



# Las Positas College Student Government Special Senate Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, March 28, 2023 | 4:00 PM

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**CALL TO ORDER** (1 min) *L. Wiedemeier calls the meeting to order at 4:01pm, Recess for 5 minutes to restart at 4:06pm, L. Wiedemeier called the meeting back to order at 4:07pm*

## I. ROLL CALL

### EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

Lara Wiedemeier	-	President (Chair)	-P
Morgan Minkler	-	Vice President	-P
Fernando Torres	-	Director of Legislation	
	-P		
Lena Munad	-	Director of Communication	-P
Mona Gholikhamseh	-	Director of Events	-P
Vacant	-	Director of Programs and Services	
Brody Price	-	Director of Finance	-P
Armina Rahman	-	Director of Inter-Club Council (ICC)	-P

### STUDENT TRUSTEE

Alexa Sumitra	-	Las Positas College (LPC) Student Trustee	-P
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### SENATORS

Omar Au		-E
Regina Aguas		-P
Evren Yuncuoglu		-P
Brenda Loza		-E
Shreshth Sarin	-Tardy, at 4:12pm)	
Mehtaab Bath		-
Vishva Parmar	-A (tardy at 4:14pm)	

### ADVISORS

Shawn Taylor	-	Director of Student Equity and Success	-A
Josué Hernández	-	Program Coordinator of Student Life & Leadership	-P

## II. QUORUM (1 min)

*There is full quorum and the meeting proceeds as scheduled.*

## III. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

*Brody Price motions, Morgan Minkler seconds - motion passes*

## IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

*M. Minkler motioned to approve meeting minutes for 3.14.2023, R. Aguas seconded meeting minutes*

**V. GUEST SPEAKERS**

**VI. PUBLIC COMMENT** (3 minutes per person) *Students and members of the public are encouraged to speak on any topic during public comment. Each individual is limited to three minutes. If students or members of the public wish to address an item on the agenda during the meeting or ask questions during the meeting, they need to be recognized by the Chairperson by both raising their hand and speaking out their name. Their comment is limited to three minutes. (CA Education Code 72121.5 and Government Code 54954.3)*

**IX. CLOSED SESSION**

<p><b>Impeachment Hearing</b> - Fernando Torres</p>	<p>F. Torres will lead an impeachment hearing for former Director of Programs and Service, Sangavi Suresh Kumar. <i>Fernando leads the impeachment hearing for previous Director of Programs and Service, Sangavi Suresh Kumar. She accumulated a total of two plus failures of attendance, violation of Article XI, Section II. Sangavi Suresh Kumar has also failed to perform her duties as stated by Article III, Section III, part B. F. Torres spoke about the difference of impeachment and removal.</i></p> <p><i>Fernando discusses the context of two letters sent by the former Director of Programs and Services to the Board of Trustees, Chancellors, and other staff members.</i></p> <p><i>Brody Price motions</i> <i>Morgan Minkler seconds the motion</i> <i>The motion passes</i></p> <p><b>Roll Call:</b> <i>Lara Wiedemeier - Aye</i> <i>Morgan Minkler - Aye</i> <i>Fernando Torres - Aye</i> <i>Lena Munad - Aye</i> <i>Mona Gholikhamseh - Aye</i> <i>Brody Price - Aye</i> <i>Armina Rahman – Aye</i></p> <p><i>Regina Aguas – Aye</i> <i>Evren Yuncuoglu –Aye</i> <i>Shreshth Sarin – Obstain</i> <i>Vishva Parmar - Aye</i></p>	<p>20 minutes</p>
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**X. NEW BUSINESS**

<b>Roundtable</b> - Morgan Minkler	M. Minkler will discuss an upcoming round table event. <i>Morgan Minkler gives the floor to Armina to discuss the upcoming round table event. Armina talks about an ICC ice breaker event on Monday, April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023 from 1-2pm.</i>	5 minutes
<b>SSCCC General Assembly Conference</b> - Fernando Torres	F. Torres will provide an update on the SSSCC General Assembly Conference. <i>Fernando discusses how he sent out information about the restaurants and such. The itinerary will be sent out shortly to those who will attend.</i>	5 minutes
<b>Constitution and Bylaws Review Committee</b> - Fernando Torres	F. Torres will provide an update and recommend possible changes. <i>Fernando Torres provides how there is a new section to Article, the comment to the media will have to be approved by the senate. Lara Wiedemeier adds on how referring to a group of people should be all gender inclusive. Fernando Torres adds that there will be no dating within student government, bullying, or any kind of harassment. There will be an ethics statement added to the Bylaws. Fernando recommends that the position duties should be more specific. Lastly, he suggests that senator stipends to be raised to 500 dollars per semester and executive officer stipends to be raised twice as much as the current amount for each position.</i>	5 minutes
<b>Elections Update</b> - Fernando Torres	F. Torres will provide an update. <i>Fernando provides an update on elections, and that there are currently 26 eligible applicants. Banners, fliers, and signs have been made. Voting for elections will be held on April 18th, 2023. Candidates will meet in the cafeteria or building 1000 to present their election speeches, which is limited up to 3 minutes per candidate when they do so, and answer questions.</i>	5 minutes
<b>Events Update</b> - Mona Gholikhamseh	M. Gholikhamseh will provide an update and lead a discussion on upcoming events. <i>Agenda item could not be discussed as the meeting had to adjourn.</i>	5 minutes
<b>One Love Event</b> - Lara Wiedemeier	L. Wiedemeier will lead a discussion on the event. <i>Agenda item could not be discussed as the meeting had to adjourn.</i>	5 minutes

## XI. OFFICER REPORTS

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## **XII. ANNOUNCEMENTS (3 mins)**

## **XIII. GOOD OF THE ORDER**

## **XIV. ADJOURNMENT**

*Meeting is adjourned at 5:31pm.*