



## STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSEMBLY (SGA)

Sonoma County Junior College District (SCJCD); Santa Rosa Junior College (SRJC)

### SPRING 2025 | REGULAR MEETING | Meeting #22

**DATE:** Monday, February 24, 2025 | **TIME:** 3:00pm - 5:00pm

**ADDRESS:** 1501 Mendocino Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95401 **CAMPUS:** Santa Rosa

**BUILDING:** Bertolini (FLOOR 01); **ROOM:** #4638 (Senate Chambers)

**ZOOM:** <https://santarosa-edu.zoom.us/j/88516419729>

**LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT:** We acknowledge that we gather at Santa Rosa Junior College on the territorial traditional land of the Pomo People in Santa Rosa and the Coast Miwok People in Petaluma, past and present, and honor with gratitude the land itself and the people who have stewarded it throughout the generations. This land acknowledgement calls us to commit to continuing to learn how to be better stewards of the land we inhabit. We recognize that every member of the Santa Rosa Junior College community has benefitted, and continues to benefit, from the use and occupation of this land since the institution's founding in 1918. Consistent with our values of community and diversity, we have a responsibility to acknowledge and make visible the colleges' relationship to Native peoples. By offering this Land Acknowledgement, we affirm Indigenous sovereignty and will work to hold Santa Rosa Junior College more accountable to the needs of American Indian and Indigenous peoples.

**PUBLIC RESOURCES:** SGA agendas are posted online at <https://studentlife.santarosa.edu/current-meeting-materials>

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### MEETING ATTENDANCE | LINK TO ATTENDANCE SHEET

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Ds59G3qSHrFaVVnN2\\_lt75yeidlWTOpYuN7ybCTxnTg/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Ds59G3qSHrFaVVnN2_lt75yeidlWTOpYuN7ybCTxnTg/edit?usp=sharing)

OFFICERS:	ATTENDANCE:
Student Body President – <b>Ruben Garcia</b>	Excused, Present at 5:08 PM
Executive Vice President of Legislation – <b>Anne Donnelly</b>	Absent
Vice President of Finance – <b>Connor Murray</b>	Absent
Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa – <b>Andrew Simmalaychanh</b>	Excused, Absent
Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma – <b>Amy Quintas</b>	Present
Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa – <b>Cynthia Valdivia</b>	Present
Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma – <b>Matthew Coronado</b>	Late, Present at 3:25 PM
Vice President of Marketing, Santa Rosa – <b>Tiffany Nguyen</b>	Present
Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma – <b>Emily Marian</b>	Present
Vice President of Diversity – <b>Kaya Clark</b>	Present
Vice President of Student Health – <b>Kathryn Leigh Viduya</b>	Excused, Absent
Vice President of Sustainability – <b>Aria Balador</b>	Late, Present at 3:11 PM
HONORARY MEMBERS:	ATTENDANCE:
Student Trustee – <b>Anthony Spinozzi</b>	Absent
Assembly Member of Disability Affairs – <b>Diego Lopez</b>	Present

**I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL:**

**START TIME: 3:04 PM**

**QUORUM: No quorum at start time, quorum established at 3:25 PM**

Vice President Coronado steps in as chair at 3:25 PM

**II. APPROVAL OF THE CURRENT AGENDA & PAST MEETING MINUTES (5 minutes):**

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

**Reference:** <https://studentlife.santarosa.edu/current-meeting-materials>

**A.** Current Meeting: Agenda #22

**B.** Minutes #21 (2025.02.10)

Motion by Vice President Nguyen to approve the agenda and past meeting minutes, seconded by Vice President Clark

**With no objections, the SGA approves the agenda and past meeting minutes**

**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 [cwells@santarosa.edu](mailto:cwells@santarosa.edu).*

**IV. SPECIAL REPORTS:**

**A.** SHS Special Report: Health Fee Increase- Director Rebecca Norwick

**B.** Guided Pathways: Workforce Development, Ann Mansfield

**V. REPORTS(2 minutes per speaker):**

*At this time members of the SGA, Assembly Members, and Advisors may report on their activities, status of SGA and Shared Governance committees, and other business related to their positions.*

1. Student Body President – Ruben Garcia
  - a) Succession Planning process and documentation practices.
  - b) PRT w/Student Leadership (SGA, ICC, PC), February 26th. Doyle Library 4th Floor, 2-2:40 pm
2. Executive Vice President of Legislation – Anne Donnelly
3. Vice President of Finance – Connor Murray
4. Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa – Andrew Simmalaychanh
5. Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma – Amy Quintas
6. Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa – Cynthia Valdivia
7. Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma – Matthew Coronado
8. Vice President of Marketing, Santa Rosa – Tiffany Nguyen
9. Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma – Emily Marian
10. Vice President of Diversity – Kaya Clark
11. Vice President of Student Health – Kathryn Leigh Viduya
12. Vice President of Sustainability – Aria Balador
13. Student Trustee – Anthony Spinozzi
14. Assembly Member of Disability Affairs – Diego Lopez
15. SGA Advisors-
  1. PRT with College Council: Attendance HIGHLY Advised. February 26th. Doyle Library 4th Floor, 2-2:40 pm
  2. Succession Planning Process for SGA 2025-26
    - a. Student Elections for 2025-26
  3. ASACC Priorities: Representing SRJC Constituency
    - a. SGA Priorities
    - b. SRJC Leadership Recommendations
      - i. Consultation Process

