

**Antelope Valley College**  
**Associated Student Organization**  
**Executive Council Minutes**  
**3041 West Ave K, Lancaster, CA 93536**  
**Friday, February 19, 2010**  
**Student Lounge, 11:00 AM**

The Executive Council of the Antelope Valley College met on November 13, 2009. For more information, please contact Associated Student Organization President Curtis Smith 722-6300 ext 6160.

I. ORGANIZATIONAL ITEMS

1.1 Call to order: 11:06am by President Curtis Smith

1.2 Pledge of Allegiance: Lead by President Curtis Smith

1.3 Roll Call:

President – Curtis Smith - Present

Vice President, Academic Affairs – Sheronda Myers - Present

Vice President, Student Services – Jonmmica Walter - Absent

Vice President, Club Affairs – Patricia Del Gaudio - Present

Vice President, Public Relations – Vacant

Treasurer – Jamie Holzer - Present

Secretary – Vacant

Senator:

Counseling and Matriculation – Gloria Gowan - Absent

Enrollment Services – Vacant

Health Sciences – Deepika Mohan - Present

Language Arts and Instructional Resources – Karole Obrikat - Absent

Mathematics, Science and Engineering – Stephanie Conley – Present

Social and Behavioral Sciences and Business, Computer Studies and Economic

Development – Enrique Camacho - Present

Student Development and Services – Sandra Govin - Present

Technical Education - Bryan Richardson – Proxy--Gwyndolyn Richardson

Visual and Performing Arts and Physical Education – Sara Rothenberg – Proxy, Trudy Fudala.

Membership is 13, Quorum is 7, 10 were present, Quorum is established.

Student Trustee – David Brown – Present

1.4 Adoption of the Agenda:

Moved to adopt the agenda by Vice President for Academic Affairs, Academic Affairs, Sheronda Myers, seconded by Senator Enrique Camacho. Motion passed 9/0/0.

1.5 Approval of the Minutes—January 22, 2010

Moved to approval minutes from January 22, by Senator Enrique Camacho, seconded by Vice President for Academic Affairs, Academic Affairs, Sheronda Myers, Motion passed 9/0/0.

1.6 Approval of Checks and Receipts.  
There are no checks and receipts.

## II Public Forum

Jill Williams' Outreach program for High School Orientation talked about the new way they are doing orientation which will run from Feb, 26 and March 5<sup>th</sup> for new AVC students will run from 12:35 to 1:30.

Yesenia Reyes wishes to apply for ASO secretary position; she is very dedicated and has experience as a secretary.

Mandy Oliver and Anna Becerra are requesting money for seven events; more to come in 1.4.

Sean Izaquiedo wants to apply for Vice President of Public Relations; he wants to enhance promotions through AVC.

Jessica Montes wishes to apply for the position of Senator for Enrollment Services; in high school she was involved in ASB.

Sychhay Kroeu also wishes to apply for Vice President of Public Relations; but has not turned in an application.

## III. ACTION ITEMS

### **3.1 Committees and Appointments**

President Curtis Smith appoints Jessica Guthrie-Montes for Senator of Enrollment Services. Senator Stephanie Conley moved to ratify the appointment, Senator Enrique Camacho seconded pending approval of qualifications. Motion passed 9/0/0.

President Curtis Smith appoints Yesenia Reyes as Secretary. Vice President for Academic Affairs Sheronda Myers moved to ratify Yesenia Reyes as Secretary, Senator Sandra Govin seconds pending approval of qualifications, Motion passed 9/0/0.

Sean Izaquiedo and Sychhay Kroeu are on hold until they met with Curtis Smith for an interview.

Senator Sandra Govin wishes to thank Senator Karole Obrikat for keeping up with the minutes over the past few months while we have not had a secretary.

Dr. Zimmerman wants a representative for EEO, and talked about a safety committee and suggests that maybe the Emergency Response Committee merger. Sychhay Kroeu is interested in representing students in EEO. Jessica would like to join Emergency Response.

### **3.2 Grant Proposal Requests**

MUN is asking for a grant proposal for \$3,000 for travel to their conferences. Vice President for Academic Affairs, Sheronda Myers moved to approve \$3,000 for MUN, Senator Sandra Govin seconded. Motion passed, 9/0/0.

### **3.3 Student Court**

Dr. Zimmerman will meet with Dr. Hall re: Student Court, and will update us at the next meeting.

Deepeka Mohan calls a Point of Personal Privilege at 12 noon.

Moved by Senator Enrique Camacho to revisit roll call, seconded by Vice President for Academic Affairs, Sheronda Myers, Motion passed 9/0/0.

