STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSEMBLY (SGA)

REGULAR MEETING LOCATION
ADDRESS: 1501 Mendocino Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95401
COLLEGE: Santa Rosa Junior College (SRJC) **CAMPUS:** Santa Rosa
[NEW LOCATION] BUILDING: Frank P. Doyle Library (FLOOR 1) **ROOM:** #145
ZOOM: https://santarosa-edu.zoom.us/j/84742582416
REGULAR MEETING TIME: Mondays, 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

SPRING 2026 | DATE: January 12, 2026 **| MINUTES #22**

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Student Government Assembly Officers:	Name:	Attendance:
Student Body President	**William Garcia**	Absent
Executive Vice President of Legislation	**Ben Alcantar**	Present
Vice President of Finance	**Hector Ake Calderon**	Present
Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa	**Diego Roman**	Present
Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma	**Kat Woodrich**	Present
Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa	**Marissa Molinero**	Present
Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma	**Devon Gramajo**	Present
Vice President of Marketing, Santa Rosa	**Edgar Najar Flores**	Present
Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma	**Diego Lopez Feria**	Present
Vice President of Diversity	**Lua Cruz**	Present
Vice President of Student Health	**Isaac Velazquez**	Present
Vice President of Sustainability	**Anthony Cornejo**	Present
Vice President of Residence Life	**Ruqayyah Owaidat**	Present
Honorary Members:	**Name:**	**Attendance:**
Student Trustee	**Kaya Clark**	Present
Assembly Member of Student Codes	**Josue Cruz Montes De Oca**	Present
Assembly Member of Environmental Advocacy	**Shannon Ayres**	Present
Assembly Member of Study	**Simone Swaby-Pierce**	Absent

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: *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.*

I. **Call To Order & Roll Call | Start Time:** 3:05 PM   **Quorum:** Established at Roll Call
    Meeting Attendance Sheet:
    https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Ds59G3qSHrFaVVnN2_lt75yeidlWTQpYuN7ybCTxnTg/edit?usp=sharing

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: None (additional work is needed for the minutes)

    VOTE: Approved without objection

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 jpinaula@santarosa.edu.

IV. **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.
    A. Officer Reports
    B. Advisor Reports

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.
    Current Appointment List:
    https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/11sx7WFeXyUugkfXhRUsFjB9HBmlVu1YTc7sJLSGBr38/edit?usp=sharing
    Main District Committee Website: https://governance.santarosa.edu/
    A. **Student Government Assembly Officers, Assembly Members**
    B. **Regular Shared Governance Committees and Workgroups**
        1. **Academic Senate (Student Liaison)** – 1st & 3rd Wednesday 3:15-5:00 PM
            i.
        2. **Accreditation Oversight Subcommittee** – Meets 1st Thursday 1:30-3:00 PM
            i.   *Ben Alcantar (Appointed in Meeting #3)*
            ii. *Lua Cruz (Appointed in Meeting #13)*
            iii.
        3. **District Online** – Meets 2nd Wednesday 1:00-3:00 PM
            i.
        4. **Guided Pathways Workgroup** – Mondays & Wednesdays
            i.
            ii.
            iii.
            iv.
    C. **Periodic Shared Governance and Workgroup Meetings**
        1. **Bond Oversight Committee** – Meets 4 times per year
    D. **Hiring Committees**

VI. **Old Business:**
    A. A motion may come forward to approve funds ~~for~~ to extend the SRJC Student Transportation pilot programs: Shone Farm Uber Voucher and SMART Train 31-Day Pass.
        LEADS: Hilleary Zarate and Deb Ziccone; **PILOT PROGRAM DATES:** Spring 2026
        BUDGET LINE: Student Transportation Fee; **FUNDING UP TO:** $125,000 (~~$25k Uber~~ $17K/ $100k SMART)
        RELATED ITEM APPROVED: SGA April 28, 2025 (Mtg# 30), Item D
        https://studentlife.santarosa.edu/sites/studentlife.santarosa.edu/files/documents/SGA%20%28%2330%29%20M

MOVED: Vice President Hector Ake Calderon
SECOND: Vice President Lua Cruz

MOTION: To amend the item to include the term "extend the funds" and change the Uber funding amount from $25k to $17k
MOVED: Vice President Lua Cruz
SECOND: Vice President Devon Gramajo
VOTE: Approved without objection

MOTION: To end discussion and vote
MOVED: Vice President Ruqayyah Owaidat
SECOND: Vice President Hector Ake Calderon
OBJECTION: Vice President Lua Cruz
VOTE: Failed *(see voting table below)*

MOTION: To end discussion and vote
MOVED: Vice President Edgar Najar Flores
SECOND: Vice President Anthony Cornejo
VOTE: Approved without objection

VOTE ON MAIN MOTION: Approved *(see voting table below)*

VII.   **New Business:**

VIII.   **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.

IX.   **Adjournment & End Time: 4:41 PM**

VOTING RESULTS

Advisory Vote:

HONORARY MEMBERS:	VI A OBJECTION	VI A (Amend)
Student Trustee – **Kaya Clark**	NO	YES
Assembly Member of Student Codes – **Josue Cruz Montes De Oca**	NO	YES
Assembly Member of Environmental Advocacy - **Shannon Ayres**	YES	YES

Official Vote:

OFFICERS:		
Executive Vice President of Legislation – **Ben Alcantar**	N/A	N/A
Vice President of Finance – **Hector Ake Calderon**	YES	YES
Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa – **Diego Roman**	NO	YES
Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma – **Kat Woodrich**	NO	YES
Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa – **Marissa Molinero**	NO	YES
Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma – **Devon Gramajo**	NO	YES
Vice President of Marketing, Santa Rosa – **Edgar Najar Flores**	NO	YES

Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma – **Diego Lopez Feria**	NO	YES
Vice President of Diversity – **Lua Cruz**	NO	ABSTAIN
Vice President of Student Health – **Isaac Velazquez**	NO	YES
Vice President of Sustainability – **Anthony Cornejo**	NO	YES
Vice President of Residence Life – **Ruqayyah Owaidat**	YES	YES
VOTE TOTALS		
Total Votes Cast	**11**	**11**
Abstentions	**0**	**1**
Yes	**2**	**10**
No	**9**	**0**
Vote Approval Status	**FAILED**	**APPROVED**