



Student Government Assembly (SGA)
 Santa Rosa Junior College (SRJC)
 Sonoma County Junior College District (SCJCD)
 Members Attending Remotely via Zoom Video Conferencing

Meeting #8: September 21, 2020, 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

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I. Call to Order & Roll Call: Start time: 3:03 PM Quorum: 8/9 -> 10/10 This Meeting is Recorded

Officers:	Present:	Absent:
Student Body President - Delashay Carmona Benson	Present	
Executive Vice President of Legislation - Sierra Garcia	Present	
Vice President of Finance -		
Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa - Lisset Miranda	Present	
Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma - Anetra McCartney	Appointed, Present	
Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa - Athena Weathers	Present	
Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma - Brandon Repp	Present	
Vice President of Marketing, Santa Rosa - Sebastian Bustamante	Present at 3:08	
Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma -		
Vice President of Student Health - Maria Arreguin	Present	
Vice President of Diversity - Felix Santiago	Present	
Vice President of Sustainability - Carolynne Marshall	Present	
Honorary Members:		
Student Trustee - Jocelyn Toscano	Present	

2020-2021 Student Government Assembly Attendance: [2020-2021 SGA Attendance](#)

II. Approval of the Current Agenda & Past Meeting Minutes: (5 minutes):

At this time the SGA shall review and approve the Agendas and Minutes, and add amendments as needed.

A. Agenda #8 (September 21th, 2020)

B. Minutes for Meeting #7 (September 14, 2020) Link: <https://rb.gy/mwoee5>

Motion by Vice President Arreguin to approve Item II, seconded by Vice President Repp.

Motion by Vice President Repp to amend the Agenda to add a report for President Emeritus, seconded by Vice President Weathers

Advisory Vote:	Vote:
Student Trustee - Jocelyn Toscano	Aye
Official Vote:	Vote:
EVP of Legislation - Sierra Garcia	Not Present for Vote
VP of Clubs, SR - Lisset Miranda	Aye
VP of Student Life, SR - Athena Weathers	Aye
VP of Student Life, Pet - Brandon Repp	Aye
VP of Marketing - SR, Sebastian Bustamante	Not Present for Vote
VP of Student Health - Maria Arreguin	Aye
VP of Diversity - Felix Santiago	Aye
VP of Sustainability - Carolynne Marshall	Aye

SGA amends Agenda #8 with a vote of 6-0.

Motion by Vice President Weathers to postpone New Business Item B to September 28th, seconded by Vice President Repp.

Advisory Vote:	Vote:
Student Trustee - Jocelyn Toscano	Aye
Official Vote:	Vote:
EVP of Legislation - Sierra Garcia	Aye
VP of Clubs, SR - Lisset Miranda	Aye
VP of Student Life, SR - Athena Weathers	Aye
VP of Student Life, Pet - Brandon Repp	Aye
VP of Marketing - SR, Sebastian Bustamante	Aye
VP of Student Health - Maria Arreguin	Aye
VP of Diversity - Felix Santiago	Aye
VP of Sustainability - Carolynne Marshall	Aye

SGA postpones New Business Item B until September 28th with a vote of 8-0.

Motion by Vice President Santiago to approve Agenda #8 and Minutes #7, seconded by Vice President Repp.

Advisory Vote:	Vote:
Student Trustee - Jocelyn Toscano	Aye
Official Vote:	Vote:
EVP of Legislation - Sierra Garcia	Aye
VP of Clubs, SR - Lisset Miranda	Aye
VP of Student Life, SR - Athena Weathers	Aye
VP of Student Life, Pet - Brandon Repp	Aye
VP of Marketing - SR, Sebastian Bustamante	Aye
VP of Student Health - Maria Arreguin	Aye
VP of Diversity - Felix Santiago	Aye
VP of Sustainability - Carolynne Marshall	Aye

SGA approves Agenda #8 and Minutes #7 with a vote of 8-0.

III. Public Comments (3 minutes per speaker, 15 minutes per topic):

At this time, members of the public may address SGA. Members of the public wishing to comment on an agenda item or another topic within the jurisdiction of the SGA will be given the opportunity to provide comments via Zoom or may submit public comments via email to zmiranda@santarosa.edu.

