

# BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

1801 Panorama Drive, Campus Center, Room 4 | Bakersfield, California 93305

## SENATE BODY

Wednesday, July 15, 2015

6:00 p.m.

Executive Boardroom

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**1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER\***

**2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE\***

**3. ROLL CALL\***

*A two-thirds quorum must be established to hold a bonafide meeting*

**4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

*The Senate will discuss this agenda and may choose to amend or edit the agenda. Upon conclusion of the discussion the Senate may choose to adopt the agenda.*

**5. ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

*The Senate will discuss those minutes and may choose to amend or edit the minutes. Upon conclusion of the discussion the Senate may choose to adopt the minutes.*

- a. The Senate will consider the adoption of the minutes from July 1, 2015.

**6. PUBLIC COMMENT\***

*The Chair may elect to take public comment on any action items on this agenda. The Chair may impose reasonable limits on the length members of the public may speak which is stated before comment commence.*

**7. REPORTS OF BCSGA OFFICERS**

*The Chair shall recognize any officer of the Association, including the BCSGA Advisor, to offer a report on official activities since the previous meeting and make any summary announcements deemed necessary for no longer than five minutes.*

- a. President, Clayton Fowler
- b. Public Relations Manager, Raquel Vega
- c. BCSGA Advisor, Nicky Damania, Ph.D

**8. REPORT OF THE COMMITTEES\***

*The Chair shall recognize the chairperson of each standing committee, in alphabetical order, and then each special committee, in alphabetical order, to report for no longer than five minutes on the committee's activities since the previous meeting.*

- a. Report from the Chair of the Committee on Academic Affairs, Senator Roel
- b. Report from the Chair of the Committee on Advancement of Bakersfield College, Senator Philley
- c. Report from the Chair of the Committee on Finance, Senator Sanchez
- d. Report from the Chair of the Committee on Government Operations, Senator Lyons

**9. COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS\***

*The Chair shall recognize in turn BCSGA Senators requesting the floor for a period not to exceed three minutes. The total time for Comments and Announcements before the first reading of legislation shall not exceed fifteen minutes.*

**10. APPOINTMENTS OF BCSGA OFFICERS**

*The Senate will consider the following nominations for an Association office. When the Senate has concluded its deliberations, the Senate may approve the nomination, reject the nomination, or take no action upon the nomination. The Senate will consider the names nominated to the Association office. The Senate may consider the character, professional competence, physical or mental health, or other matters permissible under BROWNACT during consideration of this item. Under BROWNACT, the meeting may not be closed.*

- a. Appointment of Wesley Lyons for the position of BCSGA Director of Legislative Affairs

**11. FAST-TRACK APPOINTMENTS**

*The motion to fast track an appointment confirmation shall be in order if recommended by the committee of relevant jurisdiction. The Senate shall consider the following nominations to fast-track into an Association office.*

- a. Appointment of Wesley Lyons for the position of BCSGA Director of Legislative Affairs

**Notes:**

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**12. ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

*Senate of the Association may elect association officers at this time.*

- a. Appointment of Wesley Lyons for the position of BCSGA Director of Legislative Affairs

**13. SECOND READING OF LEGISLATION**

*Legislation listed in this agenda item has already been read once on the Senate floor or the approved for fast-track and thus are considered for approval of the Senate*

- a. Action Item: S.R.##\_Adoption of BCSGA Annual Budget FY16 [Discussion Draft]

**14. COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS\***

*The Chair shall recognize in turn BCSGA Senators requesting the floor for a period not to exceed three minutes. The total time for Comments and Announcements before the first reading of legislation shall not exceed fifteen minutes.*

- a. Resignation of Senator Wesley Lyons from Senate [pending outcome of the appointment of Director of Legislative Affairs]

**15. RECEIPT OF PETITIONS AND CORRESPONDENCE TO THE SENATE AND REFERRAL**

*The Senate will receive communications addressed to the Senate and refer each to the appropriate committee. No action will be taken on communications other than referring them to committee.*

- a. Election and Appointment for the Chair of the Committee on Government Operations [pending outcome of the appointment of Director of Legislative Affairs]
- b. BCSGA Committee Changes  
*The Senate may make changes to committee assignments by resolution.*

**16. PUBLIC COMMENT\***

*The Chair may elect to take public comment on any action items on this agenda. The Chair may impose reasonable limits on the length members of the public may speak which is stated before comment commence.*

**17. ADJOURNMENT**