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ASCOM
MINUTES
 (April 3, 2026)
 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Order of Business

- a. Call to Order: 12:00pm
- b. Roll Call:

OFFICERS	PRESENT	ABSENT
PRESIDENT ARTHUR HU	X	
VICE PRESIDENT ALVARO (AL) RODRIGUES	X	
STUDENT TRUSTEE EMILY CARDWELL	X	
SECRETARY MALISA NG APPOINTED: 1/23/26	X	
TREASURER STEFANIA SANTINI RODRIGUEZ	X	
SENATOR – TECHNOLOGY JESS SCHIFFMAN	X	
SENATOR – STUDENT ACTIVITIES & SERVICES RAY MCCLURE	X	
SENATOR – STUDENT ACTIVITIES & SERVICES LUCA MAGALHAES	X	
SENATOR – PUBLIC RELATIONS & MARKETING KAI MCCARTHY	X	

SENATOR – PUBLIC RELATIONS & MARKETING SIRAWIT (MARC) CHANSATEIN	X	
STATE STUDENT SENATE REP. FARHAN KHALIQ	X	
ESCOM REPRESENTATIVE VACANT (NON-VOTING MEMBER)	N/A	

ASCOM ADVISORS: SADIKA SULAIMAN HARA AND TEA PERALES

AUXILIARY MEMBERS: Vladislav Verbitschi

MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC:

- c. Adoption of the Agenda: Jess, Luca
- d. Approval of the Minutes: Jess, Ray
- e. Public Comment

a. This segment of the meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address the ASCOM Executive Board on any matter of concern that is not stated on the agenda. A time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and ten (10) minutes per topic shall be observed. The law does not permit any action to be taken nor extended discussion of any items not on the agenda. The ASCOM Board or Members may respond briefly to questions or statements, however, for more information please contact the ASCOM President or Secretary to have an item placed on the next regular meeting agenda. (Brown Act 54954.3)

I. New Business (Actions May Be Taken)

Motion: Marc, Jess

- a. Discussion/action to approve NTE \$2,100 from acct.#7200 (Intrafund Club) and transfer into acct. 9576-26 (has \$619.11) to have “Heritage of Asia and the Pacific Club” purchase food and supplies for “API Movie Night,” “Pacific Islander Art & Storytelling Showcase,” “PUENTE/HAP End of Year Party,” and a museum visit on April 25th. Presentation by club members.

Motion: Ray, Luca

Mark: I am the advisor for the Heritage of Asia and the Pacific Club on campus, and Hannah is actually a former board member, the former VP of HAP, who is now working here at COM, and is joining as our co-advisor for the club, which is really cool. So there's kind of, like, a little legacy going on with HAP. And today we are requesting some funds from the ASCOM budget, and I think I'm going to pass it off to Hannah to talk about our impact so far in the last two years since we've utilized previous ASCOM funds, and then

we're going to talk about the actual specifics, which are on the sheets that are provided in front of you.

Hannah: Hi, everyone! So, I just wanted to tell you about HAP. First of all, HAP is a community that's focused on social, and as well as, like, the academic lives of students. We want to really support them in expressing their own cultures and finding a safe space on campus, as well as, like, through different activities so that they can meet one another, and in academic lives, we have study sessions and things such as that, and I'll get more into that. But in terms of our data, we've consistently had 40+ student members and 32 staff supporters. As I was saying, we hold study rooms in Puente. On average, we get about 20 students that use this space weekly, and then our events are pretty big as well. We get an average of 20 students joining our events, and as you can see below, like, always pretty popular with food and lots of smiles. And so, I want to talk a little bit about what we've accomplished in these already almost two to three years now, is we've really focused on community building and expression of AAPI culture. I think there's not really been a stable space, or a consistent space for AAPI students. And so, through our potlucks, and our movie nights, and even a few field trips that we've held, we're really able to help students feel a real sense of community and pride, and campus involvement. And we've talked to the students about how this has helped their self-esteem and, like, forming new connections on campus. And so those types of cultural events we also are really proud of. Our AAPI Heritage Month that we held with ASCOM, we had a lot of different students come through and learn about different AAPI figures that were really important, and learned how to do origami. It was really fun. And then we also hold Lunar New Year, which is an event that we hold in conjunction with the AAPI staff, which, again, more learning about AAPI cultures, and it's just overall really great. We focus on the social aspect of these students, but also kind of the academic aspect. So, we try to academically empower them through study sessions, transfer workshops, which personally have really helped me. Study sessions and transfer workshops that are held in a space that is dedicated for AAPI students, I think makes it more approachable and more friendly that this space is for you, you belong here. And then we're also offering scholarship resources, and within the study sessions, we have a lot of people that work in the TLC that are willing to offer their time. And we see this really helps students to raise their GPA, and have overall confidence in interacting with staff and faculty, and just in classes as well. And there are some more events that we can't wait to host. We've already held a few movie nights. Last, I think Thursday, we held... or sorry, last Tuesday, we held a movie night where we watched *Turning Red*, which is a really, really great AAPI film. If you haven't watched it, I truly recommend it. Always makes me cry. But we have food, and we had games and stuff, and people were having a good time just getting to know one another and watch the movie and learn a little bit about AAPI culture. And so, through more cultural potlucks and movie nights, and even just weekly study hours, we're finding that people are really able to come together, learn more about each other, and just have a community that they're really, really proud of. And so we hope to continue growing that community by taking them on field trips to the Asian Art Museum, and having more cultural exploration activities as well, so cultural storytelling, and highlighting empowering movements and figures and AAPI history. We also hope to, once again, collaborate with ASCOM for AAPI Heritage Month, where we can highlight different languages, history, clothing, food. I think we did something similar with ASCOM last year, and I think it was really well received by students. And then, Mark, I think I'm going to pass this back to you.

Mark: Yeah, so that brings us to this year. Our full budget request is \$2,100, which is, I think \$900 less than last year, but this year we're really focusing on kind of finishing out the semester with a lot of events, so we do have a movie night that's coming out, I believe next Thursday on the 9th. I think on the sheet in front of you, you'll see that it's kind of broken down into these big categories. The biggest one are the events, because food is a really good incentive for folks to come in, but then with that, we also want to incorporate food within the movie nights, but then also having a pre-activity, so it's not just folks coming in, watching the movie together, but they also get to interact with each other and maybe learn how to draw one of the heritage flowers that we have across all of our different cultures. We also have our year-end party. We're going to collaborate with PUENTE, and we are tasked with providing the drinks and some activities for that event, and we also want to provide 10 students with HAP stoles for graduation, just so we can send off our students with that pride, and they can bring it to them when they transfer to a different institution. And then we also have food and drinks. This was actually one of the bigger categories last year, because we had Puente, and we were providing a lot of, kind of... a way to provide more culturally relevant basic needs for students, so they can come in and get snacks. So, to end out the year, we want to provide some of those snacks in the spaces, just so folks can come in and study and not have to bounce between the different resources. And on this next slide is a full breakdown of everything, and our estimates for each of those events. And I think... that's about it.

Jess: So, if I understand correctly, this is all the money that HAP is requesting for the remainder of the semester?

Mark: Yes, that's right.

Jess: Okay. So that's why it's so big.

Mark: That's right, yes. As y'all know, we haven't requested any funding in the fall. We used some excess funds from last year to kind of support, and then we went a little bit more... we went into, like, potlucks and things like that, so it was lower cost for a lot of the events.

Al: And are the events... For example, you have \$750 to go to the museum. Is that open for the school, or is that only club members?

Mark: It's open for the school. We submit it out into our mailing list first, but we also post flyers around campus as well. So it's open for everyone.

Al: Every single one of those?

Mark: Every one of those.

Al: Okay, cool.

Arthur: And you said you had a lot of leftover money from last year. How did that happen?

Mark: I think there was \$400 from last year. I think for the events, maybe we overcalculated what the expenses were.

Al: Are you doing that for this one?

Mark: No, I'm giving a little bit of a cushion for taxes or anything that might come up for that, but those are, like, roughly how much we have.

Arthur: The other concern is clubs requesting funding for the entire semester, because I feel like that kind of rewards clubs for coming to us while we still have money and request for all the events, and I don't know if that's equitable for other clubs that come to request for one specific thing, and then they come later on the semester, and then if there's clubs that, you know, get \$2,000 for the entire semester, those clubs that require per event may

not have funding later, so would you be comfortable just breaking this up? Like, which is your next event?

