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2023-2024 BOARD

PRESIDENT Rafael Orozco	SECRETARY Susana Ruvalcaba	SUPPORT STAFF Miranda Ochoa
PRESIDENT-ELECT Stephanie Cuevas	TREASURER Aaron Lucero	REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE Gerardo Millan Jr. Tracy Neve Edith Gonzalez Adrienne Shabandarian
PAST PRESIDENT		

2024-2025 BOARD

PRESIDENT Stephanie Cuevas	SECRETARY To be elected	SUPPORT STAFF Miranda Ochoa
PRESIDENT-ELECT To be elected	TREASURER Aaron Lucero	REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE Edith Gonzalez Adrienne Shabandarian To be elected (2)
PAST PRESIDENT Rafael Orozco		

- I. **Call to Order: 1:05**
- II. **Roll Call**
- III. **Approval of Minutes – Happening at state conference**
- IV. **Motion to Adopt Agenda**

ACTION: MOTION TO ADOPT THE AGENDA - Stephanie
ACTION: SECOND - Aaron

- V. **Good of the Order**
 - a. Thank you, reps at large!
- VI. **Old Business**
 - a. ASPIRE Conference 2023
 - i. Feedback on cost
 - b. Constitution Amendments
- VII. **Committee Reports**
 - a. TRIO Day Committee
 - i. February 23, 2024 - CU Denver Campus – REGISTER (66 as of 2/9)
 - ii. Guest Speakers: Jen Rudolph, Antonio Farias, Lt. Governor Dianne Primavera
 - iii. Capitol: 9:30am (limited) Proclamation by Rep. Martinez



- iv. Call to Action: Letters, Districts, Story Sharing, Food/Hygiene Drive
- b. State Conference Committee
 - i. April 22-24 in Grand Junction (missing swag bag subcommittee)
 - ii. Registration, TRIO Achievers and Proposals opening up Feb. 19
 - iii. Elections (president elect, secretary, support staff, & 2 reps at large)
 - iv. Who is attending? (Tracy, Adrienne, Miranda, Junior, Stephanie?, Edith, Aaron?)
- c. State Initiatives Committee
 - i. Spraggins Grant \$1,500 (TRIO Day, COE/ASPIRE/CO)
 - ii. DEI Grant \$10,000 (TRIO Day, workshops)

VIII. Board Updates

- a. President Report – Rafael
- b. President Elect - Stephanie
- c. Treasurer Report – Aaron
 - i. TBD
 - ii. All reimbursements submitted (1 pending outstanding)
- d. Secretary Report – Susana
 - i. Membership is at 90 as of 1-4-2024
 - ii. Membership benefits/non-members
 - iii. Cannot run another term, refer any interested members
- e. Support Staff Report – Miranda
- f. Rep at Large Reports
 - i. Gerardo
 - ii. Tracy
 - 1. Update on contact information for districts
 - 2. Waiting from Trinidad
 - iii. Edith
 - iv. Adrienne
 - 1. Waiting 2-3 institutions

IX. New Business

- a. Grant Competitions
 - i. SSS Competition – due tentative November
 - ii. SSS Writing Workshop from COE
- b. APR
 - i. UB Submitted
 - ii. McNair due Feb. 29th
 - iii. EOC opening soon
- c. Fairshare
 - i. Met goal! 14 for 14
 - ii. Free Policy Seminar registration for Rafael
- d. Budget Overview
 - i. \$37,540.94 as of 12/31/2024
 - ii. Expenses coming up
 - iii. \$1500 for TRIO Day
 - 1. \$500 from Colorado ASPIRE
 - 2. \$500 from COE
 - 3. \$500 from ASPIRE
 - iv. State Conference
 - 1. Budget of \$18,000
 - 2. 4 Policy Scholarships (2 team leaders and 2 members)

Colorado ASPIRE
Board Meeting Agenda
February 9, 2024



- a. \$2,000
- b. Edith, Karla, Adrienne, Jess
- v. Policy Seminar
 - 1. 4 team leaders (Rafael, Dariana, Edith & Karla)
 - 2. Attendees 10 as of now including team leaders
 - 3. Fact Book
 - a. Stories!!
- vi. Appropriations Bills
 - 1. Deadline is April 30th
 - a. TRIO faces a 10% cut if all bills are not passed

ACTION: MOTION TO ADJOURN - Adrienne

ACTION: SECOND - Edith

X. Adjournment: 1:48pm