



Associated Students of College of San Mateo

Student Senate Regular Meeting Agenda

Monday, November 6, 2017, 2:15 p.m.

College Center Building 10, College Heights Conference Room (Room 468)

The public is invited and encouraged to attend all ASCSM Senate Meetings. All meetings are open to the public, and are accessible to those with disabilities. Start times are approximate. The public may address the Senate on non-Agenda items during the Announcements & Hearing of the Public items on the Agenda. Members of the public may participate in discussions only when recognized by the Chair.

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call

III. Approval of the Agenda

IV. Approval of the Minutes of Prior Meeting(s)

V. Announcements and Hearing of the Public (15 minutes per topic, 3 minutes per speaker)

At this time, members of the public may address the Senate on non-Agenda items.

VI. Reports

a. Officers

i. President	Colby Riley
ii. Vice President	Katrina Relos
iii. Finance Director	Mark Helsel
iv. Vice Chair	Spencer (Sitt) Paing
v. Commissioner of Publicity	Natalia Gomez Torres
vi. Secretary	Jordan Chavez

b. Senators

Including reports from ASCSM boards and committees, ASCSM task forces, College and District participatory governance committees, and reports from other boards, committees, or organizations.

c. CSM Administration

- i. Michael Claire, CSM President
- ii. Kim Lopez, CSM Vice President of Student Services

d. Advisors

- i. Aaron Schaefer, Student Life and Leadership Manager
- ii. Fauzi Hamadeh, Student Life and Leadership Assistant

VII. Unfinished Business: Action, Discussion, and Information Items

a. Appointments – President Riley

The Senate shall discuss and consider any and all appointments and/or recommended appointments to the Senate, the Advocacy Board, the Cultural Awareness Board, the Programming Board, any College and/or District participatory governance committees, and/or any other appointments that may be deemed necessary; possible action to take place.

b. Legislative Bills – Advocacy Board Chair Topete Eng Goon

The Senate shall discuss and consider recommendations from the Advocacy Board regarding positions on local, state, and national legislation that may have an impact on students; possible action to take place.

VIII. New Business: Action, Discussion, and Information Items

a. Funding for 3D Printing Tools, Robotic Kits, & General Tools by Robotic Club

The Senate shall review, discuss, and consider funding the purchase of robotics kits and tools for the Robotics Club's various projects; possible action to take place.

b. Funding for ASCSM Winter Leadership Retreat

The Senate shall review, discuss, and consider funding the upcoming ASCSM winter leadership retreat to be held in January, 2018; possible action to take place.

c. Debrief of Halloween/Fall Carnival Event

The Senate shall review and discuss Programming Board's recent Halloween/fall carnival event; no action to take place.

IX. Future Agenda Items

At this time, members of the Senate may suggest agenda items for consideration for future meetings.

X. Final Announcements and Hearing of the Public (15 minutes per topic, 3 minutes per speaker)

At this time, members of the Senate and members of the public may voice any concluding comments.

XI. Adjournment



Student Senate Minutes (Unapproved)

Monday, October 30, 2017

College Center Building 10, College Heights Conference Room (Room 468)

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 2:16 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: President Colby Riley; Vice President Katrina Relos; Finance Director Mark Helsel; Vice Chair Spencer (Sitt) Paing; Commissioner of Publicity Natalia Gomez Torres; Secretary Jordan Chavez; Senators Jose Barajas, Mondana Bathai, Tony (Jose) Herrera, Andreas Langenbacher, Yimin Li, Claire (Linfang) Liu, Aaron Meneses, Farid Qobti, & Karan Soni.

Members Absent: Senators Effy (Wenfei) Li & Mandy (Yaxuan) Wang.

Advisors Present: Aaron Schaefer, Student Life and Leadership Manager; Fauzi Hamadeh, Student Life and Leadership Assistant.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Motion to approve the agenda as presented by Vice Chair Paing; seconded by Senator Topete Eng Goon. Hearing no objections, the motion carried.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF PRIOR MEETING(S)

Motion to approve the minutes of the Monday, October 23, 2017, meeting Senator Barajas; seconded by Senator Bathai. Hearing no objections, the motion carried.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND HEARING OF THE PUBLIC

None.

REPORTS

President Riley hoped that everyone was having a great Monday; he indicated that he had met with CSM President Mike Claire earlier that day, expressing that a task force for the investigation of textbook cost-effectiveness, usage, and accessibility, would be assembled. The group is currently seeking students of varying disciplines to gauge different utilizations of textbooks.

