



Special Student Senate Meeting

Friday, September 15th, 2023

3:00pm

East Campus, Student Activities Center
 Modesto Junior College, East Campus
 435 College Ave. Modesto, CA 95350

MINUTES

Notice is hereby given that the Special Student Senate of the Associated Students of Modesto Junior College shall conduct a meeting on Friday, September 15th at 3:00pm in the Mary Stuart Rogers Building, Modesto Junior College, East Campus 435 College Ave. Modesto, CA 95350. All meetings of the Associated Students of Modesto Junior College are open to the public and are accessible to persons with disabilities. Any person(s) with disabilities requesting special accommodations should contact Ruth B. Perez Gamboa, President of the Associated Students of Modesto Junior College by phone at (209) 575-4260 or by e-mail at asmjcpresident@my.yosemite.edu for such accommodations to be made.

Minutes of this meeting, as well as any related documents which are distributed prior to, or during the meeting, are public records. To request a copy of these records, please visit the Student Activities Center or the ASMJC website at www.mjc.edu/campuslife.

I. Call to Order:

3:07pm

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call:

Executive Officers		Senators		Guest	
Ruth B. Perez Gamboa President	p	Adebullah Mujaddidi	A	Paloma Mendoza Rodriguez	
Javier Hernandez Loza Vice President	p	Nathaly Mejia Mata	P	Maria Jasso	
Matthew O. Rodriguez Director of Political Development	p	Layla Gaith	P	Xavier Chaidez	
Vacant Director of Student Relations		Mercedez Greene	A	Jose Cisneros	
Vacant Executive Secretary					
Advisors					
Alejandra Espinoza Director of Campus Life and Student Learning	p				
Carmen De La Cruz Campus Life Program Specialist	p				
Esmeralda Cabadas Campus Life Program Assistant	A				
Mitch Miller MSR Technician	A				

Adoption of the Agenda Motion to delete Mata from Action items D and E; Motioned by Vice President Hernandez Loza; Second by Senator Gaith; Passed Unanimously

Motioned by Director Rodriguez; Second by Vice President Hernandez Loza; Passed unanimously

Public Comment (Brown Act §54954.3): *This segment of the agenda is reserved for members of the public to directly address the Student Senate on any matters within its jurisdiction. A time limit of two (2) minutes per speaker and ten (10) minutes per topic will be allotted. The law does not permit any action to be taken, nor extended discussion of items not on the agenda. The Student Senate may briefly respond to comments made or questions posed. For an item to be placed on a future agenda, please contact President Ruth B. Perez Gamboa.*

IV. Approval of Previous Minutes: August 17th, 2023 Motioned by Director Rodriguez, Second by Senator Gaith; passed with 2 Yay; 2 Obtentions

V. Action Items (Items to be voted on):

- A. NTE: \$1,000 Student ID Ribbon (Fund 71)
Motioned by Vice President; Second by Director Rodriguez; Passed Unanimously
- B. Approval of probationary of 30- day for Paloma Mendoza Rodriguez as senator
Motioned by Director Rodriguez; Second by Senator Gaith; Passed Unanimously
- C. Approval of probationary of 30- day for Maria Jasso as senator
Motioned by Vice President Hernandez Loza; Second by Senator Gaith; Passed Unanimously
- D. Approval of probationary of 30- day for Xavier Chaidez ~~Mata~~ as senator
Motioned by Director Rodriguez; Second by Vice President Hernandez Loza Passed Unanimously
- E. Approval of probationary of 30- day for Jose Cisneros ~~Mata~~ as senator
Motioned by Senator Gaith; Second by Vice President Hernandez Loza; Passed Unanimously
- F. Approval of probationary of 30- day for Artemio Avila-Valenton as senator
Motioned by Director Rodriguez; second by Vice President Hernandez Loza; Passed Unanimously

VI. ASMJC Shared Governance Council/Committees Reports:

- A. YCCD Board Meeting: Ruth B. Perez Gamboa
President Perez Gamboa stated that she just had the meeting with the board on Wednesday. She reported on what ASMJC has been working on as a senate, reported on welcome week, the Presidential circle, Info tables, and our upcoming events being club rush which was a great success this past Thursday and Wednesday, I also reported our ongoing work with spooky night which is now our 2nd annual spooky night. There were several reports from different constituents reporting on the administrative leave of our vice chancellor and the HR Director for the YCCD.
- B. Academic Senate: Matthew O. Rodriguez No report
- C. Institutional Effectiveness & Accreditation Committee: Adebullah Mujaddidi no report
- D. College Council: Ruth B. Perez Gamboa, Matthew O. Rodriguez President Perez Gamboa reported that they met this past Monday for the first time. We spoke on the welcome week

events. There were many presentations one being from campus safety they brought up an idea of wanting to instate peace officers onto campus that discussion will be continuing nothing has been made official it was only a discussion item

E. Resource Allocation & Facilities Committee: Javier Hernandez Loza, Nathaly Mejia Mata **No report**

F. Technology Committee: Vacant **No report**

G. Online Education Committee: Mercedes Greene **No report**

H. Curriculum Committee: Layla Ghaith **No report**

I. Student Equity: Nathaly Mejia Mata, Matthew O. Rodriguez **No report**

J. IDEAA Committee: Ruth B. Perez Gamboa, Javier Hernandez Loza **No report**

K. Foundation Board: Ruth B. Perez Gamboa **No report**

VII. ASMJC Executive Officers & Senator Reports

A. ASMJC President Report President Perez Gamboa congratulated the new members “I hope you are as excited as we are to work together for this upcoming fall semester and hopefully the rest of the year. I also want to report that senator Mercedes Greene has resigned from the team. We are having several events next week starting with constitution day on Monday on east campus day, on Tuesday we are having pirates promotion day 12pm-1pm we will be giving away cupcakes so if you can make it please be there, we also have flow on Wednesday, if you could help out on either campus please do, we will be collaborating to put up a constitution day on the 21 in the forum building 7-8:30 asmjc will have a table at that event I will also be giving a speech that night so please come and show your support with ASMJC.

B. ASMJC Vice President Report

Vice president Hernandez Loza congratulated the new members, he reported that he will contact the new Members to have a 1 on 1 to explain further what ASMJC is and does. He also reported that he and advisor de la Cruz and advisor Espinoza met on Thursday to discuss further about this year’s spooky night event.

C. ASMJC Executive Secretary Report **No report**

D. ASMJC Director of Political Development Report **No report**

E. ASMJC Director of Student Relations Report **No report**

F. ASMJC Senator Report **No report**

VIII. Advisors Reports

Alejandra welcomed the team, Alejandra also reported on scheduling and future events. Alejandra also gave an update on the mobile student ID system that will hopefully be coming spring 24.

Carmen reported on club rush that we had during the week its was successful event we had many clubs attend for both days, there were also a few clubs who wanted to start up, carmen also reported on the annual Hispanic education event that happens on October 14th. Carmen also reported on spooky night and gave a few updates on that.

IX. Adjournment 3:33pm