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Friday, April 7th, 2023
12:00pm-2:00pm
Legislative Meeting
Contact Number: (951) 372-7007

Legislative Meeting of the Associated Students of Norco College

- I. Call to Order: **12:06 PM**
- II. Roll Call:
 - a. Legislature (Voting)
 - ASNC Advisor – Dr. Edwin Romero
 - President of the Associated Students of Norco College – Makenna Ashcraft
 - Vice President of Administration – Jacob Nkwamba
 - Senator of Administration – Dustin Duke
 - Senator of Administration – Justin Grimes
 - Senator of Administration – Sabrina Rioseco
 - Vice President of Finance – Aneesa Kashif
 - Senator of Finance – Carlos Medina
 - Senator of Finance – Allyson Lopez
 - Senator of Finance – Andrea Rodriguez
 - Vice President of Campus Activities – Romi Mathews
 - Senator of Campus Activities – Daniela Portillo
 - Senator of Campus Activities – Shara Williams
 - Senator of Campus Activities – Uchenna Emerueh
 - Vice President of Campus Relations – Lino Leon
 - Senator of Campus Relations – Aidan Godoy
 - Senator of Campus Relations – Desiree Valdez
 - Senator of Campus Relations – Fabian Orozco
 - Vice President of Campus Organizations – Bryan Morales
 - Senator of Campus Organizations – Josh Oliveros
 - b. Student Representatives (Non-Voting)
 - Representative of Campus Relations – Alberto Flores
 - Representative of Campus Organizations – Nolan Maddox
- III. Approval of Minutes: **March 24, 2023**

M: Uchenna
S: Sabrina

Motion by Justin to amend minutes to reflect proper speaker.
S: Sabrina

Passed by unanimous consent

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IV. 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.

V. Old Business:

Note: No supporting documents were submitted unless otherwise noted.

VI. New Business:

Note: No supporting documents were submitted unless otherwise noted.

Unanimously placing appointments at end of agenda.

Sen.04.07.01 Appointment of Jocelyn Olivia as Representative Under Relations

Motion Author: Lino Leon

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on the appointment of Jocelyn Olivia under Representative of Relations.

Sen.04.07.02 Student Health Services Fee Increase Proposal

Motion Author: Cathleen Chou

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss the proposed increase of the Student Health Services fee.

M: Desiree

S: Carlos

Health fees will be increased. Health services are paid for by the health services fee. Increases would be below the allowed maximum increase in fees. Summer will be \$20, Fall \$24, Winter: \$20, and \$24 in Winter terms. This is necessary to cover all expenses. The last increase was four years ago, prior to covid and recent inflation. Increases will be \$2 lower than allowed maximum increase each semester.

Sabrina: Will increase allow for department growth or would it keep the department roughly the same?

Cathleen: My goal is to increase the staff so that the proper level of services can always be offered.

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Sen.04.07.03 Approval of up to \$19,000 from Executive Contingencies (92199) for Campus-Wide

Disneyland Tickets Giveaway

Motion Author: Makenna Ashcraft & Aneesa Kashif

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on funding for the Campus-Wide Disneyland Tickets Giveaway, which is intended to promote student engagement and enrollment.

M: Sabrina

S: Uchenna

Makenna: I mistakenly allotted money for robes that already had a budget item.

Aneesa: We did this last year, and we had students switch from other campuses to Norco College as their home campus which increased the overall budget for this academic year. As more students were online than they are this year, we had a little trouble giving away tickets near the end of the semester, I hope that there will be more students on campus so that we will not have an issue giving away tickets this time around.

Primary difference from last year are: We will purchase an additional 25 tickets. Last year there were 75 tickets purchased, this year it would be 100 tickets. Every ten tickets purchased gives one free ticket so the total ticket count would be 110 tickets to give away. We expect the date to go will be June 12th.

Justin: Do you have any data on the number of students that registered for Norco around the time of this event?

Makenna: Not currently.

Jacob: Will it actually be coming from this account, if approved?

