2015 LMCAS Election

Candidate Statements

President: There are two candidates for the position for President.

Darren Lee Meeks (Senator)

I am seeking the president position, currently as a senator of Los Medanos College Associated Students. I want to be a leader and leave a great impact by creating changes to better the experience of students while at LMC. I have a desire to improve students in my college as well as in the community. I have been at LMC for three years now and have been a member of clubs like STAR's (Secretary), Helping Healing Hearts (Treasurer), Math Club, and LMCAS (Senator). I have worked as a Student Ambassador for Transfer and Career Services. As president my goal is to help students learn and develop as a whole, empower students to be successful by helping them develop the knowledge, wisdom, skills, and abilities needed to enter or progress within the workforce or to transfer to a four year, and to get more school spirit at LMC.

Diona "DeeDee" Shelbourne: (Vice President)

I Diona "DeeDee" Shelbourne will be seeking to become the next President of Los Medanos College Associated Students. I have been an active member of the Senate advocating for students on a local and state level; for nearly two years serving as both the Commissioner of Campus Events, currently Vice President. My goals for the next academic year will be to increase student participation in campus events, and advocate for issues effecting students. I believe that students should have a voice and I want to ensure that every student at Los Medanos College will be able to voice their concerns. As a leader on campus and a fellow student I want my peers to transform into the future leaders of our school. I want students to be proud to rock our Maroon and Gold, and say with pride, "I'M A MUSTANG!"

<u>Vice President:</u> There is one candidate for the position for Vice President.

Sable Horton (Commissioner of Campus Events)

I am seeking the Vice-President position because after being in Student Government for over a year I now know that I am ready to take the wheel. I have been trained in numerous leadership programs and thanks to that training I have plenty of diverse skills that qualify me to be in the Vice-President position. I am currently the LMCAS Commissioner of Campus Events, a Umoja Leadership Collective member, the Shades of Beauty President, as well as a Transfer Ally Mentor on campus. My goal in life and my goal if I am selected for this position is to create change. I plan to use events, campus conversations, as well as other creative ideas to shorten the bridge between students, faculty, and staff. I believe that the students' voices need to be heard and their concerns need to be communicated. A campus that stays together keeps accreditation together.

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Treasurer: There is one candidate for the position for Treasurer.

Teniesha Little (Treasurer)

My name is Teniesha Little. I believe I would make an outstanding candidate for the LCMAS Officer position of Treasurer. I am currently the LCMAS Treasurer and it has been an honor to create a budget and oversee the LMCAS budget. This is my first time ever being a treasurer. I like the challenge of it to be honest, it pushes me to excel in areas I thought I could never reach. I joined LCMAS to advocate for the students and to make sure their silent voices are being heard. I am very committed to my role and I will continue to do so. I feel that I am the perfect candidate for this position of being the LCMAS Treasurer. I hope after reading this statement you will feel the same. Thank You.