

9/19/2022 Senate Meeting Minutes

[Monday, 9/19/22]

Meeting called to order on [9/19/2022] at [8:06 pm] in ASB 522

I. Roll Call

- a. President Paolo Miyashiro-Bedoya
- b. Vice President Janea Tozer-Murphy
- c. Senate President Ashley Gomez
- d. Senate Vice President Aime Lara
- e. Senate Secretary Leyla Merhi
- f. Graduate Senator: Andy Annucci
- g. ASB School Senator: Daeun Mun
- h. CA School Senator: Janelle Boamah
- i. TAS School Senator: Samikshya Pokharel
- j. Senator Ivonne Ovalles
- k. Senator Kristina Hollosi
- l. Senator Patricia Kalaidjian
- m. Senator Shanel Lopez
- n. Senator Brandon Rivera
- o. Senator Madison Weeks
- p. Senator Daniel Rajakumar
- q. Senator Riley Stein
- r. Senator Evelyn Voitsekhovich
- s. Senator Abigail Rojas
- t. Senator Shubhashree Shahi
- u. Senator Prashant Shah
- v. Senator Bibhu Bhatta
- w. Senator Vincent Bollota

- i. Present:
- ii. Late: Abigail Rojas
- iii. Excused: Shanel Lopez, [Janea Tozer-Murphy](#) , Madison Weeks

II. Mission Statement

The Ramapo College Student Government Association serves as the persistent voice of the student body. While representing the student body and the ideals of Ramapo College of New Jersey, the Student Government Association, through unity in diversity, embraces student leadership in all forms.

III. Approving Minute Meetings

- a. [9/12/2022 Senate Meeting Minutes](#)

IV. President's Announcements - Paolo Miyashiro Bedoya

- a. Currently advertising for open Cabinet positions. If anyone's interested, please direct them to sgapresident@ramapo.edu.
 - i. Secretary of Commuter Affairs
 - ii. Secretary of Diversity & Inclusion
 - iv. Secretary of Service
 - v. Secretary of Sustainability
- b. Megan Johnston, Health Educator in the Center for Health & Counseling Services, will be attending General this week to discuss National Suicide Awareness Month, different resources from Counseling Services, and ways that we as student leaders can help our fellow Roadrunners.
- c. Save the Dates:
 - i. State of the College Address: Wednesday 9/21, 12 - 1 pm, Friends Hall
 - ii. Provost Search Firm Open Forum for Students: 3:15 - 4 pm, ASB 135
 - iii. September Training: Sunday 9/25, 6 - 8 pm, Friends Hall
 - 1. RSVP using Google Calendar invite

iv. Presidential Reception: Wednesday 9/28, 4:30 - 7 pm

1. 4:30: Men's Soccer Game, Athletic Field

2. 5:30: Reception, Pavilion

3. Ramapo attire, RSVP to sscheele@ramapo.edu ASAP

v. The Inauguration of President Jebb: Friday 10/14, 2 - 4 pm

V. New Business

a. Swearing-In for New Senators -

b. Intern Election: HGS School Senator - Andrew Taranta

i. Moved Ivonne, Second Andy

ii. 16-1-0

c. Cabinet Appointment:

- Secretary of Fraternity & Sorority Life - Samantha Savercool

i. Moved Samikshya, Kristina second

ii. 17-0-1

- Secretary of Governmental Affairs - James Pascal

i. Moved by Ivonne, Second by Janelle

ii. 12-1-5

d. American Cancer Society: Pink Tie Formal Co-sponsorship (8:30)

i. Wednesday October 5th, at 6pm, Trustees Pavilion

ii. Agata Srodon will meet us to speak on the event and answer questions/concerns.

1. Need funds for [prize\(s\)](#) = \$65

2. Marketing

- Social media promotion

- Word of mouth promotion ie; promotion at meeting

iii. Moved Andy, second Ivonne

iv. 15-0-3

e. Liaison Reports

i. Choosing Liaisons

- [Senate Liaison Contact Sheet](#)

ii. Liaison Due Dates

- **10/3, 11/7, 12/5**

iii. Liaison Etiquette/ Procedure

iiii. Any questions/concerns for those meeting with their liaisons.

VI. Open Forum

- a. Brandon, starting a football team, powder puff
- b. Kristina, inviting facilities to a general meeting
- c. Ivonne, winter dance
- d. Janelle, keep on the lookout for information about fall concert and spring concert

VII. Adjournment

Moved Janelle, Second Ivonne

10:02