
Agenda

- I. Call to Order — 6:39 pm in-person and online
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Land Acknowledgment
- IV. Swearing-In of new Senator and Associates
 - 1 new member sworn-in
- V. Beginning Roll Call — Clerk took on a separate spreadsheet
- VI. Consent Agenda
 - Motion to move the Elections Committee Ratification before Guest Speaker —
PASSED
 - Motion to move Senator and Associate Senator Reports before Ending Roll Call —
PASSED
- VII. Gallery Input
 - Ferrin Jaudon, Student and Senator from the Pride Resource Center: Stated it is essential for ASCSU members to advocate and pursue issues that affect diverse groups and marginalized communities. This responsibility does not fall solely on representatives from the Cultural Resource Centers. To make meaningful progress, ASCSU needs to work in unity to address these critical issues. Encourages representatives from Cultural Resource Centers and diverse backgrounds to take up space in ASCSU. States that this work needs to be continuous, and we must hold each other accountable.

- Enock Monanti: Comes today as a student asking constituents to use their power as student leaders to help other students. Not simply helping members of their constituencies but members from other constituencies as well. Implores members to think about their position and use it as best as they can.

VIII. Ratification of Elections Committee

- Cassidy Pham, Dana Nelson, Ferrin Jaudon, Giovanni Falbo, Emi Patel, and Lucas Toth
- Candidates were put on a slate
- Q&A
 - Candidates are excited about the opportunity and atmosphere.
 - Candidates are looking forward to seeing the elections process and becoming more involved in ASCSU.
 - Candidates were asked about their biases and how to overcome them to maintain impartiality.
 - Point of clarification: Giovanni Falbo will serve as a non-voting member and Parliamentarian for the Elections Committee
- Discussion and Debate
 - General approval for the candidates
- All candidates were ratified with unanimous consent

IX. Guest Speaker — None

X. Executive Reports

- Director of Governmental Affairs Ava Wilkins
 - Yesterday, ASCSU members visited the Capitol as part of CSU's Founders Day.
 - Day at the Capitol is March 10th
 - More information will be sent out on social media.
 - There is limited space for transportation so RVSP soon.
 - Legislative Strategic Advisory Board (LSAB)
 - Supporting a transfer credit bill that would allow high schoolers to see what credits can transfer over to university.
 - Watching a bill that would increase transparency for renters.
- Chief of Staff Jakye Nunley
 - RSVP for the State of the Association and submit a speech if you are interested in speaking.
 - Executive branch office hours are on the ASCSU website.
 - The Public Initiative Tracker is on the ASCSU website.
- Office of the President Intern Andrew White
 - Appreciates members who attended the Spring Involvement Expo to represent ASCSU.
 - Looking forward to more collaboration and events with Senate.

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- President Nick DeSalvo
 - ASCSU was approached to act after a CSU student experienced a drugging in Old Town.
 - ASCSU has collaborated with different branches, law enforcement, Poudre Valley Hospital, and other community resources to create prevention techniques and prevent survivors from being revictimized.
 - CSU Administration sent a mass email with a website that updates how the federal government's actions will affect the university.
 - President DeSalvo and Senators discussed how this information can be spread to students, transparency to students, the effectiveness of the new website, and the university's efforts to strategically supports students.

XI. Judicial Reports

- Chief Justice Morgan Wright
 - The internal complaint form on the ASCSU website works if you are signed into your university email.
 - If you have any questions regarding how to fill out these forms, reach out to the Judicial Branch. You can do this through email or office hours.
 - The Justices and Branch are here for students
 - Have connections to the Student Resolution Center, Mental Health Resources, and more.

- Shouted out Elections Manager Lopez for his efforts in putting together the elections committee.
- Elections Manager Garrett Lopez
 - Shouted out Chief Justice Wright
 - A new application for Senators and Legislative members to become involved in elections will be coming out soon.

XII. Legislative Reports

- Officer Reports
 - Speaker Taylor
 - The Election of the Senate Public Relations Officer will be next week, if you have any questions, contact Speaker Taylor.
 - Parliamentarian Kamberg
 - Working on finishing touches to the Constitution.
 - Needs bylaws from all Committees and Caucuses.
 - Asking for help making the Green and Gold Book.
 - Speaker Pro-Tempore Reese
 - Avoid getting strikes by attending Senate or communicating about absences.
- Committee and Caucus Reports
 - Accessibility Caucus — Chair Snyder