Mark: Yeah, our next event, it would be the AAPI movie night, next Thursday. And then it would be the K-Pop Demon Hunters, and the museum visits. So those are the next events that are happening this month. And then the graduation stoles, those need to start production, probably by the second week of April for them to be processed, shipped, and delivered to us by graduation. So those are the more pressing things. And then the PUENTE supplies and snacks, those are kind of just ongoing requests for the room itself, so then we can provide it to students.

Hannah: Do you mind me adding something? Sorry, Mark. I just wanted to say last movie night, and I would expect also at previous movie nights, and for future ones as well, we have almost all of our food pretty much consumed, and all of our drinks gone by the end of the night. So, we have a lot of traction during these kinds of events, as well as, like, different field trips. The funds that we get are used incredibly well. And the pictures that you've seen throughout this presentation have also been a result of the funds that you provided us.

Emily: Yeah, and I also wanted to add that, it might feel like we have a lot more time left in the semester, but we're really starting to come down to it, like, a month and a half, and I know that the club has put in a lot of time into the budget, and I personally would feel comfortable granting this amount because of the way I've seen the budget used in previous years, and the way that we've granted funds to clubs of this size in previous semesters and years. That is my take.

Stefania: I will add something. I've been in one of the events, and I've seen a lot of students there, and it's for everybody, so yeah, I will give the money to them.

Al: Stefania, how much do we have left? Just out of curiosity.

Stefania: We have \$12,500. And it's the end of the semester, so every semester, they're going to get more money for the club.

Al: You also got to think, this is one of the big three clubs at the school. There's AGS, There's PTK, and then there's...

Arthur: Well, I guess usually I would have asked you guys if you could fundraise for at least \$12,000. Alright, any other questions?

Motion to Vote: Jess, Ray

10-0-0 PASSES

- b. Discussion/action to approve NTE \$300 from acct.#4500.04 (Event Supplies) to purchase pizza for the Clothesline Project event. Reimburse ASCOM and/or Sadika's P-Card. Presentation by event co-leads.

Motion: Jess, Ray

Ray: So, we were hoping to order some pizza for the Clothesline Project. We're going to be telling you more in detail about it next week. So just a few pieces, Luca knows more in detail how many pizzas we need.

Arthur: Is it Mountain Mike's?

Luca: It's Mountain Mike's, yeah. So, we'll be getting a discount that we have there.

Motion to Vote: Jess, Kai

10-0-0 PASSES

- c. Discussion/action to amend item A from 3/27/26 ASCOM minutes to approve NTE \$420.00 from acct.#7300 (Interfund Transfer MCC Departments) to have COM Hip Hop Dance Class led by faculty Mariella Morales purchase tickets to watch a live dance production. PRs and FOAP to follow. Presentation by: Eloisa Costa.

Motion: Jess, Ray

Eloisa: This was the item you approved last week, but they had miscalculated their total amount, and it ended up being \$420. It's just to adjust the total amount of tickets.

Motion to Vote: Ray, Luca

10-0-0 PASSES

- d. Discussion/action to approve NTE \$30 from acct.#4500.01 (Office Supplies) to purchase Wii supplies for ASCOM. Reimburse ASCOM or Sadika's P-Card. Presentation by: ASCOM Senator of Technology, Jess Schiffman.

Motion: Ray, Jess

Jess: Okay, so basically, last week, I figured out that there is a HDMI port on that pool of outlets that connects to the projector, which means we don't have to do anything weird or sketchy with a cable dangling. So, this was originally going to be \$30 for both a specific adapter that would allow the Wii U to just use a regular HDMI cable instead of the RGB one it currently has. And then also the cable itself, but I was talking to Eloisa recently, and she said that IT might be able to provide us with that cable. We talked about it, and the two of us decided that the best way to do things would be approve the full 30, and that way, if IT can't get the cable, we can still buy it. And if we don't end up needing the full 30, the rest of the money just goes back. Does that sound good with y'all? The dongle by itself is 12 bucks.

Al: Sadika, where does this Wii come from? Because I've been curious. It's been in the room for a minute. Is the Wii that we have here ours, is that brought from a previous board?

Sadika: Yep, it was bought by a previous board to be used to have different game events with other students. So, just like you all do chess, people would come and play the Wii.

Al: Do we have games in it, Jess?