Aneesa: It would potentially come from the commitment we thought was needed to cover commencement regalia. Funds can be drawn from ASNC Leadership Conference (92719) & Conferences and Field Trips (92210) & Transportation Fee(?????). I motion to amend the motion as such.

S: Josh.

Jacob: I move to call the question.

S: Josh

Motion to adopt amendment: Unanimous consent.

Justin: I move that we allot 15 tickets towards students who switch home campus.

Motion dies.

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Sen.04.07.04 Reappointment of Shara Williams from Senator to Representative of Campus Activities

Motion Authors: Edwin Romero & Romi Mathews

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on the reassignment of Shara Williams as Representative of Activities.

M: Romi

S: Daniela

Romi: Shara is a stellar Senator who has been a major assistance in my work but she has made me aware of time constraints.

Shara: Constraints on my time do not allow me to act as a Senator currently, but I still want to participate in the events of the ASNC.

Bryan: Motion to extend meeting to 2:25 PM.

S: Aidan

Meeting extended by unanimous consent.

Vote to remove Shara from Senator to Representative

Passed by unanimous consent.

Sen.04.07.05 Appointment of Alex Tucker as Representative Under Campus Organizations

Motion Author: Bryan Morales

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on the appointment of Alex Tucker as Representative under Campus Organizations.

Motion to table the appointment of Alex Tucket, and that we appoint all those on the agenda for appointment. Besides Shara.

Passes by unanimous consent.

New main motion passed by unanimous consent.

Sen.04.07.06 Appointment of Anmol Quraishi as Representative Under Finance

Motion Author: Aneesa Kashif

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on the appointment of Anmol Quraishi as Representative under Finance.

Sen.04.07.07 Approval of up to \$1,500 from Executive Contingencies (92199) to sponsor Lavendar Graduation, Hosted by the Unity Zone

Motion Author: Christopher Castillo Gonzalez

(Discussion & Action Item)

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The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote to fund a graduation ceremony for our LGBTQIA+ students.

Christopher: Unity Zone would like to host its first ever Lavendar Grad Celebration, so that members of the LGBTQIA+ community can celebrate in a place where they feel safe to express themselves freely. Funding request is mainly to cover any costs for a guest speaker at this event.

Justin: So is this a maximum limit? Could the total change?

Christopher: That is our maximum limit for budget.

Dustin: This event sounds like there is a lack of definite details. I am uncomfortable supporting funding an event when almost all of the details are fluid.

Aiden: So that cost is just for a guest speaker? Nothing else?

Christopher: Yes, the speaker will get the entire fee.

Aiden: Wouldn't it have been better to come here with an idea of the speakers you might get, what they would cost?

Jacob: Motion to postpone since there lack of information.

S: Dustin

2/16/0 Dissent: Jacob, Dustin.

Jacob: I call to question to vote on the main item.

S: Sabrina

17/0/0 Daniella, absent.

**Sen.04.07.08 Approval of up to \$1,500 from Executive Contingencies (92199) to Sponsor Dream Graduation, Hosted by the Unity Zone
Motion Author: Christopher Castillo Gonzalez
(Discussion & Action Item)**

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote to fund a graduation ceremony for our Dreamer students.

M: Sabrina

S: Uchenna

Christopher: This is somewhat the same as the previous line item, but specifically for a guest speaker for a graduation event for our Undocu Students. We have several strong candidates for speaker that meet our budgetary limitation such as Julio Salgado.

Jacob: Motion to call the question.

S: Aiden

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16/0/1 Abstain: Justin. Absent: Daniella

Sen.04.07.09 Approval of up to \$2,300 from Executive Contingencies (92199) to Sponsor Foster Care Awareness Month, Hosted by the Phoenix Scholars Program

**Motion Authors: Esme Mora & Mayte Estrada
(Discussion & Action Item)**

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote to fund food, a guest speaker, and promotional gear to promote awareness of foster-related students.

