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Associated Students of Las Positas College
General Meeting
Friday, December 2, 2011
1:00P.M. – Adjournment

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I. Mr. Salehzadeh called the meeting to order at 1:01 PM.

II. Roll Call

Officers:

Amir Salehzadeh
Jacob park
Cherry Bogue (UNEXCUSED LATE)
Breanna Krumins
Sarah Harris
Christina Aboud

Senators:

Alivia Williams
Andrew Koth
Christian Mazon
DJ Haastrup
Ignacio Petrasic
Jovian Marcelo
Katie Jo Rodgess
Komal Chatta
Kris Adhikari (EXCUSED LATE)
Matthew Gray
Natasha Hrycaj
Nico Portugal
Oliver Cheng
Sam Rai (EXCUSED LATE)
Sid Noor (EXCUSED LATE)
Sonia Yousef
Stephanie Suarez

Class Members:

Derek L.
Evan Gaither
Tom Dyer (EXCUSED ABSENT)

III. Adoption of the Agenda

- Mr. Salehzadeh approved the agenda due to there being no opposition.

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IV. Approval of the Minutes

- Ms. Krumins moved to approve the minutes
- Ms. Bogue seconded
- Motion passed unanimously

V. Trustee Report: None

VI. Advisors Notes

Ms. Ross asked for people to volunteer to sit outside Tuesday with laptops to have students fill out the social media task force survey. Furthermore, she announced the name of the school hawk, which is Kipanga. Next, Ms. Ross asked for a volunteer to lead a campus tour Wednesday at 3:30PM. Finally, she asked for a consensus on if the senate wanted to collaborate with the health center to bring a documentary performance about suicide to campus.

VI. Guest Speakers:

Both Doug Horner and Steinberg Architects were at the meeting to present to the body the updated Facilities Master Plan. After the presentation was over, they asked for suggestions on things we think the students would like to see. The following are suggestions made by the body.

- Variety of eating places
- A hang out place for students
- A place to study with groups that will allow for us to talk
- Outdoor study areas
- Double story library
- More influence of music and art
- Green buildings
- More ADA accessible
- More trees
- Better phone reception
- Baseball fields
- Use the fountains on campus

VII. Public Forum:

Kelly Tran- the previous director of events was at the meeting along with big man Samit K.

VIII. Old Business:

A. Diversity Conference

- Ms. Bogue moved to approve up to \$2000.00 for diversity conference
- Ms. Yousef seconded

Ms. Bogue said that the conference would be February 2-3 at UC Berkeley. She informed the senate on some of the workshops that would be presented along with

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the two-keynote speaker: Donna Brazile and Dr. Cornel West. She also said that letters of intent would be due December 13.

- Motion passed with 1 opposed

B. Rapid Review

Ms. Harris informed the senate that she will be purchasing the food over the weekend and everything is lined up for the event and ready to go.

C. Senator Confirmations

- Mr. Park moved to approve Alivia as an official senator
- Ms. Rodgess seconded
- Motion passed unanimously
- Mr. Park moved to approve Sam as an official senator
- Ms. Krumins seconded
- Motion passed unanimously

D. CBRC

- Mr. Park moved to postpone this item until a definite date of December 9th
- Mr. Marcelo seconded
- Motion passed unanimously

E. Letters and Resolutions

- Ms. Bogue moved to approve resolution 1106 in toto
- Mr. Mazon seconded

Ms. Bogue read aloud the letter that showed the ASLPC support of proper email etiquette.

- Motion passed unanimously
- Mr. Marcelo moved to approve resolution 1107 in toto
- Ms. Bogue seconded
- Ms. Bogue moved to extend time by 5 minutes
- Ms. Suarez seconded
- Motion to extend time passed unanimously

Mr. Marcelo read aloud a resolution that showed the ASLPC not supporting the new censorship of Internet act (SOPA).

- Mr. Haastrup moved to extend time by 5 minutes
- Ms. Aboud seconded
- Motion to extend time passed unanimously
- Motion to approve the resolution passed with one opposition and two abstentions

F. Follow Ups

- Ms. Bogue encouraged members to step up and get the 1000 signatures that we set as a goal. With only four members actively taking part, we are far from our goal.