Finance Director Helsel reported that, on average, ASCSM would spend about \$19,000 a month. Mr. Helsel conveyed that, by the end of the month, about \$115,000 in expenditures would be made by the Senate; thus, sufficient funds would still be left for the remainder of the academic year.

Vice Chair Paing announced that Phi Theta Kappa Club was conducting a research project for Honors in Action; new members of the Phi Theta Kappa Club will not only have the chance to develop the research project, but also earn volunteer opportunities, scholarships, and transcript recognition. Mr. Paing notified the Senate that Phi Theta Kappa Club met every Thursday at 2:10 p.m. in Building 14-117; he requested that members spread word about the club.

Senator Topete Eng Goon recalled her attendance of the College Assessment Committee; she told the Senate that they were working on revising different student learning outcomes, as well as ensuring that everyone was fulfilling their general education requirements. The committee hoped to organize events geared towards educating students on different pathways to completion of their general education requirements. Ms. Topete Eng Goon also recounted a recent meeting

for the Committee on Instruction; two new classes, ART 807 and CIS 138, were approved. ART 807 will give students studio time to work on their individual artwork pieces, supervised by a professor; CIS 138, the Internet of Things, will focus on programming for practical situations. A professor is currently being sought out to instruct the class.

Student Life and Leadership Manager Schaefer reminded the Senate that Programming Board's Halloween/fall carnival event would begin the following day; he pointed out a tentative schedule of volunteers attached to the agenda packet, and insisted that members sign up to help throughout the event. Mr. Schaefer also requested that members continue to spread word about the event's costume contest, noting that the more participation there was, the more fun there would be.

APPOINTMENTS

President Riley made the following appointments:

- Jordan Chavez, Mei-Mei Chun-Moy, & April Wei to Advocacy Board
Motion to approve the appointments by Senator Langenbacher; seconded by Senator Barajas. Hearing no objections, the motion carried.
- Georgia Giari to Cultural Awareness Board & Programming Board
Motion to approve the appointment by Senator Bathai; seconded by Senator Topete Eng Goon. Hearing no objections, the motion carried.

Student Life and Leadership Assistant Hamadeh remarked that board chairs should start discussing possible weekly meeting days and times for the spring semester.

LEGISLATIVE BILLS

On behalf of Advocacy Board, Senator and Advocacy Board Chair Topete Eng Goon presented the following legislative bills and recommendations:

- **H.R. 2207 — Community College to Career Fund Act**
This bill was introduced to provide competitive grants for students in the work force; companies can apply for these grants if the money received from such grants are distributed to students, those who work for such companies and attend school. H.R. 2207 has the potential to foster a stronger desire for workers to go back to school, and for students who are working to stay in school.

Recommendation from Advocacy Board: Support

Motion to approve support of H.R. 2207, Community College to Career Fund Act, by Vice Chair Paing; seconded by Senator Meneses. By a vote of 13 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstaining, the motion carried.

- **S.B. 3248 — Water Advanced Technologies for Efficient Resource Use Act of 2017**
This bill was introduced to provide special regulation and preservation of water, preventing wastage, contamination. Reduction of water usage, as well as encouragement of commissioning infrastructure that fosters more efficient utilization of water (and water-powered energy), will be promoted by this particular bill. S.B. 3248 will also increase regular review of different buildings, landscapes, and services to ensure that standards set by the Environmental Protection Agency's WaterSense program are met.

Recommendation from Advocacy Board: Support

Motion to approve support of S.B. 3248, Water Advanced Technologies for Efficient Resource Use Act of 2017 by Senator Bathai; seconded by Senator Qobti. By a vote of 14 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstaining, the motion carried.

- **H.R. 1006 — U.S. Customs and Border Protection or U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement**
This bill was introduced to provide individuals in any removal, exclusion, deportation proceeding, or inspection with legal representation by counsel of the individual's choosing. H.R. 1006 accounts for the fact that one's constitutional rights become ambiguous within border territories. Provision of a lawyer at no expense to the government shall be upheld in such cases with this amendment of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

Recommendation from Advocacy Board: Support

Motion to approve support of H.R. 1006, U.S. Customs and Border Protection or U.S. Enforcement by Senator Langenbacher; seconded by Senator Bathai. By a vote of 14 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstaining, the motion carried.

