LOS MEDANOS COLLEGE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS SENATE MEETING MINUTES DATE 8/24/2020 TIME: 1:00PM - 3:00PM LOCATION: https://4cd.zoom.us/j/99115449752

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President: Nicholas Sessions Vice President: VACANTCommissioner of Campus Events: Luisa VelazquezCommissioner of Publicity & Outreach: Thyra CobbsTreasurer: VACANTGuests: Liz, Roya Mohammad, Esteeven Ccora, Angelee Bergantino

Student Representatives: [vacant] Minute Taker: Courtney Sanchez

Advisor: Teresea Archaga Absent: Thyra Cobbs

I.	CURRENT ITEMS	
Item #	I. Topic Activity	I. Outcome
1.	Call to Order Establishment of Quorum through Roll Call	I. Call to order at 1:14 PM
2.	Approve: A. Approval of the Agenda B. Approval of the minutes for 5/11/2020 (input date)	Quorum was not met to approve the agenda and the minutes.

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	Business: Reports	
3.	Public Comment: Information	No public comment.
	Senators may respond as summarized below:(no more than 2 minutes on each item) *Senators may briefly to statements made or questions posed by persons making public comments: *The public may ask questions for clarification or make a brief announcement; provide a reference to senate or other resources for factual information; request senate to report back to the public at a later meeting; and/or request an agenda items for future agenda. (<i>Government Code Section 54954.2(a)</i>)	
	New Business	
4.	Officer & Senator Reports/ Updates	 I. Commissioner Velazquez: MESA is doing a paint event (Sept. 9) II. President Sessions: First day of school, hefty semester. Last friday, all college meeting: aiming for equity, everyone has opportunities and we meet them where they are. Meetings are Mon. 1 PM - 3 PM; on top of weekly meetings, members have committee assignments, sit in as voting members, designated towards specific aspects of the college. Number of volunteer hours a week still figuring it out, in total (meetings, committee, volunteer) 6-8 hours per member per week.

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5.	<u>Advisor Report</u>	I.	Advisor Archaga report: College is run by a shared governance environment; a committee with students, staff, and faculty come together to discuss
			the campus and community.
		II.	LMCAS is in charge of the activity fee,
			developing a budget to help support
			programs on campus (ex. food pantry,
			library reserve, bookstore).
		III.	Food pantry is for ALL students.Food
			Pantry: Monday 2-4 (Sweet Treats) &
			Thursday 1-3 (Fresh Produce). Fill out
			the complete intake form on the website to
			receive your free groceries.
		IV.	Decision to charter/recharter those that
			have been chartered for the fall '19 -
			spring '20 term, no new clubs at the time.
		V.	LMCAS application is now open until
			Sept 21. Only part to do outside the
			application is the supplemental questions,
		1 / 1	email her your answers.
		VI.	Canvas shell: Student Life/LMCAS (Link
			to Join:
			https://4cd.instructure.com/enroll/AE4DP
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6.	Committee Reports	I. II.	Commissioner Velazquez, No Report President Sessions, No Report
	New Business		
7.	Appoint LMCAS Vice President	I. II.	President Sessions announces that they're looking for a vice president and if you're interested in an officer position to check the LMCAS website for more information. Advisor Archaga states that the low numbers are due to most of the members transferring and graduating. To become a senator, you must attend 2 meetings and for an officer position you must attend 3 meetings.
8.	Order Mustang Masks PPE	I. II. III.	President Sessions suggested ordering 100 masks from CustomInk (\$800-\$900) to give those who attend the food pantry. Liz questioned if people are not coming to the food pantry without a mask. Advisor Archaga responds that the masks are an incentive and marketing technique to promote the food pantry. She also mentions that EOPS (500+ students) is

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		IV. V.	encouraging students to attend the food pantry meaning more students. Commissioner Luisa suggests it's better to have 100 masks, rather than 50, because the inventory will last longer and provide for more people. No action is taken at this time.	
9.	Recruitment Strategies into L.M.C.A.S. for 2020-2021	I. II. III. IV.	Advisor Archaga mentions a ZOOM event happening on Wednesday 8/26 with faculty members from Student Services and will be recruiting for LMCAS members. President Sessions reiterates the importance of representation on campus and how LMCAS members are the voice of the students, the more perspectives the better. Liz asked the question on how the budget is used to fit the needs of students and how it's allocated. President Sessions responds that meetings are public for students to attend, they can contact him through email, surveys are sent out, and committees bring back data to assess. He believes it's important to drain the budget since it's meant to improve the lives of students.	

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		V.	Advisor Archaga also responds that the draft budget is finalized in October, then reassessed in spring based on enrollment.
10.	Adjournment or Continue	I.	Meeting is adjourned at 1:48 PM

Attachments if any included Send minutes back to me as WORD Document in case edits need to be made