



Wednesday, September 17, 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 10:36 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, Blake Moreno, Nayeli Cano, Abril Cardenas Lopez, Kenia Neblina, Nitzia Rubio, Erika Velazquez-Borboa, Javier Villegas
- B. Voting Members Absent: Joselyn Velez, Ailyn Ruiz, Josephine Zaragoza
- C. Ex-Officios (non-voting) Present: Henry Villegas, Melyssa Gonzalez, Monica Arredondo
- D. Ex-Officios (non-voting) Absent:
- E. Visitors Present:

IV. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

It was moved and seconded to approve the agenda for Wednesday, September 17, 2025.

FUENTES/MORENO

CARRIED (9-0-0)

V. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

It was moved and seconded to approve the minutes of Wednesday, September 10, 2025

FUENTES/CARDENAS-LOPEZ

CARRIED (9-0-0)

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT

VII. UNIVERSITY REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS:

- A. SDSU-IV A.S. Advisor/Dean of Students Henry Villegas
 - 1. Updated them on the new Student Affairs/Health Services Coordinator and new Career Services staff.
 - 2. Mentioned a new Student Assistant for the Student Success Fee.

- B. SDSU-IV Associated Students Coordinator Melyssa Gonzalez
 - 1. Informed them about the Kennedy Middle School request. Asked them for their feedback.
 - 2. Discussed the Basketball Game dates.
 - 3. Reminded them the Art Gallery cosponsorship is this Thursday. Asked them to sign up for shifts. Stated the importance of being there during events, not just before and after.
 - 4. Reminded them they have an email etiquette training after the meeting concludes.
- C. SDSU-IV A.S. Executive Assistant Monica Arredondo
 - 1. No Report.
- D. A.S. President Andrea M. Acuña
 - 1. No Report.
- E. A.S. Executive Vice President Athenea Fuentes
 - 1. No Report.
- F. A.S. Vice President of Finance Joselyn Velez
 - 1. On behalf of Vice President of Finance Joselyn Velez, President Andrea M. Acuña informed them that ARH will be collaborating with the Educational Committee on a movie night to take place on Thursday, November 20th from 6 pm to 8 pm in the quad.
- G. A.S. Vice President of University Affairs Blake Moreno
 - 1. Reminded them on YVM.

VIII. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

- A. **2025-2026 A.S. Excursions (Informational):** Homecoming Football Game on Saturday, November 1st at 4pm at Snapdragon Stadium. Disneyland on November 15th or the 22nd. Basketball Game on March 7th. GreenFest in March. Universal Studios in April.
- B. **Buses/2025-2026 A.S. Excursions (Informational):** Get buses for Homecoming Football Game, Disneyland, Basketball Game, GreenFest, Universal Studios.
 - Metropolitan Shuttle estimated around \$17,858.75 (5/5 trips).
 - Sundancestage estimated around \$21,500 (only 4/5 trips) – not available for Disneyland in November.
 - SunDiego estimated around \$22,941.88 (5/5 trips).
 - Five Stars Tour estimated around \$23,916.75 (5/5 trips).
 - Lin Lines estimated around \$24,358.95 (5/5 trips).
 - Cardiff estimated around \$25,350.40 (5/5 trips).
- C. **General Consent Agenda (Action):** It was moved and seconded to approve the General Consent Agenda. Spreadsheet with the descriptions is attached.

FUENTES/CARDENAS

CARRIED (9-0-0)

Andrea M. Acuña - YES
Nayeli Cano - YES

Kenia Neblina - YES
Nitzia Rubio - YES

Abril Cardenas Lopez - YES
Athenea Fuentes - YES
Blake Moreno - YES

Erika Velazquez-Borboa - YES
Javier Villegas - 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) Mentioned a possible collaboration with Student Wellness and Success Center for Substance Abuse Awareness week. The event will be on Tuesday, October 7, 2025.
- 2) Discussed possible collaboration for CPR Trainings.

b. Educational: A.S. Senators, Ailyn Ruiz, Javier Villegas, Josephine Zaragoza

- 1) Discussed Movie Night Event that will be held on Thursday, November 20, 2025 at 6:00pm. Will be providing food from Costco and supplies from Walmart. The budget requested is \$300. The committee is possibly collaborating with the Cross-Cultural Center. We will be having the Aztec Rock Hunger there to be able to get donations and provide information about ARH.

c. Social: A.S. Senators, Nayeli Cano, Ailyn Ruiz, Erika Velazquez-Borboa

- 1) Mentioned Spirit Week from October 27 - November 1, 2025. It will include Monday for Pajama Day, Tuesday for Twin Tuesday where you dress with or as someone else, Wednesday to wear pink in support of Breast Cancer Awareness, Thursday to wear costume, Friday for Blackout Friday where everyone wears all black, and Saturday to wear your best SDSU gear for the homecoming game.
- 2) Costume Competition/ Scarecrow Contest w/ ARH: The event will be held on the Student Union Building Patio from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. We'll have pizza, frosted cookies, cupcakes, capri suns, and water. There will also be a bucket trick-or-treat activity and a costume contest where the top three costumes will win prizes.
- 3) Pie Day Event: The event will be held in the Rollie Carrillo Quad from 3:30–5:30pm. Students will have the chance to throw “pies” at students, deans, staff, and faculty members’ faces. We'll have pie and have regular snacks and beverages available.

B. Media and Marketing: A.S. President, Andrea M. Acuña, A.S. Vice President of University Affairs, Blake Moreno, A.S. Vice President of Finance, Joselyn Velez

1. Informed on personal instagram posts have been posted.

X. SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS

XI. REPORTS OF ASSOCIATED STUDENTS MEMBERS/STAFF

A. Kenia Neblina, A.S. Senator

1. Informed them on the prices/days of tickets for Disneyland.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

It was moved and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 11:38 a.m.

FUENTES/MORENO

CARRIED (9-0-0)

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

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