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To: ASI Board of Directors

Subject: November Board Report

Fall 2022 Office Hours:

Monday: 12 - 4PM

Wednesday: 1:00-5:00 PM

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California State Student Association (CSSA)

CSSA met at CSU Fresno on Saturday, November 5^{th} and Sunday, November 6^{th} to discuss the CSSA Policy Agenda, approve to Co-Sponsor draft legislation regarding SAP requirements, Cozen O'Connor visits, and the continued search for a Student Trustee for 2023 - 2025. You can find my whole report on this month's CSSA Plenary meeting here. The CSSA policy agenda sets the outline for the organization's advocacy work for the year, and covers areas such as mental health, sustainability initiatives, student basic needs, and ensuring academic success. You can find the policy agenda here, and feel free to reach out to me with any questions. The next CSSA meeting will be November $5^{th} - 6^{th}$, 2022 at CSU Fresno.

Lobby Corps

Lobby Corps has met twice since my last report. At our October 20th meeting, we had a guest appearance from the CSSA's Assistant Director of Government Relations, Mary Washington, who gave an excellent presentation about the California legislative cycle, how to advocate for bills and issues to Legislators, and how the CSSA and the CSU Chancellor's Office have a direct impact in creating change for the half a million students the CSU System currently has enrolled. It was a great informational meeting, thank you to everyone who attended! It was a

wonderful conversation, and if you would like to see the details of the conversation you can find them in the minutes, <u>here</u>.

Our next meeting was held November 3rd, were I had the opportunity to give a presentation about the CSSA and give a brief overview of what the organization was about, what are the current issues and policies the CSSA has outlined to pursue in its Policy Agenda, and how students can get involved with the organization. I also raised awareness of the continued search for the next Student Trustee for the 2023 – 2025 term, and managed to garner the interest of a student who is thinking about wanting to pursue the position for Student Trustee. There was further discussion on more student points of interest for 2022-2023, all of which an overview can be found in the minutes.

If you would like to get involved with Lobby Corps, please contact Sidra Nawaz at <u>asiogpc@csus.edu</u>. We have 4 more meetings left this semester, which dates and times can be found on the ASI website here.

Office of Governmental Affairs (OGA)

The OGA staff, consisting of Sidra and myself, have been collaborating on turning in CIVIC challenge points through our combined efforts of addressing our respective challenge fields. Sidra and I were successful in having Mary Washington come as our guest speaker for our October 20th Lobby Corps meeting. I have also been updating my various reports, spreadsheets, and presentations for future events to come. I was also able to schedule a meeting with Associate Vice President of Public Affairs and Advocacy, Nathan Dietrich, for November 16th at 1pm over Zoom, in which we shall further discuss the advocacy efforts and issues in collaboration with Lobby Corps and prepare for March's Advocacy Day.

We have also been able to keep up with completing CIVIC Challenges throughout the month of September, and currently have 365 points. I was able to get in contact with ASI East Bay, who are our partners in the CIVIC challenge. The meeting was productive, and established a monthly meeting time to check in on how our respective campuses are doing. The Ballot Bowl was also discussed at the CSSA Plenary, and there are some ideas that I was able to gather from the other campuses that can help increase our voter registration turnout.

Events and Calendar Items

September 7 Attended ASI Working Board Meeting

September 10 – 11 Attended the September CSSA Plenary Meeting at Long Beach

September 12 Attended CSUnity

September 14 Attended ASI Board Meeting

September 21 Attended ASI Working Board Meeting

6000 J Street • Sacramento, CA 95819-6011 (916) 278-6784 • (916) 278-6278 Fax www.asi.csus.edu September 22 Attended Lobby Corps

September 28 Attended ASI Board Meeting

October 5 Attended ASI Working Board Meeting

October 5 Attended the ASI Board of Directors Meet and Greet Reception

October 6 Attended Lobby Corps

October 8 Attended the October CSSA Plenary Meeting

October 10 Met with ASI VPUA to discuss CSSA

If you have any questions or concerns about anything in this report, feel free to email me at asicssarep@csus.edu or pop in if you see me. Thank you for granting me the honor and privilege to serve ASI and the students of Sacramento State, and I am always at your service.

Warm regards,

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