IV. Reports (2 minutes per speaker):

At this time members of the SGA may report on their activities, status of SGA and College-wide committees, and other

business related to their positions. All reports should be submitted as a google document to the Student Body President 72 hours prior to the meeting, to be included on the published agenda.

- A. Student Body President: Met with the accreditation committee, which is recruiting up to 15 students to participate. Has been speaking to classes about SGA and recruiting SGA members and Assembly members to join the group.
- B. Executive Vice President of Legislation: Redwood empire food bank held a drive through food bank at SRJC Santa Rosa, and they had . Wanted to thank all students who came to speak during public comment, and reaffirms the importance of students' voices. SGA should assert their power to stand up for what's right regarding recent administrative decisions that went against bylaws.
- C. Vice President of Finance:
- D. Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa: First virtual club day is on the 30th from 1:30 PM to 3:00 PM. This will be a test run for club days, to see what will work for future virtual events.
- E. Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma:
- F. Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa: Arts and Lectures committee will be having their first event of the year featuring local musician Eki Shola on September 28th and noon. Student Life Committee has moved to an every-other-week schedule
- G. Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma: Meeting with Lissett to discuss and plan a club day event for the Petaluma campus.
- H. Vice President of Marketing, Santa Rosa: Working with Nick on a last push for the census, including graphics for Bearfacts and social media. Talked with Michelle Vidaurri about getting students access to the backend of the SRJC App so that student leaders can post and make official announcements from official accounts.
- I. Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma:
- J. Vice President of Student Health: Today, met with the Health Promotion Meeting to discuss the low volume of appointments, and in response will be working on a student survey regarding accessing health services. Process is moving forward for hiring a black therapist. Working on getting a tile for student health on the SRJC app, and will be meeting with Michelle Vidaurri to discuss. PEERs will be screening a film, "The S Word". Attended the Mental Health board for the county and got more ideas for the upcoming election panel item.
- K. Vice President of Diversity: Queer Resource Center is interviewing new QRC student researchers. Working on attending each club's meetings to see what their needs are and how they can be supported.
- L. Vice President of Sustainability: Students Demand Action is hosting a voter registration drive, and the pregame starts at 5 PM following this meeting. The event will be tomorrow for voter registration day.
- M. Student Trustee: M.E.Ch.A. hosted a Board of Trustee candidate forum last week, and 2 candidates showed up to answer questions, 3 did not. The recording will be made available soon.
- N. President Emeritus (Five Minutes): Evelyn Navarro: Present to speak on behalf of a number of past SGA presidents. Speaking on behalf of past president Josh Pinaula, explained the past intention behind the SGA Code of Conduct, and their disagreement that it has been used by the administration against a student leader. Encouraged the SGA to address their code of conduct and amend it to clarify that it is not to be used that way in the future. Condemns the VP of Student Service's decision and explains that a decision was taken from the

students.

- O. President Emeritus (Five Minutes): Lekkyes Dakwakas: Disappointed in current state of SGA and Student Life. Believes that the disqualification of a student body president and appointment of another was against the bylaws and is wrong. Believes that there has been prejudice shown by the current student president, and encourages the SGA to reassess what happened and work to address injustices in the administrative process .

Motion by Vice President Arreguin to move into Appointments & Removals, seconded by Vice President Marshall

Advisory Vote:	Vote:
Student Trustee - Jocelyn Toscano	Aye
Official Vote:	Vote:
EVP of Legislation - Sierra Garcia	Aye
VP of Clubs, SR - Lisset Miranda	Aye
VP of Student Life, SR - Athena Weathers	Aye
VP of Student Life, Pet - Brandon Repp	Aye
VP of Marketing - SR, Sebastian Bustamante	Aye
VP of Student Health - Maria Arreguin	Aye
VP of Diversity - Felix Santiago	Aye
VP of Sustainability - Carolynne Marshall	Aye

SGA moves into Appointments & Removals with a vote of 8-0.

V. Appointments & Removals

At this time the SGA may appoint, ratify off-schedule appointments, or remove students to/from the SGA, College-Wide Committees, Hiring committees, Ad-Hoc Committees, Internal Committees, Subcommittees, other bodies within their jurisdiction, and other positions/duties as recommended. Any student appointments or removals shall be reported here.

