

**Associated Students of Cerritos College**  
**Regular Senate Meeting**  
**Minutes**

**Wednesday, February 21, 2024**  
**2:00 PM**

**Location: FA 134**

**Zoom Conference Link**

(for members of the public or guests, voting members must attend in person):

<https://cerritos-edu.zoom.us/j/88937142801?pwd=T2NZazZEOXVHMUNWZnV2RXk0d251UT09&from=addon>

**I. Organizational Items**

**I.01 Call to Order**

Vice President Hernandez call this meeting to order at 2:09pm

**I.02 Roll Call**

Present (16): Abrokwa-Agyei , Alamgir , Bui, Diaz, Dowls, F. Flores, Gonzalez, Ochoa, Oliva, Ordoñez, Oregon, Poliquin-Hernandez, Ramos, Sanchez, Vasquez, , Yim

Late (3): Dunomes, Gomez, Reyes

Absent (1): A. Flores

Excused (2) Murillo Villalobos

**I.03 Approval of Minutes**

Senator Oliva moves to approve the minutes, seconded by Senator Ramos. No objections the motion passes

**I.04 Approval of Agenda**

Senator Gonzaez moves to change the location by striking TBD and inserting FA 134, seconded by Senator Diaz, No objections.

Senator Ochoa approves the agenda as amended, seconded by Senator Abrokwa, Nondobjections the Agenda is approved with amended.

**II. Public Forum**

This time is reserved for members of the public who wish to address the Associated Students of Cerritos College Senate on issues of concerns, public comment, future events, fundraisers, and any topic relating to Cerritos College and their constituents. A limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and nine (9) minutes per topic will be enforced. This is not a time for discussion by the ASCC Senate; however, the Vice President or Senators may respond to specific questions and concerns made by the public.

- Senator Bui -Alpha Gamma Sigma honor society, volunteer leadership, academic excellence need help short with officers many position is available , every semester there's conference the sigma conference National Honor Society 3.0 GPA community services every meet the last thursday every month from 11am until 12pm

- Professor Ramos - Business instructor contact [pbl@cerritos.edu](mailto:pbl@cerritos.edu) , professor ramos teaches 3 on ground classes this semester elections are coming up and if you want to pitch to professor ramos class email him at [business@cerritos.edu](mailto:business@cerritos.edu)
- Robotics Club- asking for some fundings they are going to a competition at San Luis Obispo best robotics school close to becoming a national team they are requesting \$2.000 per student it's \$100 see team practice at the pst building room 227
- Dante Sustainability - Qr code problem solved it's working anyone wants to scan you can scan it now at the end of senate meeting
- LGBTQ Next tuesday on february 29th have an event called remembrance heroes honor of black history month at living learning center at Santa Barbara from 11:30am to 1:00pm
- Senator Dunomes -union last union meeting on february 22 at LA 103 at 2pm, ave different perspective
- Senator Abrokwa Wishes Senator Yim Happy Birthday :)

### III. Old Business

#### III.01 Outreach/Tabling, Discussion Item, 10 minutes

The Senate will break up into groups and discuss how to put into practice the possible solutions for the target areas of student need.

*Target areas: Safety, Accessibility, Equity & Diversity, and Feeling Welcome*  
*Senators got into 4 groups and each went to hear other people perspective*

### IV. New Business

#### IV.01 Addressing Safety Concerns, Discussion Item, 30 minutes

The Senate will direct concerns heard by the Cerritos College students to Chief of police Don Mueller, and brainstorm ideas on how to help keep the campus safe.

*As senator spoke with Chief of police Don Mueller*

Speaking list

senator poiquin hernandez

Senator Ramos

Senator oliva

senator reyes

senator Abrokwa

Senator Sanchez

Senator Dunomes

#### IV.02 Updating Bylaws to Change Serve Time In ASCC, Action Item, 10 minutes

The Senate shall discuss and take action on SB-2324-02, to update the bylaws to change serve time in ASCC, from six semesters to eight semesters.

