Associated Students of Las Positas College
General Meeting
Friday, September 21st, 2012
1:00P.M. – Adjournment

I. Call to Order
II. Roll Call
III. Adoption of the Agenda
IV. Approval of the Minutes
V. Officer Reports
VI. Guest Speakers
VII. Public Forum
VIII. Old Business
    A. Club Day
    B. Retreat
    C. Measure I
    D. Follow Ups
    E. Letters and Resolutions
IX. New Business
    A. Senator Recruitment
    B. Advocacy Day
    C. Senator Confirmation
    D. Impeachment
\X. Equity Point Person
XI. Announcements
XII. Adjournment
I. Ms. Bogue called the meeting to order at 1:01 PM.

II. Roll Call
Officers:
Cherry Bogue
Christina Aboud
Jovian Marcelo
Stephanie Suarez
Teshayna Mitchell
Nico Portugal

Senators:
Brenton Arndt (EXCUSED ABSENT)
Christy Byrd
Colleen Redmond
DJ Haastrup
Eric Bolin
Ignacio Cortina (EXCUSED LATE)
JaviPinedo (EXCUSED ABSENT)
Jed Lipp
Johnny Romero
Kevin Lopez
Paulina Reynoso
Priscilla Chavez
RosarioToral (UNEXCUSED LATE)
Sunny Sidhu
ZeidanAzraei

III. Adoption of the Agenda
• Mr. Sidhu moved to adopt the agenda.
• Mr. Haastrup seconded
• Motion passed unanimously

IV. Approval of the Minutes
• Ms. Aboud moved to approve the minutes with said changes.
• Mr. Haastrup seconded
• Motion passes unanimously.

V. Officer Reports
President:
Ms. Bogue has been attending several classes and encouraging students to vote. She also attended the Board of Trustees meeting in which they had a presentation on allocation, Chabot College’s accreditation, Measure I and Prop 30.

Vice President:
Ms. Aboud has oriented three new senators this week and urges them to finish watching the Parliamentary Procedure video by Wednesday September 26 or it will be a failure of task. She also walked around school and recruited.

Director of Legislation
Mr. Marcelo has been working hard on Advocacy Day and focusing on the Fall Retreat.

Director of Communications
Ms. Suarez has been working on the Associated Students binders, collecting information on the new senators and noting what needs to be bought for office supplies. She also has been recruiting new students to join ASLPC.

Director of Events
Ms. Mitchell has been focusing on planning Club Day and has called several vendors to find information about food.

ICC Chair
Mr. Portugal has been making sure clubs get in their forms on time to receive funds and has been contacting advisors to make sure they attend the meetings.

Senator Reports
Most senators have been focused on recruiting and Advocacy Day. Ms. Aboud singled out Ms. Byrd and claimed she was doing an excellent job helping students. Several new senators have been focused on watching the Parliamentary Procedure video.

Committee Reports
- Mr. Bolin attended Facilities in which they discussed the new buildings which are 75%-90% completed.
- Mr. Cortina attended Academic Senate in which they discussed the LPC Honors Program. A separate CRN number may be made to be part of the honors program. The Tangible Resource Allocation Committee (TRAC) is also deciding which classes are a priority; at the moment, transfer classes are.
- Mr. Sidhu attended DBSG where they made a Ring Chart which prioritized which classes should or should not be cut.
- Mr. Portugal attended Curriculum and District Curriculum in which they discussed the repetition and repeatability of courses. Also Dr. Noble asked for a student to participate on her Credit-Bye-Exam Sub-Committee.
- Ms. Aboud attended College Council where they are deciding to whether or not have a Mega Committee which will manage the others. This committee would make sure each committee is following their responsibilities

Advisors Notes
Ms. Ross informed the senate that Ms. Rodgess will no longer be a part of the senate. She also asked senators if they would like to be part of the Officer Review Committee which meets at the end of November. Mr. Romero, Ms. Redmond, Ms. Byrd, and Mr. Cortina volunteered. Ms. Ross urged the senate to advertise Proposition 30 to fellow students because it is losing ground.

