

# BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

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## SENATE BODY

Wednesday, October 25th, 2023

4:30 p.m.

BCSGA Boardroom, Campus Center

Meeting Zoomlink: [https://kccd-edu.zoom.us/j/zoom/register/tZYqcn-gqjpoE9c50MY1KS8r#458T3pB\\_GXlq](https://kccd-edu.zoom.us/j/zoom/register/tZYqcn-gqjpoE9c50MY1KS8r#458T3pB_GXlq)

### 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

### 2. ASCERTAINMENT OF QUORUM

*A majority quorum must be established to hold a bona fide meeting*

VP Anguiano- Present

Senator Arafah- Present

Senator Calderon- Present

Senator Concepcion- Present

Senator Geissel- Present

Senator Linares- She is Present

Senator Wyatt- Present

Senator Zenteno- Present

8/8 present quorum has been established and a bonafide meeting may be held.

### 3. 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 Wednesday, October 11th 2023.

**Senator Linares moves to approve the minutes from 10/11/2023 and Senator Arafah seconds the motion.**

### 4. 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)*

- a. Jason Stratton - ISER and Accreditation - Presented ISER powerpoint and explained the importance of the accreditation process. They are looking to submit the accreditation DRAFTS by December 2023. The SLO Leads will be controlling and or delegating the meetings to commence the research.

Janie from Forestry Club - looking for support on a new committee. We have about 10 people interested in participating in this committee and please invite any of those who may be interested. What I'm ultimately looking for is the support from the senate to obtain waste record auditing from the administration. Composting is important to help the environment.

### 5. RECEIPT OF CORRESPONDENCE TO THE SENATE

*The Senate will receive communications addressed to the Senate and refer each to the appropriate committee. The Senate may make changes to committee assignments.*

- a. Resignation of Moises Camarena from the position of Legislative Affairs Manager.

### 6. REPORTS OF THE ASSOCIATION

*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, save the advisor, who has infinite time.*

- a. Vice President Still working on a pantry for SW and remind you all that I will be gone on a conference after tomorrow
- b. Senators

#### Notes:

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- c. **BCSGA Advisors (∞ mins.)Advisor Ayala– We have conference travel beginning tomorrow morning** and returning on Sunday. After our return we will have some events as we have partnered with the Library. I invite everyone to the staff meeting to get further information on what's happening. We also have the Trunk or Treat going on Friday with the consent project. I invite you to promote and assist this event as it becomes a safe avenue for children to trick or treat. Advisor Alvarez - I am asking for the ICC senators who are assigned to please , make sure that you are attending. It is important to meet quorum. I'm excited to travel to our conference and bond with those that are traveling. Getting back to a few of the old series and pushing Ronny Renegade to engage further with students.

## 7. REPORTS FROM EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

*The Chair shall recognize the Executive Officers and Departments to report for no longer than three minutes on the activities since the previous meeting.*

- a. Office of the President- I want to thank all of those who assisted with Homecoming and meet and greet with the President.
- b. Department of Student Organizations- We have been having more attendants to ICC meetings
- c. Department of Student Activities- Thanks to all that attended and assisted with homecoming.
- d. Department of Legislative Affairs - Last dele
- e. Department of Finance
- f. Department of Public Relations - We are taking requests for Day in our lives and Ronny Renegade. Please connect with me if you would like to participate
- g. Department of Secretary
- h. KCCD Student Trustee

## 8. REPORTS FROM THE PARTICIPATORY GOVERNANCE COMMITTEES

*The Chair shall recognize the officer of each participatory governance committee to report for no longer than three minutes on the committee's activities since the previous meeting.*

- a. Academic Senate- Nothing to report.
- b. Accessibility and ADA Task Force
- c. Accreditation & Institutional Quality Committee- Nothing to report
- d. Assessment Committee- Nothing to report
- e. Bookstore Committee- Linares from our last meeting getting a print shop to print course manuals here on campus, to facilitate the issues with books. Wanting to move the print shop to an unused area in the Library
- f. Budget Committee- Updating of financial documentation
- g. College Council- Meeting next Friday
- h. Curriculum Committee- Nothing to report
- i. Enrollment Management Committee- Nothing to report
- j. Equal Opportunity & Diversity Advisory Council (EODAC)- Manager Diaz will be attending for me this upcoming Friday due to me traveling. We have finalized a fourth chair and with that there will be our first official.
- k. Facilities & Sustainability Committee- Nothing to report
- l. Information Services & Instructional Technology (ISIT) Nothing to report
- m. Professional Development Committee- Nothing to Report
- n. Program Review Committee- Nothing to Report
- o. Safety Advisory Committee- Nothing to Report

## 9. APPOINTMENT OF SENATORS TO COMMITTEES AND DEPARTMENTS

*The Senate will recommend members to each of the Senate Standing Committee and the BCSGA Departments. Then, the Senate will consider a binding resolution to appoint Senators as members to each Senate Standing Committees or BCSGA Departments established by the BCSGA COBRA. The Senate may consider the character, professional competence, physical or mental health, or other matters permissible under the California Brown Act, of certain individuals during consideration of this item. Under the Brown Act, the Senate may not close the meeting.*

- a. BCSGA Department on Student Organizations- Re-appointed senators include Senator Linares and Senator Arafah.

## 10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

*Items listed have already been discussed and thus are considered for Senate consideration.*

- a. DISCUSSION: SSCCC - Legislative Update

**1. 11. NEW BUSINESS**

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

- a. DISCUSSION: ISER and Accreditation -Only one senator has been contacted by the accreditation SOL groups, We are asking to pursue that contact if you are not contacted by next week. The Draft is due in December.
- b. DISCUSSION: Accreditation Committee Assignments - Advisor Ayala - Done
- c. DISCUSSION: Bebrief - Homecoming Week- None
- d. DISCUSSION: DVAM Trunk or Treat- Leads for SGA trunk are Pres Miranda and Director Guzman

**2. 12. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

- a. CCCSAA Conference: 10/26 - 10/29 Dir Palmbach, Dir Tamayo, Dir Saldivar, VP Anguiano will be out of town after tomorrow.
- b. Spring 2024 Registration: 11/1 Please update your forms and register for classes as you also receive priority registration- Nov 2nd.
- c. Trunk or Treat: 10/27- If any of you can make it please attend, we won't be here but please assist.

**3. 13. ADJOURNMENT- MEETING ADJOURNED AT 6:02PM**