



Cascadia Student Government
Minutes
 November 1st, 2016
 Cascadia College, ARC- 210

I. Call to Order- 11:07 am

II. Roll Call

Position	Name	Present	Absent
President	Atlas Turner	X	
Vice President	Daniel Perez	X	
Director of Budget and Finance	Sue Jung	X	
Director of Government Relations	(Vacant)		
Director of Pluralism and Inclusion	Zainab Alhassani	X	
Director of Public Relations and Technology	Eric Dimitrovich	X	
Director of Student Life	Becky Riopel	Excused	

III. Approval of Minutes:

- a. Review minutes of previous meeting either at this time or prior to the meeting.

Motion to approve: Zainab

Second:

Approved: 5/0/0

IV. Approval of Agenda:

- a. Review agenda and add anything that may be missing, then approve.

-Moved Eric's budget request from officer report to New Business

Motion to approve: Zainab

Second: Daniel

Approved: 5/0/0



V. Special Guests/ funding requests:

-None

VI. Officer Reports:

a. President, Atlas Turner:

i. Strategic Marketing

Only 641 likes on the Cascadia Student Life Facebook page, and Cascadia College itself has 2,000. Atlas wants Student Life to have more.

During events, bring along an iPad and have them like our (Cascadia Student Life) Facebook page, which will help to increase the number of likes.

Start posting more often on the Facebook page.

Have the CEO's collect and create the events that will be on the Facebook page, and Anna and Eric (as the ones with website training) will oversee and then post them on social media.

ii. 1st Generation Students/ Round Table initiative

Have a roundtable discussion that is open to all, but geared towards first generation students.

Named "Cookies and Conversation"

b. Vice President, Daniel Perez:

i. club council agenda

Seeking any additions for the club council agenda.

c. Director of Budget and Finance, Sue Jung:

i. My report is Writing center and donation drive

Had a meeting with Lindsay Burke, and she said that she cannot change anything with the current tutor system, but will discuss the situation next



quarter. She will reconsider the effectiveness of the tutoring for international students

Planned a donation drive last week, Becky Riopel will provide more information about the schools donation drive policy. Still debating which items she wants in the drive, and seeking out other organizations or clubs who want to participate in this drive, and who have ideas on what items to donate.

Goodwill is one of the organizations that is in consideration, and it will provide trucks and other resources to move the donations from A to B.

“Savers” might be another organization; they will pay \$1,000 if we get 400 bags of clothes and other items for donations (unsure of what the sizes are for the “bags”). However, they do not provide trucks and other moving resources required for moving the donations from A to B; that fact might actually end up costing more than the \$1,000 they *might* pay us if we get enough donations. Not to mention the increased complexity and viability of having CSG paid for donations.

d. Director of Government Relations, TBD

Legislative academy is coming up, Atlas has to go, and the new government position should go.

e. Director of Pluralism and Inclusion, Zainab Alhassani:

i. #CCRealTalk

Number 1 feedback: having a cultural discussion and talking about what people like and do in each culture

Number 2 feedback: Gender Equity. Connect with Gender Equity club on what they want to include/ how to run the event.

ii. Equipment

Want to test out the equipment that arrived.

iii. Coffee and Tea with CSG Recap

‘It went great!!!’ – Zainab



f. Director of Public Relations and Technology, Eric Dimitrovich

i. Friend Request update

Finalized TP Times blurb.

Created and waiting for approval for Internal Posters to post within the event, directing and explaining what the events are.

Did a quick demo of the equipment.

VII. Advisor Report, Becky Riopel:

No report.

VIII. Committee Reports-

a. Special: No report

b. Standing:

i. Student Learning Council –

Approved a few course outcome guidelines, and Homeland Security classes.

ii. Commuter Services Task Force –

1. First meeting of the year, next one on the Friday of legislative academy.

Looking into alternative transportation, and changing the color of the disabled and reserved parking spots because the colors are faint and often difficult to recognize.

iii. WACTCSA – No report

iv. Pluralism Committee – Zainab

Discussed about the #CCRealTalk event. Discussion about the political climate and the current political election and having an event that can bring different views to light. Especially of conservatives who feel as if they are “attacked” on campus.

v. Information Security and Management Council – No report



vi. ARC Committee –

1. Financial Code

Undergoing an audit next year, and so a financial code is being constructed.

2. contingency fund usage

Under \$5,000 the director can use his own discretion on how to spend it, over \$5,000 has to have permission from the ARC committee.

3. longterm fund usage

Many of the items in the ARC will need to be replaced, and funds will be necessary in order to do so, and the discussion is arising on where those funds will come from.

4. Independent building, vs dependent

If the funds come from the joint campuses, then they will maintain a semblance of control over the ARC, if the ARC remains independent and funded solely by student dollars, it will remain independent although the security of the funds can be in question down the line

vii. Budget Council – meeting next week

viii. S&A Budget Committee –

ix. Navigators – meeting next week

x. Board of Trustees (Student Representative) – Atlas is sending in report to the Board of Trustees.

IX. Old/ Unfinished Business-

No Report

X. New Business



Budget Request for the Friend Request Event \$1,400

Motioned to Approve for \$1,500
Zainab Motioned to Approve
Atlas & Daniel Second

Approved: 4/0/1

-Ask film club to do the video testimonials at the Checkout table for the Friend Request event.

XI. Open Forum/ Announcements

XII. Adjournment of Meeting. **12:55pm**