FUNDING FOR BLOOD DRIVE BY RED CROSS CLUB

Due to the absence of a representative from Red Cross Club, this item was discontinued.

FUNDING FOR DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS EVENT BY PUENTE LATINX CLUB

Puente Latinx Club's Inter Club Council representatives attended the Senate meeting introduce a proposal for their club's celebration of Día de los Muertos. This event will not only celebrate and honor loved ones who have passed away, but it will also offer the campus a glimpse into Mexican culture.

Several on-campus programs will also partake in the event, including Umoja, EOPS, Vakatasi Club, the Child Development Center, among other groups. Puente's Día de los Muertos event will have several altars, a radio station, arts and crafts, lowriders, performances, food, a band, and an educational portion to present what the celebration is about. Free tamales will be handed out in exchange for stamps earned by visiting different tables.

A total of \$2,200 was proposed to be taken out of the 5031 Club Assistance/ICC account for the Día de los Muertos event.

Motion to approve \$2,200 to cover the Día de los Muertos celebration by Senator Barajas; seconded by Senator Meneses. By a vote of 13 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstaining, the motion carried.

FUNDING FOR GLOBAL FOOD TASTING BY GLOBAL EXPLORERS CLUB

The Inter Club Council representative for Global Explorers Club proposed funding for a food tasting booth during the International Education Program's World Village event on November 15th; unique foods of Indonesian, Middle Eastern, Caribbean, Japanese, and Indian cuisine will be presented to the campus community during the event. The goal of this "global food tasting" is to let the public taste a brief glimpse of other cultures, allowing them to observe the differences from what they are used to eating. All food for the Global Food Tasting event will be ordered from local, certified restaurants.

A total of \$600 was proposed to be taken out of the 5031 Club Assistance/ICC account for the Global Food Tasting event.

Motion to approve \$600 to fund the Global Food Tasting event by Senator Meneses; seconded by Senator Soni. By a vote of 14 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstaining, the motion carried.

UPCOMING UNITE DAY EVENT

Cultural Awareness Board was planning on holding an educational event on different civil rights movements, representing groups/causes such as Black Lives Matter, the LGBTQ+ community, women's rights, and indigenous peoples. Each

individual table will provide activities and information on a unique cause; one of the goals of this “Civil Rights Day” is to clarify the negative misperceptions that many might have of each marginalized group.

Additional “Unite” t-shirts will be distributed during the event; more stencils will be made for each individual table. Senator and Cultural Awareness Board Chair Barajas told the Senate that a SignUpGenius for the event would be out by the following week. The initial date of the event, November 8, was pushed back a week, to November 15, taking place from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. A funding request for the event will be presented at the next Senate meeting.

FUNDING FOR ASCSM BOARD MIXER EVENT

To initiate more connection between ASCSM board and Senate members, ASCSM typically holds a board mixer; this event will also help board members gain a glimpse of what other ASCSM groups are conducting. One idea for the mixer was to bring 40 members to a pizzeria in Burlingame, though other ideas are being explored. Proposals for potential venues to hold the board mixer at should be forwarded to the board chairs, President Riley, Vice President Relos, and Advisors Hamadeh and Schaefer.

A total of \$600 from the 5080 Hospitality account was proposed to fund the board mixer event.

Motion to approve \$600 to fund the ASCSM board mixer event by Senator Qobti; seconded by Senator Meneses. By a vote of 14 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstaining, the motion carried.

ASCSM PROMOTIONAL VIDEO

Finance Director Helsel and Commissioner of Publicity Gomez Torres reported that they were seeking board members, club members, and Senate members who were interested in shooting parts for the ASCSM promotional video. Individuals will be expected to provide testimonials on their respective areas; this video will be an opportunity for members to promote their groups’ objectives and activities. Members of different learning communities and support programs are also invited to participate in the video. Overall, the video will be between a minute and a half to three minutes, featuring candid shots of members from each group.

Those interested in being part of the video were instructed to contact Commissioner of Publicity Gomez Torres and Finance Director Helsel as soon as possible.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

The following items were recommended for the next ASCSM Senate meeting:

- Funding for Upcoming Unite Day
- Funding for ASCSM Winter Leadership Retreat
- Halloween Event Debrief

FINAL ANNOUNCEMENTS AND HEARING OF THE PUBLIC

President Riley lauded the film screening of *First They Killed My Father*, a film depicting parts of the Khmer Rouge genocide in Cambodia; he stated that the movie was powerful, and a noteworthy experience along with the panel of survivors that came after it. Senator Bathai reiterated Mr. Riley’s point, thanking the Senate for their approval of the event. Senator Briones told members that, if they had any photos of the event, to send them to Christine Su from the International Education Department.

