

## **MINUTES OF STUDENTS' COUNCIL MEETING OF NORQUEST COLLEGE HELD ON**

**Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**Present Council Members:** Rep. Alvaro Ivan Garcia [4:20], Rep. Ama Dogbefou [3:58], Rep. Aniket Verma [4:00], Bridget Ayoku [4:02], Rep. Diana Ramirez [4:00], Rep. Elaidah Joannah De Jesus [3:58], Rep. Japleen Punia [4:00], Rep. Krizza De Jesus [3:59], Morgan Chalifoux Wabasca [4:02], Rep. Navjot Kaur [4:00], Rep. Prashant Virdi [3:59], Rep. Sahil [4:08], Rep. Yazmin Seade Castellanos [3:57].  
**Administration:** Cherie Sawaryn – Chair and Executive Director, Daniela Cardona – Board Administrator

**Regrets:**

**Absent:**

**Guests:**

### **CALL TO ORDER**

Meeting called to order at: 4:35 pm.  
Quorum established at: 4:02 pm.

### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**Motion:** To approve the Students' Council agenda for April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023, as presented.  
Motion by Representative Dogbefou Seconded by Representative Ramirez  
**Vote:** All in favor **Resolved:** Motion carries.

### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**Motion:** To approve the Students' Council meeting minutes from April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023, as presented.  
Motion by Representative Punia Seconded by Representative Dogbefou  
**Vote:** All in favor **Resolved:** Motion carries.

### **Old Business**

- **NorQuest Student Lounge Feasibility Study**
  - Review and Discussion

### **New Business**

- None

### **Items for Information:**

- **End Term Celebration**
  - Tomorrow, April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023
  - 5:30 to 7:30 pm
- **Teambuilding Day**
  - Friday, April 21<sup>st</sup>
  - From 8 am to 4:30 pm
- **‘Get Out To Vote’ Information Booths**
  - Next week Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, 10am – 12:30pm. Imagine Hall
  - Thursday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, from 10:30 – 11:30am. Centre 106
  - Monday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, from 1:30 – 2:30pm. By the Centre for Learners
  - Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, from 9:30 – 10:30am. Imagine hall
  - Thursday, May 25<sup>th</sup>, from 1:15 – 2:45pm. By staircase of the Atrium
- **Eid al-Fitr or the Festival of Sweets**
  - Tomorrow, April 20<sup>th</sup>, from 1 to 4 pm
  - By the atrium, next to staircase
- **Convocation Carnival Goodbye Video**
  - Any Council member interested?

**Items for Discussion/Approval:**

**A. Board of Governors Appointments**

**Discussion and Appointment**

**Motion:** To appoint Representatives Chalifoux and Virdi to the Board of Governors for the 2023-2024 academic year

Motion by Representative Dogbefou Seconded by Representative Garcia

**Vote:** All in favor **Resolved:** Motion carries.

**B. Convocation Speakers Selection**

Discussion and approval

**Motion:** To approve Representative Garcia as the convocation speaker for the morning ceremony, May 17, 2023

Motion by Representative Ramirez Seconded by Representative Ayoku

**Vote:** All in favor **Resolved:** Motion carries.

**Motion:** To selection Representative Punia as the convocation speaker for the afternoon ceremony, May 17, 2023

Motion by Representative Dogbefou Seconded by Representative Garcia

**Vote:** All in favor **Resolved:** Motion carries.

### **C. Client Advisory Conference (CAC)**

The information about the conference was presented to council, and representative Chalifoux shared her experience from attending to the conference last year.

### **Upcoming Opportunities**

- **Graduation Folders**
  - 2-3 Students' Council needed
  - Starting tomorrow, April 20<sup>th</sup>

### **In Camera Session**

Not in Camera session held at this meeting

**Motion:** To adjourn the meeting at 6:00 pm  
Motion by representative

**Next Meeting:** May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023, from 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm