



Associated Students of Merritt College Incorporated



February 5, 2024 | 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM

12500 Campus Dr, Oakland, CA 94619

ASMC Special Meeting MINUTES

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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Associated Students of Merritt College will hold a

Special Meeting on Monday, February 5, 2024, at 2:30 PM.

The meeting information is noted below:

The ASMC Inc. Council reserves the right to suspend the orders of the day if necessary to conduct business. All Associated Students of Merritt College meetings are held in locations that are wheelchair accessible. Other reasonable accommodation may be provided upon request. Persons requesting such accommodation are requested to notify the Director of Student Activities and Campus Life, Doris Hankins dhankins@peralta.edu no less than two (2) working days prior to the meeting. Efforts will be made to meet requests made after that deadline. Contact the President at asmcpresident@peralta.edu for agenda related items.

CALL TO ORDER: at 3:02 PM

Roll Call

Position & Name	Present	Absent
President -- Marco Loza	X	
Vice President -- Dave Rivera Zelaya	X	
Vice President Finance – Emilyn Inestroza	X	

Vice President of Communications -- VACANT		
Vice President of Participatory Governance -- Philip Komba		X
Vice President of Inter-Club Council --Ty Adams		X
Senator -- Mateo Loza	X	
Senator -- Jasmine Bledsoe		X
Senator -- Blossom Abudu	X	

With 5 out of 8 quorum is met.

i. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

- a. Agenda adopted with Public Comments, New Business, and Announcements with no objections.

ii. ~~APPROVAL OF MINUTES~~

~~January 30, 2024~~

PUBLIC COMMENT {BROWN ACT §54954.3}

No comments were received.

~~I. APPOINTMENTS & REMOVALS (10 Minutes)~~

~~II. GUEST SPEAKERS (10 Minutes)~~

~~III. REPORTS~~

~~Advisors | 5 Minutes~~

~~President | 2 Minutes~~

~~Vice President | 2 Minutes~~

~~Vice President of Finance | 2 Minutes~~

~~Vice President of ICC | 2 Minutes~~

~~Senators | 2 Minutes~~

~~Parliamentarians | 2 minutes~~

IV. New Business

a. ASMC Elections

The board will discuss and take action to encourage students to participate in ASMC elections. This item is postponed to the next meeting with no objections.

b. Black History Month Budget Increase

With no objections, the board amended the cost for Black History Month up to \$5,000.

c. Easter Egg Hunt

VP Rivera moved to approved holding an Easter Egg Hunt event, with the cost not to exceed \$500. Seconded.

Position & Name	Yes	No
Vice President -- Dave Rivera Zelaya		X
Vice President Finance – Emilyn Inestroza	X	
Senator -- Mateo Loza	X	
Senator -- Blossom Abudu	X	

With 3 out of 4 yes, the item is adopted.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements were received.

ADJOURNMENT at 3:20 PM

Minutes submitted by Tami Dunning, PRP.