Associated Students of Laney College

MEETING MINUTES

Date: August 28th, 2025 **Time:** 3:30pm-4:30pm

Location: Student Center, 4th floor, Room 401 **Zoom:** https://cccconfer.zoom.us/s/97528675287

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CALL TO ORDER:

Meeting started at 3:40pm

L ROLL CALL:

Title	Name	P/A
President	Owen Flaherty (OF)	P
Vice President	Berachah Mahati (BM)	P
External Secretary	Bianca Ramirez (BR)	-
Internal Secretary	Justin Mora (JM)	P
Treasurer	Taylor Hill (TH)	P
Club Affairs Officer	Ahlam Ibrahim (AI)	P
Publicity Commissioner	Diamond Stone (DS)	P
Student Advocate	Aniah Willis (AW)	P

Senator	Jennie Wan (JW)	P
Senator	Sebastian Del Castillo (SDC)	P
Senator	Kristina Hoessl (KH)	P
Senator	Your Majesty Solsona (YMS)	-
Senator	Asia Grayson (AG)	-
Senator	Alex Ocegueda (AO)	-
Senator	Jimmy Zhang (JZ)	-

II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA.

JM motioned to adopt the agenda KH seconded BM, JM, TH,AI, DS, AW, JW, SDC, KH vote yes Motion carries

III. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

JM motioned to approve the previous minutes

TH seconds

BM, JM, TH, AI, DS, AW, JW, SDC, KH 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.

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

No Committee Reports

VI. OLD BUSINESS:

No old business

VII. NEW BUSINESS:

OF called for a motion to amend ASLC interview questions

JM motions

TH seconds BM, JM, TH,AI, DS, AW, JW, SDC, KH vote yes Motion passes

Voting for all the ASLC's open positions. (60 minutes)

<u>Candidates interviewed for senator</u>: Marcus Wharry, Alex Ocegueda, Zoe Molter, Jimmy Zhang, Your Majesty Solsona, Asia Grayson, Liban Abdirahman,

Candidates interviewed for External Secretary: Bianca Ramirez

All candidates were asked the same set of questions

OF Called a motion to appoint Bianca Ramirez as External Secretary

TH motions

JM secondes

BM, JM, TH, AI, DS, AW, JW, SDC, KH vote yes

Motion passes

OF called a motion to appoint Alex Ocegueda as a Senator

SDC motions

TH seconds

BM, JM, TH, AI, DS, AW, JW, SDC, KH vote yes

Motion passes

OF called a motion to appoint Asia Grayson as a Senator

JM motions

TH secondes

JM, TH,AI, DS, AW, JW, SDC, KH vote yes

BM abstains

Motion passes

OF called a motion to appoint Your Majesty Solsona as Senator

JM motions

SDC secondes

BM, JM, TH, AI, DS, AW, JW, SDC, KH vote yes

Motion passes

OF called a motion to appoint Jimmy Zhang as a Senator

JW motions

JM seconds

BM, JM, TH,AI, DS, AW, JW, SDC, KH vote yes

Motion passes

OF called a motion to extend the meeting by 30 minutes

JM motions

TH seconds

BM, JM, TH, AI, DS, AW, JW, SDC, KH vote yes

Motion passes

Candidates were invited back in and the chosen ones were announced BR, YMS, AG, AO, JZ were sworn into positions at 4:56pm

Meeting adjourned at 5pm

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.

No comments from the floor were given.