



# SAN DIEGO MIRAMAR COLLEGE ASSOCIATED STUDENT GOVERNMENT



Meeting Minutes | March 6th, 2026, 9:00 AM

**\*Supplemental Materials Can Be Found Here:**

<https://sites.google.com/view/asgmiramar/official-documents>

## Meeting Location

San Diego Miramar College  
10440 Black Mountain Rd, K1-107  
San Diego, CA 92126

- I. **ORDER OF BUSINESS** | 5 minutes
  - A. **Call to order**
    - a. President Ariella called the meeting to order at 9:09 am.
  - B. **Roll Call**

Executive Council Members		Attendance
President Ariella O'Garro		P
Vice President David Yang		P
Secretary Anchal Verma		P
Treasurer Michael Fuzy		P
Senate Representative Jind Mann		Excused
Senate Members		Attendance
Senator Mekael Ahmed		P
Senator Lily-Grace Balilo		P
Senator Kyla Bertel		A
Senator Ayaan Bhatkar		L-9:21
Senator Iha Chakravarty		P
Senator Marcus Hernandez		P
Senator Kristine Huynh		L
Senator Jenish Jayswal		Excused
Senator Thomas Kuo		P
Senator Nicole Le		L-9:15
Senator Angela Liu		L-9:15
Senator Nathan Obermiller		A
Senator Ryan Pacheco		P
Senator Kshitij Pete		P
Senator Tien Pham		P
Senator Evelyn Shoemaker		P
Senator Suhana Suman		P
Senator Liana Wong		Excused
Senator <i>Vacant</i>		

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Club Representatives		Attendance
Arise and Shine Club		
Art Haus Club		P
Biology Club		
Chemistry Club		
Chi Gong Club		
Computer Science Club		
Diesel Skills Club		
Dungeons and Dragons Club		P
Filipino American Student Association (FASA)		P
Game Development Club		
Girls Who Code		
Health & Fitness Club		
International Student Club		
Live Entertainment Club		P
Math Club		
MESA Club		
Miramar Badminton Club		
Miramar Business Club		
Miramar College Engineering Club		P
Miramar Jamz (formerly Music Club)		
Miramar Pre-Dental Club		
Miramar Transfer Club (formerly General Transfer Association)		
Muslim Student Association		
Phi Theta Kappa (PTK)		
Pre-Med Club		P
Psychology Club		
Society of Women Engineers (SWE)		P
SPECTRUM		
Student Veterans Organization (SVO)		
Sustainability Club		P
Tabletop Games Club		P
Urban Scholars		
Women in STEM		P

**C. Recognition of Visitors**

- D. David Hoffman - introduced that he's representing the coalition club, which is a new club on campus
- E. Josiah - shared that they're starting a Pre-PA club

**F. Public Comment:**

- a. This segment of the meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address the San Diego Miramar College Associated Student Government (ASG) on any matter of concern that is not stated on the agenda and two (2) minutes per speaker shall be observed.
- b. Advisor Joseph - if you're graduating, he has applications for becoming a commencement speaker. He also has applications for the ASG general election for those who would like to continue being a part of ASG next year or would like to join.
- c. President Airella - reminded club reps and new senators that they can make motions

**G. Approval & Amendments of Agenda**

- a. Sen Marcus motioned to approve the 3/6/26 agenda. Seconded by the Pre-Med Club Rep.

## H. Approval of Minutes

- a. FASA Club Rep motioned to approve 2/27/26 minutes. Seconded by Sustainability Club Rep.

## II. SPECIAL ORDERS

- A. N/a

## III. PRESENTATIONS

- A. N/a

## IV. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. N/a

## V. NEW BUSINESS

### A. ASG Constitution | 20 minutes

- a. Sen Kshitij and Treasurer Michael shared that they're looking to get input on the revised constitution.
- b. Sen Michael - shared that Governance got rid of a lot of unnecessary stuff in the constitution, fixed grammar, touched up roles and responsibilities, and removed the communications and outreach committee.
- c. Sen Kshitij - explained that we were supposed to have 6 execs after the Fall election, but we didn't write the position on the election ballot, so they never got elected. There was also supposed to be a committee headed by the outreach coordinator, but that also didn't get implemented because we didn't elect the exec position. The coordinator would've been expected to update the website and maintain the Instagram page.
- d. They plan on making outreach and communications a recurring senator project in place of having an official exec take on the responsibilities. They also plan on adjusting the unit requirement. Previously, senators would struggle to meet the requirements because they're expected to take half of their units at Miramar. However, even though they consider themselves to be a fully Miramar student, they may not be officially considered a "Miramar" student because of the lack of units. The compromise is that they shouldn't be taking more units in total at other colleges. For example, if a student takes 6 classes at Miramar, and 4 at City and Mesa, they won't meet the rule because the majority of units from "outside" colleges are the majority. Another change involves club support. They don't want defunct clubs to hold off money from other clubs. They're open to exploring ideas on how to better manage those club funds. Discussed their concern about the special elections. When we have more than 1 person running for an exec position, the person who doesn't get voted in can't get a Senator position despite the senator position vacancies. Decided that you can also run for Senator while running for the exec position (can submit a packet for each position).
- e. Tabletop games club - commented that the person who ran for treasurer may have only had a goal to be a treasurer, not a senator. Sen Kshitij - explained that it's up to them if they also apply to be a senator. And the current ASG members can vote on who they think fits the position best.
- f. Art Haus club - explained that they would want to be involved in general, even without getting an exec position. Sen Kshitij - emphasized that they don't want to scare people from running for an exec position because of the uncertainty of holding a position in ASG.

