# BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

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# **SENATE BODY**

September 13th, 2017

6 - 7:30 p.m.

Executive Board Room, Campus Center

#### CALL MEETING TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:12 p.m.

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Senate may present the Pledge of Allegiance. Any present members may host and participate in the Pledge of Allegiance. If no members are willing to host the Pledge, this item on the agenda may be skipped. No present members may be called out or reprimanded for not participating in the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### 3. ROLL CALL\*

A majority quorum must be established to hold a bonafide meeting

The following members were present: Vice President Salcido, Senator Tompkins, Senator Barrai, Senator Limaco, Senator Lumsden-Ross, Senator Alvarez and Senator Alvarez

The following members were excused: Senator Sharma and Senator Cantu

The following members were absent: Senator Romo and Senator Lopez

7/11 members were present, quorum has been established, and a bonafide meeting can be held.

#### 4. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The Senate will consider any amendments to the agenda.

#### 5. CORRECTIONS TO THE MINUTES

The Senate will discuss and correct minutes from previous meetings.

a. The Senate will consider any corrections to the minutes from the meeting held on August 16th, 2017 & August 30th, 2017.

## 6. PUBLIC COMMENT

This segment of the meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address the Senate 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 Senate may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed, however, for further information, please contact the BCSGA Vice President for the item of discussion to be placed on a future agenda. (Brown Act §54954.3)

## 7. RECEIPT OF CORRESPONDENCE TO THE SENATE

The Senate will receive communications addressed to the Senate and refer each to the appropriate committee.

**a.** Allensworth Annual Rededication Ceremony

## 8. BCSGA COMMITTEE CHANGES

The Senate may make changes to committee assignments.

### 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 three minutes.

President, Dezi Von Manos

Thursday Sept. 21st there will be a DACA forum with a visiting speaker in the Levan Center. There are also several position open for hiring, including two senator positions, a public relations officer and a parliamentarian.

b. Vice President, Lawrence Salcido

No Report

c. Parliamentarian, Vacant

No Report

KCCD Student Trustee Rayven Acosta-Webb

There will be a Board of Trustee meeting Thursday, Sept. 14th at 1 p.m. speaking on the parking issue at BC.

e. BCSGA Senators

No Report

f. BCSGA Advisor, Dr. Damania

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Monday Sept. 18th there will be two candidates coming to the office to speak, one at 8:30 a.m. and the second at 11:30 a.m. Thursday Sept. 21st the Leadership Conference will be merged with the DACA forum, the DACA panel will be from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. and following a dinner the Leadership panel will be from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

#### 10. REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENTS\*

The Char shall recognize the Director of each department to report for no longer than three minutes on the department's activities since the previous meeting.

- a. Report from the Director from the Department of Student Activities No Report
- **b.** Report from the Director from the Department of Student Organization
  There will be a Student Organization meeting Friday Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. discussing preparations for the Halloween Ball. We will discuss ticket pricing and finalizing the budget.
- c. Report from the Director from the Department of Legislative Affairs The Power Lunches for September have been set, as well as for October. The Resolution Packet for 2017 will be released Sept. 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Report from the Director from the Department of Finance No Report

## 11. REPORT OF THE COMMITTEES\*

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

- Report from the Chair of the Committee on Academic Affairs No Report
- **b.** Report from the Chair of the Committee on Advancement of Bakersfield College There will be a Committee on Advancement meeting Tuesday Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.
- Report from the Chair of the Committee on Government Operations No Report

## 12. APPOINTMENTS OF ASSOCIATION 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 Brown Act during consideration of this item. Under Brown Act, the meeting may not be closed.

**a.** Election of Yazmin Morales to the position of BCSGA Activities Manager. Postponed until next meeting.

## 13. OATH OF OFFICE

The Parliamentarian (or Vice President, if absent) shall administer the oath of office for all newly appointed positions or elected officers.

### 14. FIRST READING OF LEGISLATION

The Senate shall read the legislation for the first time and then may choose to refer to committee.

- SB 01c To Provide for the Clarification of Town Hall Meetings Postponed until next meeting.
- **b.** SR 02a To Provide for the Direction of Student Organization Advisors
- SR 01b BCSGA Support for the Formation of Parking Stalls
   Consent agenda for next meeting.

#### 15. FAST-TRACK LEGISLATION

A Senator may move legislation to be considered for fast-track at this meeting, moving legislation directly from first reading to second reading.

a. SR 01b – BCSGA Support for the Formation of Parking Stalls

#### 16. SECOND READING OF LEGISLATION

Legislation listed has already been read once on the Senate floor or approved for fast-track, and thus are considered for approval by the Senate.

a. SR 01b – BCSGA Support for the Formation of Parking Stalls

#### 17. NEW BUSINESS

Items listed have not already been discussed and thus are considered for Senate consideration.

#### 18. ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chair shall recognize in turn BCSGA Officers requesting the floor for a period not to exceed one minute.

Senator Limaco: Friday, Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. downtown by the Liberty Bell, there will be a celebration for Mexican Independence Day.

Senator Tompkins: Thursday Sept. 14th at 5:30 p.m. there will be an event hosted by Faith in the Valley at Truxtun and Chester.

## 19. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 7:21 p.m.