



ASSOCIATED STUDENTS

SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY
IMPERIAL VALLEY

Wednesday, January 28, 2026
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, Joselyn Velez, Graciela Aguayo, Nayeli Cano, Abril Cardenas Lopez, Kenia Neblina, Nitzia Rubio, Ailyn Ruiz, Erika Velazquez-Borboa, Javier Villegas
- B. Voting Members Absent: Blake Moreno
- 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, January 28, 2026.

FUENTES/CANO

CARRIED (9-0-0)

V. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

It was moved and seconded to approve the minutes of Wednesday, January 21, 2026.

VILLEGAS/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. Informed them the Health and Wellness Event is in February.
 - 2. Mentioned President Acuña will be sending out a survey to EV charging stations.
 - 3. Mentioned that he appreciated the notes they gave during last week's meeting.

4. Thanked Blake and those who attended the Living Land Acknowledgement.
5. Informed them that Viviann Cesena will be leaving this week. Andrea Valadez will be assisting Viviann's students.

B. SDSU-IV Associated Students Coordinator Melyssa Gonzalez

1. Asked them who is going to GreenFest so she can have a head count of A.S. attendees to inquire of possible pit seats. There will not be priority sign up for GreenFest on Friday as she will be off but will write down whoever is interested in attending. They can sign up during the regular sign up days/times.

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

1. Informed them that the Meet the Candidates Event will be from 11:30am to 12:30pm on March 11, 2026 due to time availability.

D. A.S. President Andrea M. Acuña

1. Discussed the EV Charging station.
2. Thanked those who attended the Living Land Acknowledgement event.

E. A.S. Executive Vice President Athenea Fuentes

1. Informed them that the Valentine's Event will be on Wednesday, February 11, 2026 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Duty list has been sent out.

F. A.S. Vice President of Finance Joselyn Velez

1. No Report.

G. A.S. Vice President of University Affairs Blake Moreno

1. No Report.

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/CARDENAS-LOPEZ

CARRIED (10-0-0)

Andrea M. Acuña - YES

Graciela Aguayo - YES

Nayeli Cano - YES

Abril Cardenas Lopez - YES

Athenea Fuentes - YES

Kenia Neblina - YES

Nitzia Rubio - YES

Ailyn Ruiz - YES

Erika Velazquez-Borboa - YES

Joselyn Velez - YES

Javier Villegas - YES

IX. STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

X. SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS

XI. REPORTS OF ASSOCIATED STUDENTS MEMBERS/STAFF

A. Erika Velazquez-Borboa, A.S. Senator

1. Mentioned having an Easter Potluck on April 10th.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

It was moved and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 10:57 a.m.

CARDENAS-LOPEZ/RUIZ

CARRIED (10-0-0)

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

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