Sen.04.07.09 Supporting Documents:

1. [Web Page: RCCD Board of Trustees Policies & Administrative Procedures](#)

M: Sabrina

S: Carlos

Mayte: May is a major graduation month for many campuses, it is also National Foster Care Awareness Month. We intend to have guest speakers both who are pillars of the community as well as alumni from Norco College. Our outcome goal is to increase campus-wide awareness. We also intend to work with the Unity Zone to raise awareness of Undocu Students. Basic Needs and Wellness will also be working with us to make this event a stellar success.

Jacob: Isn't Phoenix Scholars funded by the state?

Mayte: It is, but our funds are more geared towards directly supporting the students we work with.

Justin: I move to call the question.

Passed by unanimous consent.

Motion: 18/0/0

Motion approved.

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**Sen.04.07.10 Approval of up to \$1,200 from Executive Contingencies (92199) to Sponsor the UndocuHustle Event, Hosted by the Unity Zone
Motion Author: Christopher Castillo Gonzalez
(Discussion & Action Item)**

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote to fund this event, focused on careers for undocumented individuals.

*M: Uchenna
S: Sabrina*

Christopher: We have done this event before, and it has been a major success, so we want to do it again. We want to provide viable pathways for undocumented students to have careers. I intend to have four speakers, each costing \$300. We will have food and various other things, but those costs will come from other funds. This would be a rather large event.

Romi: When will this all happen on the day?

Christopher: 10 AM – 2 PM. April 27th 2023.

Approved by unanimous consent.

**Sen.04.07.11 Approval of RCCD Board Policy Recommendations to be Forwarded to SDCC.
Motion Author: Makenna Ashcraft
(Discussion & Action Item)**

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote to approve recommendations regarding the RCCD Board Policies, Chapter 3, as requested by the Student District Consultation Committee.

*Motion to postpone until next week: Jacob
S: Josh*

Passed by unanimous consent.

**Sen.04.07.12 Approval of up to \$1,100 from Executive Contingencies (92199) to Sponsor a Social Activity With CSEA Employees.
Motion Author: Ruth Leal
(Discussion & Action Item)**

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote to funding an event on Tuesday, May 22nd with 120 attendees, open to all students.

*M: Romi
S: Lino*

Ruth: This is an event to celebrate all the classified professionals on campus that provide a great deal of support for the events and programs all over the campus. This would be the first time that an event like this would happen. This would be an event between classified professionals and students. Funding would cover the expected costs of feeding those who attend the event.

Passed by unanimous consent.

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Sen.04.07.13 Appointment of John Thehumury as Senator Under Campus Organizations

Motion Author: Bryan Morales

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on the appointment of John Thehumury as Senator under Campus Organizations.

Sen.04.07.14 Appointment of Ezichi Emerueh as Senator Under Campus Activities

Motion Author: Romi Mathews

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on the appointment of Ezichi Emerueh as Senator under Campus Activities.

Sen.04.07.15 Appointment of Victor Mataele as Representative Under Administration

Motion Author: Jacob Nkwamba

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on the appointment of Victor Mataele as Representative under Administration.

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Sen.04.07.16 Appointment of Luis Quezada as Representative Under Campus Organizations

Motion Author: Bryan Morales

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on the appointment of Luis Quezada as Representative under Campus Organizations.

Sen.04.07.17 Evaluation of the Activities of Student Representative Nolan Maddox, With Particular Regard On the Question of Their Removal

Motion Author: Jacob Nkwamba

(Discussion & Action Item)

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss the activities of Representative Nolan Maddox and vote whether they should be removed as Student Representative.

M: Allyson

S: Uchenna

Jacob: I am doing this as I am statutory required to do so. VP Bryan has requested Nolan to attend events and has not communicated with his VP to get them excused, there has been limited communication.

Nolan: I had personal reasons for not showing up and I sincerely apologize for my lack of communication on this. I understand there are rules in places, and I regret what has happened. I ask that you judge me based on what I can do, not what I have done.