### B. ASG Budget | 15 minutes

- a. Treasurer Michael presented the ASG budget. Explained that he simplified the budget. Listed the breakdown of the budget and the money assigned to each category. Sandra would pull out money from the supply budget.
- b. Made a couple of revisions. Talked with the committee co-chairs and decided that he'll be taking out funds from their budgets and put it into events and clubs. Listed what he's working on right now. Turned in the reimbursements for Lily-Grace and Tabletop Games Club Rep. Will be working on the Vending 5000.

- c. Tabletop Games Club - Is there a comparison between last year's and this year's budget? Treasurer Michael - responded that he got rid of the capital outlay pool and ASG general funds. He also got rid of some of the accounts on the budget and computed a new budget.
- d. VP David - explained what happened last semester. Instead of taking money from the committee's funds, they took money from the supply's funds. Now, we're taking money from the committee funds that haven't been touched yet to support other things.
- e. Advisor Joseph - how would you fund the microwave without the capital outlay funds?
- f. President Ariella - asked for clarification from Joseph. Joseph - explained his concern that if it's over \$500 and we don't have an expense line from capital outlay funds, how would we be able to purchase the microwave? President Ariella - shared that she looked into prices, and microwaves cost below \$500.
- g. Treasurer Michael - talked with Sandra about the budget, and she suggested that it's okay to not have the capital outlay funds because of the tedious process of pulling money from it.
- h. Advisor Shelly - how do you want reimbursement requests to be communicated to you? Treasurer Michael - for committees, they should have an itemized list, the minutes with the motion and second, a physical receipt, and important info like the student ID and mailing address.
- i. Tabletop games club - how many events can a club do? President Ariella - there isn't a limit for events, but there is a maximum amount of money that clubs can pull out each semester. Treasurer Michael - shared that the max is \$750.
- j. Sen Kshitij motioned to approve the presented budget. Seconded by the Tabletop games club rep.
- k. Secretary Anchal conducted a roll call vote, and the motion was passed by majority vote.

## VI. STANDING ITEMS

### A. Committee Meetings | 35 minutes

- a. Future Events (K1-107)
- b. Student Life & Wellness (Jet Fuel Resource Center)
- c. Governance (Student Affairs Conference Room)

## VII. REPORTS | 20 minutes

### A. Executive Reports

- a. President
  - b. Visited the Muses Club, went to USC council meeting (shared updates: 3/19 - city event will have a tabling opportunity, pride parade is in the planning process, bookmark contest (monetary compensation and bookmark will be given out for free))
- c. Vice President
  - No reports
- d. Secretary
  - Shared that Senate Rep Jind will be sharing a Discord message later today in place of the senator debrief. Encouraged senators to attend the Leadership and Networking Event after the meeting.
- e. Treasurer
  - No reports
- f. Senate Representative
  - N/A

### B. Region X Reports

- a. Attended the delegate assembly. They will be sponsoring students from the MESA college to attend.

- b. Discussed funding-related items

**C. Senator Reports**

- a. No reports

**D. ASG Committee Reports**

- a. Future Events

- Earthchella (4/22) - game trucks, knoa ice, auditions
- 3/19 - club rush, will be designing merch
- Tabletop games club rep will be getting breakfast for the 3/13 meeting

- b. Student Life & Wellness

- Finalized budget for Study Jam 2, need to run that by Senator Michael
- They need people for 3/22 to volunteer. Asked for a hand raise.

- c. Governance

- Constitution deadline is coming up - want to wrap things up soon
- Posted revised constitution doc on the Discord for people to review

**E. Club Reports**

- a. Women in STEM - Women in STEM and SWE will be having a collab event at 12 pm today in the MESA center. They'll be giving out starbucks gift cards

**F. Advisory Reports**

- a. Joseph Hankinson

- Thanked Caroline, Lily-Grace, Brian, Michael for helping out at the Pizza Night
- Gave a reminder about the 3/19 club rush
- Asked people to help set up tablecloths for the networking event

- b. Dean Barnard

- c. Shelly Parks

- Tuesday (12:30-1:30) - Savvy Savings, Financial Aid Workshop
- Wednesday (during college hour) - food and mood, collaborating with Mental Health (free food)

**VIII. COMMUNICATIONS ON THE FLOOR**

- A. This time is reserved for any members to make announcements on items not on the agenda. A time limit of two (2) minutes per speaker shall be observed and the total time limit for this item shall not be extended. Additionally, no action will be taken.
- B. VP David - shared that Governance went through everything they'll be amending in the constitution. The deadline to get this voted on is in April. So, over the course of the next few weeks, everyone will be getting updates on the progress.
- C. Tabletop games - extended the invitation to buy breakfast for future events. President Ariella - asked for a show of hands on who would be interested in getting breakfast. Women in STEM - volunteered to get breakfast

**IX. ADJOURNMENT**

- A. Meeting scheduled to end at 11:00 am.
- B. Sen Marcus motioned to adjourn the meeting at 10:28 am. Seconded by Sen Thomas.