

**THE RICHARD STOCKTON
COLLEGE
OF NEW JERSEY
STUDENT SENATE**

**Notice of Meeting
February 24, 2009
4:30 p.m.
G-wing Lounge**

Pomona, New Jersey 08240-0195 - (609) 652-4845

STUDENT-SENATE MEETING
AGENDA

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- I. Call to Order/Roll Call
- II. Approval of Minutes
- III. President's Report
- IV. Committee Reports
 - A. Finance
 - B. Public Relations
 - C. Academic Policies
 - D. School Spirit
 - E. Student Welfare
- V. Announcements/Comments from the Public
- VI. Adjournment

2008-2009 Student Senate Meeting
Minutes from
February 10, 2009

Presiding: Ashley Pero

Members Present: Brian Ackerman
Jonathan Beloff
Brian Brateris
Kevin Devine
William Elmore
Precious Jemibewon
Melissa Gonzalez
Gentae Kemp
Dawn Leiser
John Livros
Matthew Miller
Timothy Papp
Yochil Ramirez
Gregory Ramos
Jamey Robinson
Iris Ruffin
Danielle Sanzone
Josh Spada
Tamika Thompson
Duanaya Williams

Members Absent: William Newkirk
Sammy Sanchez*
Sara Sterling*
Xilena Viana*

*Notified Chair

Members Late: Jamie Evans
Frank Matthews

Agenda/Business: Ashley called the meeting to order. Senators who were absent or
seconded by William Elmore.

Dawn wanted the minutes to reflect that Joseph LoSasso,
Registrar, did not say they will be hiring new professors but will look into scheduling
more lab times.

Motion Passed: 20-0-1*

*Senator Abstained: Ashley Pero

Frank arrived at this time.

President's Report: Ashley Pero

Ashley thanked everyone who attended the memorial service for Officer Maria Parziale.

~~Min President's Report: Maria Parziale~~

~~It was decided to pick up the tablets from their mailboxes.~~

~~Committee Report: Finance~~

~~From the report of the committee regarding the 2010-2011 budget requests for some of the student organizations.~~

Water Watch submitted a supplemental in the amount of \$5,000 to fund their annual environmental current to be held in April to study the local geology. Timothy moved to approve the supplemental, seconded by

*Senator Abstained: Ashley Pero

Geology Club submitted a supplemental in the amount of \$1,046.30 to fund their annual trip to Utah and Arizona to visit the areas National Parks and study the local geology. Timothy moved to approve the supplemental, seconded by

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Economics Society submitted a supplemental in the amount of \$493 to fund speakers, refreshments and local trips. Gretchen moved to approve the supplemental, seconded by Jonathan

Senators Opposed: Jonathan DeCh, Kevin DeVito, Dawn Boice, Matthew Miller, Danielle Sanzone, and Josh Spada
Senators Abstained: Matthew Miller and Ashley Pero

The Criminal Justice Pre-Law Society submitted a supplemental in the amount of \$2600 to fund a trip to a conference to be held from March 10-14. Gretchen moved to approve the supplemental, seconded by Josh.

Motion Passed: 21-0-1*

*Senator Abstained: Ashley Pero

Find a trip to Pennsylvania? 2000 a national conference for students interested in topics regarding climate change.

Duanaya moved to approve the supplemental, seconded by Gretchen.

Motion Passed: 19-1-2*

*Senators Opposed: Jonathan Beloff
Senators Abstained: Brian Brateris and Ashley Pero

Multicultural Connection submitted a supplemental in the amount of \$2,500 to fund their Annual Multicultural Dinner. Duanaya moved to approve the supplemental, seconded by Gretchen.

Motion Passed: 19-0-3*

*Senators Opposed: Jonathan Beloff
Senators Abstained: Brian Brateris, Frank Matthews and Ashley Pero

Public Relations

Matthew reported that the ACF Hardware donation program raised \$10,000 more than anticipated for the National Fire Protection Association.

Matthew then stated that the committee worked together to support the National Fire Protection Association's efforts to reduce violence. They are also working with the Academic Policies Committee to promote their events during the month of February.

Matthew concluded his report by stating that the committee

Academic Policies

Dawn stated that the committee discussed the plans to assist the new non-profit business in organizing food, clothing, toiletries and all other items for the Atlantic City shelter.

Dawn reported that the committee discussed a fundraiser for the shelter to be held at the Atlantic City Public Library.

Dawn concluded by stating that the committee will be addressing the issue of textbooks in the bookstore. They will be asking the bookstore to submit textbooks to the bookstore early to prevent long lines.

School Spirit

Danielle stated that the committee discussed plans for the Spring Carnival. They will meet with Chartwells and the bookstore to discuss the event.

Danielle then reported that the committee discussed further plans
upper G-wing lounge.

Student Welfare

Dorian Diavolis reported that he tested woodwork and was satisfied
with the delivery. He recommended that students get the wood out as this service would
be great for club meetings.

Duanava asked how late the delivery service could be used - Robin
Gillespie, Senior Director of Dining Services, stated that students should be able to use

Dorian then stated that he went to the Bookstore to discuss the
will be meeting with the Bookstore again to address the issue further

Management, Donald Woolslayer, regarding the possible construction of a roof over the
hockey rink.

Dorian concluded by reporting that Semmy is still speaking with
Amenities regarding substitute food usage for students

A student representative from the Career Center announced that
there would be a Career and Internship Fair February 10th from 10 am - 2 pm in the Sports
Center.

Rebel Stark, Associate Director of Residential Life, announced
located in Housing 5.

Radner Jackson, Associate Professor of Philosophy, gave updates
for Dr. Jackson. The House of Phoen released 75 tickets for the college to sell to
students at half price. They will be selling t-shirts soon. Joseph Lizza, Assistant Director
of the College Center, then announced that with the assistance of Residential Life, the
tickets will be discounted to \$5 and they are working on transportation.

Adjournment. Assembly adjourned the meeting at 7:15 p.m.