**VI. 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.*

**Current Appointment List:**

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/11sx7WFeXyUugkfXhRU5FjB9HBmlVu1YTc7sJLSGBr38/edit?usp=sharing>

**Main District Committee Website:** <https://committees.santarosa.edu/>

**\*\*\*At 4:15 PM, Chair Coronado passes the gavel to Vice President Clark, Vice President Clark accepts\*\*\***

- A. Regular Shared Governance Meetings and Workgroups
- B. Periodic Shared Governance and Workgroup Meetings
- C. Hiring Committee: Director, Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) Grant Initiatives (1 Student)
  - 1. Matthew Coronado

Motion by Vice President Nguyen to appoint Matthew Coronado to the hiring committee for the Director, Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) Grant Initiatives, seconded by Vice President Marian

**Advisory Vote:**

Honorary Members:	Vote:
Assembly Member of Disability Affairs – <b>Diego Lopez</b>	Yes

**Official Vote:**

Officers:	Vote:
Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma – <b>Amy Quintas</b>	Yes
Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa – <b>Cynthia Valdivia</b>	Yes
Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma – <b>Matthew Coronado</b>	Abstain
Vice President of Marketing, Santa Rosa – <b>Tiffany Nguyen</b>	Yes
Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma – <b>Emily Marian</b>	Yes
Vice President of Sustainability – <b>Aria Balador</b>	Yes

**The SGA appoints Matthew Coronado to the hiring committee for the Director, Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) Grant Initiatives with a vote of 5-0-1**

**\*\*\*At 4:25 PM, Chair Clark passes the gavel to Vice President Coronado, Vice President Coronado accepts\*\*\***

**VII. OLD BUSINESS**

Motion by Vice President Clark to approve Old Business Item A, seconded by Vice President Marian

- A. A motion may come forward to recommend changes to governing documents with the objective being to draft amendments to add a Student Representative for Polly Hall. This may result in the potential elimination or renaming of positions to better address current student body interests and needs.

Lead(s): Andrew Simmalaychanh, Kaya Clark, Anne Donnelly, Ruben Garcia

More details: <https://studentlife.santarosa.edu/governing-documents>

Motion by Vice President Clark to postpone Old Business Item A until the March 3 SGA meeting, seconded by Vice President Quintas

**With no objections, the SGA postpones Old Business Item A until the March 3 SGA meeting**

## VIII. NEW BUSINESS

Motion by Vice President Quintas to approve New Business Item A, seconded by Vice President Valdivia

- A. A motion may come forward to ratify a letter from SGA in support of a letter in Opposition to the Closure of Elsie Allen High School

Lead: Ruben Garcia

More Details:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1OyJKdFw9t6wleRsZob16uPmhTCcRqP28Trsjh00zX7g/edit?usp=sharing>

Vote to approve New Business Item A:

**With no objections, the SGA approves New Business Item A**

Motion by Vice President Valdivia to approve New Business Item B, seconded by Vice President Clark

- B. A motion may come forward to endorse the AFA Response to Election: Protecting Our Rights and the Rights of Our Students

Lead: Ruben Garcia

More Details:

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1nXFNzmNOB9iC5EcXgCYknI4s9TL5ZIGK/edit?usp=drive\\_link&oid=103243318248214947905&rtpof=true&sd=true](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1nXFNzmNOB9iC5EcXgCYknI4s9TL5ZIGK/edit?usp=drive_link&oid=103243318248214947905&rtpof=true&sd=true)

Vote to approve New Business Item B:

**With no objections, the SGA approves New Business Item B**

**\*\*\*At 4:42 PM, Chair Coronado passes the gavel to Vice President Clark, Vice President Clark accepts\*\*\***

Motion by Vice President Coronado to approve New Business Item C, seconded by Vice President Quintas

- C. A motion may come forward to approve funds to support the cheer team with their end of year expenses

Lead: Matthew Coronado

Fund Amount: \$2,500

Budget Line:

More Details:

<https://studentlife.santarosa.edu/sites/studentlife.santarosa.edu/files/documents/SGA%20Cheer%20presentation.pdf.pdf>

**\*\*\*Motion by Vice President Coronado to extend the meeting by 10 minutes to 5:10 PM, seconded by Vice President Marian\*\*\***

**\*\*\*With no objections, the SGA extends the meeting by 10 minutes to 5:10 PM\*\*\***

**\*\*\*Motion by Vice President Coronado to extend the meeting by 10 minutes to 5:20 PM, seconded by Vice President Quintas\*\*\***

**\*\*\*With no objections, the SGA extends the meeting by 10 minutes to 5:20 PM\*\*\***

Motion by Vice President Marian to postpone New Business Item C until the March 3 SGA meeting, seconded by Vice President Nguyen

**With no objections, the SGA postpones New Business Item C until the March 3 SGA meeting**

**\*\*\*Motion by Vice President Coronado to adjourn the meeting at 5:11 PM, seconded by Vice President Marian\*\*\***

**\*\*\*With no objections, the SGA adjourns the meeting at 5:11 PM\*\*\***

**D.** A motion may come forward to send a constituent group of SGA to participate in SSCCC- General Assembly in addition to our two paid representatives: Anne Donnelly and Ruben Garcia.

Lead: Ruben Garcia

Cost: \$1,400 each

Budget Line:

More Details: <https://ssccc.org/get-involved/events/general-assembly-2025/2025-general-assembly.html>

**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 & END TIME: 5:11 PM**