

Associated Students of Laney College

MEETING MINUTES

Date: October 16th, 2025

Time: 3:40-4:40

Location: Student Center, 4th floor, Room 401

Zoom: <https://cccconfer.zoom.us/j/97528675287>

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CALL TO ORDER: 3:40pm

I. ROLL CALL:

Title	Name	P/A
President	Owen Flaherty (OF)	P
Vice President	Taylor Hill (TH)	P
External Secretary	Bianca Ramirez (BR)	P
Internal Secretary	Justin Mora (JM)	P
Treasurer	Asia Grayson (AG)	P
Club Affairs Officer	Ahlam Ibrahim (AI)	P
Publicity Commissioner	Diamond Stone (DS)	A
Student Advocate	Aniah Willis (AW)	P
Senator	Wenyue Wan (JW)	P

Senator	Sebastian Del Castillo (SDC)	P
Senator	Kristina Hoessl (KH)	P
Senator	Your Majesty Solsona (YMS)	P
Senator	Beracha Mahati (BM)	A
Senator	Alex Ocegueda (AO)	P
Senator	Jimmy Zhang (JZ)	P

II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA.

OF called a motion to adopt the agenda

TH motions

JM seconds

BR, JM, TH, AI, JW, SDC, YMS, KH, AO, JZ vote yes

Motion passes

III. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

OF called a motion to approve the minutes

TH motions

JM seconds

BR, JM, TH, AI, JW, SDC, YMS, KH, AG, AO, JZ vote yes

Motion passes

IV. COMMUNICATIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC:

This portion of the agenda provides an opportunity for members of the public to address the Council on matters not included on this agenda. **A maximum of 14 minutes (2 minutes per individual maximum) will be provided for speakers under this agenda item.** Requests to speak that cannot be honored within the time limit will be scheduled for subsequent meetings in the order received. Under the Brown Act, Council members are not allowed to discuss and/or take formal action at today's meeting on items brought before them under this item. Council members are only allowed to respond briefly. Persons requesting to address an item included on the agenda will be called upon at the time the agenda item is considered by the Council, and comments on tangential issues not directly related to the item may be ruled out of order. Written statements can be submitted to the ASLC for inclusion in the minutes.

No public comment

**V. ASLC OFFICERS PARTICIPATORY GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE
REPORTS AND ASLC COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

AW report

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1efAbmz59kqnhV1ZLhXkK0vMqYMZdq0UtsR7IYTSpoK0/edit?usp=drivesdk>

YMS Report

[file:///C:/Users/justi/Downloads/Untitled%20document%20\(24\).pdf](file:///C:/Users/justi/Downloads/Untitled%20document%20(24).pdf)

JM report

AIM committee has decided to move forward with the reverse graffiti idea. Locations of the spots to pressure wash the logo of ZTC is TBD. JM found out that Fablab can cut the stencils with the ZTC letter but AIM committee has to find the materials. Fablab recommends Tap Plastic to find materials. Poster for ZTC is still TBD due to needing more input on how to best convey the ZTC message. ZTC also might host a table at Eagles Day club rush to spread awareness of the program but is TBD.

VI. OLD BUSINESS:

No old business

VII. NEW BUSINESS:

1. Clubs for charter (12 minutes)

a. Puente, Día de los Muertos: Community Resource Fair (3 minutes)

i. Project Proposal

Puente club is asking \$75 and not to exceed 200\$ for hot chocolate to serve at their Dia De Los Muertos event where Puente club will display the resources that Laney offers on campus. TH motions to approve the Project Proposal Project.

TH motions

SDC seconds

BR, JM, TH, AI, JW, SDC, KH, YMS, AO, JZ vote yes

Motion passes

b. Weld Club (3 minutes)

i. Charter Packet & Club Constitution

Welding Club chartered to be a club at Laney College. The Welding club is a resource for welding students to provide support and guidance not to just welding students but every student. Students must go through the beginning welding class to be trained. Events are TBD. TH motioned for the Welding club to be chartered.

TH motions

AW seconds

BR, JM, TH, AI, JW, SDC, KH, YMS, AO, JZ vote yes

Motion passes

c. Gardening Club (3 minutes)

i. Charter Packet & Constitution

Gardening Club has chartered to be a club at Laney College. The Garden club will focus on learning about gardening to promote a calming and safe place. They plan to host events like making seed bombs and seed shakers. YMS motions for the Gardening club to be chartered.

YMS motions

AI seconds

BR, TH, AI, JW, SDC, YMS, AO, JZ vote yes

JM votes no

KH abstains because lack of information

Motion passes

d. Laney AI Club (3 minutes)

i. Charter Packet & Constitution

AI club chartered to be a club at Laney college. AI club will teach students about the good and bad uses of AI. The club will also teach how to ethically use AI through workshops and robotics projects that are open to all students. TH motions to charter the AI club.

TH motions

AW seconds

BR, JM, TH, AI, JW, SDC, KH, YMS, JZ vote yes

AO votes no

Motion passes

2. Events discussion (5 minutes)

a. Club Rush

Club rush is going as scheduled. Confirmed ASLC members working Eagles day will be

OF, JM, AG, AW, BR, more help for event TBD

i. Catering Quote

A catering quote of \$800 for Cookies and Lemonade to serve students at Eagles Day was viewed. TH motions to approve the funds.

TH motions

JM seconds

BR, JM, TH, AI, JW, SDC, KH, YMS, AO, JZ vote yes

Motion passes

OF asked for a motion to extend the ASLC meeting by 30 minutes.

TH motions

JM seconds

BR, JM, TH, AI, JW, SDC, KH, YMS, AO, JZ vote yes

Motion passes

3. Clean Community Supervisor/Environmental Services Division with the City of Oakland Public Works Department - Mona Bisseret Martinez (15 minutes)

i. Keep the Town Clean Initiative ii. Illegal Dumping Environment Methods

Did not show up for ASLC meeting

4. Immigration Solidarity Event - Aniah Willis (3 minutes)

AW went over an event for colleges dedicated to the undocumented people who lost their lives. The event will provide candles and more information will be coming out next week on this event.

5. Ideas for future ASLC events.

Ideas for future ASLC events were asked of each ASLC member ideas include.

TH wants to hold an election day table where the table displays facts of what is going on in the election and prop 50 in November.

OF, YMS, JZ, JW did not have an idea

BR wants to advertise resources that Laney offers on campus.

SDC wants to have a holiday party

AI wants to have an outdoor game day with lawn style games.

JM wants to host a Laney Channel clean up day where students pick up trash around the Laney Channel. JM is waiting on a response on the Oakland parks and rec for confirmation on a potential collaboration between Laney and Oakland Parks and Rec.

KH wants to have story tellers come to Laney to read stories.

AO wants to have a campus clean up day.

AG wants to have a poetry slam night/ Food festival.

VIII. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE FLOOR

This time is reserved for any ASLC Members to make announcements on items not on the agenda. A time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and (15) fifteen minutes total shall be observed. NO action will be taken and the total time limit for this item shall not be extended.

Atiya Rashada went over the importance of teamwork.

OF mentioned that Laney will start charging for parking in the Spring Semester which OF voted yes on. SDC, JM, and KH strongly opposed citing that charging students more money will only hurt our students because of the students who can't afford the parking pass and who don't qualify for Pell Grant.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:06pm