

# Associated Students of Cerritos College

## IN THE SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS

January 3, 2024

Senator Dunomes introduced the following Bill,  
Senator Hernandez seconded the following Bill

### A BILL

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#### **BEC/Umoja Black Grad Funding Request**

**SB-2324-04**

**Whereas:** The Black Excellence Collaborative (BEC) is a Cerritos College organization that acts as the voice and support group for the school's African American and Black population: faculty, staff, managers, administrators, contractors, and students.

**Whereas:** As the voice, the Black Excellence Collaborative utilizes resources to support and recognize the professional development and educational opportunities for African American and Black employees and students.

**Whereas:** The Black Excellence Collaborative (BEC) and Umoja Success Program (Umoja) to provide an inclusive cultural graduation for graduates and their guest;

**Whereas:** The BEC and Umoja are seeking funding for 50 students and up to two guests for Black Grad at the end of the Spring semester;

**Whereas:** BEC and Umoja has traditionally celebrated the hard work and of the students and their supporter(s)/guest(s) in completing their academic goal(s);

**Whereas:** The following items constitute the \$6300.00

Item	Cost
Certificates and Printing	\$300
Video Recording	\$250
Decoration (balloons)	\$1400
Food for Reception (200 ppl)	\$3600
Drummers	\$500
Keynote Speaker	\$250
Total	\$6300.00

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**Resolved:** ASCC will fund the Black Graduation ceremony in the amount of \$6,300.00, transferring that amount from the Senate Fund 600-03-015 to the BEC account (600-02-070). Any unused funds will be returned to the Senate Fund.

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## Amendment History

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None

## Final Senate Action

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**Date of final vote:** January 31, 2024

**Senators Voting Aye:** Abrokwa-Agyei, Alamgir, Bui, Diaz, Dunomes, A. Flores, F. Flores, Gomez, Gonzalez, Murillo, Ochoa, Oliva, Ordonez, Oregon, Poliquin-Hernandez, Ramos, Reyes, Sanchez, Vasquez, Villalobos, Yim

**Senators Voting Nay:** None

**Senators Abstaining:** None

**Vote Count:** 21 Aye, 0 Nay, 0 Abstain

## Committee Referral

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**Referred to Committee?** No

## Presidential Action

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**Presidential Action (Approved or Veto):** Approve

**Presidential Signature:**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "AIGC" with a stylized flourish underneath.

**Date:** February 8, 2024