

# BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

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## SENATE BODY

Wednesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025

4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

BCSGA Boardroom, Campus Center

Meeting Zoomlink: <https://kccd-edu.zoom.us/j/960MFyYumtU16AD>

### 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

### 2. ASCERTAINMENT OF QUORUM

*A majority quorum must be established to hold a bona fide meeting*

### 3. CORRECTIONS TO THE MINUTES

*The Senate will discuss and correct minutes from previous meetings.*

- a. The Senate will consider any corrections to the minutes from the meeting held on Wednesday, December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024 & Wednesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025.

### 4. PUBLIC COMMENT

*This segment of the meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address the Senate on any matter of concern that is not stated on the agenda. A time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and fifteen (15) 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 Senate may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed, however, for further information, please contact the BCSGA Vice President for the item of discussion to be placed on a future agenda. (Brown Act §54954.3)*

- a. BCSGA Representation at Bakersfield College campuses - Matthew Maddex.

### 5. REPORTS OF THE ASSOCIATION

*The chair shall recognize any officer of the association, including the BCSGA Advisor, to offer a report on official activities since the previous meeting and make any summary announcements deemed necessary for no longer than three minutes, save the advisor, who has infinite time.*

- a. Vice President
- b. Senators
- c. BCSGA Advisors (∞ mins.)

### 6. REPORTS FROM EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

*The Chair shall recognize the Executive Officers and Departments to report for no longer than three minutes on the activities since the previous meeting.*

- a. Office of the President
- b. Department of Student Organizations
- c. Department of Student Activities
- d. Department of Legislative Affairs
- e. Department of Finance
- f. Department of Public Relations
- g. Department of Secretary
- h. KCCD Student Trustee

### 7. APPOINTMENT OF ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

*The Senate will consider the following nominations for an Association Office. When the Senate has concluded its deliberations, the Senate may approve the nominations, reject the nomination, or take no action upon the nomination. The Senate will consider the names nominated to the Association Office. The Senate may consider the character, professional competence, physical or mental health, or other matter permissible under Brown Act during consideration of this item. Under Brown Act, the meeting may not be closed.*

- a. Appointment of the Chair to the Government Operation Standing Committee

### 8. APPOINTMENT OF SENATORS TO COMMITTEES AND DEPARTMENTS

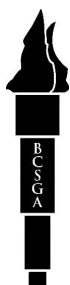
*The Senate will recommend members to each of the Senate Standing Committees and the BCSGA Departments. Then, the Senate will consider a binding resolution to appoint Senators as members to each Senate Standing Committees or BCSGA Departments established by the BCSGA COBRA. The*

#### Notes:

*Unless otherwise marked by an asterisk, all agenda items are action items upon which the Senate may act. Action items may be taken out of the order to be presented at the discretion of the Chair. BCSGA supports providing equal access to all programs for people with disabilities. Reasonable efforts will be made to provide accommodations to people with disabilities attending the meeting. Please call the Office of Student Life at (661) 395-4355 as soon as possible to arrange for appropriate accommodation.*

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*Senate may consider the character, professional competence, physical or mental health, or other matters permissible under the California Brown Act, of certain individuals during considerations of this item. Under the Brown Act, the Senate may not close the meeting.*

- a. BCSGA Department on Finance
- b. BCSA Department on Legislative Affairs
- c. BCSGA Department on Student Activities
- d. BCSGA Department on Student Organizations
- e. Senate Committee on Government Operations

## **9. REPORTS FROM THE PARTICIPATORY GOVERNANCE COMMITTEES**

*The Chair shall recognize the officer of each participatory governance committee to report for no longer than three minutes on the committee's activities since the previous meeting.*

- a. Academic Senate – *Turner*
- b. Accessibility and ADA Task Force – *Lidgett*
- c. Accreditation & Institutional Quality Committee – *Cornejo*
- d. Assessment Committee
- e. Bookstore Committee - *Vargas*
- f. Budget Committee - *Samaniego*
- g. College Council - *Miranda*
- h. Curriculum Committee – *Felix*
- i. Enrollment Management Committee – *Felix*
- j. Equal Opportunity & Diversity Advisory Council (EODAC) – *Arafah*
- k. Facilities & Sustainability Committee – *Miller*
- l. Information Services & Instructional Technology (ISIT) – *Leon*
- m. Professional Development Committee – *Jayasena*
- n. Program Review Committee – *Ochoa*
- o. Safety Advisory Committee – *Winston*
- p. KCCD Strategic Planning – *Jayasena*
- q. AB928 Task Force – *Cornejo*

## **10. FIRST READING OF LEGISLATION**

*The Senate shall read the legislation for the first time and then may choose to refer to the committee.*

- a. DISCUSSION: Senate Resolution: Authorizing Remote Attendance Under AB 1855 for Bakersfield College Student Government Association Meetings
- b. DISCUSSION: Extension of Basic Needs Facilities to Support Student Housing Initiative

## **11. FAST-TRACK LEGISLATION**

*A Senator may move legislation to be considered for fast-track at this meeting, moving legislation directly from first reading to second reading.*

- a. ACTION: Senate Resolution: Authorizing Remote Attendance Under AB 1855 for Bakersfield College Student Government Association Meetings

## **12. SECOND READING OF LEGISLATION**

*Legislation listed has already been read once on the Senate floor or approved for fast-track, and thus are considered for approval by the Senate.*

- a. ACTION: Resolution: Authorizing Remote Attendance Under AB 1855 for Bakersfield College Student Government Association Meetings

## **13. NEW BUSINESS**

*Items listed have not already been discussed and thus are considered for Senate consideration.*

- a. ACTION: BCSGA Student Organizations Engagement Agreement
- b. DISCUSSION: BCSGA Representation at Bakersfield College campuses
- c. DISCUSSION: Region V Leadership Summit
- d. DISCUSSION: BCSGA Spring Town Hall
- e. DISCUSSION: Transitioning to WhatsApp for BCSGA Communication

## **14. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*The Chair shall recognize in turn BCSGA Officers requesting the floor for a period not to exceed one minute.*

## **15. ADJOURNMENT**