Senator Ocoa moves to roll call vote on the updated bylaws legislation  
 SB-2324-02,seconded by Senator Poiquin Hernandez, No objections

Yes or no

Abrokwa-Agyei ,yes Alamgir ,yes Bui, yes Dunomes F. Flores Gomez, yes Gonzalez,yes Diaz yes DOWLS,yes Oliva, yes Ochoa, yes Ordoñez, yes Oregon, yes Poliquin-Hernandez, yes Ramos, yes Reyes, yes Sanchez, yes Vasquez Yim  
Unanimous vote for aye , yes so the bylaws will be changed from 6 semesters to 8 semesters

#### **IV. 03 Funding of the Anime Club for Spring 2024, Action Item, 10 minutes**

The Senate shall discuss and take action on SB-2324-06 funding in the amount of \$4,124.50 from the Senate Fund (600-03-015) for Anime Club to be able to host an esports event and an anime art event.

Senator Ocoa moves to end the discussion on item IV.03, seconded by Senator Oliva , No objections

#### **IV.04 Post-Valentine's Day Bingo, Discussion Item, 20 minutes**

The Senate will participate in a post-Valentine's Day Bingo game.

Senator Abrokwa moves to table item IV.04, seconded by Senator Reyes, No objections

### **V. Senate Reports**

#### **V.01 Advisor Report**

- Budget and finance will meet next after senate meeting on Wednesday at 4pm, will review submissions that came in for 2024 and 2025 year
- Awards Committee will begin reviewing the awards application before it goes out to the public ,review on Friday and applications for nominations will go out March 1st
- FLI as been postponed to March 6th it will start on March 6th

#### **V.02 Legislative Report**

Good Job today Senators we are doing some strikes but we are not 100% there yet we are working towards creating a plan for future students make this campus better place for us

Don't forget President, Vice president and student Trustee Nominations are still open, If Interested don't forget to sign up , Porto's feel free to grab some in the back scan check in and the QR code

#### **V.03 Executive Report**

- 4 or 5 position open in Cabinet if you know anyone interested apply on falcon sync
- Anyone interested in applying to SSCga talk about different occurrences at Cerritos and all across the colleges

#### **V.04 Judicial Report**

Natalie Associate Justice today meet your leaders opportunity for students to meet the president and the Vice President and some court members , having 3 more elections events all of them going to be on tuesday at 12, first one info session on february 27th , second on marc 19t at 12 pm te candidate orientation, third one on march 26t at 12pm ASCC Forum

Cerritos college foundation Scholarships are due by march 1st

Chief Justice Serfina Chun office hours are from 12pm to 2pm on fridays

#### **V.05 Student Trustee Report**

Board of student trustee Meeting tonight at 7pm anyone is interested on becoming student trustee stop by

#### **V.06 Party Whip Report**

Thanks everyone for passing her first legislation of the bill, Wishes everybody good day

#### **V. 07 Faculty Senate Liaison Report**

- Professor approached Senator Poiquin Hernandez and was complaining about the condition of women's restrooms ters mold on the floor no hooks on back of the door issue with janitorial staff faculty members are companing not accommodating to the students , need to get in contact with somebody with the issue
- Fraud is happening not only in state of california the entire community college system in the country

#### **V. 08 Committee Reports**

Two committee

Senate Orientation

Rules of administration

If anybody interested joining the committee contact Senator Abrokwa

Senator Sancez knows how to do closure for closure was able to teach im what it is

#### **V. 09 Senator Reports**

Senator Abrokwa bathroom issues get student feedback about the bathroom and if anyone wants to work with Senator abrokwa and talk to the students

Senator Ochoa on March February 28th from 8:30 am to 11am they are having LA food drive volunteer

Senator Reyes couple students having issues at the library in the quiet area where people do inappropriate stuff , people at the staff parking doing inappropriate stuff

### **VI. Announcements**

**V.01 ASCC Cabinet meeting** - Monday, February 26, 2024, 2:00 pm

**V.02 ASCC Court meeting** – Tuesday, February 27, 12:00 pm

**V.03 ASCC Senate meeting** - Wednesday, February 28, 2:00 pm

### **VII. Adjournment**

**Vice President adjourns this meeting at 4:07pm**