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- Mr. Salehzadeh suggested that someone create a resolution on the budget crisis.

IX. New Business:

A. Officer Appointment

Mr. Salehzadeh thanked those who turned in letters to be interim director of events. He said that his decision was not easy. However, he had come to a decision.

- Ms. Suarez moved to approve Natasha as interim director of events
- Ms. Yousef seconded
- Motion passed unanimously

B. Conference Debriefing

- Ms. Bogue really enjoyed the conference and the round table event. She also enjoyed seeing our members more active.
- Mr. Haastrup appreciated the opportunity to get to know the members even more and to expand his level of leadership.

C. CALWorks

- Ms. Krumins moved to approve \$2000.00 for the CALWorks program
- Ms. Rodgess seconded
- Ms. Yousef moved to withdraw the second
- Ms. Bogue moved to withdraw the motion
- Motion to withdraw the original motion failed with the majority vote
- Motion to approve \$2000.00 passed with one abstention

X. Subcommittee Meetings

- Ms. Yousef moved to suspend the orders of the day for subcommittee meetings
- Mr. Mazon seconded
- Motion passed with majority
- Ms. Bogue moved to reinstate the orders of the day
- Mr. Marcelo seconded
- Motion passed unanimously

XI. Subcommittee Reports

A. Textbook Loaner

Mr. Mazon stated that during the meeting the main focus was on deciding on what books to purchase for next semester.

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B. Events

Ms. Harris informed the senate that the committee talked about the final details for rapid review and briefly discussed welcome week.

C. Legislation

Ms. Bogue stated that the committee reviewed the UC Davis petition and arranged for the next Advocacy day.

D. Technology

Mr. Park let the senate know that the committee has found a business to work in conjunction with to create our website.

XII. Equity point person

It was the general thought that we should not rush into decisions and should allow for people to speak fully their thoughts. As well as we should not quickly rush into calling the question.

XIII. Announcements

- Ms. Ross reminded everyone to complete their end of semester review
- Ms. Krumins updated the senate about the holiday party
- Mr. Gaither informed the senate about the holiday parade he would be taking part in as the hawk.
- Mr. Marcelo congratulated the newly approved senators
- Mr. Salehzadeh informed the senate that the AS was voted “what is right at LPC” and congratulated Natasha.

XIV. Adjournment

- Mr. Krumis moved to adjourn the meeting at 3:39
- Mr. Mazon seconded
- Motion passed unanimously

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Roll Call:

Diversity Conference

Officers:

Amir Salehzadeh- not able to vote
Jacob park- yes
Cherry Bogue - yes
Breanna Krumins-yes
Sarah Harris-No
Christina Aboud-yes

Senators:

Alivia Williams- yes
Andrew Koth-yes
Christian Mazon-yes
DJ Haastrup -yes
Ignacio Petrasic- yes
Jovian Marcelo-yes
Katie Jo Rodgess-yes
Komal Chatta-yes
Kris Adhikari -yes
Matthew Gray-not present to vote
Natasha Hrycaj-yes
Nico Portugal- not present
Oliver Cheng-not present
Sam Rai -yes
Sid Noor –yes
Sonia Yousef-yes
Stephanie Suarez-yes

Motion passed with one opposed

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Roll Call:

Donation to CALWorks

Officers:

Amir Salehzadeh- not able to vote
Jacob park- yes
Cherry Bogue - yes
Breanna Krumins-yes
Sarah Harris-yes
Christina Aboud-yes

Senators:

Alivia Williams- yes
Andrew Koth-yes
Christian Mazon-yes
DJ Haastrup –abstention
Ignacio Petrasic- yes
Jovian Marcelo-yes
Katie Jo Rodgess-yes
Komal Chatta-yes
Kris Adhikari -yes
Matthew Gray-not present to vote
Natasha Hrycaj-yes
Nico Portugal- not present
Oliver Cheng-not present
Sam Rai -yes
Sid Noor –yes
Sonia Yousef-yes
Stephanie Suarez-yes

Motion passed with one abstention