



ASSOCIATED STUDENTS

SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY
IMPERIAL VALLEY

Wednesday, August 13, 2025
NOGALES CONFERENCE ROOM – 12:30 P.M.
ASSOCIATED STUDENTS SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

I. CALL TO ORDER

A.S. President, Andrea M. Acuña, called the meeting to order at 12:33 p.m.

II. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

[Abbreviated Version]

For millennia, the Kumeyaay, Quechan and Cocopah people have been a part of this land. This land has nourished, healed, protected, and embraced them for many generations in a relationship of balance and harmony. As members of the San Diego State community we acknowledge this legacy. We promote this balance and harmony. We find inspiration from this land; the land of the Kumeyaay, Quechan and Cocopah.

III. ROLL CALL

A. Voting Members Present: Andrea M. Acuña, Athenea Fuentes, Joselyn Velez, Blake Moreno, Nayeli Cano, Abril Cardenas Lopez, Kenia Neblina, Nitzia Rubio, Ailyn Ruiz, Erika Velazquez-Borboa, Javier Villegas

B. Voting Members Absent: Josephine Zaragoza

C. Ex-Officios (non-voting) Present: Henry Villegas, Melyssa Gonzalez, Monica Arredondo

D. Ex-Officios (non-voting) Absent:

E. Visitors Present: Anthony Acosta, Intramural Sports and Recreation Assistant Coordinator, Daniel Lopez, Cross Cultural Coordinator

IV. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

It was moved and seconded to approve the agenda for Wednesday, August 13, 2025.

FUENTES/MORENO

CARRIED (10-0-0)

V. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

It was moved and seconded to approve the minutes of Wednesday, July 23, 2025.

FUENTES/RUBIO

CARRIED (10-0-0)

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT

A. Anthony Acosta, Intramural Sports and Recreation Assistant Coordinator

1. Asked permission for Esports Session in the Student Union.
2. Asked permission to use the ping-pong table for his tournament.
3. Informed them of purchasing more promotional items.
4. Discussed the Student Engagement Center.

- B. Daniel Lopez, Cross Cultural Coordinator
 - 1. Thanked them for their collaborations last year.
 - 2. Asked to have more collaborations this year if they'd like.

VII. UNIVERSITY REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS:

- A. SDSU-IV A.S. Advisor/Dean of Students Henry Villegas
 - 1. Informed them about the Coordinators Summit last week to plan events.
 - 2. Mentioned having three big projects being done for the campus.
 - 3. Thanked them for all their support for NSO.
- B. SDSU-IV Associated Students Coordinator Melyssa Gonzalez
 - 1. Reminded them about the Julian Retreat.
 - 2. Reminded them to please answer their emails.
- C. SDSU-IV A.S. Executive Assistant Monica Arredondo
 - 1. No Report.
- D. A.S. President Andrea M. Acuña
 - 1. Thanked them for attending orientations and NSO events.
 - 2. Informed on the Brawley STEM campus ribbon cutting.
 - 3. Informed them on different departments wanting to collaborate with them with events.
- E. A.S. Executive Vice President Athenea Fuentes
 - 1. Mentioned a list of event ideas/collaborations with other departments.
 - 2. Mentioned possible collaboration with ECRT and Food Pantry about CalFresh information and registration event on Thursday, September 25th from 12pm-2pm.
- F. A.S. Vice President of Finance Joselyn Velez
 - 1. Mentioned meeting with the A.S. VPF from West Campus about Aztecs Rock Hunger initiative to bring over to IV campus.
 - 2. Informed them about the events for IV to be finalized in September and take place from October to November.
- G. A.S. Vice President of University Affairs Blake Moreno
 - 1. Mentioned the Welcome-Backs events.
 - 2. Mentioned Your Voice Matters.

VIII. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

- A. **General Consent Agenda (Action):** It was moved and seconded to approve the General Consent Agenda. Spreadsheet with the descriptions is attached.

FUENTES/CANO

CARRIED (10-0-0)

Andrea M. Acuña - YES
Nayeli Cano - YES
April Cardenas Lopez - YES
Athenea Fuentes - YES

Kenia Neblina - YES
Nitzia Rubio - YES
Ailyn Ruiz - YES
Erika Velazquez-Borboa - YES

Javier Villegas - YES

Blake Moreno - YES

Joselyn Velez - YES

IX. STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

X. SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS

XI. REPORTS OF ASSOCIATED STUDENTS MEMBERS/STAFF

XII. ADJOURNMENT

It was moved and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 1:31 p.m.

FUENTES/MORENO

CARRIED (10-0-0)

Approved by: *Andrea M. Acuña*, A.S. President

Prepared by: *Monica Arredondo*, A.S. Executive Assistant