



LOS MEDANOS COLLEGE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS MINUTES

DATE: 3/5/18 **TIME:** 1:00 pm – 3:00pm **LOCATION:** L-106

Present:

President: Marco McMullen

Vice-President: *Absent*

Treasurer: Marco Mendez

Commissioner of Campus Events: Jocelyn Villalobos

Publicity and Outreach: Serena Neal

Senators: Sierra Abel, Marayah Guinto, Jessica Quintos

Student Representatives: Priscilla Tatmon

Advisor: John Nguyen

Absent: John Keating, Tammy Smith

Minute Taker: Amata Abatcha

Guests: Ruben Rocha, LeeAndra “Twix” Matthews, Kate Winslet Domingo, Joye Carter, Gilles Djomani

ITEM #	TOPIC/ACTIVITY	OUTCOME
1	Call to Order	I. President McMullen called the meeting to order at 1:08pm
2	Approve: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I. Agenda II. Amendments III. Minutes from the 2/26/18 meeting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I. Motion to approve the agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Motioned by: Treasurer Mendez B. Seconded by: Senator Abel II. Motion to amend the agenda by replacing the first agenda item with OER, censorship statement, pizza funding, and committee appointments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Motioned by: Commissioner Villalobos B. Seconded by: Officer Neal C. Motion approved unanimously 7-0-0 III. Motion to approve the previous minutes by correcting wording and misspellings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Motioned by: Senator Abel B. Seconded by: Senator Guinto C. Motion approved unanimously 7-0-0



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BUSINESS: REPORTS		
3	Public Comment	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. From LeeAndra “Twix” Matthews:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Stated that many students she has spoken to have been frustrated due to some issues with the campus police regarding parkingII. From Kate Winslet Domingo:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Introduced herself as a political science student attending for extra creditIII. From Joye Carter:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Stated that she is in the process of organizing an event with Senator GuintoIV. From Gilles Djomani:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Wanted to start a chapter for the National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE) on campus and is looking for more exposure
4	Officer & Senator Reports/Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. From Senator Guinto:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. No reportII. From Treasurer Mendez:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Went over updates regarding the 3-on-3 Basketball TournamentIII. From Commissioner Villalobos:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Has officially secured the Mustang Discount at Jerry’s Hot DogsB. Felt it is necessary to be well-aware of one’s surroundings. Reported that there was a female student she found alone in the science building who was crying in distress. She was fortunately able to comfort herC. President McMullen quoted the Los Medanos College Associated Student Senate mission statement: “to investigate student problems and take appropriate action.”IV. From Senator Tatmon:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Signed up a couple more people to compete in the Academic Competition during senator office hoursV. From Senator Quintos:



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		<p>A. No report</p> <p>VI. From Senator Abel:</p> <p>A. Also signed up a couple more people to compete in the Academic Competition during senator office hours. Noted that office hours were disorganized last week</p> <p>VII. From Officer Neal:</p> <p>A. Also noted that office hours were disorganized last week but took responsibility for the miscoordination. President McMullen assured her it was fine since it was her first week organizing it</p> <p>VIII. From President McMullen:</p> <p>A. Met with the Academic Senate last week and secured an item on the agenda for the next meeting on Monday, March 12 from 3:00pm-5:00pm regarding the Interfaith room. Would like to have a student of faith or two come in and speak personally on their experiences having any trouble praying in public</p>
<p>5</p>	<p>Advisor Report</p>	<p>I. From Advisor Nguyen:</p> <p>A. Announced that Club Day will be held tomorrow on Tuesday, March 6 from 11:00am-2:00pm at the indoor quad. Stated that LMCAS will be tabling and asked for a few senators to volunteer</p> <p>B. Stated that the deadline for the Academic Competition has been extended till tomorrow on Tuesday, March 6 by 5:00pm at the Student Life Office</p> <p>C. Stated that the Blood Drive will be hosted on Tuesday, March 20 from 11:00am-3:00pm. All applicants must register online at bloodheroes.com and enter the sponsor code "LosMC"</p> <p>D. Told Commissioner Villalobos that on April 25, she could facilitate a showing of the documentary called <i>The Hunting Ground</i></p> <p>E. Will be going over Robert's Rules again with the senators. Will send a follow-up email including the details</p>



