The Associated Students of Las Positas College
Senate Meeting
August 28, 2015
Room 1726
2:00PM-Adjournment

I. Call to Order
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   C. Director of Legislation
   D. Director of Communications
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   F. ICC Chair
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The Associated Students of Las Positas College
Senate Meeting
Room 1726
August 25th, 2015
2:00PM- Adjournment

I. Call to Order at 2:13 PM

II. Roll Call

Officers
Michael Kapetanich Present
Eric Pineda Present
Alexander Ivanov Present
Olga Salgado Present
Alejandra Garcia Present

Student Trustee
Nancy Kang Excused Absent

Senators
Brandon Byrne Present
Mateo Garcia Present
Alexis Gonzalez Present
Jon Ramon Present
Paulina Garzon Present
Angela Toledo Present

III. Adoption of Agenda

Moved to Approve Agenda for August 28th, 2015: Mr. Byrne
Seconded: Mr. Ivanov
Vote: Approved Unanimously

IV. Adoption of Minutes

Moved to Approve Minutes from May 8th, 2015: Ms. Salgado
Seconded: Mr. Ivanov
Vote: Approved Unanimously
V. Reports

A. President
   Attended Board of Trustee Meeting, and Processed Students Using Textbook Loaner Program (TLP).

B. Vice President
   Processed Students Using TLP, Attended College Council, and is working on ordering ASLPC Shirts & Promotional Items.

C. Director of Legislation
   Attended first of many SSCCC Meetings, and Processed Students Using TLP.

D. Director of Communications
   Completed Office Hours, and Processed Students Using TLP.

E. Director of Events
   Not Present

F. ICC Chair
   Vacant Position

G. Senators
   Processed Students Using TLP, Went through Senator Orientation, and Organized Sports Taskforce Meetings.

H. Committee Reports
   Basic Skills
      Expansion of English as a Second Language (ESL) Classes, and Follow-Ups on Math X Classes and Math Jam over the past year.

I. ASLPC Adviser
   ● Student Life Adviser, Scott Miner, and Student Trustee Nancy Kang, had the opportunity to make their presence known at one of Livermore Amador Valley Transport Authority’s (LAVTA) public meetings to discuss ridership increase at Las Positas College.
   ● Issues that were brought up:
      ○ Ridership for LAVTA’s company has decreased by 5%, but operational costs have increased by 25%.
      ○ There is not a good connection from BART to the San Francisco Outlets- Outlet Shoppers are paying $30 round-trip using taxi services.
      ○ To decrease bus operations due to operational costs would limit people from using public transportation to get to work, to school, and to various shopping centers.
   ● Mitigating Solutions:
Funding to make bus trips free for all students in the Tri-Valley could come from Outlet Shoppers, who would only have to pay $10 round-trip costs. Not only does this alleviate the shoppers’ ride expenses, they would have an extra $20 in their budget for merchandise.

In addition, riders will have a better sense of which bus lines to take to their destinations if the routes were color coded.

- Michael Trees, the lead coordinator for the Wheels Bus System, will be stopping by next week (09/04/15) to discuss what plan to set in motion when considering LPC Riders.

VI. Guest Speakers

VII. Public Forum

Rafi Ansari
Greetings from our previous ASLPC President.

Kevin Lopez
Greetings from our previous ASLPC Director of Communications.

VIII. Old Business

IX. New Business

A. Welcome

B. Budget Adoption 2015-16

- Budget in 2014-2015
  - Budgeted Expenses: ~141,000
  - Actual Expenses: ~120,000
  - Money Rolled Over: ~$32,000
  - Section Going Over Budget: ICC by 13%

- Extend Time By 20 Minutes:
  Moved: Mr. Garcia
  Seconded: Mr. Ivanov
  Vote: Passed Unanimously
• Allotments of Extra $32,000
  ○ $10,000 to TLP
  ○ $1,500 to Prep-to-Pass
  ○ $5,000 to Donations
  ○ $1,500 to AS Nights
  ○ $10,000 to ICC Club Funds (Donations)
  ○ $1,600 to Scholarship
  ○ $400 to Scantrons
  ○ $100 to ASLPC Telephone Line
  ○ $1,000 to Welcome Week

• Other Ideas:
  Club Prize Increase, Semester Club Fund Increase, End of Semester Carnival,
  200 Question Scantrons, “Go Print” Machine in Student Life Office, Office
  Furniture, Graduation, Conference Wide Event at LPC, More Tutors, Cram
  Jam follow-up to Prep-to-Pass, Multicultural Event.

Move to Approve ‘15-’16 Budget: Mr. Ivanov
Seconded: Mr. Pineda
Vote: Approved Unanimously

C. SSCCC Information

• Made of 10 regions, with 113 active community colleges.
• Las Positas College is in Region IV
• Each representative completes 1 term of service in a semester.
• Florida and California are the only states that mandate shared governance with
  student body representatives.
• Areas of Particular Focus/ Concern: Grading Policies, Codes of Conduct,
  Course Programs that need to be initiated or discontinued, budget
  development, and students’ rights.
• SSCCC Delegates meet every month in Sacramento.

D. Office Hours & Committee Assignments

E. ICC Special Election

Announcements to be made at the first ICC meeting (09/04/15).
A new officer will be inducted by the second or third Senate Meeting.
F. ASLPC Friday Nights Socials

Ideas include glow in the dark run and camping.

G. Advanced Senator Positions

4 Open Positions:
- Parliamentarian
- Finance Officer
- Programs & Services Officer
- Public Relations Officer

Letters of Intent to be turned in to President Kapetanich.

H. Sports Task Force

Moved to Approve $1,200 for the Sports Taskforce Budget: Mr. Byrne
Seconded: Ms. Salgado
Vote: Approved with 1 Abstention

X. Announcements

- On September 16th, LPC will be hosting an event that lets students know of 175 work availability and open positions in fields such as robotic, machinery, welding, and in SEAMAN’s transportation. In fact, the President of the American Welding Society will be present.
- On September 18th, LPC’s Black Student Union will be hosting a campus wide event for other Black Student Union members from multiple high schools. Volunteers are needed, and students are invited to participate.

XI. Adjournment at 4:35 PM
Roll Call Vote to Approve ‘15-’16 Budget

**Officers**
- Michael Kapetanich: Aye
- Eric Pineda: Aye
- Alexander Ivanov: Aye
- Olga Salgado: Aye
- Alejandra Garcia: Aye

**Student Trustee**
- Nancy Kang: Excused Absent

**Senators**
- Brandon Byrne: Aye
- Mateo Garcia: Aye
- Alexis Gonzalez: Aye
- Jon Ramon: Aye
- Paulina Garzon: Aye
- Angela Toledo: Aye

Roll Call Vote to Approve Sports Taskforce Budget

**Officers**
- Michael Kapetanich: Aye
- Eric Pineda: Aye
- Alexander Ivanov: Aye
- Olga Salgado: Aye
- Alejandra Garcia: Aye

**Student Trustee**
- Nancy Kang: Excused Absent

**Senators**
- Brandon Byrne: Aye
- Mateo Garcia: Aye
- Alexis Gonzalez: Abstention
- Jon Ramon: Aye
- Paulina Garzon: Aye
- Angela Toledo: Aye