



Associated Students of Merritt College Incorporated



May 7, 2024 | 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

12500 Campus Dr, Oakland, CA 94619

**ASMC Meeting Agenda**

**Merritt College Mission:** The mission of Merritt College is to enhance the quality of life in the community we serve by helping students to attain knowledge, master skills, and develop the appreciation, attitudes and the values needed to succeed and participate responsibly in a democratic society and a global economy.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Associated Students of Merritt College will hold a

**Regular Meeting on Tuesday, May 7, 2024, at 3:00 PM.**

The meeting information is noted below:

The ASMC Inc. Council reserves the right to suspend the orders of the day if necessary to conduct business. All Associated Students of Merritt College meetings are held in locations that are wheelchair accessible. Other reasonable accommodation may be provided upon request. Persons requesting such accommodation are requested to notify the Director of Student Activities and Campus Life, Doris Hankins [dhankins@peralta.edu](mailto:dhankins@peralta.edu) no less than two (2) working days prior to the meeting. Efforts will be made to meet requests made after that deadline. Contact the President at [asmcpresident@peralta.edu](mailto:asmcpresident@peralta.edu) for agenda related items.

**CALL TO ORDER:**

**Roll Call:**

<u>Position &amp; Name</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Absent</u>
President -- Marco Loza		

<b>Vice President -- Dave Rivera</b>		
<b>Vice President of Inter-Club Council -- Ty Adams</b>		
<b>Vice President of Finance -- Emilyn Inestroza</b>		
<b>Vice President of Communication – Jasmine Bledsoe</b>		
<b>Vice President of Participatory Governance -- VACANT</b>		
<b>Senator -- Blossom Abudu</b>		
<b>Senator – Jenny Gonzalez</b>		
<b>Senator – Leai O’Dell</b>		
<b>Senator – Tamari Whitfield</b>		
<b>Senator – Kat DeJean</b>		

- i. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**
- ii. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

April 30, 2024

**PUBLIC COMMENT {BROWN ACT §54954.3}**

This segment of the meeting is reserved for members of the public to directly address the ASMC Inc. Council on any matters that are within its jurisdiction and not on the present agenda. A time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker and twelve (12) minutes per topic will be allowed. The law does not permit any action to be taken, nor extended discussion of items not on the agenda. The opportunity for public comment on items that appear on the present agenda can be taken at the beginning of each item. The Associated Students of Merritt College may briefly respond to comments made or questions posed. To place an item on a future agenda, contact the President or Vice president at [asmcpresident@peralta.edu](mailto:asmcpresident@peralta.edu) or [asmcvicepresident@peralta.edu](mailto:asmcvicepresident@peralta.edu).

**I. APPOINTMENTS & REMOVALS (10 Minutes)**

**II. GUEST SPEAKERS (10 Minutes)**

**Jorge Murrillo, Director, ASPIRA Project**

**III. REPORTS**

**Advisors | 5 Minutes**

**President | 2 Minutes**

**Vice President | 2 Minutes**

**Vice President of Finance | 2 Minutes**

**Vice President of ICC | 2 Minutes**

**Senators | 2 Minutes**

**Parliamentarians | 2 minutes**

**IV. New Business**

**a. Spirit Week | 10 Minutes**

**The board will discuss and take action amend the cost for Spirit Week. The will not exceed \$4200.**

**b. Scholarship and Awards Dinner | 10 minutes:**

**The board will discuss and take action amend the cost for the Scholarship and Awards Dinner. The will not exceed \$8,500.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Reserved for members of ASMC Inc. Council to make announcements and no discussion will occur and no action may be taken.**