



Associated Students of Santa Monica College

A.S. Finance Regular Meeting

February 19th, 2025, 11:00 a.m.,

Cayton Computer Lab Conference Room (2nd Floor)

Santa Monica College, 1900 Pico Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90405

The Public may join via: Zoom/Telephone

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Minutes

I. Call to Order @ 11:03 a.m.

II. Roll Call

Voting:

Director Budget Management: Jordan Davis (P)

President: David Duncan (P)

Director of Sustainability: Julia Kowalski (P)

ICC Vice Chair: Nora Ibrahim (P)

Director of Auxiliary: David Dever (P)

Counselor/Advisor: Benny Blaydes (P)

Non-voting:

Dean of Education Enterprises: Mitch Hessel (P)

Associate Dean: Thomas Bui (P)

III. Public Comment (2 minutes per speaker):

- None.

IV. Approval of Minutes – 10/09/24, 10/30/24, 11/13/24, 11/20/24

- 10/09/24, 10/30/24 will be available next meeting.
- 11/13/24, 11/20/24 approved.

V. Minor Action Items (under \$1000):

- None.

VI. Major Action Items (equal or over \$1000):

6.1 Proposal 537, Approval for 2025 MOCAN Conference by Men of Color Action Network

(Cost \$78,350.11. Requesting \$9,450.00 from Conferences – Project Manager, Raul Enciso)

- Postponed until end of meeting, motioned by Dever, seconded by Blaydes.
- Item 6.1 approved unanimously.

6.2 Proposal 538, Approval for Historically Black Colleges & Universities (HBCU) Tour by Transfer Counseling

(Cost \$8,000.00. Requesting \$8,000.00 from Student Success – Transfer Faculty Leader, Janet Robinson)

- Amended cost to \$24,000.000, motioned by Duncan, seconded by Blaydes.
- Item 6.2 approved unanimously.

6.3 Proposal 539, Approval for Associated Students Fire & Climate Relief Funding by Associated Students

(Cost \$100,000.00. Requesting \$100,000 from Student Success – President, David Duncan)

- Item 6.3 struck from agenda, motioned by Duncan, seconded by Blaydes.

VII. Discussion Items:

7.1 Spring Budgeting

VIII. Other Action Item:

- None.

IX. Director and Committee Reports (2 minutes per speaker):

- Kowalski asks about funding for events far in the future.

X. Advisor Reports:

- Blaydes is happy to be here.

XI. Adjournment @ 11:48 a.m.