



**Wednesday, October 1, 2025**  
**NOGALES CONFERENCE ROOM – 10:30 A.M.**  
*ASSOCIATED STUDENTS MEETING MINUTES*

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

A.S. President, Andrea M. Acuña, called the meeting to order at 10:38 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: 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, Monica Arredondo
- D. Ex-Officios (non-voting) Absent: Melyssa Gonzalez
- E. Visitors Present:

**IV. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

It was moved and seconded to approve the agenda for Wednesday, October 1, 2025.

**MORENO/CARDENAS**

**CARRIED (9-0-0)**

**V. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

It was moved and seconded to approve the minutes of Wednesday, September 24, 2025.

**MORENO/VELEZ**

**CARRIED (9-0-0)**

**VI. PUBLIC COMMENT**

**VII. UNIVERSITY REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS:**

- A. SDSU-IV A.S. Advisor/Dean of Students Henry Villegas
  - 1. Thanked those who were at the event on Thursday during the severe rain.
  - 2. Mentioned coming up with a plan when we have severe weather.
  - 3. Informed them that German De La Pena has resigned.

4. Mentioned having a possible sculpture on October 14th for Living Land Acknowledgement.
- B. SDSU-IV Associated Students Coordinator Melyssa Gonzalez
  1. Asked them to be available to attend to students during office hours.
- C. SDSU-IV A.S. Executive Assistant Monica Arredondo
  1. No Report.
- D. A.S. President Andrea M. Acuña
  1. Thanked everyone for all the work they have been doing.
  2. Asked for availability for class visits.
  3. Reminded them to complete a worksheet for Dean Nuñez.
  4. Informed about CFAC meeting.
  5. Informed on LGBTQ+ caucus.
- E. A.S. Executive Vice President Athenea Fuentes
  1. Asked them if they have any ideas for campus projects regarding Sustainability.
- F. A.S. Vice President of Finance Joselyn Velez
  1. Informed them on a rebudget for the Scarecrow Competition/Costume Contest.
- G. A.S. Vice President of University Affairs Blake Moreno
  1. Reminded them to promote YVM.

## **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.

Discussion: Discussed the date and type of tickets for Universal Studios Excursion.

**VELEZ/RUIZ**

**CARRIED (10-0-0)**

**Andrea M. Acuña - YES**

**Kenia Neblina - YES**

**Javier Villegas - YES**

**Nayeli Cano - YES**

**Nitzia Rubio - YES**

**Abril Cardenas Lopez - YES**

**Ailyn Ruiz - YES**

**Athenea Fuentes - YES**

**Erika Velazquez-Borboa - YES**

**Blake Moreno - YES**

**Joselyn Velez - YES**

## **IX. STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- A. Aztec Events: A.S. Executive Vice President, Athenea Fuentes**
- a. Campus Safety: A.S. Senators, Javier Villegas, Kenia Neblina, Nitzia Rubio**
    - 1) Reminded them about the World Mental Health Day event next Tuesday.
  - b. Educational: A.S. Senators, Ailyn Ruiz, Javier Villegas, Josephine Zaragoza**
    - 1) Mentioned having to relocate the event to the Mini Quad.
  - c. Sustainability: A.S. Senators, Abril Cardenas Lopez, Javier Villegas, Nitzia Rubio**

- 1) Mentioned having a possible collaboration event with J.E.D.I and Food Pantry for a smoothie day event.

**X. SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**XI. REPORTS OF ASSOCIATED STUDENTS MEMBERS/STAFF**

**XII. ADJOURNMENT**

It was moved and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 11:41 a.m.

**FUENTES/VILLEGAS**

**CARRIED (10-0-0)**

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

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