Bryan: He is passionate about assisting me with the ICC, and I believe that he just needs another chance. Motion to call the question, Makenna.

S: Sabrina

Justin: I object.

Motion to remove Nolan.

1/17/0 Dissent: Justin

Motion passes.

Jacob: Nolan still will be here with two absences. He has one more and then he is at risk of removal again.

Justin: If Nolan ends up removed, he can reenter the ASNC during the next session.

Sen.04.07.18 Approval of Up to \$2,000 From Executive Contingencies (92199) to Aid in the Construction of RC Track on Campus Grounds

Motion Author: Jose Orozco

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on the approval of funds to assist in the construction of an RC track initiated jointly by the STEM and Veterans Clubs.

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M: Sabrina

S: Carlos

Ricky: We are wanting to build an RC racetrack near the Veteran's Center and STEM Center so students can have more to do during events and gatherings. This would be a joint project between STEM and Veteran's. Why build this?

Jose: This allows an opportunity for our STEM students to learn in a real-world scenario where students can build RC cars and test them. We are hoping that NASA Space Consortium Rovers can also be tested there in a more real-world scenario. We have already started this project by taking over \$160 of road unsafe tires off of the road for protective barriers for our track. This cost us \$0 as the tires cannot be used anymore for their original purpose, and would otherwise end up in a landfill. Cost is currently estimated at \$1989.55 after taxes. We have a layout sketched out at how we intend for the track to look so that we aren't planning something that the space could not actually accommodate. This is something members of our college can enjoy as well as the members of the local community.

Justin: Motion to increase from \$2000 to \$3000 as there we mentioned of a next phase of the track, and I believe that this would streamline the process more easily.

Patricia Gill: The current total is based on the current build, and any further funding requests.

Justin: I move to withdraw my request and to call the question.

S Jacob

Approved by unanimous consent.

Recess between 1:29 PM and 1:34 PM.

Sen.04.07.19 Approval of Up to \$11,500 From Executive Contingencies (92199) to fund the Rocketry Team participation in a Rocketry Competition.

Motion Author: Hitha Antony

The Associated Students of Norco College shall discuss and vote on the approval of funds to fund supplies and travel for a rocketry competition.

M: Josh

S: Fabian

Motion to amend the line item to draw funds from line item \$2500 from STEM Line Item Events, \$2000 from Fieldtrips

The motion passed and adopted by unanimous consent.

Carlos: We are asking for the \$11,500 for the 51025 Inter-Collegiate Rocketry Competition. \$5500 is the total cost to build our rocket, and \$6000 to cover lodging and travel. The organization hosting it is Friends of Amateur Rocketry (FAR). We are attempting many new rocketry items than we have in the past including producing our own rocket motors and entering a higher distance category of 10,000 feet. We will also be providing live video and data transmission. Last year we were one of only two community colleges competing against major four-year universities. Last year was funded almost entirely by an expired Engineering Pathways

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Grant fund. We have gone to the ICC in the past, but it was only to cover expenses in preparation for this event.

Patricia Gill: Motors for these competitions can cost more than \$700, and this year Norco Rocketry has been making their own motors at the FAR site to not only allow them to learn how to make their own, but to produce motors that they can use for competitions in this way is much more cost effective.

Jacob: How much of the grant covers your costs?

Carlos: There is no grant funding this year. We are attempting to get grant funding but currently there is no grant funding.

Jacob: After the changes to where the funds come from, how much would be left Aneesa?

Aneesa: There will only be \$6000 left in Fields Trips item.

Jacob: I move to call the question.

S: Justin

Question is called by Unanimous Consent.

15/0/3 Abstain: Dustin, Andrea, Sabrina

This funding is approved because of the extraordinary circumstances Rocketry is facing with their timeline.

Motion to extend meeting to 2:20 PM.

Approved by unanimous consent.

VII. ASNC Advisor Report

VIII. Executive/Committee Reports

IX. For the Good of the Order/Announcements/Comments from the Public:

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X. Adjournment