

**LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
MINUTES – STUDENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE  
Educational Services Center  
Board Room – First Floor  
770 Wilshire Boulevard  
Los Angeles, California 90017**

**Friday, July 10, 2015  
9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

Committee: Bobbi Kimble, District Office Liaison, ESC; Sonia Lopez, ASO/ASU/ASG Advisor Liaison, ELAC; Bryant Woodert, ASG President, LACC; Romel Lopez, ASU President, ELAC; Jackie Ambridge, ASO President, LAMC; David Do, ASO President, LAPC; James Gooden, ASO President, LATTC; and Jesse Ruckman-Vazquez, ASU President, LAVC.

Ms. Bobbi Kimble, Interim Vice Chancellor of Educational programs and Institutional Effectiveness, called the meeting to order at 9:50 a.m.

The following colleges were present: LACC, ELAC, LAMC, LAPC, LATTC, and LAVC.

Absent: LAHC, LASC, and WLAC.

A quorum was present.

**SELECTION OF CHAIR FOR TODAY'S MEETING**

Mr. Romel Lopez, ASU President, ELAC, volunteered to be the chair for today's meeting.

**PUBLIC SPEAKERS**

Mr. Ryan Navarrete, Student Trustee Candidate, LATTC, emphasized the importance of having an Interim Student Trustee available to represent students at all Board meetings.

Mr. Ali Asghar, ASO Senator, LAPC, introduced himself as a nominee for the Interim Student Trustee position and gave a brief overview of his skills and abilities gained from his experiences as an ASO Senator at LAPC and Chair of the Rules and Lobby Committee during the 2014-15 year.

Mr. Milo Anderson, Student Trustee Candidate, LAPC, congratulated the new incoming ASO Presidents as leaders of their campuses, and encouraged them to have an active year.

Mr. Gerson Liahut-Sanchez, ASU Senator, ELAC, introduced himself as a nominee for the Interim Student Trustee position and gave a brief overview of his skills and abilities gained from his experiences at ELAC as an ASU Chief Justice and Vice President of Finance during the 2014-15 year.

Mr. Julian Johnson, President of Sales and Marketing, Yo What's Poppin' Gourmet Popcorn, distributed flyers and gave a brief overview of the fundraising opportunities his company is available to provide for each of the nine LACCD colleges.

### ASSOCIATED STUDENT BODY PRESIDENTS' REPORTS

The following individuals reported on issues, activities, and events at their respective campuses:

Mr. James Gooden, LATTTC; Mr. Bryant Woodert, LACC; Ms. Jackie Ambridge, LAMC; Mr. Jesse Ruckman-Vazquez, LAVC; Mr. David Do, LAPC; and Mr. Romel Lopez, ELAC.

### LIAISON REPORTS

#### District Office Report

Ms. Bobbi Kimble, District Office Liaison, gave a summary of recent revisions to Board Rules Chapter VI, Article II – Graduation Requirements and Chapter VI, Article VII – Academic Standards that will go into effect in Fall 2016.

#### ASO/ASU/ASG Advisors' Report

Ms. Sonia Lopez, ASO/ASU/ASG Advisor Liaison, introduced LAHC ASO Advisor Gary Gonzales and LAVC Advisor Elizabeth Negrete in the audience and stated that ELAC is preparing for a student leadership retreat in August 2015 and all campuses are preparing for the Student Trustee Elections in September 2015.

#### Chief Student Services Officers (CSSO) Report

None.

#### District Academic Senate (DAS) Report

None.

### MATTERS FOR/OFF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Ms. Sonia Lopez stated that food services are needed at ELAC, and that food services are a general concern for all nine colleges.

## DISCUSSION ITEMS

None.

## ACTION ITEMS

### SAC Recommendation of 2015-16 Interim Student Trustee

ASO President Gooden, LATTTC, recommended Mr. Ali Asghar, and ASG President Woodert, LACC, recommended Mr. Gerson Liahut-Sanchez to serve as the Interim Student Trustee. The Committee members asked each nominee to explain why they wanted to serve as the Interim Student Trustee, and to elaborate on what their plans are while in office.

Ms. Bobbi Kimble distributed copies to the committee members of the Chancellor's memo dated June 29, 2015 regarding his recommended resolution to the Student Trustee Election complaint.

