

Associated Students of Santa Monica College AS Elections Committee Regular Meeting Minutes March 31, 2016, 4:00 pm. 1900 Pico Blvd. Santa Monica, Ca. 90405, Cayton Center Conference Room #202



I. CALL TO ORDER

A. Call to order -4:01 pm

II. ROLL CALL

ICC Chair: Daniel Kaitel, Present AS President: Jesse Randel, Present

ICC Delegate: Julio Roberto Santizo, Present

ICC Delegate: Isauro Estevez, Absent ICC Delegate: Hannah Shigeta, Present ICC Delegate: Samantha Livesay, Present

Advisor: Benny Blaydes, Present

Advisor: Nancy Grass, Present (Arrived 4:18 pm)

III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A. Jesse Randel moved to approve the agenda, seconded. **a.** Without objection the agenda was approved.

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM 3/25/16

- **A.** *Jesse Randel moved to approve the minutes, seconded.*
 - **a.** Without objection the minutes were approved.

V. PUBLIC COMMENTS (2 minutes per person)

- **A.** *Question about parliamentary procedure when it comes to public comments.*
 - **a.** Explained that public comments can be entertained at later points throughout the agenda.

VI. ACTION ITEMS

A. Complaints and Violations

- a. During this time, the committee will discuss any received complaints regarding potential Election Code violations
 - Daniel Kaitel reported an Election Code violation concerning Micca Cao. The committee determined that the main problem was that Ms. Cao used unapproved campaign materials.
 - Samantha Livesay moved to issue a written warning to the candidate, and if another violation occurs, that violation being the use of unapproved campaign materials, said candidate shall be

- disqualified from this election.
- The motion was seconded.
- Without objection the motion passed.

B. Election code clarification:

- a. During this time, the Committee will review and correct any areas of election code that need clarification or interpretation.
 - Issues discussed were:
 - Difficulty of having campaign materials approved.
 - Decided that keeping an approved copy in the office was sufficient.
 - Noted to add the following to the next Board Approved Election Committee:
 - Clarify Election Code legislation that is unclear or vague.
 - Add to the Election Code that the A.S. logo explicitly cannot be used on any election campaigning materials.
 - Recommend to send a reminder e-mail to all candidates regarding the use of logos, unapproved campaign materials, etc.

VII. DISCUSSION ITEM

- a. Notify the election committee of the addition of a third polling place in the north quad near the HSS building
 - *Noted that volunteers need to be appointed for booth setup.*
 - Discussed PTK doing said setup.
 - Discussed what snacks/goodies are to be issued to students that vote.

VIII. NEXT MEETING:

A. Next meeting to be held Wednesday, April 6th at 4:00 pm

IX. ADJOURNMENT

- A. Motion to adjourn by Samantha Livesay. Seconded.
 - **a.** Meeting adjourned 4:34 pm