



ASSOCIATED STUDENTS

SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY
IMPERIAL VALLEY

Tuesday, February 18, 2025
NOGALES CONFERENCE ROOM – 10:30 A.M.
ASSOCIATED STUDENTS MEETING MINUTES

I. CALL TO ORDER

A.S. President, Luisa Estrada, called the meeting to order at 10:34 a.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: Luisa Estrada, Adrian Molina, Michael Sandoval, Andrea M. Acuña, Nayeli Cano, Athenea Fuentes, Blake Moreno, Valeria Perez, Alexia Reyes, Nitzia Rubio, Perla Crystal Soto-Urzuva, Joselyn Velez
- B. Voting Members Absent:
- C. Ex-Officios (non-voting) Present: Henry Villegas, Melyssa Gonzalez
- D. Ex-Officios (non-voting) Absent: Monica Arredondo
- E. Visitors Present:

IV. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

It was moved and seconded to approve the agenda for Tuesday, February 18, 2025.

SOTO-URZUA/MOLINA

CARRIED (10-0-0)

V. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

It was moved and seconded to approve the minutes of Tuesday, February 11, 2025.

MORENO/VELEZ

CARRIED (10-0-0)

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT

VII. UNIVERSITY REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS:

- A. SDSU-IV A.S. Advisor/Dean of Students Henry Villegas
 - 1. Thanked Athenea for partnering with Cross Cultural Center for Movie day to be held on February 26th.
 - 2. Discussed the condom dispensers in the Student Union Building.
 - 3. Informed them talks on Commencement have begun.
 - 4. Informed on Building Bridges in Mexicali to be held on Thursday, May 22, 2025.

5. Informed on a ribbon cutting for the new Health and Wellness Center to be held on Tuesday, March 11, 2025 at 11:30 a.m.

B. SDSU-IV Associated Students Coordinator Melyssa Gonzalez

1. Informed new Senators their scholarships have been loaded. Asked to check.
2. Angela and Keila will be chaperones for the GreenFest Excursion. A total of 21 students, 3 guests and 2 chaperones will be attending. Fernanda and herself will be the chaperones for the Basketball Game Excursion.
3. Updated them on possible mini split project for this semester.

C. SDSU-IV A.S. Executive Assistant Monica Arredondo

1. No Report.

D. A.S. President Luisa Estrada

1. Thanked the council for working on events with time and is looking forward to the events that are coming up.
2. Informed them they can ask to increase their event budget if needed. They would need to discuss with the VPF.

E. A.S. Executive Vice President Adrian Molina

1. No Report.

F. A.S. Vice President of Finance Michael Sandoval

1. Informed Finance and Facilities committee met.
2. Informed the approval of materials to be purchased (mirror, markers, etc.).
3. Proposed the need for a new speaker and requested to use the allocation provided by the Professional Skills Development Department to purchase.

G. A.S. Vice President of University Affairs Andrea M. Acuña

1. No Report.

VIII. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

A. Building Bridges Graduation/CoSponsorship (Informational): The Cross Cultural Center is requesting \$500.00 to purchase about 6 glass awards for the graduation.

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

FUENTES/CANO

CARRIED (11-0-0)

Andrea M. Acuña - YES

Valeria Perez - YES

Nayeli Cano - YES

Alexia Reyes - YES

Athenea Fuentes - YES

Nitzia Rubio - YES

Joselyn Velez - YES

Adrian Molina - YES

Michael Sandoval - YES

Blake Moreno - YES

Perla Soto-Urzua - YES

IX. STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. Bonding: A.S. Senator, Valeria Perez

1. Discussed possible K1 Speed event on March 28th at 1 p.m. in San Diego. This would be our biggest and most exciting event for the semester as a team. It is an indoor kart racing event that includes food (buffet), drinks, and awards. The budget requested is \$75 dollars per person. For 14 members, it would be approximately \$1,050. A.S. Coordinator Gonzalez has reached out to Carlos Careaga on feedback on this expense.

X. SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS

XI. REPORTS OF ASSOCIATED STUDENTS MEMBERS/STAFF

A. Blake Moreno, A.S. Senator

1. Informed connection with West campus Vice President of University Affairs about a pool party at President Adela de la Torre's house.

B. Athenea Fuentes, A.S. Senator

1. Thanked them for good work for the Valentine's Self-Care event.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

It was moved and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 11:08 a.m.

FUENTES/RUBIO

CARRIED (11-0-0)

Approved by: *Luisa Estrada*, A.S. President

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