

**Associated Students
of Merritt College Senate**

March 6th, 2018

1:30 P.M.

ASMC Chambers, R Building

12500 Campus Drive

Oakland, CA 94619

Meeting #14

Merritt College Mission: *The mission of Merritt College is to enhance the quality of life in the community we serve by helping students to attain knowledge, master skills, and develop the appreciation, attitudes and the values needed to succeed and participate responsibly in a democratic society and a global economy.*

Members of the public may address the Council on any item within the Council's jurisdiction. Cards which must be completed to request to address the Council, and a summary of Council rules concerning communications from the public, are available from the ASMC Secretary at the meetings. Persons addressing items included on the agenda will be heard at the time the item is considered. Persons requesting to address items or subjects which are not on this agenda will be heard under the agenda item "Communications from Members of the Public." Assistance will be provided to those requiring accommodations for disabilities in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Interested persons must request the accommodation at least 48 hours prior to the meeting to the Secretary Di'Shea Richardson (asmcsecretary.merritt@gmail.com)

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

Executive Branch

President: Iris Martin
Treasurer: Michelle Jeter
ICC Chair: Montel Floyd

Vice President: VACANT
Secretary: Di'Shea Richardson

Legislative Branch

Senator: Mabel Kwarteng
Senator: Dana Lenoir
Senator: Milan Williams
Senator: Carlos Keele
Senator: VACANT
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Senator: Jeanna Bennett
Senator: Akinfenwa Oyebanji
Senator: Carmen Wheeler
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Judicial Branch

Chief Justice: VACANT
Associate Chief Justice: VACANT
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III. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

IV. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

V. PUBLIC COMMENT [BROWN ACT §54954.3]

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SPECIAL ORDERS

A. Removal of Senator Carmen Wheeler- President Martin

VI. President Martin will discuss the removal of Senator Carmen Wheeler

VII.

REPORTS

A. EXECUTIVE [10 MINUTES]

The Associated Students of Merritt College shall have the Executive Officers present on any information pertinent to the organization.

B. SENATOR [10 MINUTES]

The Associated Students of Merritt College shall have the Senators present on any information pertinent to the organization.

C. ADVISOR [10 MINUTES]

The Associated Students of Merritt College shall have their Advisor present on any information pertinent to the organization.

VIII. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

A. None

IX. **NEW BUSINESS**

A. Participatory Shared Governance Training- Dr. Mario Rivas [60 MINUTES]

➤ Dr. Rivas will give a presentation and do a workshop on shared governance

B. College for All- RAD Vice Chair Ya'Mese Johnson [30 MINUTES]

➤ RAD Vice Chair Johnson will discuss educational systems that give community college students the chance to get a free education

C. Bart Fares (PCCD Student Discounts)- President Martin [5 MINUTES]

➤ President Martin will discuss her meeting(s) with Bart representatives and future student discounts for PCCD students (survey)

D. 2018 Commencement Ceremony- Dr. Kitchen [5 MINUTES]

➤ Dr. Kitchen will discuss ASMC's roles and food for the reception (not to exceed \$5,000)

E. 2018 Awards Reception- Dr. Kitchen [5 MINUTES]

➤ Dr. Kitchen will discuss food, event planner, and awards (not to exceed \$6,000)

X. **COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE FLOOR**

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XII. ADJOURNMENT