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ASG Meeting Minutes
Wednesday Meeting - 12:45 PM
April 8th, 2026
Room I4-409A/B

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 48 hours before the start of the meeting at 619-388-2699*

1. Call to Order

Cornor Alexander Jr. called the meeting to order at 12:48 p.m.

2. Roll Call

Position	Name	Attendance
President	Jeremiah Palomino	Excused
Vice President	Cornor Alexander Jr.	Present
Treasurer	Jay Tarvin	Present
Executive Secretary	Clara Cady Dreher	Present
Senator Representative	Ramiah Wilson	Present
ICC President	Sage Shevkolenko	Present
Senator	Omar Abdulkader	Present
Senator	Talor Gittin	Present
Senator	Alina Vasilenko	Present
Senator	Nicole Rodriguez	Present
Senator	Miranda Augelli Acuna	Present
Senator	Vicki Gonzales	Present
Senator	Kaylee Stearns	Present
Senator	Francheska Arias	Present
Senator	Leenoy Barkhordar	Present
Senator	Yeng Zheng	Present
Senator	Maximus Coolbaugh	Present
P-Cab	Anna Salosina	Present
P-Cab	Cristine Patawaran	Absent
P-Cab	Tanya Piliego	Absent
P-Cab	Alexis Han	Absent
P-Cab	Tonya Trusova	Absent
P-Cab (Comms Officer)	Jason Xu	Absent
Advisor	Dean Victoria Miller	Present
Co-Advisor	Jahnae Maxey	Present
Co-Advisor	Joanna Duong	Present



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3. Acceptance of Agenda

Motion to accept the agenda by Maximus Coolbaugh, seconded by Yeng Zeng.

4. Acceptance of Minutes

Acceptance of minutes by Nicole Rodriguez, seconded by Taylor Gittin.

5. Public Forum

No comment.

6. Reports

Ramah: Will be speaking on a panel next week.

Nicole: Has still not heard back from committees and has reached out multiple times. Working on Immigration Resources slideshow for students.

Leenoy: Wrote a paper about antisemitism she has faced, which was selected by the school to be shared on a larger scale. Will also be speaking on a diversity panel next week.

Sage: Is part of the Student Union and is working on Lavender Graduation.

Victoria: Needs help with the commencement ceremony, specifically selecting student speakers. Is also requesting assistance with the scholarship ceremony. There will be free food and celebratory items, and AS support is needed. Will send out an email for AS members to sign up.

Jay: Has been working on departmental funding and finishing paperwork for various reimbursements and AS funds.

7. Discussion Items

1. Tutoring Center Presentation

Mark Manasse: Tutors learn kindness before anything. The tutoring center emphasizes being kind to oneself above all else. The motto is “we don't know yet, let's find out together.” Every interaction is rooted in kindness. Mistakes are crucial to learning and are necessary for growth. The tutoring center aims to create an environment that welcomes students and supports both tutor and student growth. This semester, the center is focusing on its learning philosophies, particularly the idea that learning is never finished and that no one ever knows everything. Tutors work on improving themselves every day to better support students. They focus on what students want to



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work on and guide them through that process, while also helping students develop how they think about learning- not just their grades. Statistics show that students have a higher success rate in classes when they receive tutoring.

Maximus: Asked if the tutoring center will be shut down.

Mark Manasse: Stated that the tutoring center will remain open but has experienced significant budget cuts. Encouraged students to support the center and use their voices. Note that many programs need funding, but any support for the tutoring center is appreciated.

Sage: Stated that peer tutoring will be heavily affected and may be discontinued.

Mark: Confirmed that the peer tutoring program is losing its funding.

8. Action Items

1. FSD Bill – SBSP26-004

Kaylee: ASG will donate \$500 to the FSD club for new tires for their self-driving car.

Talor Gittin moved to donate \$500 from ASG funds to the FSD club for new tires for their self-driving car. The motion was seconded by Yeng Zeng.

Omar Abdulkader: Yes

Alina Vasilenko: Yes

Nicole Rodriguez: Yes

Miranda Augelli Acuna: Yes

Vicki Gonzales: Yes

Kaylee Stearns: Yes

Francheska Arias: Yes

Leenoy Barkhordar: Yes

Yeng Zheng: Yes

Maximus Coolbaugh: Yes

Cornor Alexander Jr.: Yes

Jay Tarvin: Yes

Ramiah Wilson: Yes

Sage Shevkolenko: Yes

Talor Gittin: Yes

The motion passed unanimously



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2. *ASB Card Giveaway*

Nicole Rodriguez moved to allocate \$3,500 from the student representation fee to fund the ASB card giveaway, with payment to be made to the Mesa bookstore and Mesa's Printing and Mail services upon receipt of an invoice for the supplies ordered. The motion was seconded by Francheska Arias.

Omar Abdulkader: Yes
Alina Vasilenko: Yes
Nicole Rodriguez: Yes
Miranda Augelli Acuna: Yes
Vicki Gonzales: Yes
Kaylee Stearns: Yes
Francheska Arias: Yes
Leenoy Barkhordar: Yes
Yeng Zheng: Yes
Maximus Coolbaugh: Yes
Cornor Alexander Jr.: Yes
Jay Tarvin: Yes
Ramiah Wilson: Yes
Sage Shevkolenko: Yes
Talor Gitten: Yes

The motion passed unanimously.

9. **Roundtable**

Sage: ICC is making graduation stalls. Using codes in the 7/11 app will help reduce gas costs.

Maximus: Shared that students have complaints about campus, such as needing more chairs in the quad and cheaper vending machines. Suggested speaking with Kaylee, these concerns can be reported to the Facilities Committee.

Nicole: Has not heard back from the Women's Diversity Committee and was not selected for the Program Steering Review Committee.

Victoria: Asked who is on the commencement committee, as she needs help finding a student speaker for commencement.

Maximus: Shared that students have requested more shade on campus, possibly through solar panels.



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Joanna: Presented AS polo shirt ideas that could be made and worn by AS. Will develop more designs and present them to AS.

Jay: Explained that departmental funding is allocated as a whole. AS must decide the total amount it wants to distribute to all departments.

Victoria: Requested that departmental funding be added as a discussion item for next week's agenda.

10. Adjournment

Cornor Alexnader Jr. adjourned the meeting at 1:40 p.m.