

Meeting Location:

CSS 217

**2001 Third Street Norco, CA.
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Friday, November 8, 2019

9:00AM – 11:00AM

Senate Meeting

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Associated Students of Norco College
Senate Meeting

I. Call to Order: **9:10am**

II. Pledge of Allegiance:

III. Roll Call:

ASNC Advisor -- Dr. Edwin Romero

President of the Associated Students of Norco College – Sarah Gadalla

Vice President of Administration – Teresa Chihuahua

Vice President of Finance – Ana Hernandez

Vice President of Campus Activities – David Chaney

Vice President of Campus Relations – Abraham Melgarejo **Absent**

Vice President of Campus Organizations – Rudy Castellanos

Senator of Administration- M.K. Peña

Senator of Administration- Cesar Velador

Senator of Administration – Samia Irfan

Senator of Finance- Tharek Phounsavat

Senator of Finance- Richard Montana **Tardy**

Senator of Activities- Angelica Calderon

Senator of Activities- Ryan Snyder

Senator of Relations- Andrea Meza

Senator of Relations- Michael Moreno

Senator of Relations- Alan Ruelas

Senator of Organizations- Bryan Medina

Senator of Organizations- Mylie Valdovinos

9:11am

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IV. Approval of Minutes for Friday, November 1st

Motioned by: Bryan, Seconded by: Teresa, 15/0/0 approved unanimous

V. Announcements/Comments from the Public

This time is reserved for members of the public to address the ASNC on issues not already appearing on the agenda. A limit of three (3) minutes per speaker shall be observed.

- None

VI. Old Business:

- None

VII. New Business:

Sen.11.08.01 Requesting up to \$3,240 from 92210 Conferences and Field trips to take six additional students to the A2MEND Conference

Motion Author: Gustavo Oceguera

(Discussion Item/ Action Item)

Student Equity department is requesting ASNC to provide additional funds to increase the number of students attending the 2020 A2MEND Conference. Student Equity is providing funding for 8 students and two chaperones.

- Motioned by Teresa, Seconded by Bryan.
 - This is to send more students to be able to experience more conferences.
 - This is a conference for men that helps them learn and motivate students.
- It will not only bring African American men, but also other males from minority backgrounds.
- African American and Latinos are performing lower than others so this conference will help support them.
 - Conference is hosted in LA.
 - Alan: When is the event? March 4-6.
 - Bryan: How are you selecting the students?
- 8 are selected in Men of Color and they will choose the rest like the HACU conference by an application process.
 - There will be specific questions asked for those applying.
- Line Item amended by Bryan. Motioned Bryan, Seconded by Angelica 92210.
 - Tharek: Is there any more conferences coming next semester?
 - No, they only asked for HACU last year and a few small trips.
 - Alan: Have you selected the extra students? No, not yet.
 - Also, this conference is open to women as well.
 - They welcome anyone as long as their goals align.
 - 15/0/1 (Max abstains)

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- Approved Majority

Sen.11.08.02 Approval of up to \$1,050 for Adopt-a-Family for Thanksgiving from the ASNC Trust Account (94867).

**Motion Author: Edwin Romero
(Discussion Item/ Action Item)**

Approval to purchase up to \$1,000 in grocery store gift cards for Norco College students identified as being in need.

- Motioned by Teresa, Seconded by David.
- So, we do this every year to help students in need, at first it was for single parents, but it was expanded.
 - We were thinking about buying gift cards from Winco, so they can buy food.
 - Amended by Max 15/0/1 (Alan was absent during voting).
 - Approved unanimous.

Sen.11.08.03 Discussing Veterans Parking Proposal

**Motion Author: Sarah Gadalla
(Discussion Item)**

The Associated Students of Norco College will discuss the Veterans Parking Proposal.

- Motioned by Samia, Seconded by Angelica.
- If we select a group I don't feel like it'll be fair. We are already trying to get the staff parking to be limited.
- In STEM there is limited parking and taking the parking spots away from students is limiting the parking.
 - Alan: Will there be one person there all the time?
 - It depends on how long they stay. It works the same way as normal parking.
 - There Should be a specific sticker differentiating from Veterans and students.
 - Dr. Fleming: The quality of the events are improving and Thank you for what you've done.
 - This happened in the Spring Veterans Banquet.
- There was universal support and it's a symbolic thing to do to thank them to put their life.
- He went to BFPC and they came up with getting Veterans parking spaces two per each line.
- We have 400 veterans and it is nowhere near enough but it's more of a symbolic thing.
 - Samia: How will you be able to tell who is parked there?
- Veterans will be able to look out for whos parking in the spaces. There are faculty who are veterans and they won't be able to park in the student parking.
 - Sarah: Why did you decide to take it from students and not staff?