VI. Guest Speakers: NONE

VII. Public Forum
Mr. Phan, Mr. Randhawa and Ms. Grewal attended the meeting- all three are interested in joining the senate.

VIII. Old Business:
A. Club Day
   - Ms. Mitchell moved to approve an up to amount of $3,000 for Club Day
   - Mr. Portugal seconded
Ms. Mitchell has contacted Elite Café and Strings. They have given her an estimate amount of how much they will be charging for food on Club Day.
   - Motion passes unanimously (SEE ROLL CALL)

B. Retreat
   - Mr. Marcelo moved to approve up to $3,500 for the Fall Retreat
   - Ms. Aboud seconded.
Mr. Marcelo explained the to the senate that this amount should cover everything including the $500 damage payment. However, we will receive these $500 back at the end of our trip if we do not damage anything. Ms. Bogue then took a count of how many people will be attending so she can contact the caves that we will be attending. Mr. Marcelo also reminded everyone to have their proposals for the workshop in by Friday September 28th. Each proposal needs to have an outline, an evaluation form and a description on how this workshop will benefit the body; the goal needs to be clear.
   - Motion passes unanimously. (SEE ROLL CALL)

C. Measure I
   - Ms. Boguemoved to postponed this item to the date of Friday 28th, 2012.
   - Ms. Suarez seconded
   - Motion passes unanimously.

D. Follow Ups
   - Mr. Romero offered ideas to the senate to become more active with sporting events.
   - Mr. Portugal reminded Mr. Marcelo to make sure everyone who wants to run a workshop to have their proposals sent to by Friday, September 28th.

E. Letters and Resolutions
   NONE

IX. New Business:
A. Senator Recruitment
   - Ms. Aboudis glad the senate is receiving interest but reminds everyone to not just ask anyone- the senate would rather have a small group of hard working members opposed to a large group of students who do not fulfill their responsibilities.
   - Ms. Ross has made a recruitment slip.
   - Ms. Bogue encourages everyone to send out a piece of paper promoting either an event, voting, or recruitment with each scantron.

B. Advocacy Day
Several people attended Advocacy Day and believed it was a great success. It was suggested to change the location so more students will be able to see the table. Ms. Aboud also suggested that if there were enough people not only could some walk around campus but others could stand in front of the table bringing students in.
C. Senator Confirmation
- Ms. Aboud moved to confirm Mr. Romero as a senator.
- Mr. Portugal seconded.
- Motion passes with one objection.
- Mr. Portugal moves to extend time by 15 minutes.
- Mr. Sidhu seconded.
- Motion passes unanimously
- Ms. Aboud moved to confirm Ms. Redmond as a senator.
- Mr. Portugal seconded.
- Motion passes unanimously.

D. Impeachment
- Ms. Hrycaj sent in a letter of resignation.

XII. Announcements
- Ms. Bogue thanked the senate on behalf of Dr. Walthers for staying civil with the Pro-Life visitors on campus.
- Ms. Ross suggested Kapanga’s birthday be April 1st.
- Mr. Portugal encouraged everyone to attend the girls soccer game that night at 6:30pm
- Ms. Aboud would like to speak with Ms. Toral, Ms. Byrd, Mr. Phan, Mr. Randhawa, and Ms. Grewal.
- Mr. Marcelo encouraged everyone to attend Philosophy Club
- Ms. Suarez reminded everyone to turn in their committee reports
- Mr. Sidhu encouraged the senate to participate in Bhangra Club.

XIII. Adjournment
- Mr. Marcelo moved to adjourn the meeting at 2:29PM
- Mr. Portugal seconded
- Motion passed unanimously
Old Business Item A: Club Day Roll Call:
Officers:
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Jovian Marcelo (AYE)
Stephanie Suarez (AYE)
Teshayna Mitchell (AYE)
Nico Portugal (AYE)

Senators:
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Old Business Item B: Retreat
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