Motion by Vice President Repp to move back into reports for a President Emeritus Report from Lekkyes Dakwakas, seconded by Vice President Marshall

Advisory Vote:	Vote:
Student Trustee - Jocelyn Toscano	Aye
Official Vote:	Vote:
EVP of Legislation - Sierra Garcia	Aye
VP of Clubs, SR - Lisset Miranda	Aye
VP of Student Life, SR - Athena Weathers	Aye
VP of Student Life, Pet - Brandon Repp	Aye
VP of Marketing - SR, Sebastian Bustamante	Aye
VP of Student Health - Maria Arreguin	Aye
VP of Diversity - Felix Santiago	Aye
VP of Sustainability - Carolynne Marshall	Aye

SGA moves back into reports with a vote of 8-0.

A. SGA Officer Appointments

1. Vice President of Finance
 - a. Appoint: Burkley Jean

Motion by Vice President Marshall to move into Special Reports, seconded by Vice President Miranda

Advisory Vote:	Vote:
Student Trustee - Jocelyn Toscano	Aye
Official Vote:	Vote:
EVP of Legislation - Sierra Garcia	Aye

VP of Clubs, SR - Lisset Miranda	Aye
VP of Student Life, SR - Athena Weathers	Aye
VP of Student Life, Pet - Brandon Repp	Aye
VP of Marketing - SR, Sebastian Bustamante	Aye
VP of Student Health - Maria Arreguin	Aye
VP of Diversity - Felix Santiago	Aye
VP of Sustainability - Carolynne Marshall	Aye

SGA moves into Special Reports with a vote of 8-0.

2. Vice President of Clubs - Petaluma
 - a. Appoint: Anetra McCartney

B. SGA Assembly Member Appointments

1. Assembly Member of DRD - <https://bit.ly/3iLKhSf>
 - a. Appoint: Bren Lorenz
2. Assembly Member of Black Student Union - <https://bit.ly/3myBxBs>
 - a. Appoint: Joshua Mandela Poinsett
3. Assembly Member of High School - <https://bit.ly/3hRG5zr>
 - a. Appoint: Raymond Wang

C. Committee Appointments

1. Hiring Committee: SCJCD Police Sergeant - 1 seat
 - a. Remove: Carolynne Marshall
 - b. Appoint: Frank Bastoni
2. Student Representative's Council - No Limit
 - a.
 - b.
3. Accreditation Committees - Up to 15 seats
 - a.
 - b.
4. Textbooks & Instructional Materials Committee - 2 seats
 - a.
 - b.

VI. Special Reports (15 minutes per speaker):

- A. Board of Trustees President Jordan Burns, Maggie Fishman & Marianna Martinez - **Introductions from each of the Board Members,**
- B. Kimmie Barbosa - Measure P
- C. Evan Phillips - Activist and speaker

- D. Zack Miranda - Roberts Rules Update

VII. Old Business

- A. A motion may come forward to approve sponsoring students to attend the Student Empowerment Academy (SEA) for the 2020/2021 school year.
Lead: Hilleary Zarate
Fund Amount: Up to \$2,000
Budget Line:

- B. A motion may come forward to develop a student survey to get student feedback about their needs and what SGA can do to support them.
Leads: Delashay Carmona Benson, Carolynne Marshall

VIII. New Business

- A. A motion may come forward to approve a panel for Sonoma County candidates and measures on the November 2020 ballot.
Leads: Carolynne Marshall, Jocelyn Toscano, Sierra Garcia
- B. A motion may come forward to approve a donation to support the Measure O campaign.
Fund Amount: \$10,000
Budget Line:
- C. A motion may come forward to approve hosting Dr. Buul up to 4 times for a Black Lives More Than Matter Series! [Note: the office of Student Life, Equity & Engagement will supplement the remaining costs.] - <https://rb.gy/clffhj>
Fund Amount: \$4,500
Budget Line:

IX. Communications from the Floor:

At this time, members of SGA may address concerns and any items not on the current agenda, in addition to recommending new agenda items.

X. Adjournment: 5:05 PM



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