Mr. Riley touched upon the need for more participation from other members of the Senate, noting that Programming Board’s Halloween/fall carnival would mark a new period, in which members’ activity in ASCSM would be tracked. He conveyed that, tabling for events was not the only way to help out, and that other preparation was highly appreciated; communication between the Executive Cabinet and board chairs or others who organize ASCSM events will be the

primary method of checking Senate members' participation. A more formal statement on participation will be issued at a future Senate meeting.

Within the topic of participation, Vice President Relos noted that, with the Halloween/fall carnival coming up, members were expected to be courteous when asking for food from the event.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 3:26 p.m. by Senator Topete Eng Goon; seconded by Senator Langenbacher. Hearing no objections, the motion carried.

Submitted by,

Jordan Chavez
ASCSM Secretary

ASCSM Senate - Vote Record for Monday, October 30, 2017

	Funding for Puento Latinx Club Dia De Los Muertos Event	Funding for Global Explorers Club Global Food Tasting	Funding for ASCSM Board Mixer Event	Support for HR 2207	Support for SB 3248	Support for HR 1006													
Jose De Jesus Barajas	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mondana Bathai	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Fatima Briones	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Natalia Gomez Torres	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Tony (Jose) Herrera	--	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Andreas Langenbacher	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Effy (Wenfei) Li	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent
Yimin Li	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Claire (Linfang) Liu	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Aaron Meneses	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Spencer Paing	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Farid Qobti	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Karan Soni	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Gaby Topete Eng Goon	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mandy (Yaxuan) Wang	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent	Absent
Vivian (Qingyan) Xu	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Katrina Relos*	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
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* only votes in case of a tie
Yes-No-Abstain

Appointments

There is no printed material related to this item.



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

First name John Last name Burrigh Email johnburrigh@my.smccd.edu

Bill Name

Personal income taxes: credit: full-time community college students

Bill Number

AB-647

Sponsors

Reyes and Ridley-Thomas

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-3-2017

Purpose of Bill

The purpose of this bill is to provide a tax credit of up to \$2,000 for full time community college students.

Group(s) impacted

Community College Students

Fiscal impact (if any)

Yes, up to \$2,000

 **Current status**

Introduced and amended twice

 **Recommended Stance and Justification**

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

We should support this bill because a \$2,000 tax credit for community college students would help them pay back any expenses from the school year, which would help CSM students.

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ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

First name Gabriela Last name Topete Eng Goon Email gabrielatopeteengg@my.smccd.edu

Bill Name

Campus Gun Policy Transparency Act

Bill Number

H.R.1079

Sponsors

Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-24-2017

For the ASCSM Senate meeting of

Oct-30-2017

Purpose of Bill

"This bill amends title IV (Student Assistance) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to modify campus security reporting requirements for an institution of higher education (IHE) that participates in federal student aid programs."

Group(s) impacted

All students

Fiscal impact (if any)

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Last action

House - 02/15/2017 Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

Current status

Introduced

Bill Description

"Currently, an IHE must annually report certain crime statistics in the following categories: (1) criminal offenses; (2) criminal offenses motivated by bias (i.e., hate crimes); (3) domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking; and (4) arrests and referrals for disciplinary action. This bill expands the categories of reportable crime statistics to also include criminal offenses in which a firearm was present at the scene of the crime.

Additionally, it requires an IHE to include, in its annual security report provided to students and employees, a statement of its current policy on concealed carry or open carry of firearms.

An IHE must also disclose that policy on its website and in promotional materials."

Recommended Stance and Justification

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

Support. Given the mood on campus towards armed guards, this would be something we should support.



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

First name Gabriela Last name Topete Eng Goon Email gabrielatopeteengg@my.smccd.edu

Bill Name

POWER Act

Bill Number

H.R.1762

Sponsors

Rep. Kennedy, Joseph P., III [D-MA-4]

Co-sponsors from Northern California

Max of 10

Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]

Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-24-2017

For the ASCSM Senate meeting of

Oct-30-2017

Purpose of Bill

"Pro bono Work to Empower and Represent Act of 2017" or the "POWER Act"

Group(s) impacted

Victims of Domestic Abuse and Sexual Assault

Fiscal impact (if any)

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Last action

House - 04/12/2017 Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

Current status

Introduced

Bill Description

"This bill requires each U.S. Attorney for each judicial district to lead at least one public event that promotes pro bono legal services as a critical way to: (1) empower survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking; and (2) engage citizens in assisting those survivors.

