



## Associated Students of Merritt College (ASMC) Incorporated

January 30th, 2026 | 10:00am- 12:30pm

12500 Campus Drive, Oakland, CA 94619

ASMC Chambers, R-127

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### ASMC Regular Meeting

**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 Friday, January 30th, 2026 | 10:00am- 12:30pm

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 accommodations 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.

**I. CALL TO ORDER-**

**II. ROLL CALL:**

Position & Name	Present	Absent
President- Davina Malbrough		
Vice President- Paul Atamewan		

<b>Vice President of Finance- Andrea Gilmore</b>		
<b>Vice President of Communications- Monique Choyce</b>		
<b>Vice President of Participatory Governance- Vacant</b>		
<b>Vice President of ICC- Kosi Ugeh</b>		
<b>Senator- Ronniedith Dimapasoc</b>		
<b>Senator- Pratiksha Basnet</b>		

**III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA -**

**IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES- Minutes**

**V. 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 Vice President of Communications at [asmcvpcommunication@peralta.edu](mailto:asmcvpcommunication@peralta.edu) and copy the President at [asmcpresident@peralta.edu](mailto:asmcpresident@peralta.edu).

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

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

**VIII. Reports**

**Advisors | 5 Minutes**

**President | 5 Minutes**

**Vice President | 5 Minutes**

**Vice President of Communication | 5 Minutes**

**Vice President of Finance | 5 Minutes**

**Vice President of ICC | 5 Minutes**

**Senator | 5 Minutes**

**IX. Old Business**

**A. Updating ASMC/ICC Rooms | 15 MINUTES**

The board will discuss and take action to reorganize and refurbish our rooms. This cost shall not exceed \$3000.

**B. Committee Appointments | 10 MINUTES | Discussion/ Action**

The board will discuss and take action to appoint members of the Merritt student body to committees that they are interested in.

**C. Fundraising**

**President | 20mins | Discussion/ Action**

The Board will discuss and take action to revisit fundraising and finalize options.

**D. Board Access**

**President | 20mins | Discussion/ Action**

The Board will discuss and take action to authorize current and future ASMC Presidents to have access to the ASMC purchasing card for approved purchases and planning purposes, and to change the locks on ASMC and ICC office for access for the board and clubs.

**E. Gala Date/ ASMC Scholarships**

**President | 30 | Discussion/ Action**

The Board will discuss and take action to plan the ASMC Annual Scholarship Gala. The proposed date is May 6th at 5pm. The board will also go over ASMC scholarship criteria.

**X. New Business**

**A. Resolution Sponsorship**

**President | 20mins | Discussion/ Action**

The Board will discuss and take action to consider sponsoring resolutions for the general assembly.

**B. ASMC Vending Machines/ Food At Night**

**President | 20mins | Discussion/ Action**

The Board will discuss and take action to consider new vending machine options for a possible new vendor and possibly partner with basic needs for food at night.

**C. Decompression Room**

**President | 20mins | Discussion/ Action**

The Board will discuss and take action to find a space for our overly stimulated neurotypicals, and stimulation and rest for neuro-divergent students.

**D. Access to Gym**

**President | 20mins | Discussion/ Action**

The Board will discuss and take action to see how all merritt college students can access the fitness room.

**E. Team Bonding**

**President | 20mins | Discussion/ Action**

The Board will discuss and take action to plan a team bonding day.

**F. Art Work**

**President | 20mins | Discussion/ Action**

The Board will discuss and take action to decide what to do with ASMC chambers art work and overall look.

**XI. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

**XII. ADJOURNMENT**