

# CITY AMBASSADORS MEETING

October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020 4:00pm

#### AGENDA

#### **ZOOM Link:**

<u>https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74570229754?pwd=VVZqVnk0YXc0R</u> <u>3FOLzU3RIFaRIFRUT09#success</u>

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- I. Call to Order 4:05pm
- II. Roll Call- Chair Alexandria Tesch, Jose Arebalo, Sarah Bennett, Alejandro Buenrostro, Gabriela Hernandez, Ashley Iyabo Momoh, Korey Jones, Johnathan Leong, Edleen Roberts
- III. Approval of Minutes (Current Voting Members)
- **IV.** Introductions

-Each attending member introduced themselves by sharing their name, year, major, and either their favorite conspiracy theory or favorite volunteering experience.

# V. Information Item

# a. Vice Chair and Outreach Coordinator Positions

-Discussed the roles of the Vice Chair and Outreach Coordinator positions. The position of the Vice Chair holds the responsibilities to record minutes for each meeting, assist with creating the

agenda, and must be present for all meetings. The Outreach Coordinator must do research on various community organizations and initiatives pertaining to our issue areas, help establish a relationship between organizations and City Ambassadors, and research plus share opportunities for engagement.

## VI. Discussion Item

# a. Current Issues

-Each member shared about issues they are passionate about that are facing our community. Some topics that were brought up were the following:

-Help with connecting the student body with the Sacramento community

-Homelessness

-Prison Reform

-Food Security

-Development of housing cooperatives

-Employment

-Racial Inequalities

-Supporting parents

-Mental Health

-Basic Needs

We discussed what programs are already working on these issues on our campus, how COVID-19 has impacted these things, and which ones overlap. We talked about how we can group these issues together to create broader topics that then the subcommittees would choose the direction in which they will plan to work. We came to the idea of having our first issue area be called "Underserved Students" and the second issue area being "Basic Needs Insecurities". Originally, we thought of having a third focus area being called "Community Outreach" however we decided to not continue with that since we would be having an Outreach Coordinator. We decided to table the conversation until our next meeting so we could have a third issue that we could then vote on them all at once.

#### VII. Announcements

-The three announcements were:

- 1. Think about what you would like the third issue area to be
- Email the Chair a statement if they were interested in being appointed as the Vice Chair or Outreach Coordinator
- 3. The next meeting is October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2020 at 4pm on Zoom.
- VIII. Adjournment 5:07pm

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