

Associated Students of College Of Alameda

MEETING MINUTES

Date: Friday, September 4th, 2026

Time: 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Location: Student Center, F-Building, 2nd floor, Room F212

Zoom: <https://peralta-edu.zoom.us/j/98550434456>

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CALL TO ORDER: 2:04 pm

I. ROLL CALL:

Title	Name	P/A
President	Tuguldur Natsagdorj (TN)	P
Vice President of Operations (VPO)	Sara Tewolde (ST)	P
Vice President of Programs (VPP)	Angel Reyes (AR)	P
Executive Coordinator	Brishna Dorani (BD)	P
Secretary	Rosabelle Perez (RP)	P

Treasurer	Samuel Luke Reyngoudt (SLR)	P
Communication Officer	Anne Gormley (AG)	P
Senator 1	Matteo Giorgi (MG)	P
Senator 2	VACANT	
Senator 3	VACANT	
Senator 4	VACANT	
Senator 5	VACANT	
Senator 6	VACANT	

II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA.

Motion to approve the agenda with the edits by VPP Reyes, seconded by Executive Coordinator Dorani. The motion passed unanimously.

III. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

August 28th, 2026

Motion to approve the minutes of August 28th, 2026 by Secretary Perez, seconded by VPP Reyes. The motion passed unanimously.

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 ASCOA for inclusion in the minutes.

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

- **CO Gormley:** Attended the Online Education and Student Support Services Committee. Students should expect surveys about AI usage.
- **President Natsagdorj:** Attended the shared governance committee.

VI. OLD BUSINESS:

1. **[Action]** - Swearing in of Elected Officers,
 - a. All ASCOA Officers were sworn in.
2. **[Discussion + Action]** - F-Building Furniture,
 - a. ASCOA shall come up with ideas to furnish the F-building with the budget of \$50k. No action taken.
3. **[Discussion + Action]** - Pizza with the President event,
 - a. Pizza with the President event shall happen on Tuesday, September 29th, from 12pm to 2pm. The budget is \$500, tentatively ASCOA will spend \$335. Motion to approve the budget by VPP Reyes, seconded by Treasurer Reyngoudt. The motion passed unanimously.
4. **[Discussion]** - Volunteer Opportunities,
 - a. ASCOA will meet with the volunteer director of Alameda Health System for a presentation of volunteer work.
 - b. Thursday, September 17th, the Alameda Chamber of Commerce will hold a business expo and career fair at the Gold Bar Distillery. ASCOA will attend and have a table representing the college there.
5. **[Discussion + Action]** - Student Advocate position description,
 - a. President Natsagdorj appointed VPO Tewolde to be ASCOA's SSCCC delegate.
6. **[Action]** - Appointment of New Officers,
 - a. President Natsagdorj appointed ASCOA Officers to their respective positions.
7. **[Discussion + Action]** - Appointment to Committees.
 - a. President Natsagdorj appointed ASCOA officers to the committees they agreed to.

VII. NEW BUSINESS:

1. **[Discussion]** - Welcome Week + Future Events,
 - a. VPP Reyes analyzed the feedback survey presented at Welcome Week. Based on the results, he will focus on culturally significant and artistic events.
2. **[Discussion]** - Student Trustees,
 - a. AS Presidents and the Student Trustees solidified their communication line. Student Trustees couldn't make it, so they apologized for their absence.
3. **[Discussion]** - "What to do on a shared governance committee?" Presentation,
 - a. CO Gormley shared a verbal presentation for actions ASCOA Officers can do during their committee meetings.
4. **[Discussion]** - College of Alameda Colors.

VIII. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE FLOOR

This time is reserved for any ASCOA 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.

-Advisor Rashada will go over responsibilities of ASCOA Officers after next week's meeting.

-In the upcoming weeks, ASCOA will come up with ideas for the mural on the side of the F-building. Tentatively as a moodboard to showcase elements that ASCOA members want represented.

IX. MEETING ADJOURNMENT: 3:17 pm