Jess: Yes, there is Super Mario Galaxy, and I believe Zelda Skyward Sword.

Al: We can also approve more games in the future.

Jess: Totally. This is just to get the bare minimum working. We can definitely spend more of our budget on games in the future.

Arthur: But how much do we have left in the office supplies account? I know \$30 is not that much, but I'm just curious.

Stefania: We have \$2,341.

Al: I'm okay with that.

Motion to Vote: Kai, Al

10-0-0 PASSES

- e. Discussion/action to discuss the upcoming ASCOM Financial Award. Presentation by: ASCOM Treasurer, Stefania Rodriguez.

Motion: Ray, Jess

Stefania: So, as we mentioned before in past meetings, we have the financial award. And I said before that, I was thinking to apply. I already have a volunteer that is going to help me,

it's AI, but I need one more, so I wanted to ask you guys if one of you is available to evaluate who's going to be the winner. It's in April 15th.

Jess: Okay, what would this work entail?

Stefania: You will have access to the list, and you will read the essays, and vote for the winner.

Arthur: And just to clarify, if you're evaluating, you can't be on there, right?

Stefania: I'm not evaluating.

Arthur: But whoever's evaluating, they also can't apply?

Stefania: Yes. They cannot apply.

Ray: And is it for next semester? The grant?

Eloisa: It goes out at the end of the semester.

Arthur: Any volunteers?

Ray: And is it anonymously that you read the essays?

Stefania: Yeah. So everybody's going to apply?

Emily: I can help.

Stefania: Okay, thank you!

Arthur: Great. You just need one volunteer, right?

Stefania: I already have AI and Emily. Thank you.

- f. Discussion/action to discuss the debrief and takeaways from General Assembly 2026.

Presentation by: All board members.

Motion: Ray, Jess

Farhan: Alright, we have a slideshow. Alright, as you know, me and Jess, we went to General Assembly, and Tea came with us on Friday. It was at the Hyatt Regency, South San Francisco, and it was about an hour drive.

Jess: Wasn't too bad, it was fun.

Farhan: Next slide. This is the open area. That's where the check-in was, you have breakfast, lunch is there. In the ballroom, that's where everything happened. There were 100 colleges in attendance. Out of 116, around 800 people attended, so a lot was happening. That's Jerry, short for Gerardo. He ran the show, basically, kept everything in order, kept things moving. Next slide, resolutions. We voted on 60 total resolutions, almost one by one, there were, like, a few that we approved in bulk, but pretty much, one by one, we went through, read the resolutions, and voted on them. SSCCC elections happened. These are for statewide roles, like the treasurer, legislative affairs directors and all that good stuff.

Arthur: Did you run at all?

Farhan: I did not. The regional elections. So, we're in Region 3, that's the Bay Area.

Jess: Basically, the SSCCC is split up into 10 different regions, and region 3 is our region. We got some new delegates elected for us. Some resolutions that passed.

Farhan: 3 out of a lot. Improving math success across college campuses, establishing disabled studies classes, and pathways to law school programs at community colleges in the state.

Jess: So, there are a lot more than just these, but these were just some of the highlights.

Farhan: Some that failed. Study abroad programs across the California Community Colleges. There were only a few that did not get passed, and usually, these are all by very close votes. I think that one could have passed, but the speakers before were not very...

Jess: There was one that just atrocious.

Farhan: Expansion of MESA eligibility... Nicole, the advisor at MESA, actually reached out to me about this one, telling me to vote no, because it would just dilute, essentially, the resources they have. And instead of forcing everyone into one learning center, find the right one for everyone, like, specialize for them. Because there's more than just MESA, there's so many that we have.

Jess: And then, establishing a minimum 20-hour work weekly standard for student employment. This one was just worded really weirdly and very confusing. At least from what I've heard, the general consensus was, it was unclear what this would actually do if practically implemented.

Farhan: That was a good learning point to write exactly what you want to have.

Jess: Like, the intent of it was to make it so that schools would have a standard of 20 hours for student workers, so that they could still be on... was it CalFresh or Medi-Cal?

Farhan: Medicaid... one or two others, I think.

