



Associated Students of Santa Monica College

A.S. Board of Directors Regular Meeting

05/18/2026 at 3:00 p.m.,

Cayton Center Computer Lab (2nd Floor)

Santa Monica College, 1900 Pico Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90405

The Public may join via: Zoom/Telephone: <https://cconfer.zoom.us/j/98941154407>

Associated Students Office Phone Number: (310) 434-4250

Minutes

I. Call to Order at 3:08 pm

II. Roll Call

President, Paola Vazquez Martinez P	External Affairs, Liz Li P
Vice-President, Massimo Keyes P	Activities, Nahomy Rivas P
Secretary, Alicia Lewis P	Publicity, Samantha Jauregui P
Budget Management, Paula Cortes Hernandez A	Sustainability, Leila Kashani A
Basic Needs, Martin Orea P	ICC Chair, Stacey Brown A
Instructional Support, Carolyn Jia A	ICC Vice-Chair, Megan Reidenbaugh P
Student Outreach, Gabriel Sanchez Franz Late 3:23 pm	ICC Communications Officer, Vacant
Equity and Diversity, Maliyah Ponce Late	
Student Trustee, Sophia Manavi P	
Associate Dean, Thomas Bui (Gohar Srapyan in standing) P	

III. Public Comments (2 Minutes Per Speaker)

IV. Approval of Minutes – 05/11/2026

- Motion to table **05/11/2026 minutes** until the end of the meeting, Motioned by Basic Needs, Seconded by Secretary
 - Motion approved without objection
- Motion to approve **05/11/2026 minutes**, Motioned by External Affairs, Seconded by ICC Vice-Chair
 - Motion approved without objection

V. Committee Reports & Informational Items –

VI. Minor Action Items (Under \$1,000) – Consent Agenda –

- 6.1 Proposal 963** Approval for “A.S. & ICC Graduation Items” by A.S. President
(Cost \$856.36. Requesting \$856.36 from A.S. Activities. – A.S. President, Paola Vazquez Martinez)
- 6.2 Proposal 968** Approval for “Nurses’ Appreciation Meeting” by Student Nurses’ Association at SMC
(Cost \$730.00. Requesting \$730.00 from Club ICC Allotment. – ICC Representative, Marion Mercado)
- 6.3 Proposal 981** Approval for “Speaker Event” by Pre-Law Society
(Cost \$300.58. Requesting \$300.58 from Club ICC Allotment. – President, Evan Matian)
- 6.4 Proposal 984** Approval for “Purchase Pizza For Guest Speaker Event” by Girls Who Code
(Cost \$135.00. Requesting \$150.00 from ICC Club Allotment. President, Arfarna Sharm)
- 6.5 Proposal 985** Approval for “SMC Boxing x Korean BBQ” by SMC Boxing
(Cost \$580.00. Requesting \$580.00 from Club ICC Allotment. – ICC Delegate, Alondra Juarez)
- 6.6 Proposal 989** Approval for “Matcha Ceremony by JLCA Japanese Language Culture Association
(Cost \$191.68. Requesting \$191.68 from Club ICC Allotment. – Vice-President, Yuya Odai)
- 6.7 Proposal 990** Approval for “Last Meeting/Potluck” by Adelante Club
(Cost \$600.00. Requesting \$600.00 from Club ICC Allotment. – ICC Delegate, Franco Diaz Raffo)
- 6.8 Proposal 992** Approval for “End of Year Potluck Purchases” by Club Grow
(Cost \$140.18. Requesting \$140.18 from Club ICC Allotment. – President, Maya Bachi)
- 6.9 Proposal 993** Approval for “Primary Election Pop-up” by A.S. Director of External Affairs
(Cost \$340.00. Requesting \$340.00 from A.S. Funding. – A.S. Director of External Affairs, Liz Li)
- 6.10 Proposal 994** Approval for “End of Semester Pizza Party” by Symbiotix Science Club
(Cost \$296.51. Requesting \$296.51 from Club ICC Allotment. – Vice-President, Araceli Gutierrez)
- 6.11 Proposal 997** Approval for “Integration Bee” by Math Integration Club
(Cost \$750.00. Requesting \$750.00 from Club ICC Allotment. – Vice-President, Jaekyung Kang)
- 6.12 Proposal 999** Approval for “Singing Club Sheet Music Folders” by Singing Club at SMC
(Cost \$750.00. Requesting \$750.00 from Club ICC Allotment. – President, Svetlana Akim)
- 6.13 Proposal 1001** Approval for Food and Supplies for “End of Year Mega Mixer” by Business Club at SMC
(Cost \$395.89. Requesting \$395.89 from Club ICC Allotment. - President, Andriy Quijano)
 - Motion to approve **Consent Agenda**, Motioned by Activities, Seconded by Publicity
 - Motion approved without objection



