

Associated Students of Berkeley City College **ASBCC COUNCIL**

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> Meeting Location (Office Address): Berkeley City College 2050 Center Street, Room 057, Berkeley, CA 94704 Meeting Location (Zoom Link): https://cccconfer.zoom.us/j/98549977521

ASBCC COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING AGENDA March 4th, 2021 | 12:20 PM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the *Associated Students of Berkeley City College Council* will hold a *Regular* meeting on *March 4th, 2021* at *12:20 PM*. The meeting information is noted below. The ASBCC Council reserves the right to suspend the orders of the day if necessary to conduct business. All ASBCC Council meetings are held in locations that are wheelchair accessible. Other disability-related accommodations will be provided to persons with disabilities upon request. Persons requesting such accommodations should notify the ASBCC Secretary at <u>secretary.asbcc@gmail.com</u> no less than three (3) working days prior to the meeting. The ASBCC Council will make efforts to meet requests made after such date, if possible. Please contact the ASBCC Council Secretary for any agenda related questions.

I. ORDER OF BUSINESS

A. Call To Order President Zhu calls meeting to order at 12:21

В.	Roll Call	* → indicates non-voting	$ \sim \rightarrow$ indicates Interim Position)
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OFFICERS	STATUS	OFFICERS	STATUS
President Liam Zhu	x	VP of Administration Sarbhjot Malhi	x
VP of Public Relations Daniel Bui		VP of Finance Chengyu Li	x
VP of Programs Sharon Ahazie	X	*Secretary	VACANT
Senator Sarah Ahazie	x	Senator	VACANT
Senator Anmol Singh	X	Senator Sergio Mazariegos	x
Senator Tu Bui	X	Senator	VACANT
Senator Sedina Cuturic	x	Senator Nate Kopti	x
Senator	VACANT	*Chief Justice Aurelie Sciaroni	x
*Justice	VACANT	*Justice	VACANT
*Justice	VACANT	*Justice	VACANT
*ICC Representative		*ICC Representative	
*Advisor John Nguyen	X	Voting Members: 10 / Quorum 6 : \rightarrow 6	

C. Adoption of the Current Agenda (March 4th, 2021)

D. Senator Mazariegos Motions. Senator Bui Seconds

1. Vote passes 9-0-0

E. Approval of Previous Minutes

- 1. Senator Mazareigos motions. VP Malhi Seconds.
- 2. Vote passes 8-0-0

F. Public Comment

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II. SPECIAL ORDERS

III. STANDING BUSINESS

IV. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

V. NEW BUSINESS

A. AC Transit Information (VC Brown & John Nguyen | Discussion | 30 Min)

- a. The ASBCC council will hear AC Transit updates from VC Brown, and discuss next steps for the addition to the ballot.
- b. VC Brown gives a brief history of AC Transit with students, and how the colleges entered a discount affair many years ago. Some students relied on this resource, and others did not.
- c. Students were concerned with rising prices of AC Transit. Tried to negotiate a better price, but AC Transit did not budge.
- d. After the pandemic, students voted, and it did not pass. However, many students need AC Transit as a resource.
- e. Senator Mazareigos asks a question about how much students would pay. VC Brown replies by citing the price rise, to about 40 dollars per semester.
- f. Senator Singh asks a question about whether or not AC Transit encompasses BART. VC Brown says that AC Transit is limited to bus rides.
- g. VC Brown also notes that Fall Semester will be online, and that there will be new courses online.
- h. Chief Justice adds that it will be a great idea to add this item to the ballot, as many students utilize this resource to access resources like chromebooks and the food pantry.
- i. VC Brown talks about student trustees, and mentions that there is only one student trustee right now.
- j. There is a vacant seat for the student trustee position, and it is imperative to replace this position.

B. Student Appointments to Participatory Governance Committees (John Nguyen | Discussion & Action | 10 Min)

- a. The ASBCC council will hear updates on Committee schedules, and appoint any students as necessary.
- b. President Zhu talks about participatory governance committees, and urges AS members to join and voice their availability.
- c. President Zhu presents a spreadsheet and confirms availability for committee positions.
- d. Senator Mazariegos and Chief Justice Sciaroni mention that fulfilling committee roles is mandatory, and not filling these positions is an impeachable offence.

VI. REPORTS (1 minute each)

A. Executive Board

- 1. President Liam Zhu
 - a) President Zhu mentions that a student trustee vacancy does not look good, as there is not enough representation for students. At accreditation, there were questions regarding representation, and its important to represent to the best of our abilities as elected members.
- 2. VPA Sarbhjot Malhi
- 3. VPP Sharon Ahazie
- 4. VPF Chengyu Li
- 5. VPPR Daniel Bui
- 6. Secretary

B. Senators

- 1. Senator Sarah Ahazie
- 2. Senator
- 3. Senator Anmol Singh
- 4. Senator Sergio Mazariegos
 - a) Reached out to other AS about collaborating for Trivia night. Organizing an event for Monday. Urges AS members and others to show up at open mic event.
- 5. Senator Tu Bui
 - a) Gives specifics for event, and requests AS to spread the word
- 6. Senator
- 7. Senator Sedina Cuturic
- 8. Senator Nate Kopti
- 9. Senator

C. Judicial Council

- 1. Chief Justice Aurelie Sciaroni
- 2. Justice
- 3. Justice
- 4. Justice
- 5. Justice

D. ASBCC Advisor: John Nguyen

- 1. Candidates for ASBCC election are on the ASBCC website
- 2. Thanks those who came to accreditation

VII. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE FLOOR

This time is reserved for any ASBCC Council Members to make announcements on items not on the agenda. A time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and (15) fifteen minutes total shall be observed. **NO** action will be taken and the total time limit for this item shall not be extended.

Senator Mazariegos reminds AS about the Shark Tank event tonight.

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IX. ADJOURNMENT: President Zhu ends meeting at 1:11 PM