A roll call vote was taken as follows:

*Votes for Mr. Gerson Liahut-Sanchez:  
4 Ayes (LACC, LAMC, LAVC, and ELAC)  
2 Noes (LATTTC and LAPC)*

*Votes for Mr. Ali Asghar:  
2 Ayes (LATTTC and LAPC)  
4 Noes (LACC, LAMC, LAVC, and ELAC)*

Mr. Gerson Liahut-Sanchez was deemed to be the Interim Student Trustee for 2015-16.

Discussion from the committee members continued on the topic of the Fall 2015 Student Trustee Election process.

Ms. Sonia Lopez suggested holding candidate forums on the third week of the Fall semester and elections on the fourth week of the Fall semester. Ms. Lopez offered to help coordinate the candidate forums at each college. Ms. Bobbi Kimble asked Mr. Eric Kim, Associate General Counsel, to clarify the time period in which Student Trustee Candidates can start campaigning.

Mr. Kim stated that there is no Board Rule that specifies campaign dates, so the Student Trustee Candidates can start campaigning now.

Ms. Kimble stated that paper ballots will be used in the Fall unless electronic ballots can be set-up in time, and that specific language will be sent to ASO/ASU/ASG Advisors emphasizing that students are not allowed to vote at multiple campuses.

Motion by ASO President Do, seconded by ASO President Gooden, to conduct candidate forums on the third week of the Fall semester and conduct elections on the fourth week of the Fall semester.

*ADOPTED: 6 Ayes*

SAC 2015-16 Annual Meeting Schedule

Discussion focused on whether or not to conduct a SAC meeting in January during the Winter Intersession.

(ASO President James Gooden, LATTC, left the room at 11:00 a.m.)

Motion by ASO President Ambridge, seconded by ASG President Woodert, to not have a SAC meeting on January 8, 2016, and to adopt the SAC meeting schedule as follows:

<b>SAC MEETING DATES</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>AGENDA ITEMS DEADLINE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
Friday, July 10, 2015	9:30 am – 12 pm	Monday, June 29, 2015	ESC Board Room
Friday, August 14, 2015	9:30 am – 12 pm	Monday, August 3, 2015	ESC Board Room
Friday, September 11, 2015	9:30 am – 12 pm	Monday, August 31, 2015	ESC Board Room
Friday, October 9, 2015	9:30 am – 12 pm	Monday, September 28, 2015	ESC Board Room
Friday, November 13, 2015	9:30 am – 12 pm	Monday, November 2, 2015	ESC Board Room
Friday, December 11, 2015	9:30 am – 12 pm	Monday, November 30, 2015	ESC Board Room
Friday, February 19, 2016*	9:30 am – 12 pm	Monday, February 8, 2016	ESC Board Room
Friday, March 11, 2016	9:30 am – 12 pm	Monday, February 29, 2016	ESC Board Room
Friday, April 15, 2016*	9:30 am – 12 pm	Monday, April 4, 2016	ESC Board Room
Friday, May 13, 2016	9:30 am – 12 pm	Monday, May 2, 2016	ESC Board Room
Friday, June 10, 2016	9:30 am – 12 pm	Tuesday, May 31, 2016	ESC Board Room

\*Third Friday of the month.

*ADOPTED: 5 Ayes (Absent: LATTC)*

SAC 2015-16 Resource Table Representative Assignments for Board Meetings

A draft copy of the Student Representative assignments for Board Meetings was provided.

Chair Lopez asked for volunteers to serve as the Student Representative at the Resource Table for the Board meetings of August 5, 2015; August 19, 2015; September 2, 2015; September 16, 2015; March 9, 2016; and March 23, 2016.

Mr. Woodert volunteered to serve as the Student Representative for the Board meeting of August 5, 2015.

Mr. Lopez volunteered to serve as the Student Representative for the Board meeting of August 19, 2015.

Mr. Do volunteered to serve as the Student Representative for the Board meeting of September 2, 2015.

Mr. Ruckman-Vazquez volunteered to serve as the Student Representative for the Board meeting of March 9, 2016.

