

Associated Students of Orange Coast College

SGOCC Student Senate

Minutes

Wednesday, March 21, 2012; 3:30 p.m.

ASOCC OFFICE

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I. Organizational Items

I.01 Call to Order

I.02 Roll Call

Senate: Elisa Namdar, Sol Courtney, Bradley Golden, Johnny Umanzor, JP La Torre (3:37 pm), Jake Provost, Cody Joe Torre, Kolby Keo

E-Board: Yasmine El-Gabry, Jordan Secour (absent), Diana Aguilar, Catherine Tran, Marcy Finch, Alex Ceballos

Advisors: Kate Mueller, Eva Shaffer

I.03 Opportunity for Pledge of Allegiance

I.04 Approval of Minutes – Approval by consent.

II. Public Forum

III. Reports

III.01 Fiscal Affairs Report and Recommendation(s) for possible Senate action

This is an opportunity for the Vice President of Fiscal Affairs to present financial recommendations and reports as well as an opportunity for the Senate to approve financial recommendations.

Following deliberation and action by the Fiscal Affairs Council, the Vice President of Fiscal Affairs recommends the following Senate action(s) be taken:

1. That the Senate approve start-up funds of \$75 each be awarded to the following OCC clubs:

OCC Flying Pirate, Pediatric Cancer Awareness Club, Ecology Club, OCC Gamers Guild, OCC Film Association.

Motion by Kolby Keo, to approve start-up funds of \$75 each be awarded to the following OCC clubs: OCC Flying Pirate, Pediatric Cancer Awareness Club, Ecology Club, OCC Gamers Guild, OCC Film Association, 2nd by Sol Courtney, motion passes 7-0.

2. One time event or other fund requests:

The Fiscal Affairs Council will recommend the Senate approve its recommendation to award \$4,000.00 to the OCC Architecture Club to be used for registration fees, building supplies, and related expenses involved in designing and building the structures for the Cal Poly San Luis Obispo Design Village Competition.

Motion by Johnny Umanzor, to accept the Fiscal Affairs Council recommendation to award \$4,000.00 to the OCC Architecture Club to be used for registration fees, building supplies, and related expenses involved in designing and building the structures for the Cal Poly San Luis Obispo Design Village Competition, 2nd by Sol Courtney, motion passes 7-0.

3. Request for transfer:

None.

III.02 Campus-Wide Committee Reports

Marcy Finch, V.P. of Diplomatic Affairs, reported on the Academic Senate.

III.03 Standing/Ad-hoc/Special Committees

No report.

IV. Unfinished Business

V. New Business

All items under new business are discussion and/or action items.

Attachments are available in the ASOCC Office.

V.01 OCC TEDx Presentation

Student Mohammed Alshootfa gave a presentation and discussion regarding TEDx for OCC. A conference pertaining to “Ideas Worth Spreading”. He would like help from the SGOCC to organize the event. Johnny Umanzor, Sol Courtney, Elisa Namdar and Bradley Golden volunteered to help Mohammed Alshootfa with this project and see if it is feasible for the ASOCC to sponsor.

V.02 Senate Bill 1052 Endorsement

Yasmine El-Gabry gave a presentation regarding California Senate Bill 1052. She stated that the Advocacy Committee has reviewed this bill and feels strongly about supporting it. She asked the SGOCC to endorse the California Senate Bill 1052. The Senate discussed the bill and asked questions concerning the proposed bill.

Motion by Elisa Namdar to endorse California Senate Bill 1052 as recommended by the Advocacy Committee, 2nd by Kolby Keo, motion passes 7-0.

V.03 **OCC Digital Signage**

Catherine Tran gave a power point presentation regarding digital signage for the OCC campus. The Senate discussed the various locations to place the signs. The majority of the students would like to have a sign at the Student Center as opposed to the Forum.

V.04 **Finals Week Changes**

Catherine Tran gave a presentation regarding the Academic Senate's resolution of proposed scheduling standards for upcoming finals weeks. The students gave their input about having study sessions during finals weeks.

V.05 **District Student Government Master Agreement**

The Senate discussed the proposed master agreement between ASOCC and the Coast Community College District.

V.06 **SGOCC Senate Election Committee**

The Senate discussed the April 2012 SGOCC Senate election and other student announcements.

VI. Public Forum Two

VII. General SGOCC Reports

VII.01 **Advisors' Report (Limited to 2 minutes per report)**

VII.02 **Board, Officer and Staff Reports (Limited to 2 minute per person)**

VIII. Adjournment – 5:25 p.m.