Jess: But just the actual wording made it imply that instead, it would force student workers to have a minimum of 20 hours, which isn't feasible for all student workers. One thing that you didn't put, that I want to talk about, too, is, some of the workshops and networking that got done. During the first day of the event, they had workshops. I went to two that were really interesting. One was talking about how to use your story for advocacy. And that was really fun, and I definitely feel like I got a lot out of that, in terms of being able to now better advocate for myself and the change I want to see. Then the other one was education, higher ed at the federal level, which I didn't take too much away from the workshop itself, but I did get a great opportunity to network with some people. I got to talk with someone who runs his college's Instagram, and they have over 10K followers. And so we got to exchange contacts and talk a bit about how they got so big, and ways that we could perhaps try to get better engagement on our stuff here at COM. And that is going to be stuff that I'm putting in my transition binder for the upcoming Senator of Tech.

Arthur: Well, thanks for going, guys.

Farhan: Any questions?

Ray: Was the food good?

Jess: No. They gave us two breakfasts, and one of them was literally just pastries. There was no protein. And then there were those questionable sandwiches that were not the vibe.

Farhan: Yeah, lunch and breakfast were questionable, and they didn't provide dinner, so we were able to just DoorDash.

Jess: Like, Chipotle and stuff. That was good. Those were the best meals. Oh, also, another fun thing, it was right next to the It's It Factory, so we got to get ice cream sandwiches.

- g. Discussion/action to discuss ASCOM Transition Binders. Presentation by: ASCOM President, Arthur Hu.

Motion: Ray, Luca

Arthur: Well, we should get started on the transition binder. Just a reminder that it is a requirement for getting your stipend, so if you want to get your stipend, do the transition binders.

Jess: What is the deadline to have them finished and turned in by?

Sadika: Tea, do you want to just let them know when the... so this is all going to happen simultaneously with your evaluation, so Tea will give you the date.

Tea: Yep, May 1st.

Arthur: May 1st. That's less than a month from now. Tea, do you want us to already be turning... can we already start turning them in?

Tea: Sure. Yeah.

Ray: Is there a requirement, like, I mean, a criteria?

Arthur: Yeah, so, if you look in the ASCOM Google Doc, you'll see the past positions for, like, maybe your position, the last guy's transition binder. I would take a lot of inspiration from that, like, obviously don't copy it, but, just to touch on most of the points that they touched on. It's basically to tell the next person who's going to be doing your job how to do your job.

Al: I also heard a suggestion from Tea that, you know, we're all learning as we go through the board right now, so we're all learning stuff at the events. So, it's also useful, you know, if you saw something you don't like at an event, or just something that could be done better, you can write it down, so you can remember it later, because when you got to do it, you might forget a lot of settings that we learned. So, something to help the next board better, right?

- h. Discussion/updates on upcoming programs. Presentation by: All board members.

Motion: Ray, Luca

Kai: Spring Crafts is about three weeks away. Jess, Emily, and I have been working on it. We're thinking of doing, I know for the crafts portion, collages, drawing, and one other thing, maybe we can find something, but today we're going to work on the budget report and finalize the dates so I can send in the posters.

Ray: We have the Clothesline Project, which is two weeks away, and things are going good, which is great. And then we do have the finals week, starting soon.

Luca: They're starting this week. This week is week 5. I made a group chat for you guys, and we'll talk with you after the meeting.

Arthur: Who's on there?

Luca: It's Arthur, Farhan, and Malisa.

- i. Discussion/action on budget report. Presentation by: ASCOM Treasurer, Stefania Rodriguez.

Motion: Ray, Luca

Stefania: So, for the office supplies account, we have a total of \$2,261.06. For the event supplies, we have \$6,500. For the department account, we have \$11,470. And for the club account, we have \$12,001.

II. Standing Business (Actions May NOT Be Taken)

Al, Ray

Officer Reports:

- i. PRESIDENT REPORT:

Arthur: I will be doing my office hours after this meeting. Other than that, not that much has happened. I got my test results back, and I'm waiting for the Berkeley letter.

