



CITY AMBASSADORS MEETING
University Union, Third Floor, Folsom Room
September 26, 2019
4:00 pm
MINUTES

- I. Call to Order - 4:04pm
- II. Roll Call
 - a. Savannah Mendoza
 - b. Gabriela Hernandez
 - c. Ellen Bezanson
 - d. Ashley Momoh
 - e. Daylon Hawn
 - f. Lisa Dalton
 - g. Andrea Allen
 - h. Charley Garcia
 - i. Elizabeth Meza
 - j. Samantha Elizalde
- III. Introductions
 - a. Each student found a photo that they have posted on social media that was special to them and explained why they chose it.
- IV. Information Item
 - a. Savannah: Voting members are those who have been appointed to the Committee. If not yet appointed, fill out a Committee Interest to begin the process if eligible.
- V. Information Item
 - a. Savannah: The mission of the Sacramento State City Ambassadors is to inform, educate, and involve students in civic engagement while bringing awareness to community issues and bringing higher education issues to the community. Students will be learning about city-wide issues and learn how to get involved in the local community, but also learn the necessary tools to advocate for higher education issues at the local level.
- VI. Information Item
 - a. Savannah: The Board's first strategic priority is to Participate in Advocacy Efforts. The City Ambassadors Committee will help fulfill those strategic priorities through voter registration and increased policy advocacy.



CITY AMBASSADORS MEETING
University Union, Third Floor, Folsom Room
September 26, 2019
4:00 pm
MINUTES

VII. Discussion Item

- a. Savannah: City Ambassadors will be divided into three phases: about the local process, about the issues, and taking action. We will first be getting a better understanding about how local government is structured and its legislative process. After the Committee identifies the issues they would like to work on, we will be doing research on those issues and learning more about them at the local level. The committee will then select what action they want to take to address these issues.

VIII. Discussion Item

- a. Students were given an index card where they can write what issues they are interested in working on and what skills they would like to learn.
- b. Charley: Interested in the cost of education
Elizabeth: local issues in general
Gabriela: DACA, environmental sustainability, access to healthcare
Ellen: Environment, housing, transportation
Ashley: Transportation, environment
Daylon: Accessibility on campus, transportation
Lisa: Transportation, homelessness
Andrea: Financial aid, how the local legislative process works
Samantha: Financial aid, homelessness

IX. Announcements

- a. Savannah: IGNITE is movement of young women who are ready and eager to become the next generation of political leaders. Sac State will be the next college to have an IGNITE chapter to engage and empower students in the political process and run for office.

Next City Ambassadors meeting will be Thursday, October 10th. Please bring 3 or more ideas of possible issue areas you would like the committee to work on.

- b. Samantha: Join Green Team to get involved with environmental issues. Join other committees on campus.

X. Meeting Adjourned - 4:48pm