#### Roll Call

President – Curtis Smith - Present

Vice President, Academic Affairs – Sheronda Myers - Present

Vice President, Student Services – Jonmmica Walter - Absent

Vice President, Club Affairs – Patricia Del Gaudio - Present

Vice President, Public Relations – Vacant

Treasurer – Jamie Holzer - Present

Secretary – Vacant

#### Senator:

Counseling and Matriculation – Gloria Gowan - Absent

Enrollment Services – Vacant

Health Sciences – Deepika Mohan - Absent

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### **3.4 ASO/ICC**

Student Activities Council and has asked ASO to help fund the following events:

#### Black History Month

- \$100 for prizes for students - moved to approve by Senator Sandra Govin moves to approve funds, Senator Stephanie seconded, Motion passes 9/1/0.
- Up to \$500 for St. Patrick Day for Pot of Gold chocolate coins, etc., hotdog meal or nachos – moved to approve by Senator Stephanie Conely, Vice President of Club Affairs, Patricia Del Gaudio seconded, Motion Passed. 9/0/0.
- \$ 400 for National Goof Off Day, March 22, 2010 for games, prizes. The cost of this event is \$125.00 plus tax for the cost of the Hippity Hops and \$350 worth of prizes. Moved to approve by Senator Stephanie Conley, seconded by Vice President of Club Affairs by Patricia Del Gaudio seconded. Motion passed. 9/0/0.
- Murder Mystery Dinner: March 29, 2009—Since the dinner that was planned for last semester was cancelled, we need to verify that we still have the \$500 in the budget. Dr. Zimmerman said that since it was passed last semester, we do not need to vote again.
- \$120 for Caesar Chavez Day prizes. Moved to approve by Senator Karole Obrikat, Senator Sandra Govin seconded. Motion Passed 8/0/0.
- Cinco de Mayo & Asian Pacific funding will wait for approval at a future meeting.

Senator Stephanie Conley takes a Personal Point of Privilege to leave at 12:17 p.m..

Dr. Zimmerman asked that we vote on the verbally approved ASO election dates that were talked about during the ASO retreat in January, since we did not officially vote on them.

- Moved to approve by Senator Karole Obrikat to have letters of Intent due from April 23 through no later than April 27 and hold elections on May 5, and 6<sup>th</sup> with results announced on May 7, 2010, Senator Sandra Govin seconded, Motion passed 8/0/0.
- Moved by Vice President of Club Affairs Patricia Del Gaudio for funds for the Spring Cleaning Contest, March 3, 2010 of up to \$500 to go into the club account. Each club who participates will have \$15 deposited into their club account, and the winning club will receive a deposit of \$75, Senator Enrique Camacho seconded. Motion passes 8/0/0.

### **3.5 ASO Conferences**

March on March in Sacramento will be held on Monday, March 22, 2010, and transportation will come out of the Student Rep Fee for bus (buses), and the Faculty Union also volunteered to help with some of the costs. We will reserve space for 50 people; 10 faculty and administrators and 40 students. Dr. Bednar and others are willing to join the group to Sacramento. A \$5 deposit fee will be required, but refunded at the bus. Vice President for Academic Affairs Sheronda Myers will also look further into the UC pledge of 100 buses to transport students to Sacramento; furthermore, she expresses that our voices are better heard at the March on March, rather than the conference in Washington D.C.; please reconsider your choice and attend the trip to Sacramento rather than DC. Vice President for Academic Affairs Sheronda Myers moved for bus with ratio of 10/40 and \$5 deposit which is to be returned upon boarding, Senator Sara Rothenberg – Proxy, Trudy Fudala. seconded. Motion passed 8/0/0.

Senator Enrique Camacho moves to suspend the ruled and revisit Action item 3.5: Activities, Vice President for Academic Affairs Sheronda Myers seconded Motion passed 8/0/0.

Moved to approve the Walk Out on March 4<sup>th</sup> by Vice President for Academic Affairs Sheronda Myers, Senator Karole Obrikat seconded. Walk out represents local action. Academic Senate approves of the event and will vote at their meeting on March 4<sup>th</sup>; we need to set a time for the walk out. We will notify local media: News, newspaper and radio to cover walk out. It was suggested that since Academic Senate needs to vote we should walk out from 3:00 to 4:00 since their meeting is at 3:30 p.m. they can vote and then join ASO at the Library Plaza. Students will make a visual impact; and will have the opportunity to sign petitions and hold picket signs. The sound system will be used for speakers and students to voice their opinions on budget cuts and other related cut backs. Motion passed 8/0/0.

### **3.4 ASO Conferences**

Region VI Santa Barbara City College is accepting donations to assist with expenses for the conference of \$1,000. The ASO does not want to donate money, and Dr.

Zimmerman pointed out that there is no account to deposit into, and there may be legal ramifications and liability on AVC. However, if members wish to attend, they may do so on their own time. Vice President for Academic Affairs Sheronda Myers reports that the Event at SBCC is called the Education Stimulus Jam. Clubs may attend and fundraise.

#### IV. REPORTS

Senator's Reports –  
Executive Board Reports-  
Student Trustee-  
Advisor-

#### V. ANNOUNCEMENTS /UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENT

President Curtis Smith asks that everyone submit their availability schedules via email, ASO group, mail box or email so that a regular meeting time can be established.

#### VI. ADJOURNMENT

Moved to adjourn the meeting by Senator Enrique Camacho, Vice President of Club Affairs Patricia Del Gaudio seconded, Motion passed 8/0/0.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:55 pm.