- ii. VICE PRESIDENT REPORT:

Al: I've planned out the ICC meeting this week. I've met with Tea. I've been continuing to do a lot of campaigning. I had a Calc III exam this week, and I already have more exams to study for next week, and it's been really busy.

iii. STUDENT TRUSTEE REPORT:

Emily: I attended the Meet The Candidates event, and I had a really good time. It was cool to see all the interest it generated, and be able to talk to people at the event. I'm a little under the weather, low energy, but I completed lots of office hours this week, and I am attending the Centennial Gala tomorrow. I'll let you guys know how it goes.

iv. SECRETARY REPORT:

Malisa: I did half my office hours on Wednesday, and will complete them after this meeting, and I'll also be at the ICC meeting today. Mostly, this week has just been me working on my campaign. I was also at the Meet The Candidates event as a candidate.

v. TREASURER REPORT:

Stefania: I sent the posters for the financial award to Eloisa to print. I had a Calc III exam too, and I worked on the budget.

vi. SENATOR – TECHNOLOGY:

Jess: I did all my office hours this week. I went to GA last weekend, so I haven't been in the loop with the event planning, but I think we are going to have a meeting after this meeting. I also took part in the Meet The Candidates event, that was fun.

vii. SENATORS (2) – STUDENT ACTIVITIES & SERVICES REPORT:

Luca: I have attended most of my office hours, I helped out at the Meet The Candidates event, and just working on our upcoming events.

Ray: Luca and I have been working towards the Clothesline event. We've been getting stuff in order. I also did most my office hours, I have half an hour after this to do, and then we will be meeting with some of the event people.

viii. SENATORS (2) – PUBLIC RELATIONS & MARKETING REPORT:

Kai: I completed my office hours. I helped at the Meet The Candidates event, it was super fun interacting with people and handing out pizza. I'm going to work on the Springs Crafts event after this meeting.

Marc: I redesigned the Clothesline Project posters, and I campaigned a lot for the elections. I will attend my office hours after this meeting, and I just finished taking a Calc III exam.

ix. STATE STUDENT SENATE REPRESENTATIVE REPORT:

Farhan: I attended my office hours, went to General Assembly, and the Meet The Candidates event, and I was there for a bit, handing out pizza.

x. ESCOM REPRESENTATIVE REPORT:

xi. ASCOM ADVISORS REPORT:

Tea: Hey, everybody. Good to see you all. Last week, I wasn't at the meeting, I was at General Assembly. Just want to shout out and congratulate Farhan and Jess. Farhan really, you know, represented and had very long, rigorous days there, so, just want to congratulate you on the really important work that you did, and Jess also being super engaged and involved, and networking, and I'm just really proud of the representation that was there, and looking forward to finding out where the location is going to be next year. But yeah, just really proud of you all for representing ASCOM and the College of Marin. As mentioned earlier, the evaluations and transition binders will be due May 1st, so, look out for the self and peer evaluations that will probably be sent out after the next event, just because we want to allow you all to be able to reflect on as many of the programs as possible. And if you have any

questions once that comes out, you know how to find me, schedule a meeting, or drop in. We had our LEAP Student Leadership Retreat on the Monday of spring break. Malisa and Ray were two board members who attended, and we had a cohort of about 32 students. It was really engaging. They were really engaged, really enthusiastic, and it was just a really great group, a great cohort, and we plan to have a reunion at the end of the semester, just to continue the momentum of the community that was cultivated there. We also had Women of Color Cafe last week. We had almost 30 students come through to that also, so we've outgrown the space we're in, and looking forward to being in the new building next semester. Great work with thoughtfulness around funding. The HAP Club, you know, is a really big population here at the college that doesn't yet have a learning community, but has efforts and hopes to do that, so the financial... and support that you all gave really does have an impact on the AAPI community here at the college, so really happy to see that that was supported. And as always, I know it's a busy time, take care of yourselves, so let me know if there's anything that you need, you know, lean on your support system, and good luck as you all continue to have your exams. And take care of yourselves even after the exams.

