

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

AGENDA

Wednesday, April 13, 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 13, 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.

Organizational Items

- I.01** Call to Order
- I.02** Roll Call
- I.03** Opportunity for Pledge of Allegiance
- I.04** Approval of Minutes

II. Public Forum

This time is reserved for members of the public to address the Senate on issues on or not already appearing on the agenda. A limit of five (5) minutes per speaker and fifteen (15) minutes per topic will be enforced. This is not a period of discussion for the Senate, however, the Senate President may respond to specific questions and concerns made by the public.

III. Reports

- III.01** Fiscal Affairs Council Report and Recommendation(s) for Possible Student Senate Action

- V.01** **2016-2017 ASOCC Budget**
Discussion and possible action regarding the adoption of the proposed 2016-2017 ASOCC Budget in the amount of \$1,661,216.44.
- V.02** **Open 2016-2017 Student Senate Seats**
Discussion and possible action regarding the lack of candidates for the 2016-2017 Student Senate and reopening applications.
- V.03** **Higher One Financial Services**
Presentation by Jessica Riestra regarding the Coast Community College District's Consultation Council discussion of Higher One Financial Services. Discussion and possible action to follow.
- V.04** **Academic Senate Retreat**
Presentation by Ryan Carr regarding the Academic Senate Retreat. Discussion and possible action to follow.
- V.05** **SGOCC Policy 2001 - SGOCC Election Code**
Presentation by Joshua Recalde regarding the proposed changes to SGOCC Policy 2001 section 18. Discussion and possible action to follow.
- V.06** **California State Legislation**
Discussion and possible endorsement of California State legislative bills SB 1357, AB 13, & AB 2766.

VI. Public Forum Two

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VII. General SGOCC Reports

- VII.01** **Advisors' Report (Limited to 2 minutes per report)**
VII.02 **Board, Officer and Staff Reports (Limited to 2 minute per person)**

VIII. Adjournment

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 by