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<p>6</p>	<p>Committee Reports</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. From Senator Guinto<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. No reportII. From Treasurer Mendez<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. No reportIII. From Representative Carter<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. No reportIV. From Commissioner Villalobos<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. No reportV. From Representative Tatmon<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. No reportVI. From Senator Quintos<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. No reportVII. From Senator Abel<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. No reportVIII. From Officer Neal<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. No reportIX. From Guest Kubota:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Reported that the Sustainability Committee is currently looking into making Los Medanos a styrofoam-free campusX. From President McMullen:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. No reportXI. Motion to move Line Item #9 to Line Item #7<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Motioned by: Commissioner VillalobosB. Seconded by: Treasurer Mendez:C. Motion approved unanimously 7-0-0
<p>NEW BUSINESS</p>		



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<p>7</p>	<p>44th Annual NSBE Convention</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. From Guest Djomani:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Introduced himself as a computer science and engineering student. Is a member of many clubs such as SACNAS, MESA, Honors, etcB. Spoke with Nicole Trager about what to do to start a chapter of the National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE) here at Los Medanos CollegeC. Went over what NSBE is, how it started, and the Chicago SixD. Went over their goals of gaining more exposure and recognition for the groupE. Went over the upcoming convention from March 21 to March 25 in Pittsburgh, PennsylvaniaF. Looking to receive \$1,700 of funding to send three students to this convention via flightG. Guest Matthews asked why only three students would be attendingH. Guest Djomani responded that he has been trying to put this in place since last semester. As this is his last semester, and because costs are high, he found that three students would be sufficient enough especially since they will be continuing at LMC next yearI. Commissioner Villalobos asked whether their club had looked into fundraisingJ. Guest Djomani replied that they are not yet officially chartered so they have been unable to do thatK. Treasurer Mendez asked for an official request form to take a closer look at for next weekII. From President McMullen:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Said they may not be able to fund the full cost. Initially considered funding about \$1,200B. The board provided their feedback regarding the matter. The board unanimously agreed that Guest Djomani's request was for a great cause and liked the idea, but also agreed that they needed to be mindful of their budget and remember that other large clubs such as AGS may later come and request fundingIII. Motion to fund the subcommittee \$50.00 for pizza<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Motioned by: Senator TatmonB. Seconded by: Treasurer MendezC. Motion approved unanimously 7-0-0
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<p>8</p>	<p>Committee Appointments</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. From President McMullen:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Briefly went over each available committeeII. Motion to appoint Senator Abel to the Academic Senate<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Motioned by: Commissioner VillalobosB. Seconded by: Senator QuintosC. Motion approved 6-1-0III. Motion to approve Senator Tatmon to the Academic Senate<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Motioned by: Commissioner VillalobosB. Seconded by: Senator QuintosC. Motion approved 6-1-0IV. Motion to appoint Ruben Rocha to the SGC committee<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Motioned by: Treasurer MendezB. Seconded by: Officer NealC. Motion approved 7-0-0V. Motion to appoint Senator Quintos to the Guided Pathways Committee<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Motioned by: Commissioner VillalobosB. Seconded by: Senator GuintoC. Motion approved 6-1-0VI. Motion to appoint Sierra Abel to the IDEA committee<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Motioned by: Commissioner VillalobosB. Seconded by: Treasurer MendezC. Motion approved 6-1-0
<p>9</p>	<p>Resource Allocation Process Revision</p>	<p>I. <i>Skipped</i></p>
<p>10</p>	<p>Senator Confirmation: LeeAndra Matthews</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. Motion to appoint LeeAndra Matthews as a senator of LMCAS<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Motioned by: Senator Guinto



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		<ul style="list-style-type: none">B. Seconded by: Senator QuintosC. Motion approved 6-0-1
11	Senator Confirmation: Ruben Rocha	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. Motion to appoint Ruben Rocha as a senator of LMCAS<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Motioned by: Commissioner VillalobosB. Seconded by: Senator MatthewsC. Motion approved 7-0-1
12	LMCAS Sponsored Walk Out	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. From Senator Abel:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Stated that Wednesday, March 14 at 10:00am, she will be facilitating a campus-wide Walk Out. Wanted to know whether anyone had any questionsB. Purpose is to memorialize the tragic event on February 14, 2018 at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School and to raise awareness of mass shootings. Would like to request a guest speaker/accommodationsC. Advisor Nguyen noted that she could feel free to contact Student Life
13	Budget Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. <i>Skipped</i>
14	Identify LMCAS Priorities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. From President McMullen:<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Briefly went over the priorities on the board and would like to go into more depth next week
15	Adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I. Motion to adjourn meeting at 2:59pm<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Motioned by: Senator Matthews