

**LOBBY CORPS MINUTES**

**Meeting #7**

October 10, 2019

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Vice Chair Faris Babineaux called the meeting to order at 2:31pm.

**2. ROLL CALL**

Voting Members Present

Faris Babineaux, Vice Chair  
Jireh Deng, Senate Representative  
Daniel Galindo, Senate Representative  
Katherine Pham, Student At-Large  
Shantall Prado, Student At-Large  
Daniella Hernandez, Senate Representative

Voting Members Absent

Lizbeth Velasquez, Vice President's Designee  
Ricki McManuis, AVP University Relations' Designee  
VACANT, Chief Government Relations Officer

Non-voting Members Present

Lindsay San Miguel, ASI Asst. Director, Government Affairs & Initiatives

**3. APPROVAL /CORRECTIONS AND APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

**(M) Pham (S) Hernandez to approve the Lobby Corps, Meeting #7, October 10, 2019**

**VOTE ON THE MOTION**

**PASSES 6-0-0**

**4. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES FROM THE LAST MEETING**

A. Action Item: Lobby Corps, Meeting #6, October 3, 2019

**(M) Pham (S) Deng to approve Lobby Corps, Meeting #6, October 3, 2019, as amended**

- Pham: Item #10 – change Chair Precious Padilla to Vice Chair Faris Babineaux

**VOTE ON THE MOTION**

**PASSES 6-0-0**

**5. PUBLIC COMMENTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS**

There were none.

**6. REPORTS**

A. Chief Government Relations Officer

There was none.

B. Vice Chair

- working on the legislative briefs;
- in contact with Leanne;
- compiling a list of people to meet with

C. At-Large Representatives

Pham: Worked on update to the policy agenda regarding the degree attainment.

Prado: Update the policy agenda.

D. Senate

Galindo:

- Two pertinent discussion on resolutions;
- SR #2020-03 was signed by the governor
- SR #2020-04 has been approved on its 2<sup>nd</sup> reading with very minor revisions
- 100 days 100 classrooms resolution – 16 classes so far
- encouraged board members to consider applying for Chief Government Relations Officer

Deng:

- Worked on letter of support for AB32

The board review the letter and made the following proposed revisions:

- Defining the abbreviation of CDCR if need be
- Last sentence of 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph edit it and have it more direct
- Deadline for edits to be done: before next meeting, Tuesday

E. AVP University Relations

There was none.

**7. OLD BUSINESS**

A. Discussion Item: 2019-20 Policy Agenda

Deng: put together info on basic needs affect the success of student in classroom; There is a correlation between GPA and risk of homelessness plus food security; on campus job don't fulfill which is 20 hours a week is inadequate in qualifying for Cal Fresh assistance

Shantall: It is worth trying to leverage an experienced and educated workforce in exchange for payment

Babineaux: Deng and Prado will work on other areas of interest

The board to add an action plan RE areas of interest

San Miguel: said that it is helpful in order for next week to be smooth, deal with compiling the document into one

Pham: offer to compile the document; will use Google Doc

Deng: not sure citing the sources

Babineaux: make sure it is done Chicago style

B. Information Item: 2020 Census

Deng: last week talked about this and reached out to Prof Benitez sent an email still waiting for their reply; can also email McManius for help to get in contact with Ricki McManuis; will send the meeting date to Hernandez

**8. NEW BUSINESS**

A. Information Item: AB 930 CSU Executive Compensation

Galindo: First part requires for CSULB to put yearly report and submit it to the Sacramento; 2<sup>nd</sup> board of trustees vote to raise tuition; as of right now, no update yet on this bill; Inside the policy agenda, there is a section for college affordability; We as a board need to look at AB 940? Will come back for more info next meeting RE check and balances.

Prado: there is a discrepancy with number on the compensation.

Deng: President Conoley's salary schedule is not in the median compare to the median for a university president – great discussion on college affordability.

B. Information Item: SB 72 Provisional Ballots

Babineaux: McManius is absent but sent a statement:

- provisional ballots are used when there are questions about a voter's eligibility
- in California, there's a law that provisional ballots can go out up to 14 days before election day, or turned in on election day
- this law will require all polling centers to allow provisional ballots

Pham: SB72 has been approved by the governor.

**9. VOLUNTARY CLOSING COMMENTS**

Galindo: Discard old CHESS handbills due to QR code.

San Miguel: City Clerk's Office for the City of Long Beach, Oct 1<sup>st</sup>-31<sup>st</sup>, 11am-4:30pm, new ballot marking devices will be on display in the lobby of city hall.

Galindo: CSULB Women's Soccer game tonight, 7pm

**10. ADJOURNMENT**

**Without objection** Vice Chair Faris Babineaux adjourned the meeting at 3:29pm.