



## I NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF CSU CHANNEL ISLANDS, INC.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, to the general public and to all members of the CSU Channel Islands Student Government that:

A regular meeting of the Student Government Senate will be held on Wednesday, October 21, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. on <https://csuci.zoom.us/j/96458424516> to consider and act upon the following matters:

- 1) Call to Order: 9:04 am
- 2) Roll Call:
  - a. Executive Branch: Sophie Nguyen, Emily Quinonez, Beatriz Espinoza, Isaiah Ball, and Aurora Rugerio.
  - b. Legislative Branch: Nicole Bernal, Ilien Tolteca, Harmony Blackwell, Violeta Murillo, Ashley Cruz, Ayleen Trejo, Fred Wells, Pamela Antonio, and Wendy Villafuerte.
  - c. Advisors: Annie Block-Weiss and Helen Alatorre.
  - d. Members of the Public: Angel Chika, Maggie Domingo
- 3) Approval of Agenda:
  - I. Bernal/ P. Antonio
    - i. A. Cruz: Senator Wendy Villafuerte was not included in the legislative reports.
    - II. I. Tolteca: I motion to amend the agenda to add senator Villafuerte to legislative reports.
    - III. M/S/P I. Tolteca/ A. Cruz 9/0/0 Motion Passed
    - IV. Approval of the Agenda: 9/0/0 Motion Passed
- 4) Approval of Minutes:
  - a. ACTION ITEM: Approval of minutes from October 14, 2020
    - V. M/S/P P. Antonio/ I. Tolteca 9/0/0 Motion Passed
    - i. N. Bernal yields time to Angel Chika
    - ii. Angel Chika: Shared a potential project idea to the senate.
    - iii. A. Block-Weiss: Informed senate that they can inform members of the public when it is appropriate to make a public comment.
- 5) Public Forum:
  - a. Maggie Domingo: Shared that the police department has finished their PowerPoint and they will hopefully be presenting next senate meeting.
- 6) Reports:
  - a. Legislative Reports:
    - i. Senator of Academic Affairs (*N. Bernal*)
      1. Attended Academic Senate meeting, shared with senate that the Provost committee is done with their research and will announce new provost at the end of semester. Spring Planning is on the way and it is focused on virtual instruction, a committee will be dedicated on virtual instruction.

- ii. Senator of Alumni, Graduate & Credential (*F. Wells*)
  - 1. No report
- iii. Senator of Commuters & Transportation (*I. Tolteca*)
  - 1. No report
- iv. Senator of Housing & Residential Education (*P. Antonio*)
  - 1. Talked to Isabelle Wroblewski, Assistant Coordinator of Residential Education, about the issues of residents of Mission Hills not wearing a mask. Also discussed concerns of visitors on campus not wearing a mask.
- v. Senator of Social Justice (*H. Blackwell*)
  - 1. Is a part of the blue search committee, they had their first introductory meeting but could not attend due to class. Got to meet with committee afterwards to catch up with information that was discussed.
- vi. Senator of Student Engagement (*V. Murillo*)
  - 1. No report.
- vii. Senator of Sustainability & Technology (*A. Cruz*)
  - 1. Shared that Trivia Night had great student turn out. Shared that there will be an event, Sustainability during Covid-19, tomorrow from 3pm-4pm.
  - 2. Attended tree committee and talked about establishing a software that would help students know the types of trees that can be found on campus and give more information about the tree.
- viii. Senator of Wellness & Recreation (*A. Trejo*)
  - 1. No report.
- ix. Senator Wendy:
  - 1. No report
- b. Executive Reports:
  - i. President's Report (*S. Nguyen*)
    - 1. Thanked members that attended Clubs and Organizations Fair and got to represent Student Government at the event.
    - 2. Has been working with Quinonez and the advisors to get the graphics for Civic Engagement ready. Has been working with Executive team to get planning for the Student Government Retreat.
    - 3. Shared that CSSA was this past weekend and unfortunately, she could not attend but thanked B. Espinoza for taking lead.
  - ii. Vice President's Report (*E. Quinonez*)
    - 1. Shared that the new Title IX director has been selected.
    - 2. Informed Senate that Civic Engagement is next week.