Sadika: Hi, folks. Wanna thank Kai, Luca, and Emily for assisting with the Meet The Candidates event. That was exciting. We had about 70 to 75 folks come through, meet the folks that were tabling, and of course, good luck to our candidates. That is our focus right now. And next week, voting will be open on the 7th. So, posters will go up on Monday afternoon, and the reason for that is because students going to the QR code is not going to work, because it won't be open until the 7th. So just a heads up on why nothing is up right now, it's not going to be useful. So, let everybody know that if they do not, and when I say everyone, credit students know, if they do not get a link through Constant Contact, they can go to the ASCOM page, and they can vote on the... there'll be a button on there, and they can vote through that particular button by signing into their portal. We will have tabling by some of the candidates next week, and so definitely stop by, say hello, and then for candidates who are present and who are listening, just remember, no bribery for votes, but certainly you can provide information about where students can vote, encourage them to vote. Thank you, Farhan and Jess, for going to GA. Those are awesome pictures. It's always a very exciting event, and also a very full, and I imagine, exhausting event, so thank you for doing that. We are in the homestretch. Make sure that you're communicating with us, not only with what you need, but also following through with the programs and activities, and if you need help with anything, please reach out to us. I know Eloisa has been placing orders and is getting organized for the final stretch of our events. And then we will have Kudos Corner, as a reminder, on the 27th. There is going to be CSS200 as the location for where we're going to do the in-person portion of it, and then it will also be on Zoom. So please attend, support the folks that will be speaking from the board as well. And I think that that is it. Take care of yourselves, and good luck as all of the UC decisions come out. Know that you are amazing, no matter what these decisions are, and if we can be of support, please feel free to stop in.

Committee Reports:

- i. COLLEGE COUNCIL REPORT (ARTHUR):
- ii. GOVERNANCE REVIEW COUNCIL(FARHAN)
- iii. PLANNING AND RESOUCE ALLOCATION COMMITTEE –
- iv. EDUCATIONAL PLANNING COMMITTEE (KAI) –

- v. FACILITIES PLANNING COMMITTEE –
- vi. INSTRUCTIONAL EQUIPMENT COMMITTEE (LUCA) –
- vii. PROFESSIONAL LEARNING COMMITTEE –
- viii. GUIDANCE, RESOURCES, INTEGRATION,
TRANSFORMATION COMMITTEE (RAY) –
- ix. TECHNOLOGY PLANNING COMMITTEE –
- x. INCLUSION, DIVERSITY, EQUITY, & ACTION
COMMITTEE(AL) –
- xi. COMMUNITY HOUR COMMITTEE – xii.
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III. Communications from the Floor

- a. This time is reserved for any member of the Board to make announcements on items that are not on the agenda. A time of limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and ten (10) minutes per topic shall be observed and the total time will not be extended.*

Arthur: So, again, reminder that voting starts next Tuesday. We got a couple on our board that's running, so don't forget to vote.

IV. Public Comment

- a. This segment of the meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address the ASCOM Executive Board on any matter of concern that is not stated on the agenda. A time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and ten (10) minutes per topic shall be observed. The law does not permit any action to be taken nor extended discussion of any items not on the agenda. The ASCOM Board or Members may respond briefly to questions or statements, however, for more information please contact the ASCOM President or Secretary to have an item placed on the next regular meeting agenda. (Brown Act 54954.3)*


Eloisa: First of all, thank you for keeping the space clean, it looks great in here. Looking great every time I'm in here, so I appreciate that. Spring Fling/Founders Day is on Monday. For the volunteers who are helping with the selfie station, the iPad's going to be in my office. Please check the email that Briar sent you with the location information and the stay-up information, and reach out to her if you have any questions about that. So, she should have the info. I'll be at the actual event if you need to find me or if you need the iPad earlier. Clothesline Project, I followed up with the permits. She's out of the office today, but she'll get it to me. I haven't received the poster yet, so whoever is designing that could send that to me so I can get it printed next week. Just a reminder that the stipend for the end of the year is coming. I do need forms and documents from all of you. If you already did it last year, there's nothing you need to do, but, like, if you changed your address or any of the information on the W-9 form needs to be updated, or you have outstanding forms, please send those to me, or else you won't get paid out for your stipend. I'm ordering supplies, blue tape and batteries for the chess timers. If you think of anything else, please let me know. Financial awards flyers went out. Donald put them out on the board, so if you see them, please thank him. I do know the boards arrived, and we haven't advertised them, like we discussed. If you guys want to design a poster to say that we have a chessboard, they're open for use, just to come in during office hours, please put those up, because that was part of the agreement for buying the chess boards. I requested the HDMI cord and the new camera that isn't that one. I

haven't heard from them, but if they don't have the HDMI cord, we'll buy it, and then we'll talk about a camera if they don't have that. For the crafts, I was thinking an idea could be air dry clay, you can make stuff with it that's easy enough to transport. So, if you guys were thinking about another craft, you could try that.

V. Adjournment: Ray, Al 12:48 p.m.



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