

**Associated Students of Orange Coast College (ASOCC)
Student Government of Orange Coast College (SGOCC)
Student Senate**

AGENDA

Wednesday, April 6, 2016; 3:00 p.m.

ASOCC Office

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Student Senate will hold a meeting on Wednesday, April 6, 2016 at 3:00 pm. Pursuant to the Government Code Section 54955 and 54954.2(b) (3), the Student Senate may adjourn, reconvene, and re-adjourn from time to time, as may be necessary to transact business. Unfinished items on the agenda may be trailed to the following meeting pending the approval of the Student Senate. Those wishing to address the Student Senate shall be present during public forum and express their concern. The Student Senate reserves the right to modify the order of items on this agenda. For further information, please contact Student Senate President Ryan L. Carr at rcarr12@student.cccd.edu.

Attachment 1

4/6/2016 Agenda Item V.01 - Proposed changes to the Constitution of the Associated Students of Orange Coast College.
The proposed modifications are highlighted in yellow.

Part II: Constitution of the Associated Students of Orange Coast College

Article II - Name and Membership

Section A: Name

1. The name of the organization shall be the Associated Students of Orange Coast College and hereafter referred to as the ASOCC.

Section B: Membership

1. To be a member of the ASOCC in any given semester, individuals must be enrolled in at least one course at Orange Coast College and have paid the current semester's College Service Charge.

Article III - Student Government of Orange Coast College

Section A: Purpose

1. The Student Government of Orange Coast College, hereafter referred to as the SGOCC, serves to represent the interests of ASOCC in that it recognizes that members within ASOCC are diverse, thereby making it distinct from other bodies within the campus community.

Section B: Framework of Authority

1. All powers, acts, and responsibilities of the ASOCC and SGOCC are subject to the policies of Orange Coast College and the authority of the President of Orange Coast College, as well as the policies and authority of the Coast Community College District and its Board of Trustees and state and federal law.
2. This framework of authority does not diminish or impede the rights and duties of the SGOCC to either advocate for policies that the SGOCC finds to be in the interest of the ASOCC or oppose those policies contrary to that interest. The SGOCC shall not be answerable to any body or entity other than the ASOCC for its positions on any matters.

Section C: Composition and Membership

1. The SGOCC shall be composed of the following entities branches: the Student Senate, the Executive Board, the Inter-Club Council, College Life Committee, Fiscal Affairs Council, Advocacy Committee, and their subsidiaries. All members of these entities shall be the officers of the SGOCC.
2. Requirements for serving as an elected officer in the SGOCC shall not exceed the minimum qualifications set by California law and will be addressed in the bylaws. Elected SGOCC officers must meet these conditions at the beginning of their term and must be in continuous compliance during their term, excepting summer session, winter session, holidays, and the first two weeks of the Fall and Spring semesters that begin during their terms.

Article VI - Bylaws

Section A: Establishment of Bylaws

1. The ASOCC Constitution allows for the creation of bylaws to provide specific procedures, requirements, and general guidance regarding the implementation of the mandates and intent of this constitution.

Section B: Division of Bylaws

1. The Student Senate shall have the power to create, amend, and abolish all bylaws of this constitution with the exception of the Inter-Club Council bylaws.
2. Bylaws shall be ordered according to the article of this constitution they most closely pertain to and will be labeled as such.

Section C: Changing Bylaws

1. Student Senate
 - a. The Student Senate may remove, add, or otherwise modify bylaws under its jurisdiction by a majority, provided that all members of the Student Senate have been notified at least seven (7) days prior to voting for any proposed change.
2. Inter-Club Council (ICC)
 - a. ICC shall have sole authority to make changes to bylaws for the ICC except when such changes are held unconstitutional by the Student Senate.
 - b. The ICC may not grant power to any other entity to make changes to the ICC bylaws.
 - c. The bylaws for the Inter-Club Council may be changed by majority of the ICC Delegates or the ICC Board.
1. Recommendations to remove, add, or otherwise modify the bylaws may originate from a an SGOCC branch or from the Constitution & Bylaws Committee.
 - a. Recommendations Originating from an SGOCC Branch
 - i. An SGOCC branch shall present an amendment, endorsed by a 2/3 majority of the present voting membership, to the Constitution & Bylaws Committee.

ii. The Constitution & Bylaws Committee must review the recommended