3. Currently working of getting details finalized for the retreat.
  4. Gathering feedback for ethnic studies. Yet to learn a bit more but will be reaching out to gather information from the team.
- iii. Chief of Staff (*I. Ball*)
    1. Has been in contact with the interns.
    2. Shared that there is a SRPC meeting this Thursday
  - iv. Director of External Affairs (*B. Espinoza*)
    1. Shared that CSSA took place this past weekend and will be presenting more information soon.
  - v. Director of Operations (*A. Rugerio*)
    1. No Report.
- c. Judicial Reports:
- i. None
- d. Advisor Reports:
- i. Advisor (*A. Block-Weiss*)
    1. No report
  - ii. Advisor (*H. Alatorre*)
    1. Shared that as N. Bernal stated in their report, campus community for spring planning has requested for Student Government representation for the online instruction committee and logistics committee. If anyone is interested in being part of the committee, please let her or E. Quinonez know.
    2. Students have been asked for feedback regarding Ethnic Studies. Current GE requirement have been modified and will need feedback back by November 2<sup>nd</sup>.
    3. Has received questions regarding the faculty resolution to not show Student Evaluations on their permanent files. Was wondering if Student Government wanted to act on this.
    4. CSSA did reach out, and they are seeking feedback on the Gloria Romero act which dictates how meetings are to run. Given the virtual environment they are seeking to make modifications that will better fit the current virtual setting.
    5. Brief update that there is class action lawsuit about mandatory fees. Lawsuits ask that students should be refunded. ASI compiling information to the best of their ability which shows how money was spent.
- e. Committee Reports:
- i. None
- 7) Outstanding Business:

- a. None

8) New Business:

- a. ACTION ITEM: IAC Appointments (E. Quinonez)

- i. E. Quinonez: Gave a description of the Internal Affairs Committee (IAC) and proceeded to list out her recommendation.

- ii. Permanent: Nicole Bernal, Fred Wells and Aurora Rugerio

- iii. Temporary: Violeta Murillo and Isaiah Ball.

- VI. I motion to approve the recommendations to the IAC committee

- VII. M/S/P F. Wells/ A. Cruz 8/0/0 Motion passed

- iv. Will be in touch with everyone to give more information regarding the committee.

- \*A. Trejo yields time to A. Block-Weiss.

- v. A. Block-Weiss clarified that the strike system does not only apply to the senators but to everyone on the team.

- b. ACTION ITEM: Pro Tempore (E. Quinonez)

- i. E. Quinonez: Explained that when the madam chair is not present during the senate meeting. The Pro Tempore will take their place and hold the meeting in their absence.

- ii. Recommendation: Nicole Bernal

- VIII. A. Cruz: I move to approve the recommendation for Pro Tempore.

- IX. M/S/P A. Cruz/ F. Wells 8/0/0 Motion Passed.

- c. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: CSSA Update (B. Espinoza)

- i. Shared that the Gloria Romero Act was tabled to the next CSSA meeting. Shared that another important topic that was discussed was the faculty resolution to not included student evaluations.

- \*F. Wells yields time to H. Alatorre.

- ii. Helen: Asked if CSSA has taken a stand on whether they are in favor of the faculty resolution?

- iii. B. Espinoza: Shared that for the most part student leaders that were present were against the resolution.

- \*I. Tolteca yields time to I. Ball.

- iv. I. Ball: Commented that he is interested in gathering more information regarding what students feel.

- d. INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Civic Engagement Overview (S. Nguyen/E. Quinonez)

- i. Gave Presentation outlining the various events that will take place for Civic Engagement Week.

9) Closing Comments:

- a. A. Rugerio: Shared that she has created an email directory and hopes that it come in handy for everyone.

10) Adjournment: 10:25am

Next Student Government Senate meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 28, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. on <https://csuci.zoom.us/j/96458424516>

Minutes respectfully take by Aurora Rugerio, Director of Operations.



# Civic Engagement Week

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## *OVERVIEW*

- ❖ What are you Voting For Video
- ❖ Come have lunch and learn about Lobby Corps
- ❖ Raise your voice, write a letter
- ❖ Voter Disenfranchisement and Long-Term Change ft. the Black Brown Healing Project



**STUDENT GOVERNMENT  
INVITES YOU TO JOIN US FOR:**

# CIVIC ENGAGEMENT WEEK

**MONDAY, OCT. 26 - FRIDAY, OCT. 30**

**A WEEK OF CIVIC ENGAGEMENT AWARENESS  
EVENTS AND INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES!**



**ALL EVENTS ARE THROUGH  
INSTAGRAM:  
@ci\_studentgovt**

**MONDAY, OCT. 26**

**"What Are You Voting For?"  
(Posted on Instagram all week)**

**TUESDAY, OCT. 27**

**"Lunch & Lobby Corps"  
Noon - 1:00pm • Instagram "LIVE"  
&**

**"Raise Your Voice, Write a Letter!"  
(Posted on Instagram all week)**

**WEDNESDAY, OCT. 28**

**"Voter Disenfranchisement and  
Long-Term Change with the  
Black Brown Healing Project"  
Noon - 1:00pm • Instagram "LIVE"**