Motion by ASG President Woodert, seconded by ASO President Gooden, to adopt the Student Representative assignments as amended as follows, and to table this item until the next SAC meeting in order to call for additional volunteers for the September 16, 2015 and March 23, 2016 meetings:

<b>Board Meeting Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Student Representative at Resource Table</b>
July 8, 2015	Los Angeles City College	Bryant Woodert, ASG President, LACC
August 5, 2015	Educational Services Center	<del>TBD</del> Bryant Woodert, ASG President, LACC
August 19, 2015*	Educational Services Center	<del>TBD</del> Romel Lopez, ASU President, ELAC
September 2, 2015	Educational Services Center	<del>TBD</del> David Do, ASO President, LAPC
September 16, 2015	Educational Services Center	TBD
October 7, 2015	Los Angeles Trade-Tech College	James Gooden, ASO President, LATTC
October 21, 2015	Educational Services Center	James Gooden, ASO President, LATTC
November 4, 2015	East Los Angeles College	Romel Lopez, ASU President, ELAC
November 18, 2015	Educational Services Center	Romel Lopez, ASU President, ELAC
December 9, 2015	West Los Angeles College	Alec Coleman, ASO President, WLAC
December 16, 2015*	Educational Services Center	Alec Coleman, ASO President, WLAC
January 13, 2016	Los Angeles Valley College	Jesse A. Ruckman-Vazquez, ASU President, LAVC
January 27, 2016	Educational Services Center	Jesse A. Ruckman-Vazquez, ASU President, LAVC
February 10, 2016	Los Angeles Pierce College	David Do, ASO President, LAPC
February 24, 2016	Educational Services Center	David Do, ASO President, LAPC
March 9, 2016	Educational Services Center	<del>TBD</del> Jesse A. Ruckman-Vazquez, ASU President, LAVC
March 23, 2016	Educational Services Center	TBD
April 13, 2016	Los Angeles Southwest College	Pedro Montalvo, ASO President, LASC
April 27, 2016	Educational Services Center	Pedro Montalvo, ASO President, LASC
May 11, 2016	Los Angeles Harbor College	Gabriel Cabrera, ASO President, LAHC
May 25, 2016	Educational Services Center	Gabriel Cabrera, ASO President, LAHC
June 8, 2016	Los Angeles Mission College	Jackie Ambridge, ASO President, LAMC
June 22, 2016	Educational Services Center	Jackie Ambridge, ASO President, LAMC

\*Dates are tentative.

*ADOPTED AS AMENDED: 6 Ayes*

SAC 2015-16 Outside Committee Representative Assignments

District Academic Senate (DAS)

Mr. Ruckman-Vazquez will serve as the Student Representative for the DAS meeting on September 10, 2015 at LAVC.

Ms. Ambridge will serve as the Student Representative for the DAS meeting on October 8, 2015 at LAMC.

Mr. Woodert will serve as the Student Representative for the DAS meeting on December 10, 2015 at LACC.

District Budget Committee (DBC)

Mr. Gooden volunteered to serve as the Student Representative for the DBC meetings of July 15, 2015; August 26, 2015; September 23, 2015; and October 28, 2015.

Mr. Lopez volunteered to serve as the Student Representative for the DBC meetings of December 2, 2015; January 20, 2016; February 17, 2016; and March 16, 2016.

Mr. Woodert volunteered to serve as the Student Representative for the DBC meetings of April 20, 2016; May 18, 2016; and June 15, 2016.

District Curriculum Committee (DCC)

Mr. Ruckman-Vazquez volunteered to serve as the Student Representative for the DCC meetings of November 13, 2015; December 11, 2015; January 8, 2016; and February 9, 2016.

Ms. Ambridge volunteered to serve as the Student Representative for the DCC meetings of March 11, 2016; April 15, 2016; May 13, 2016; and June 10, 2016.

Motion by ASO President Woodert, seconded by ASU President Ruckman-Vazquez, to adopt the aforementioned appointments, and to table this item until the next SAC meeting in order to call for additional volunteers for the July 17, 2015; August 14, 2015; September 11, 2015; and October 9, 2015 DCC meeting dates.

*ADOPTED: 6 Ayes*

CONSULTATION ITEMS

None.

#### SAC OUTSIDE COMMITTEE REPORTS

District Citizens' Oversight Committee (DCOC) – Michael J. Griggs (LAMC) – Student Representative

No report.

#### RESOURCE TABLE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE ASSIGNMENTS – August 5, 2015 (ESC) and August 19, 2015 (ESC)

Mr. Woodert volunteered to serve as the Student Representative at the Resource Table for the Board meeting of August 5, 2015. Mr. Lopez volunteered to serve as the Student Representative at the Resource Table for the Board meeting of August 19, 2015.

#### NEW BUSINESS

None.

#### SUMMARY – NEXT MEETING

The next regular meeting of the Student Affairs Committee is scheduled for Friday, August 14, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. This meeting will be held at the LACCD Educational Services Center in the Board Room. The deadline for submitting agenda items is Monday, August 3, 2015.

#### ADJOURNMENT

There being no objection, the meeting was adjourned at 11:27 a.m.