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Cabinet meeting AGENDA



November 20th, 2024

Cabinet Meeting

Integrity · Passion · Community · Advocacy · Leadership

“I hope I haven’t already driven past my greatest moments. I hope there is something beautiful on the horizon that’s just as impatient as I am. Something so eager, it wants to meet me halfway.

A moment that is diligently staring at its watch, trembling with nervousness, frustrated, and bursting at the seams, wondering what’s taking me so long to arrive.”

-Rudy Fransico.

Executive Summary

The November 20th convening will be the last Mandatory meeting of the ASCSU Cabinet meeting series. ~~We will also be filmed by CSU’s Marcomm Film Crew for a new promotional commercial.~~ Attendance is critical.

Agenda

5:00 PM Meeting starts and [Land Acknowledgement](#)

5:05 PM Icebreaker: What ingredient would you be in the Thanksgiving dinner?

5:10 PM Department share outs in the form of Reviewing the Public Initiative Tracker (PIT)

- DEI
 - Director Dempsey is at the Women and Gender Equity Board Meeting right now
 - Shuttle to Vindeket project is on pause
 - Free causal clothes closet in collaboration with the SAFE Center is in the works
 - DEI training for student leaders is being created with DEI Committee
 - Monthly diversity calendars are in the newsletter and shared via Outlook calendar
- Environmental Affairs
 - Greeks Go Green rebranded to Sustainable Living in FSL
 - Working on writing legislation for Senate
 - Meeting with FSL pro-staff and advisor to house the initiative under FSL
 - Bottle Drop Project
 - On standstill from RamCard office
 - But in communication with Coca Cola to possibly purchase machines
 - Workshopping rewards system

- Expanding EV chargers, Deputy Hiller will be meeting with CSU Transportation after the break
- Shout out to interns and their projects
 - Composting
- Plant Based Holiday Potluck
 - Tomorrow, at 5:00 pm in MSNR Atrium
- Marketing and Communications
 - ASCSU Cares
 - Bring more student voices into ASCSU
 - CSU MarComm PR Trainings
 - Routine professional development workshops including press release training, media training, communication training, and First Amendment rights refreshers
 - Media Day Strategy
 - Still rolling out department posts for the social media
 - Intern projects
 - Marketing and presenting ASCSU departments video
 - Andrew proposed adding interns and their projects to PIT
 - TikTok
 - On pause until the hiring of the Deputy Director of Graphic Design
 - The goal of the TikTok is to make ASCSU a more casual, approachable space
- Basic Needs
 - Mental Health Tabling in ASCSU today
 - Rams Against Hunger Pantry Legislation
 - Bill passed in August is facing some logistical issues but hoping to implement culturally competent foods, allergy-sensitive foods, and hygiene products in pantries after the break
 - Working on renewing funding for Pocket Pantries
 - Hoping to gain more funding since there is an increased need for basic needs, it is promising that students feel comfortable accessing these resources
 - Wellness Vending Machines
 - Started by Vice President Silverhart and continued by Deputy Johnson
 - Hoping to have installed next semester
 - 3 vending machines
 - Community Housing Summit
 - In collaboration with the Affordable Housing Board of Fort Collins
 - Gathering information on what demographics show up and are represented

- Drafting letters regarding affordable housing and displacement with Prospect Plaza
 - RamBand Harm Reduction
 - Continuing next semester
- Governmental Affairs
 - An Evening with Your Elected Officials will become a regular event
 - Continuing Disagreeing Better Series
 - More collaboration with other organizations
 - Last LSAB Meeting of the semester was last week
 - Drafting letters and legislation
 - Trailblazers Speaker Series is a work in progress
 - Gathering more Keynote Speakers
- Programs and Traditions
 - Tailgating is complete
 - Shout out to Deputy Cummings for stepping up and her achievements
 - Grill the Buffs
 - Next time will be 2029
 - RailJam Planning
 - On February 13th
 - Eldora is an official sponsor helping with the rails
 - Will book snow order later this week
 - Collaborating with Snow Riders
 - Potential sponsorships from Monster and Toyota
 - Feast of the Food Trucks
 - Will happen after RailJam
 - A collaborative event with B/AACC to bring together community through food
 - Inaugural Ball
 - To welcome, congratulate, and celebrate ASCSU members
- Academics
 - Syllabus Bank is moving along
 - Appointments to Faculty Councils are complete
 - Institutional Learning Objectives Taskforce
 - Creating focus groups to gather diverse student perspectives for university curriculum
 - Organizational Wellness
 - IBK is working on providing cultural academic accommodations — particularly to international students
 - Struggling Student Guidebook
- Graduate Affairs

- Presented Graduate Student Council presentation last week at Cabinet
- Talks for an ASCSU scholarship for graduate students
- Finance
 - Held BSOF Informational Session last night
 - Large turnout and highly successful
 - \$55k left for travel grant
 - \$20k left for BSOF
- Office of the President
 - SFRB has toured campus areas
 - Discussions of developing an EMS Pilot Program at CSU
 - Student Experience
 - March to Victory is a successful new tradition with the Athletics department
 - ASCSU Invites
 - Will invite Cultural Resource Centers, student employees, and athletics
 - Next Gen Club
 - Event on January 31st, 7:00 pm
 - RSVPs will be sent via email
 - Capacity is at 45/125 RSVPs
 - Career advancement and networking with elected officials' opportunity
 - TikTok Lawsuit
 - In support of TikTok lawsuit
 - Will send ASCSU's stance to other student coalitions around the nation
 - Creating a marketing contact list with MarComm
 - Pace Setter Scholarship has been awarded
 - Prospect Plaza Discussions
 - See Basic Needs share-out above
 - Analyzing Governor's Report on Funding in Higher Education
 - OTP meets regularly with Blanche Hughes to discuss academic advancement
- Chief of Staff Nunley
 - Executive Evaluations were successful
 - More breakdown to come
 - If you are dissatisfied with something, communicate with OTP so improvements can be made
 - The Purify Initiative is back
 - Spread the word
 - Allow students to check out air purifiers for a week free of charge
 - See Front Desk to check out
 - Student Government Mentorship

- Working with CHSAA and Colorado schools to promote the importance of student government
- Creating a shadowing/mentorship program between ASCSU and high school students
- President DeSalvo has been engaged in Prospect Plaza projects with Housing Caucus and Director Whyte
- State of the Association Address
 - March 5th at the LSC
 - Email will be sent out next semester
- Deputy Chief of Staff Cook
 - Strategy, Systems, and Support
 - Promote continuity, structure, and support within ASCSU
 - Particularly during member turnover
 - Interns and Rotational Interns
 - Rotational interns have been floating around different departments
 - Increasing ways for students to get involved with ASCSU

5:35 PM Announcements

1. Cabinet during dead week → Optional Study Hall
2. No cabinet during finals week
 - If you had a meeting with Jakye during dead week, it is likely canceled.
3. Evaluations review
4. Monthly Report Due December 8th or Semester report Due December 20th
5. Expectations over break (Contacts, meetings, etc...)

5:50 PM QUESTIONS & CLOSE