A similar requirement applies to districts containing Indian tribes and tribal organizations.

Each U.S. Attorney shall: (1) have discretion on the design, organization, and implementation of such public events; and (2) seek to maximize an event's local impact and the access of such survivors to high-quality pro bono legal services."

Recommended Stance and Justification

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

Support



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

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Bill Name

POWER Act

Bill Number

S.717

Sponsors

Sen. Sullivan, Dan [R-AK]

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-24-2017

For the ASCSM Senate meeting of

Oct-30-2017

Purpose of Bill

"Pro bono Work to Empower and Represent Act of 2017" or the "POWER Act"

Group(s) impacted

Victims of Domestic Abuse and Sexual Assault

Fiscal impact (if any)

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Last action

House - 08/23/2017 Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

Current status

Passed Senate

Bill Description

"This bill requires each U.S. Attorney for each judicial district to lead at least one public event that promotes pro bono legal services as a critical way to: (1) empower survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking; and (2) engage citizens in assisting those survivors.

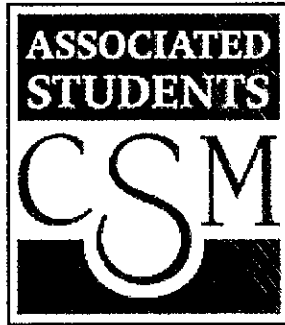
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Recommended Stance and Justification

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

Support=



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

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Bill Name

Pet and Women Safety Act of 2017

Bill Number

H.R.909

Sponsors

Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]

Co-sponsors from Northern California

Max of 10

237

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-24-2017

For the ASCSM Senate meeting of

Oct-30-2017

Purpose of Bill

o protect victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, and dating violence from emotional and psychological trauma caused by acts of violence or threats of violence against their pets.

Group(s) impacted

Victims of Domestic Violence

Fiscal impact (if any)

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Last action

House - 03/09/2017 Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

Current status

Introduced

Bill Description

EMERGENCY AND TRANSITIONAL PET SHELTER AND HOUSING ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM.

Recommended Stance and Justification

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

Support



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

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Bill Name

Pet and Women Safety Act of 2017

Bill Number

S.322

Sponsors

Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]

Co-sponsors from Northern California

Max of 10

25

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-24-2017

For the ASCSM Senate meeting of

Oct-30-2017

Purpose of Bill

o protect victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, and dating violence from emotional and psychological trauma caused by acts of violence or threats of violence against their pets.

Group(s) impacted

Victims of Domestic Violence

Fiscal impact (if any)

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Last action

Senate - 02/07/2017 Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

Current status

Introduced

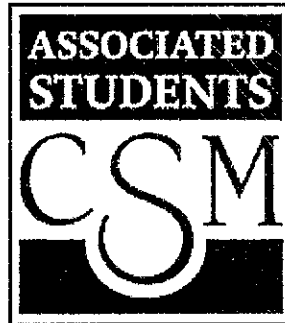
Bill Description

EMERGENCY AND TRANSITIONAL PET SHELTER AND HOUSING ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM.

Recommended Stance and Justification

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

Support



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

First name Gabriela Last name Topete Eng Goon Email gabrielatopeteengg@my.smccd.edu

Bill Name

H.R.3207 - Zero Tolerance for Domestic Abusers Act

Bill Number

H.R.3207

Sponsors

Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-24-2017

For the ASCSM Senate meeting of

Oct-30-2017

Purpose of Bill

To protect victims of stalking from gun violence.

Group(s) impacted

Victims of Domestic/Relationship Violence

Fiscal impact (if any)

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Last action

Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

Current status

Introduced

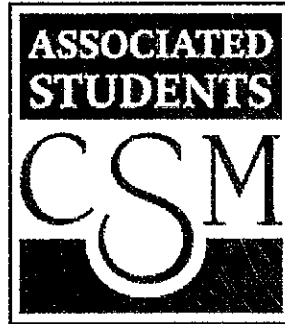
Bill Description

"ADDITION OF DATING PARTNERS AND INDIVIDUALS SUBJECT TO RESTRAINING ORDERS."

