
DISTRICT STUDENT COUNCIL

MINUTES

**Coast Community College District
Regular Meeting of the District Student Council
Friday, April 11, 2014 2:30 p.m.**

**Orange Coast College
Administration Building, Room 108
2701 Fairview Road Costa Mesa, CA 92626**

A Regular Meeting of the Coast Community College District Student Council was held on Friday April 11, 2014 in the Administration Building, Room 108 of Orange Coast College.

I. Organizational Items

I.01 Call to Order

Student Trustee Tanner Kelly called the meeting to order at 2:46 p.m.

Chair Kelly made a verbal change to agenda item III.03 from "Board Policy 2015" to "Board Policy 2105".

I.02 Pledge of Allegiance

Chair Kelly led the Council in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

I.03 Roll Call

Members Present:

Tanner Kelly, Student Trustee/Chair
Mitchell Jimenez, Student Representative/Vice Chair, Golden West College (Joined at 3:04 p.m.)
Kevin Pham, Student Representative/Secretary, Coastline Community College (Joined at 3:01 p.m.)
Sohail Tehrani, Student Representative, Orange Coast College
Grishma Patel, Student Representative, Orange Coast College
Quentin Cronk, Student Representative, Golden West College
Sophia Sourivong, Student Representative, Coastline Community College
Kevin Nguyen, Student Representative, Coastline Community College (Joined at 3:04 p.m.)

Members Absent:

Rachel Gajardo, Student Representative/Public Relations Officer, Orange Coast College

Also in attendance:

Terry Hyden, Student Senate, Orange Coast College
Lorraine Prinsky, Board of Trustees, Coast Community College District
Julie Frazier-Mathews, Secretary of the Board, Advisor to the District Student Council
Rachel Snell, District Director of Internal Audit

Mary Avalos, Student Services Coordinator, Golden West College

I.04 Approval of Minutes

At this time, no minutes were provided to be approved. Item was tabled indefinitely until the start of the next meeting. There were no objections.

II. Public Comment

There were no requests to address the Council.

III. Unfinished Business

III.01 Board Policy 2015 Election of the Student Member, Board of Trustees

Chair Kelly turned the floor over to Elected Board Member of the Coast Community College District, Lorraine Prinsky. Lorraine Prinsky provided an opportunity for questions and reviewed Board Policy 2105 in cooperation with the Council.

Board Policy 2105 warranted revisitation due to a lack of policy regarding vacancy.

On a motion by Mitchell Jimenez, seconded by Sohail Tehrani, the Council voted to correct the appellation of the policy from "Board Policy 2015" to "Board Policy 2105".

The motion carried with the following vote:

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| Ayes: | Mitchell Jimenez, Kevin Pham, Sohail Tehrani, Grishma Patel, Quentin Cronk, Sophia Sourivong, Kevin Nguyen |
| Noes: | None |
| Absent: | (1) GWC Student Representative, (1) OCC Student Representative |
| Abstentions: | None |

On a motion by Mitchell Jimenez, seconded by Sohail Tehrani, the Council voted to endorse Board Policy 2105 and its changes on Friday, April 11, 2014.

The motion carried with the following vote:

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| Ayes: | Mitchell Jimenez, Kevin Pham, Sohail Tehrani, Grishma Patel, Quentin Cronk, Sophia Sourivong, Kevin Nguyen |
| Noes: | None |
| Absent: | (1) GWC Student Representative, (1) OCC Student Representative |
| Abstentions: | None |

IV. New Business

IV.01 Presentation from District Director of Internal Audit, Ms. Rachel Snell

Chair Kelly turned the floor over to District Director of Internal Audit, Ms. Rachel Snell. Ms. Rachel Snell introduced herself to the Council, explained the purpose and functions of her faction of the District, and provided an opportunity for questions.

IV.02 Application and Election Process for Student Trustee

Agenda item IV.02 could not be addressed until the Board of Trustees review and approve the changes made to Board Policy 2105.

On a motion by Sohail Tehrani, seconded by Kevin Pham, the Council voted to postpone addressing agenda item IV.02 until the Board of Trustees approve Board Policy 2105.

The motion carried with the following vote:

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| Ayes: | Mitchell Jimenez, Kevin Pham, Sohail Tehrani, Grishma Patel, Quentin Cronk, Sophia Sourivong, Kevin Nguyen |
| Noes: | None |
| Absent: | (1) GWC Student Representative, (1) OCC Student Representative |
| Abstentions: | None |

IV.03 District Student Council Lobby Day Debrief

Chair Kelly turned the floor over to student representatives who attended Lobby Day 2014 in Sacramento. Lobby Day student representatives who were present at the meeting shared their experience touting the Council's legislative agenda to members of the U.S. Congress and the California State Assembly. Student representatives also shared advice on how to be better prepared for future legislative visits.

Mitchell Jimenez felt more comfortable after each legislative visit and found visual aids to be effective.

Quentin Cronk echoed legislators' concerns and questions about the assembly and senate bills presented to them.

The Council unanimously agreed to bring agenda item IV.03 back to the next meeting to accommodate for student representatives who were unable to attend this meeting and present their experiences.

IV.04 District Student Council Legislative Advocacy

The Council reviewed legislators' responses to the Council's legislative agenda and "Thank You" letters asking for a follow-up legislative visit.

The Council unanimously agreed to change the order of business appropriately from "IV. Public Comment Two" to "V. Public Comment" and "V. Adjournment" to "VI. Adjournment".

V. Public Comment Two

There were no requests to address the Council.

VI. Adjournment

There being no further business, the Council adjourned the meeting at 4:10 p.m. by unanimous consent.

**END REGULAR BUSINESS
MEETING**
