

# Associated Students of Orange Coast College

## SGOCC Student Senate

### Minutes

Wednesday, October 19, 2011; 3:30 p.m.

ASOCC OFFICE

#### I. Organizational Items

I.01 Call to Order

I.02 Roll Call

**Senate:** Elisa Namdar, Sol Courtney, Bradley Golden, Johnny Umanzor, JP La Torre, Jake Provost, Cody Joe Torre, Kolby Keo

**E-Board:** Yasmine El-Gabry, Jordan Secour, Diane Padilla, Catherine Tran, Marcy Finch, Alex Ceballos

**Advisors:** Carla Martinez, Kate Mueller, Eva Shaffer

I.03 Opportunity for Pledge of Allegiance

I.04 Approval of Minutes - *Approved as amended by consent*

I.05 Adoption of Agenda - *Approved by consent*

#### II. Public Forum

#### III. Reports

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

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:  
Pediatric Cancer Awareness (PCA) Club, PEMS (Physics, Engineering and Math Students, OCC Interior Design

*Motion by Sol Courtney to approve start-up funds of \$75 each to be awarded to the following OCC clubs:  
Pediatric Cancer Awareness (PCA) Club, PEMS (Physics, Engineering and Math Students, OCC Interior Design, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kolby Keo, 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 \$410.00 to the Engineering Club to be used towards supplies to host the third annual event, "JPL Invention Challenge."

*Motion by Sol Courtney to award \$410.00 to the Engineering Club to be used towards supplies to host the third annual event, "JPL Invention Challenge, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Bradley Golden, motion passes 7-0.*

III.02 Campus-Wide Committee Reports

Motion by Sol Courtney to accept the recommendations of Marcy Finch, VP of Diplomatic Affairs and appoint the following students to the respective committees, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jake Provost, motion passes 7-0.

Alex Ceballos – Bookstore Advisory  
Brian Cooper - Facilities Planning Committee  
Kolby Keo – IMEC  
Yasmine El Gabry– Program Review

III.03 Standing/Ad-hoc/Special Committees

Cat Tran reported on the Planetarium Committee.

#### IV. Unfinished Business

#### V. New Business

V.01 ASOCC Funding Priorities

The Senate discussed setting priorities for the ASOCC income from the Follett bookstore donation and OCC Arts Pavilion Café agreement. Helen Rothgeb discussed the incoming money and asked the Senate where they might like the monies to go to. The Senate asked Helen questions concerning the funds. The Senate will e-mail Alex Ceballos with suggestions on where they would like the money to go.

V.02 Awareness Committee Projects

The Senate discussed the Awareness Committee design, production, and distribution of an OCC t-shirt.

- V.03 Congress to Campus  
The Senate discussed the affirmation of a \$1,000.00 donation from the ASOCC Leadership and Governance account towards the Congress to Campus event to be held in Spring 2012.
- Motion by Sol Courtney to affirm a \$1,000.00 donation from the ASOCC Leadership and Governance account towards the Congress to Campus event to be held in Spring 2012, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Elisa Namdar, motion passes 7-0.*
- V.04 GPA Priority Registration Proposal  
The Senate discussed the proposed GPA priority registration proposal by the OCC Academic Senate. The majority of the Senators do not agree with the proposal. Some of the Senators have talked with other students about this proposal and have found that most of the students they talked to do not like the idea either.
- V.05 Proposition 1481  
The Senate discussed the planning of educational events, signature gathering, and forums regarding Proposition 1481. Yasmine El-Gabry also discussed possible events to help get the word out to the students. Currently a Town Hall is scheduled for November 7<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm in the Science Hall.
- V.06 Honors Registration Agreement  
The Senate discussed priority registration for honors students.

## VI.Public Forum Two

## VII.General SGOCC Reports

- V.01 Advisors' Report (Limited to 2 minutes per report)
- V.02 Board, Officer and Staff Reports (Limited to 2 minute per person)

## VIII.Adjournment – 5:33pm