection: <\$68.0 billion>
 - Declines attributed to Personal Income Tax (PIT), which constitutes 66% of State Revenue.
 - Key issue: Capital Gains dropped to 5% from 11.6%.
- Golden Globe Foundation Grants Award to SMC:
 - \$35,000 for SMC's film production program.
 - \$20,000 renewed grant for SMC's journalism program.

XII. Advisor Reports

- Advisor, Benny
- Associate Dean, Thomas: AS Election

XIII. Adjournment at 5:46 PM, Motion by Student Outreach, Second by External Affairs.