A.S.O. Senate Minutes
Fall 2014 Meeting 11
November 25, 2014

Los Angeles Harbor College Senate Room

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I. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
Meeting called to order by VP Maruffo at 1:33.

II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA:
Senator Rico moves to adopt the agenda, Senator Alonso 2nds. With no objections, this motion passes.

III. ROLL CALL:
Voting members in attendance: Alonso, Arias, Baeza, Perez, Perkins, Gibbs, Heredia, Him, Amisone, Monroy, Rico, Bivinetto, Roman, Deladillo, Lasam, Cabrera, and Victoriano. The body would also like to make note that the following members of the public in attendance were the following: Jesus Hoil and Michelle Nataese.

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:
Senator Perkins moves to approve the minutes, Senator Heredia 2nds. With no objections, this motion passes.

V. PUBLIC FORUM: There was no one from the public to speak.

VI. SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER:
The guest speaker assigned to speak today was postponed until next week.

VII. ADVISOR REPORT (10 minutes)
Gary Gonzales tells everyone to keep up with school and that we are almost done. All monetary bills need to be turned in today after the ASO meeting. There are 2 holiday parades coming up; December 7 in San Pedro at 11am and December 14 in Wilmington at 11am. The next ASO meeting will have more information on this; we will be walking about a mile. Gary also thanks everyone who participated and helped out at the volleyball tournament.

VIII. EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS (5 minutes per officer):
Marco Maruffo also tells the senate to keep it up because we are almost done. Emily McNabb reminds everyone to turn in their bills after the meeting. She also tells everyone to let her know if they are going to touch her things; she also tells people to be nice to one another even though we are all stressed out from school.

IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: There was no unfinished business.

X. NEW BUSINESS (Action may be taken)
a) Karaoke Contest: (D. Bivinetto) Senator Bivinetto moves to postpone this item until next week because he can’t get the items in time, Senator Heredia 2nds. With no objections, this motion passes.

XI. SENATOR PROJECTS:
a) LLRC Building Hour Extension: Senator Victoriano found out that the library has 6 tutors from 9-1 on Friday. One of the tutors told Victoriano that she only helps about 2 students every Friday. 6 years ago, there was a Budget Crunch; 6 hours in total were taken back and the librarians had to step back so everyone could keep their job. There are also only 2 full time librarians in the LLRC. The library used to be open
from 9:30-3 and 8-2; the library also tried to sell old books, but the district wouldn’t let them. In the past 6 years, the library also went from 100 magazines to 6.

XII. COMMITTEE REPORTS: Advertising: Mercy said that she made her last poster for the Active Minds event because the roll of white paper is almost gone. Constitution/Bylaws: The committee met on Monday and went over procedures and what they wanted to be changed. They are thinking of combining the 2 papers to make it easier to understand. We are working with East LA College for feedback. Student Union Committee: Next week, there will be a meeting on December 4th at 12:30 in SSA219 where CORE will be finalizing the decisions made for the new student union building. T-Shirt Committee: The committee is waiting on the money to purchase the shirts; they are also looking for a design that everyone likes so they can move forward. Winter Wonderland Committee: The event will be on December 4th in the SHC Lounge. There will be a movie night featuring “Elf”; we will be giving out hot chocolate and selling bags of kettle corn. Elizabeth and Emily are helping the committee fundraise for this event because there is a lack of funding.

XIII. SHARED GOVERNANCE: (3 minutes) Jose Arias (CPC) said the President talked about the Foundation funding. Ivan Clark went over the master plan for the IT department. It bothered him that Jacqueline Hernandez said the ASO didn’t support her; Gary added that at the meeting, he told everyone that ASO didn’t come to a consensus.

XIV. INFORMATION ITEMS: Connie Heredia There will be a pool table tournament in the next few weeks; if you need senator hours, you can work in the Snack Shack. Elizabeth Him announced the ASO Secret Santa, there is a $5 maximum. Marco Maruffo announced that there is a ping pong tournament right after the ASO meeting.

XV. ADJOURNMENT: 2:20.