



Associated Students of Santa Monica College

A.S. Finance Regular Meeting

March 11, 2026, 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

<https://cccconfer.zoom.us/j/92686613618>

Associated Students Office Phone Number: (310) 434-4250

Minutes

I. Call to Order 11:04 AM

II. Roll Call

Voting:

P Director of Budget Management: Paula Cortes Hernandez

P President: Ailsa Ortiz

P Director of Sustainability: Leila Kashani

P ICC Vice Chair: Megan Reidenbaugh

P Director of Auxiliary: David Dever

A Counselor/Advisor: Tiffany Inabu

Non-voting:

A Dean of Education Enterprises: Mitch Heskell

P Associate Dean: Thomas Bui

III. Public Comment (2 minutes per speaker): None

IV. Approval of Minutes –10/8/2025 and 11/20/2025

- Motion to table by Aux, seconded Sustainability. Minutes were tabled without objection.

V. Minor Action Items (under \$1000)

5.1 Proposal 853 Approval for Club Awareness Tabling Supplies by Women in Business Club

(Total Cost \$110.00 Requesting \$110.00 from Club ICC Allotment– Co-President – Emmelia Abdullah)

- Item 5.1 was approved unanimously

5.2 Proposal 854 Approval for Menstrual Cup Giveaway by Associated Students

(Total Cost \$719.60 Requesting \$719.60 from Student Success– Director of Sustainability – Leila Kashani)

- Item 5.2 was approved unanimously

5.3 Proposal 855 Approval for Club Awareness Day Decor by Geography Club at SMC

(Total Cost \$57.38 Requesting \$57.38 from Club ICC Allotment– President – Katherine Robinson)

- Item 5.3 was approved unanimously

5.4 Proposal 856 Approval for "Her Story" Journalism Panel Event by Communication and Media Studies Department

(Total Cost \$800.00 Requesting \$800.00 from Club A.S. Activities – Journalism and Media Studies Professor – Sharyn Obsatz)

- Item 5.4 was approved unanimously

5.5 Proposal 857 Approval for "Club Awareness by Korean Student Association (KSA)

(Total Cost \$83.66 Requesting \$83.66 from Club ICC Allotment – President – Hayoon Kim)

- Item 5.5 was approved unanimously

5.6 Proposal 858 Approval for "Computer Science Food During Club Meetings by Computer Science Club

(Total Cost \$160.00 Requesting \$160.00 from Club ICC Allotment – Co-President – Ryon Chan)

- Motion to table item by Sustainability, seconded by Auxiliary.
Item was tabled without objection

5.7 Proposal 859 Approval for "Publicity for Club + Food + Drinks" by Future in Tech

(Total Cost \$100.00 Requesting \$100.00 from Club ICC Allotment – President – Niki Namian)

- Item 5.7 was approved unanimously

5.8 Proposal 861 Approval for "Adelante Club Awareness" by Adelante

(Total Cost \$32.00 Requesting \$32.00 from Club ICC Allotment – ICC Delegate – Franco Diaz Raffo)

- Item 5.8 was approved unanimously



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5.9 Proposal 862 Approval for "Supplies for Second General Adelante Meeting" by Adelante

(Total Cost \$32.00 Requesting \$32.00 from Club ICC Allotment – ICC Delegate – Franco Diaz Raffo)

- Item 5.9 was approved unanimously

5.10 Proposal 863 Approval for "ISF Club Awareness Snacks" by International Student Forum

(Total Cost \$69.00 Requesting \$39.00 from A.S. Activities – Treasurer – Josephine Ong)

- Item 5.10 was approved unanimously

5.11 Proposal 865 Approval for "Making a Mini-Forest: Film Screening & Conversation" by Eco Action Club

(Total Cost \$338.41 Requesting \$338.41 from Club ICC Allotment – Co-President– Juliana Govatsos)

- Item 5.11 was approved unanimously

5.12 Proposal 869 Approval for "Snacks for Club Awareness" by Black Collegiance Umoja Program

(Total Cost \$124.77 Requesting \$124.77 from Club ICC Allotment – Vice-President – Enzo Correia Marques)

- Item 5.12 was approved unanimously

5.13 Proposal 870 Approval for "Snacks & Refreshments for Future Meetings" by GSA (Gender Sexuality Alliance)

(Total Cost \$180.05 Requesting \$180.05 from Club ICC Allotment – Treasurer – Jay Mouelle)

- Item 5.13 was approved unanimously

5.14 Proposal 871 Approval for "Club Awareness/ International Day Decor and Items" by Real Estate Association at SMC

(Total Cost \$350.00 Requesting \$350.00 from Club ICC Allotment – Andriy Quijano)

- Item 5.14 was approved unanimously

5.15 Proposal 872 Approval for "Promotional Material for Club Awareness" by Symbiotix Science Club

(Total Cost \$71.96 Requesting \$71.96 from Club ICC Allotment – President– Paul Millage)

- Motion to table item 5.15 by Sustainability, seconded by Aux
- Item was tabled without objection

5.16 Proposal 873 Approval for "Club Awareness Candy" by Civil Engineers at SMC

Total Cost \$65.94 Requesting \$65.94 from Club ICC Allotment, \$65.94 from A.S. Activities – ICC Delegate– Dylan Fitradi)

- Motion to table item 5.16 by Sustainability, seconded by Aux
- Item was tabled without objection

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

6.1 Proposal 852 Approval for A.S Merch by Associated Students

(Total Cost \$3,187.42. Requesting \$3,187.42 from Publicity/Advertising– Director of Publicity – Samantha Jauregui)

- Item 6.1 was approved unanimously

6.2 Proposal 860 Approval for Club Awareness/Club Row Merch/Giveaways by Finance and Accounting Club

(Total Cost \$1,222.64 Requesting \$1,184.41 from Club ICC Allotment, \$38.23 from A.S. Activities– Co-President – Ashlly Avila)

- Motion to reduce total requested amount to \$775.00
- Item 6.2 was approved as amended unanimously.

6.3 Proposal 864 Approval for AGS Spring Convention by Alpha Gamma Sigma (AGS)

(Total Cost \$5,920.00 Requesting \$2,960.00 from Club ICC Allotment, \$410 from Club Special Account Request, \$2,960 from Travel and Memberships, \$550 Student Contributions, \$500 Other Funding Source– Faculty Advisor – John Quevedo)

- Motion to change travel fund from \$2960 to \$1500.00 by Sustainability, seconded by President. Item was amended without objection.
- Item 6.3 was approved unanimously as amended.



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6.4 Proposal 867 Approval for Nowruz by Associated Students

(Total Cost \$1,001.00 Requesting \$1,001.00 from Student Success– Director of Sustainability – Leila Kashani)

- Item 6.4 was approved unanimously.

6.5 Proposal 868 Approval for Anti-Semitism Then and Now, with Holocaust Survivor Mary Bauer – Speaker Fee

(Total Cost \$5,000.00 Requesting \$5,000.00 from Student Success– Co-Lead of the Jewish Affinity Group, and Dean of Noncredit & External Programs – Scott Silverman)

- Item 6.5 was approved unanimously

VII. Discussion Items:

- A.S. Fiscal Policy Revisions
 - Motion to table by Aux, seconded by Sustainability.
 - Item was tabled without objection

VIII. Other Action Item:

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

X. Advisor Reports:

XI. Adjournment at 12:48 PM