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VII. Major Action Items (\$1,000 and over) –

7.1 Proposal 974 Approval for “Materials for Engineering Club Soldering Workshop and RC Car Project” by Engineering Club (Cost \$1,136.07. Requesting \$1,136.06 from Club ICC Allotment. – President, Eve Sheldon)

- **Item 7.1** is unanimously approved

7.2 Proposal 969 Approval for “Graduation Spring 2026 Supplies, Graduation Stoles, Decorations, and Catering” by Student Nurses’ Association at SMC (Cost \$5,460.00. Requesting \$20.00 from Club ICC Allotment, \$5,440.00 from Student Success. – ICC Representative, Marion Mercado)

- **Item 7.2** is unanimously approved

7.3 Proposal 978 Approval for “Rites of Passage Catering” by A.S. Director of Equity & Diversity (Cost \$19,884.83. Requesting \$5,493.31 from A.S. Activities, \$14,391.52 from Other Funding Source. – A.S. Director of Equity & Diversity, Maliyah Ponce)

- Motion to change **line item** to “Rites of Passage,” Motioned by Secretary, Seconded by External Affairs
 - Motion approved without objection
- **Item 7.3** is unanimously approved

7.4 Proposal 979 Approval for “International Day Supplies and Catering” by A.S. Director of Equity & Diversity (Cost \$6,472.16. Requesting \$ 6,472.16 from A.S. Activities – A.S. Director of Equity & Diversity, Maliyah Ponce)

Vice President - YES	Secretary - YES	Budget Management - Absent	Basic Needs – NO	Instructional Support - Absent	Student Outreach – YES	Equity and Diversity – YES
External Affairs – YES	Activities – NO	Publicity – YES	Sustainability – Absent	ICC Chair – Absent	ICC Vice Chair - YES	ICC Communications – Vacant

- 7 Y, 2 N, 0 Abstain
- **Item 7.4** is approved

7.5 Proposal 980 Approval for “End of Year Club Meeting” by SMC Respiratory Club (Cost \$1,035.81. Requesting \$750.00 from Club ICC Allotment, \$285.81 from Club Special Account. – President, Angelique Escobar)

- **Item 7.5** is unanimously approved

7.6 Proposal 991 Approval for “Stage Rental for Guelagetza” by Oaxacans at SMC (Cost \$1,489.59. Requesting \$1,489.59 from Club ICC Allotment. – ICC Delegate, Angel Mendoza)

- **Item 7.6** is unanimously approved

7.7 Proposal 996 Approval for “Cosmo Graduation Supplies and Catering” by Jessica Delgado (Cost \$3,050.00. Requesting \$550.00 from Club ICC Allotment, \$2,500 from A.S. Funding. – President, Jessica Delgado)

- **Item 7.7** is unanimously approved

7.8 Proposal 1000 Approval for “ICC Merch” by A.S. President (Cost \$7,892.22. Requesting \$7,892.22 from ICC General Club Account. – A.S. President, Paola Dextre Vazquez Martinez)

- **Item 7.8** is unanimously approved

VIII. Other Action Items

IX. Discussion Items

X. Director Reports (2 Minutes Each)

- External Affairs – pop up on June 2nd and urged Board to come by. Also reminded board that today is last day to register to vote.
- Vice-President – stated that A.S. deserves the reputation we have and hopes we can grow and be better people. Doesn’t feel like we cultivated culture on campus with the events.
- Activities – had a fun time being A.S. Director of Activities, Pilates day was a success, and election day was a success. Thanked the board and reminded them that we have A.S. banquet to celebrate. Also stated that they don’t appreciate attacks on each other and doesn’t think it’s appropriate.
- Basic Needs – had a great time as Basic Needs and reminded us that commissioners should get paid depending on when they joined.
- Sustainability – it’s been a great year and loved everybody and glad to work with everybody. Also stated that there will be an increase in the native plant population going forward.
- President – thanked board for showing up, thankful for taking time to be in these positions and thinks everyone deserves to be in these positions and hopes everyone continues.

XI. Student Trustee Report

XII. Advisor Reports

- Great job everybody and is proud of everybody and where they are going off to.

XIII. Adjournment 3:46 pm, Motioned by Activities, Seconded by Basic Needs