*Attend these live  
events and earn  
points in the:*

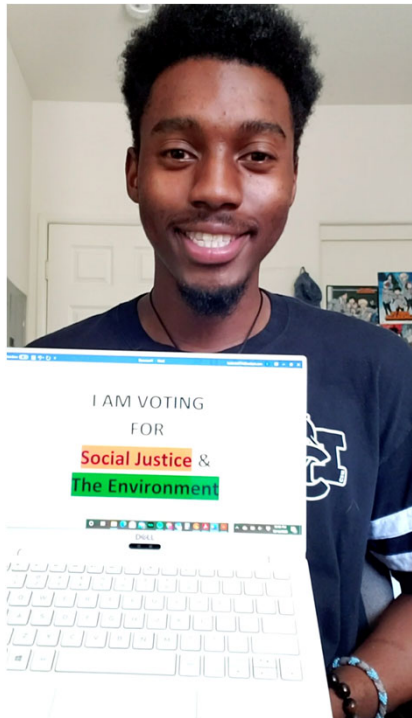
**STUDENT  
UNION PERKS  
PROGRAM!**





Day 1:

# What are you Voting for Video



- ❖ This video will feature different clubs on campus and an issue that they care about.
  - Ex: The Environment and Social Justice.

## How can students get engaged?

- ❖ We are going to encourage students to comment on the video with a heart emoji.
- ❖ Each heart emoji will represent a different issue that they care for.

- 💖 Higher Education
- 💛 Social Justice
- 💙 LGBTQ+
- 💚 The Environment
- 💜 Women's Rights
- 🖤 Immigration
- ❤️ Health Care

**"WHAT ARE YOU VOTING FOR?"**  
Monday, October 26

**CIVIC ENGAGEMENT WEEK**

TO ACCESS THIS PROGRAMMING, GO TO STUDENT GOVERNMENT'S INSTAGRAM: @ci\_studentgovt



Day 2:

# Come have lunch and learn about Lobby Corps!

- ❖ This will be a fun and interactive event where the Director of External Affairs goes LIVE on the Student Government Instagram and talks about Lobby Corps!
  - ❖ What is Lobby Corps?
  - ❖ Importance of Lobby Corps
  - ❖ Former student experience
  - ❖ Answer any student questions
- ❖ Students will be able to comment LIVE to ask questions.
- ❖ Students will be able to get entered in a giveaway by checking in via a Qualtrics Survey!
- ❖ Attending students earn 15 SUPP points!



**LUNCH & LOBBY CORPS**  
Tuesday, October 27 • Noon - 1pm

**STUDENT UNION PERKS PROGRAM!**

**CIVIC ENGAGEMENT WEEK** **Instagram LIVE: @ci\_studentgovt**

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284 posts 1,204 followers 1,100 following

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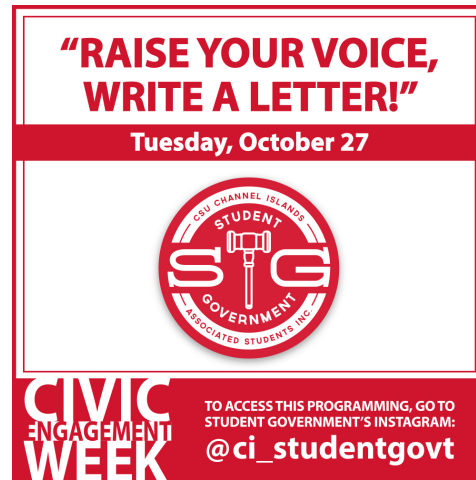


Day 2:

# Raise your voice, Write a Letter!

## Write a Letter!

- ❖ We will be posting infographics on our Instagram page on...
  - What Letter Writing is about?
  - The importance of Letter Writing



## Raise your voice

- ❖ What other ways can students voice their opinions ?
  - Lobbying
  - Advocacy
- ❖ Outreach for Prop 16



Day 3:

## Voter Disenfranchisement and Long-Term Change ft. the Black Brown Healing Project

- Join us through Instagram live (@ci\_studentgovt)
  - Wednesday
  - 12:00-1:00 pm
- Join to learn more about voter suppression, and how civic engagement goes beyond just voting!
- Students will be able to comment LIVE to ask questions.
- Students will be able to get entered in a giveaway by checking in via a Qualtrics Survey!
- Attending students earn 15 SUPP points!

**"Voter Disenfranchisement and Long-Term Change with the Black Brown Healing Project"**

**Wednesday, Oct. 28 • Noon - 1pm**

**COALITION FOR CIVIC EDUCATION**

**CIVIC ENGAGEMENT WEEK**

**STUDENT UNION PERKS PROGRAM!**

**Instagram LIVE: @ci\_studentgovt**



## *LET'S SUPPORT*

- Reminder: Attend & engage with Instagram Live Events as a part of your hours
- Participate in passive programming on Instagram
- Help promote on social media and spread the word
- Empower, Uplift, Unify!