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- We feel it is already from students and so it won't make a big difference.
 - Student led.
- We designate spots for faculty and if we do it for students and it isn't anything new.
 - BFPC says they want to monitor the changes and see
- Bryan off STEM because all of the other parking places are already too limiting.
 - Samia: When will the building start and end?
 - It starts this summer and it opens spring 2021.
- What are other ways of acknowledging Veterans instead of through this parking path.
- When they get out of the military the system is broken because it didn't give them equal equivalence for the courses they took in the Military.
 - How can they give veterans those credits?
 - I need to check how many staff parking is available currently.
- Why can't you wait until 2021 for the new parking lot to open? we would like to do something before our existing veterans leave.
 - Adan: Where will you be putting the spots? I'm not sure yet.
 - Maybe you should put them where students don't commonly park.
 - Bryan: But we need to recognize them for their hard work.
- Alan: Just because they are getting their parking spot does not mean they are getting their recognition.
 - Max: I think Veterans should get parking. if you think about it STEM gets priority registration isn't that the same thing as this proposal.
 - Cesar: Veterans get priority registration before STEM.
- Ana: If we take parking spots from students we should take parking spots from staff as well.
 - Alan: What else are you going to be implementing to show support to veterans?
 - Adan: Is this going to happen with out student vote?
- We went through the process of going to different departments and getting things approved. I will address all of your concerns and come back. Maybe I will also suggest waiting on stem till the VRC is open.
- Tharek: So you are saying this was already approved by the district and ISPC, so can't you just start the process of Veterans parking?
- Yes, but we want to address the concerns of the students, so all your voices are heard.
- Tharek: Even if we, the students don't agree can't you just go through with it anyways?
 - Technically yes, we can go through with it, but it will take a lot of discussion.

VIII. ASNC Advisor Report

- There are 2 senate meetings left, we are getting a fee increase, I asked Ana to prepare a report for next year's budget.

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- There are a lot of events that were not as expensive as we thought and we were under budget.
- Bryan: Is it because we did not advertise it as well as we should have? No.
- So let people know to request funding before the end
- Tuesday is the schools registration.
- People discuss how they felt about registering for classes.
- What was your guys' experience with edunav?
- It was frustrating, It takes a long time to load, It would schedule me for different classes.
- Mostly everyone will be switching over.
- You guys think we should open the office to help people register? Yeah.
- Will there be a survey to get feedback from Edunav?
- That is a good question and I feel like we should because it would be a good feedback.
- They should send an email, so students will know they can still register with WebAdvisor, so the students won't be confused.
- Scholarship applications are open for you to apply.
- Deadline is January 10, but you won't be able to get references after break so plan ahead.
- Transfer application for \$100 to apply for universities has been Extended till the 15th.
- Apply for universities so your essays are completed before hand.

IX. Executive/Committee Reports

- Academic Senate – Sarah Gadalla
- They discussed adding people to ISPC.
- Safety committee wanted to add another seat.
- Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Committee – Abraham, Ana
- Dr. Oceguela wanted a workshop to see students ideas of what they want to see on campus.
- They discussed money for a play, and they discussed black history month.
- ISPC - Bryan
- Bryan didn't go.

Administration:

None

Finance:

I sent out the report for the last few weeks, and the club money will come back if they don't use it.

Activities:

The dance was a success and thank you for helping.

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There will be an event next week during college hour, we might have a nacho bar, and it's mandatory.

Also, the next day we will be setting up the Angel Tree.

Relations:

Thank you guys for helping with the costume contest, and we just posted our youtube video, so check it out.

Sarah: Did you guys take pictures yesterday? No, not really, but we do have some video.

Organizations:

Student Art Sale is on Thursday.

Movie night November 14th: The Matrix

STEM will be playing two star wars movies.

The vendors got us over 200 dollars and it will go to ICC.

President:

The hydration stations will be installed next week

Athletics has still been coming to ask us for money and I feel like we won't be able to get away with paying for athletics.

There is athletic training in the Spring and they most likely will come back.

They want to write a resolution for the board.

Sarah talked about Edunav to Dr. Tarrant and the issues students have had.

She gave her feedback and they wanted more lights because it got dark.

Dr. Tarrant said we should think about kid friendly options.

SDCC writing a resolutions.

Asking to count the stalls after 5pm in the parking lots.

Are the stalls available? is what the data will be based on.

After 5 because that's what all the other presidents agreed on.

Bryan suggested we do 6pm so they want to collect data from both times.

The President from ASRCC wanted to do an ASO appreciation event.

Your administrators here support ASNC because they let your advisors work winter and summer and RCC doesn't.

Winter Retreat to Big Bear is January 31-February 2 and it would be opened to reps.

We will share more information later.

Christmas party Thursday, Dec 12th at Sarah's House.

X. For the Good of the Order/Announcements/Comments from the Public

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- Angelica: Please clean up after yourself when you are at the office. Put your chairs back.
- Alan: School can get overwhelming after the semester and try to be respectful and some people may need the extra time.
- Abraham: Always remember you are a student first and get your school work done before the event, if you have work to do please let us know.

XI. Adjournment: 11:30am