Recommended Stance and Justification

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

Support.



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

First name Gabriela Last name Topete Eng Goon Email gabrielatopeteengg@my.smccd.edu

Bill Name

Protecting Domestic Violence and Stalking Victims Act of 2017

Bill Number

H.R.2670

Sponsors

Rep. Brown, Anthony G. [D-MD-4]

Co-sponsors from Northern California

Max of 10

Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]

Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]

Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-18]

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-24-2017

For the ASCSM Senate meeting of

Oct-30-2017

Purpose of Bill

"To protect victims of stalking from gun violence."

Group(s) impacted

Victims of Domestic/Relationship Violence

Fiscal impact (if any)

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Last action

House - 07/11/2017 Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.

Current status

Introduced

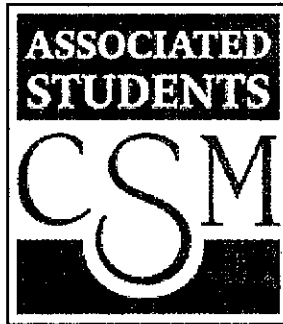
Bill Description

It expands Domestic Violence and Stalking Victims current law to include "intimate partners."
It prevents people who have been convicted of a misdemeanor crime of stalking from acquiring guns.

Recommended Stance and Justification

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

I think we should support this bill. It would expand gun control and protect a group that barely speaks up.



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

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Bill Name

Protecting Domestic Violence and Stalking Victims Act of 2017

Bill Number

S. 1539

Sponsors

Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]

Co-sponsors from Northern California

Max of 10

Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]*

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-24-2017

For the ASCSM Senate meeting of

Oct-30-2017

Purpose of Bill

"To protect victims of stalking from gun violence."

Group(s) impacted

Victims of Domestic/Relationship Violence

Fiscal impact (if any)

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Last action

07/12/2017 Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Current status

Committee on the Judiciary

Bill Description

It expands Domestic Violence and Stalking Victims current law to include "intimate partners."
It prevents people who have been convicted of a misdemeanor crime of stalking from acquiring guns.

Recommended Stance and Justification

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

I think we should support this bill. It would expand gun control and protect a group that barely speaks up.



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

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Bill Name

U.S. Customs and Border Protection or U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement

Bill Number

H.R.1006

Sponsors

Rep. Pramila Jayapal

Co-sponsors from Northern California

Max of 10

John Conyers Jr.

Zoe Lofgren

Jerrold Nadler

Sheila Jackson Lee

Luis V. Gutierrez,

Judy Chu

Hakeem S. Jeffries,

Eric Swalwell

Lucille Roybal-Allard

Michelle Lujan Grisham

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of


Oct-17-2017

 **For the ASCSM Senate meeting of**

Oct-17-2017

 **Purpose of Bill**

This bill amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide an individual in any removal, exclusion, or deportation proceeding or inspection (excluding primary inspections as defined by Department of Homeland Security policies) with a right to representation (at no expense to the government) by counsel of such individual's choosing, including remote counseling if counsel cannot personally meet with the individual.

 **Group(s) impacted**

Illegal United States citizens

 **Fiscal impact (if any)**

the bill extends the right to be accompanied, represented, and advised by counsel or other qualified representative before a government agency to any person subject to a proceeding, examination, holding, or detention

 **Last action**

Introduced in House

 **Current status**

House - 02/24/2017 Referred to the Subcommittee on Border and Maritime Security

 **Bill Description**

The holding or detention of individuals at a port of entry or at any holding or detention facility overseen by U.S. Customs and Border Protection or U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement shall: (1) be limited to the briefest term and the least restrictive conditions practicable, (2) be consistent with the rationale for such holding or detention; and (3) shall include access to food, water, and rest room facilities.

 **Recommended Stance and Justification**

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

I support this because it amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide an individual in any removal, exclusion, or deportation proceeding or inspection which can help all illegal or legal American citizens.



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

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Bill Name

Water Advanced Technologies for Efficient Resource Use Act of 2017

Bill Number

3248

Sponsors

Matt Cartwright

Co-sponsors from Northern California

Max of 10

Dianne Feinstein

Kamala Harris

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-10-2017

For the ASCSM Senate meeting of

Oct-10-2017

Purpose of Bill

To reduce water use, to reduce the strain on water, wastewater, and stormwater infrastructure, to conserve energy used to pump, heat, transport, and treat water, and to preserve water resources for future generations.

