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Minutes  
Elections Commission  
Friday, February 18, 2022 10:00 AM  
Zoom Meeting

*This meeting is being facilitated through an online zoom format, consistent with the Governor's Executive Order N25-20, suspending certain open meeting law restrictions.*

- I. Meeting called to order at 10:04 a.m. by Sophia Arlantino, Chairperson
- II. Roll Call  
**Voting Members:** Cindy Romero and Jonathan-Molina-Mancio  
**Advisors Present:** Raven Emmert, Adam Kasarda, Michellena Lakey  
**Visitors:** Natalia Garcia
- III. Approval of Agenda – Action Item  
\*M/Romero, S/Molina-Mancio to approve of the agenda  
**VOTE: UNANIMOUS**
- IV. Approval of Minutes (February 16, 2022) – Action Item  
\*M/Molina-Mancio, S/Romero to approve the tabling of the minutes from February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
**VOTE: UNANIMOUS**
- V. Report  
**Marketing and Public Relations Coordinator-** Emmert relayed with the Commission that BOD had three separate chances to table for ASI over this past week. She gave a big thank you to Molina-Mancio and Romero for their great tabling efforts, especially for holding down the area while Emmert had to step away for a moment. She is looking forward to more tabling events, especially for elections.
- VI. Unfinished Business
  - A. Elections Promotional Items & Giveaway – Discussion Item  
The Commission will review current marketing materials and implement strategies to distribute materials most effectively  
Unfortunately, Emmert was not able to have Ivan Lopez ASI's social media assistant present for today's meeting; she will be able to provide the commission with notes on his progress the following week. Emmert is hoping to create a sense of urgency for people to come out and get elections materials, especially the ASI Elections t-shirts. She is marketing their exclusivity and is creating awareness of the upcoming March giveaways, where students can win election material prizes. She has also been able to create a long-standing appointment with Teddy the Toro and hopes to push out new content very soon.

VII. New Business

A. Candidates Application Review – Action Item

The Commission will review and consider Candidates Applications and move forward with applications requirements.

In regard to the pending applicant, Emmert finally received confirmation the other day that this student has no past conduct and is therefore eligible to run for Elections. The student has been notified and the position this student is running for is Director of Student Services. As well, the notices of ineligibility for the one applicant was distributed yesterday. However, over the course of their several interactions Emmert feels that this student is dedicated and engaged despite their ineligibility. She relayed this information to Matt Smith, which he then informed Emmert that she could reach out to the individual and encourage them to appeal. Emmert's next focus is to have all applicants submit supplemental documents by Friday February 25<sup>th</sup>. Emmert and Lakey reminded Commission members that applicant campaigning is not allowed until March 4<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m.

\*M/Molina-Mancio, S/Romero to table the action item until next Elections Commission

**VOTE: UNANIMOUS**

VIII. Open Forum

Time for members of the audience to address the Commission.

IX. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 10:24 a.m.

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