

## MEETING MINUTES

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO**  
**The Wednesday, January 29, 2020 meeting was held in the Price Center East Forum at 6:03 PM.**

**Roll was called.**

**Public Input was provided** on interviewing for committee on First Gen programs, OASIS, and other programs.

**Public Input was provided by** AiLink team representatives on an app for finding off-campus housing easier. Unilink allows convenience on finding roommates and landlords. Utility payments, housing payments, and furniture sales are some features on the app.

### **Reports of External News:**

- **Senator Hickman:** There is a UC President search town hall on February 4th 3:30-5:30 PM in the Faculty Club. Students can provide input on criteria for the position. UC Regents application is due soon. A brief overview on last week's San Francisco meeting, before the meeting it got changed to a discussion item so they discussed how they want to change tuition. Most of the regents are in favor of tuition increase and in the cohort increase. We got to address the regents. The governor released a statement opposing any tuition increase. Tuition increase is likely going to happen. Local news, the mayor addressed the city two Wednesdays ago. They addressed housing and mental health. The city is taking up a lot of issues we are familiar with. There are works for mental health resources at homeless shelters. Working with disability advocates in San Diego, hopefully we can do more for students with disabilities here.

One minute of BBC News.

### **Reports of Members:**

- **Senator Alsaied:** I discussed parking permits. We are thinking about banning sophomores living on campus, but not commuters. There's ideas to sell S permits, but with a lottery system. Transportation Services prefers the lottery system, but some think it's unfair.
- **President Grudin:** Two weeks there was an external review on our Greek life organization so there will be a report soon. It'll tell us what we can improve on. I had a call from IT Services to address OPHD's website concerns about transparency. There will be someone coming in to answer questions on CAPS. Due to federal travel bans, there are 300-400 students having difficulties coming back home. Student Affairs staff is very prepared to help with that.

- **FC Christensen:** My office is trying to do something on accessibility for ADA. We worked on the language. It is meant to make student org events open to the whole campus. Student orgs have to come to us to explain this year since it is the first time. We want to handle it case by case, but in the future there will be a plan.
- **VP Campus Affairs Reynoso:** AVP of EDI and I will be meeting with the Vice Chancellor of EDI so if you have any questions you want to ask her, let me know. I will be meeting with the chief of staff pertaining to Hispanic serving organizations. If you're interested in running for AS, especially exec, feel free to reach out. If you are thinking of doing an event for a senator project, fill out your tap. Please abide by the Zero Waste Sustainability guide we just passed.
- **Senator Hickman:** I met to discuss with a committee that talks about course material and services fee. We are no longer taking proposals on quarter basis, but on a yearly basis. New fees will be in the fall. Bio and engineering will likely have those.
- **President Grudin:** After our conversation on the Rec fee, we talked to UCOP. the recreation facilities fee referendum, I will get a report on that early next week. Seems like there's updates on that.

#### **Reports of Senator Projects:**

- **Senator Hickman:** On extra public senate, we will have one on Feb 26. Reach out if you are interested. I am working on resolution on over enrollment affecting mental health services. Hopefully UCSD can include solutions that other schools have.
- **Senator Walker:** I discussed the Healthy Beverage Initiative. 100,000 dollars have been allocated for healthy beverages, but only 30,000 to 40,000 has been used. I am working on it in Warren res halls. Let me know if there are any hydration stations are not working.
- **Senator Rasekh:** I am working to gain more information on demographics on this campus.

#### **Question Time:**

- **President Grudin:** Stuff the Bus Committee is meeting Week 6 Monday from 11-12. They would like two senators in this committee for insight. This is a student led initiative. Is anyone available? To Senator Walker, can you add Muir res halls to list of hydration stations needed.

#### **Reports of Committee:**

- **FC Christensen on Finance Committee:** The old report we had from last week is tabled indefinitely. The other two have to go to New Business. F1 from last week is tabled indefinitely.

No objections to table item F1 so decision of committee stands.

- **VP Campus Affairs Reynoso on Legislative Committee:** Item L1 was approved because appointment.

No objections so decision of committee stands.

- **FC Christensen on Finance Committee:** I don't have to put them on new business. Never mind. F2 is tabled indefinitely. Item F1 was approved by the committee.

**President Grudin moved to reconsider Item F1.**

**Senator Walker seconded.**

No objections so Item F1 moved back on senate floor.

- **FC Christensen:** Item F1 was approved.

No objections so decision of the committee stands.

- **FC Christensen:** Item F2 tabled indefinitely.

No objections so decision of the committee stands.

**New Business:**

**VP Campus Affairs Reynoso moved to enter item of the appointment of Chief of Staff for the Office of Campus Affairs into new business.**

**Senator Walker seconded.**

No objection so Item entered into new business.

**Senator Giangtran moved to approve item entered into new business.**

**Senator Huang seconded.**

No objections so item approved.

**VP Campus Affairs Reynoso moved to suspend bylaws.**

**Senator Lonc seconded**

No objections so bylaws suspended.

**VP Campus Affairs Reynoso moved to enter item into new business.**

**Senator Huang seconded.**

No objections so item entered into new business.

**Senator McKeever moved to approve Item entered into new business.**

**Senator Huang seconded.**

No objections so item approved.

**VP Campus Affairs Reynoso move to unsuspend bylaws.**

**Senator Kulkarni seconded.**

No objections so regular bylaws enforced.

**Open Forum:**

- **Senator Lee:** I am now an ambassador for Rockstar. If you guys have events I can do giveaways.
- **Senator Huang:** I thought we discussed the second year parking restriction. We thought majority should allow.
- **President Grudin:** The consensus was limiting on campus residents parking ability. Second year off campus can, but on campus can't. It is done by academic years not academic standing. Everyone seemed comfortable with this before I brought it to the people with final say on this. Student Regent will be on our campus on Friday from 11:30 to 1pm to talk about applications and concerns. They visit once a year so this is a good chance to talk to them. They are the ones who vote on approval of Seventh College and tuition hikes.
- **Senator Liu:** On parking, I don't think it should be a lottery system. First come first serve has some guarantee for those early. Lottery system is all luck.
- **Assistant Director Weng:** If you talk to VP Campus Affairs about your project, you also have to talk to FC Christensen for funding. Make sure to do your Tap form.
- **President Grudin:** On Saturday, there is archery tag. It is AS funded.
- **Senator Kulkarni:** HDH is talking about collaborate business partnership with Coca Cola on Feb 5th from 12:30-1:30 is the kickoff meeting.
- **Senator Liu:** On getting AS windbreakers, I want one.
- **VP Campus Affairs Reynoso:** I met with Triton Outfitters and gave them the design. They gave me price estimates. They are doing research on prices. We also talked about senior stoles.
- **Senator Walker:** Feb 20 is annual Warren Live. We will be announcing our headliner.

**Final roll was called.**

**Meeting adjourned at 6:58 PM.**