Group(s) impacted

Citizens of the United States

Fiscal impact (if any)

It can establish and maintain performance standards so that products, buildings and landscapes, and services labeled with the WaterSense label perform as well or better than their less efficient counterparts.

Last action

Referred to the Subcommittee on Readiness

Current status

Introduced in House

Bill Description

This bill codifies the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) WaterSense program, which identifies, labels, and promotes water-efficient products, buildings, landscapes, and services. This bill also establishes a program to provide financial incentives for consumers to purchase and install residential water-efficient products and services labeled under the WaterSense program.

Recommended Stance and Justification

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

I support it because it'll help to reduce water use and ensuring product and service performance. It'll regularly review and, when appropriate, update WaterSense criteria for categories of products, buildings and landscapes, and services, at least once every six years.



ASCSM Legislative Bill Report and Summary

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Bill Name

Community College to Career Fund Act

Bill Number

H.R. 2207

Sponsors

Rep. Robin Kelly

Co-sponsors from Northern California

Max of 10

Rep. John Garamendi

Rep. Ted Lieu

Rep. Alan Lowenthal


Rep. Grace Napolitano

For the Advocacy Board Meeting of

Oct-3-2017

Purpose of Bill

The purpose of this bill is to provide competitive grants for college students through the Department of Labor in partnership with employers or an industry partnership to provide and develop educational and career training programs.

 **Group(s) impacted**

College students

 **Current status**

Introduced

 **Recommended Stance and Justification**

Support, oppose, watch? Why?

We should support this bill because it would provide grants for community college students and help prepare them for career.



ASCSM Senate/ICC Proposal Form

Instructions This form must be filled out and submitted for review by the ASCSM Executive Cabinet in time for inclusion on the ASCSM Senate Agenda. Please check with the Center for Student Life for information about the current deadline.

For the meeting of ICC: Wednesday, Nov. 1, 2017 / Senate: Monday, Nov. 6, 2017

Title of Proposal Funding for 3D Printing Tools, Robotic Kits, and General Tools

Being Proposed by Robotics Club Lead Thomas Ragsac
Coordinator

Event Date(s) if applicable n/a

Forwarded to the Student Senate by:

- Executive Cabinet
 Advocacy
 Cultural Awareness
 Programming
 ICC
 Other

ASCSM Account Number/Name 5031 Club Assistance/ICC

Please provide an explanation of the proposal; the benefits to CSM students; an estimate of costs and work involved; the officers, employees, and volunteers who will do the work; the time and place of the event; and all other pertinent information.

This proposal is for the benefit of the entire CSM campus as well as the CSM Robotics Club. In the proposal, the CSM Robotics Club is asking for funds mainly for the 3D printer in the ISC and for robotic kits (drone kits, robotic arm kits, and Arduino microcontroller kits).

The 3D printer referred to in this essay is a recently assembled 3D printer that is free to use by any CSM Student, as long as they have completed the required training from our Robotics club members. Because the printer has been recently assembled, the printer requires specific tools and materials in order to continue use. These materials/tools include a glass printing bed, PLA filament, and 3D Printing tools (exacto knives, spatula, pliers, etc.).

The second part of the proposal is proposing funds for new robotic kits (drone kits, robotic arm kits, Arduino micro controller kits). In order for our club members to be engaged in their learning of robotics, programming, electronics, and mechanical design, it is imperative for our club to provide these resources to them such that new and old members can learn by doing, failing, and succeeding.

Make a list of all the estimated expenses that will be incurred in order to fund the program outlined above. Be as specific as possible. Attach estimates for items or services over \$100 when possible. Include labor, materials, supplies, equipment, rental fees, advertising costs, etc.

Item Description	Cost
1. <u>Robotic Kits (3 Drone kits, 3 Robotic Arm kits, 3 Arduino Micro Controller Kits)</u>	<u>\$950.00</u>
2. <u>3D Printing Tools (1 Glass Printing Bed, 5-10kg PLA Filament, 3D Printing Tools)</u>	<u>\$250.00</u>
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
Total Costs	<u>\$1,200.00</u>

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Motion by _____ Second by _____
 Result of Vote In Favor _____ Opposed _____ Abstained _____ Passed _____ Failed _____

Funding for ASCSM Winter Leadership Retreat

Material related to this item will be distributed at the meeting.

Halloween/Fall Carnival Event Debrief

There is no printed material related to this item.