- Working on filling vice-chair position and project progress.
- Meet Fridays, 3:00 – 4:00 pm
- Internal Affairs Committee — Chair Lutz
 - Will see legislation this week.
 - Meet Fridays, 11:00 am – 12:00 pm
- Budgetary Affairs Committee — Chair McGlothlin
 - Reviewed the Pocket Pantry Bill and made minor edits.
 - Working on finding a consistent meeting time.
- Housing Caucus
 - Discussed how to encourage students to reach out to ASCSU with housing concerns, goal planning, and more information on Prospect Plaza.
 - Meet Mondays, 11:00 am – 12:00 pm
- Women’s and Social Justice Caucus — Chair Friske
 - Next meeting will be a “Rage Room”.
 - Sent a poster in the Microsoft Teams for members to suggest books for the Social Justice Library.
 - Meet Mondays, 5:00 – 6:00 pm
- University Affairs Committee — Senator Luna

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- Discussed Bill #5407 and Bill #5408, sponsored and discharged the Bills.
 - Meet Thursdays, 2:00 – 3:00 pm
 - DEI Affairs Committee — Chair Meyers
 - There are minutes for Committee in the DEI Committee Teams.
 - Had no legislation to see but discussed the importance of professionalism.
 - Meet Fridays, 2:00 – 3:00 pm

Confidence Business

XIII. Old Business

XIV. New Business

- Lex #5415 - Removing Old Language and an Inconsistency with Associate Senator Limitations
 - Abstract: *“This lex will ensure that more students are represented within ASCSU as well as make some word changes to the constitution.”*
 - Q&A — None
 - Will be sent to Internal Affairs Committee and DEI Affairs Committee
- Lex #5416 - Ensuring More Students are Represented
 - Abstract: *“This lex will ensure that more students are represented within ASCSU.”*

- Q&A
 - Answered questions regarding current Senate representation logistics and how the new threshold numbers were reached.
 - Will be sent to Internal Affairs Committee and University Affairs Committee
- Bill #5410 - Establishing the Sustainable Living in FSL Council
 - Abstract: *“This bill will establish a council that will be housed in the Environmental Affairs department and function to be a liaison between ASCSU and fraternity and sorority life at Colorado State University. I propose the creation of a council entitled “Sustainable Living in FSL” in which members of fraternities and sororities on Colorado State University’s campus voluntarily participate in sustainability centered conversations and education twice monthly. Representatives from each chapter on campus, including from all five councils, will be invited to collaborate on methods to reduce waste and consumption in their chapters. Meetings of the Sustainable Living in FSL council will be held by ASCSU’s Director of Environmental Affairs or Deputy Director of Sustainability.”*
 - Q&A

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- The Bill will seek accountability through regular reports and establishing a Sustainability Award for the Fraternity and Sorority Life Awards. Encouraging movement in a positive direction.
 - There is current interest in participation from different fraternities and sororities, around 65 members from different councils.
 - This is an ASCSU entity that will also be a permanent partnership with FSL.

 - Will be sent to University Affairs Committee, Internal Affairs Committee, and DEI Affairs Committee

 - Resolution #5408 - Resolution in Support of Immigrant Students
 - Abstract: *“This resolution affirms ASCSU’s support of immigrant students in face of growing crackdowns and calls on the CSU Administration, Board of Governors, and the State of Colorado to fully support the students of Colorado State University.”*
 - Q&A — None
 - Will be sent to University Affairs Committee, Internal Affairs Committee, and DEI Affairs Committee

XV. Senator and Associate Senator Reports

- Senator Greene — Pride Resource Center
 - Resources for Aro and Ace Communities can be found in the Pride Resource Center.

- Date Night at the Lyric Event is tomorrow, 6:30 – 9:00 pm
- Black History Month
- Senator Diggs — B/AACC
 - Black History Month Events
 - Tomorrow there will be the Meals in Motion Event with Alpha Kappa Alpha
 - Assembling donations
 - Palentine’s Day Event on the 17th at Dandelions and Rust
 - Will be discussing hair care
 - Exact time TBD
 - Cultural Black Foods Dining Hall Night on the 20th at Ram’s Horn
 - Demonstration in Support of Undocumented Students will be held tomorrow at 1:00 pm
- Chair McGlothlin — Walter Scott Jr. College of Engineering
 - Was appointed to a position in the Larimer Environment and Science Advisory Board. If anyone has any comments or suggestions regarding how environmental matters are handled in the county, contact Chair McGlothlin.
 - The College of Engineering will be holding listening sessions regarding the construction of the new engineering building.
 - Mondays, 3:00 – 4:50 pm in the Behavior Sciences Building
 - Wednesdays, 3:00 – 5:00 pm in the Engineering Building

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- Chair Friske — SAFE Center
 - Love Letters to Survivors Event next Wednesday, the 18th
 - Senator Luna — Student Disability Center
 - If you use the testing center, schedule accommodations by April 14th.

XVI. Ending Roll Call — Clerk used beginning roll call as ending roll call

XVII. Adjournment — 8:15 pm