

# ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF THE COLLEGE OF ALAMEDA

## Previous Minutes

February 7th, 2023 | 1:00 PM

In-Person Meeting Location: H building room H 112

Zoom Meeting Link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/94083675750?pwd=dEF3Q0tVR1BDSnJmekZhWkk0MnJZZz09>

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the *Associated Students of College of Alameda* will hold a **Regular** meeting on **February 7th, 2023 at 1:00 PM**. The meeting information is noted below. The ASCOA Council reserves the right to suspend the orders of the day if necessary to conduct business. All ASCOA Council meetings are held in locations that are wheelchair accessible. Other disability-related accommodations will be provided to persons with disabilities upon request. Persons requesting such accommodation should notify Natalie Rodriguez at [nrodriguez@peralta.edu](mailto:nrodriguez@peralta.edu) no less than three (3) working days prior to the meeting. The ASCOA Council will make efforts to meet requests made after such date, if possible. Please contact the ASCOA Council Secretary for any agenda-related questions.

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### ORDER OF BUSINESS

#### 1. Call To Order

- a. Meeting called to order at 1:20

#### 2. Roll Call

- a. Natay Myers - Present
- b. Semeon Thomson - Present
- c. Ouahiba Khourchech - Absent
- d. Demarquis (Marcus) Sillemmon - Present
- e. Junhao (Jay) Ma - Present

#### 3. Adoption of the Current Agenda (February 7th, 2023)

- a. Senator Ma motions to approve, Senator Thomson seconds the motion:  
Yays - 4  
Nays - 0  
Abstentions - 0

#### 4. Approval of Previous Minutes (January 31st, 2022)

- a. Senator Thomson motions to approve, Senator Ma seconds the motion:

Yays - 4  
Nays - 0  
Abstentions - 0

## **5. Public Comment**

This Segment of the meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address the ASCOA Council on any matter of concern that is not stated on the agenda. A time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and fifteen (15) minutes per topic shall be observed. The law does not permit any action to be taken, nor extended discussion of any items not on the agenda. The ASCOA Council may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed. Written statements may be submitted to the ASCOA Secretary for inclusion in the minutes. To place an item of discussion on a future agenda (Brown Act §54954.3) please contact Natalie Rodriguez, ASCOAA Advisor at [nrodriguez@peralta.edu](mailto:nrodriguez@peralta.edu)

## **6. Standing Business**

### **a. Clubs**

#### **i. No reports regarding clubs**

### **b. Coffee Bar Updates**

#### **i. Senator Thomson motions to put up \$2,000 for this year's coffee bars, Senator Ma seconds the motion:**

Yays - 4

Nays - 0

Abstentions - 0

### **c. Beautification of the F- building**

#### **i. Art cost estimation is around \$3,800 for painting the inside of F-building pit and the pillars**

#### **ii. President Myers wants to reserve extra funding for the mural so Senators can possibly ask for changes or additional murals on F-building's second floor**

#### **iii. Senator Thomson motions to put in \$5,000 for spending on the murals, Senator Ma seconds the motion:**

Yays - 4

Nays - 0

Abstentions - 0

## **7. Unfinished Business**

### **a. T-Shirts, Swag, Business Cards**

#### **i. Estimated prices for each order are brought back and Senators agree the price is too high**

#### **ii. President Myers offers to look into Custom Ink as an optional vendor**

#### **iii. Senators reconsider order amounts, drastically lowered to a dozen of each order except T-shirts**

#### **iv. Senator Thomson motions to put \$1,000 from personal spending budget into spending for this year's misc spending and Business cards, Senator Ma seconded the motion:**

Yays - 4

Nays - 0

Abstentions - 0

### **b. ASCOA Elections**

#### **i. There are now enough election committee members for the running Senators**

#### **ii. All Senators have applied for the 2023 election**

### **c. SSCCC Conference Update**

- i. Advisor Natalie will be looking into nearby booking for the Long Beach
- ii. All participating Senators have applied for early bird tickets, President Myers will be applying as a Delegate.

**8. New Business**

- a. Appointment of a Secretary
- b. Graduation

**9. Senator's Report (1 minute each)**

- a. Natay Myers - Invites Senators to participate in Laney conference Feb 15th 1:00-4:00pm
- b. Semeon Thomson
- c. Ouahiba Khourchech
- d. Demarquis (Marcus) Sillemmon
- e. Junhao (Jay) Ma

**10. ASCOA Advisor:** Natalie Rodriguez - Senators are asked to create a presentation for ASCOA two weeks from now.

**11. Communications from the floor**

This time is reserved for any ASCOA Council 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 shall not be extended.

**12. Adjournment**

- a. Adjourned at 2:46