

## **TJCSGA Executive Board Fall Meeting**

November 14th, 2021, 9:00am

- I. **Call to Order** – President Joel Vasquez calls the meeting to order at 9:28am.
- II. **Pledge of Allegiance** – Callen Brackeen, Navarro College Corsicana Campus
- III. **Roll Call** – Fatima Cruz, Dallas College, El Centro Campus
  - A. Quorum met. Five officers, Advisor-Elect, and Advisor.
- IV. **Approval of the Agenda**
  - A. Motion made by Aicha Diakite, Dallas College, Brookhaven Campus, to dispense with the reading of the agenda and barring any grammatical errors.
  - B. Motion seconded by Callen Brackeen, Navarro College Corsicana Campus.
  - C. No discussion
  - D. Motion carries
- V. **Approval of the Minutes**
  - A. Motion made by Aicha Diakite, Dallas College, Brookhaven Campus, to dispense with the reading of the minutes from the summer meeting and approve them as written barring any grammatical errors.
  - B. Motion seconded by Vivian Fallows, Collin College
  - C. No discussion
  - D. Motion carries
- VI. **Officer Reports**
  - A. Advisor-Elect – Beth Nikopoulos, Dallas College, North Lake Campus
    1. Commends the Executive Board for their hard work and progress.
  - B. Advisor – James Jones, Trinity Valley Community College
    1. Commends the Executive Board for their dedication and preparedness.
  - C. Host – Aicha Diakite, Dallas College, Brookhaven Campus
    1. Expresses the privilege of being able to work amongst other Executive Board members and her excitement towards starting

State Executive Board introductions/ biographies to the TJCSGA website.

D. Historian – Vivian Fallows, Collin College

1. Conveys how nice it has been working with the other Executive Board members and communicates that she will begin uploading documents to the TJCSGA website and continuing to post to the TJCSGA Instagram account.

E. Treasurer

F. Secretary

G. Parliamentarian – Callen Brackeen, Navarro College, Corsicana Campus

1. Reminds E-board that the “Competition Guidelines” will be updated next week. Later, commends E-board for their hard work and reaffirms his excitement to work with other E-board members.

H. Vice President – Fatima Cruz, Dallas College, El Centro Campus

1. Verbalizes the challenges and obstacles this year's members have overcome and commends all E-board members' hard work. Mentions meeting and negotiating plans with future entertainment groups that we will work with for the Spring Convention in 2022.

I. President – Joel Vasquez, Trinity Valley Community College

1. Calls on all E-board members to begin bi-weekly meetings in order to continue throughout the year with clear communication. Will discuss times to meet with E-board officers soon after the present conference.

**VII. Unfinished Business**

A. Article 7- Allotting advisors registration contemplates how costs for advisor’s registration. Opens for discussion to all members.

B. James Jones, Trinity Valley Community College-

1. requests a motion to table this discussion regarding registration fees until TJCSGA has more, “comfortable funding.”

C. Callen Brackeen, Navarro College Corsicana Campus-

1. Reminds members of our previous discussion as to how the E-board has agreed to give money to the Advisors Association.  
Seconds motion and wants to table current discussion.
- D. Joel Vasquez, Trinity Valley Community College-
  1. Entertains motion to allot advisors fees.
- E. Fatima Cruz, Dallas College, El Centro Campus-
  1. moves to table the allotting of Advisors registration.
- F. Callen Brackeen, Navarro College Corsicana Campus -
  1. Seconds motion.
- G. Joel Vasquez, Trinity Valley Community College-
  1. opens floor for discussion.
- H. Callen Brackeen, Navarro College Corsicana Campus-
  1. Would like to set a date around the last week of February for a discussion regarding the Advisors Association.
- I. Callen Brackeen Navarro College, Corsicana Campus-
  1. moves to amend a main motion of allotting advisors association from March 21st to February 21st.
- J. Aicha Diakite, Dallas College, Brookhaven Campus-
  1. Seconds motion.
- K. Joel Vasquez, Trinity Valley Community College-
  1. Opens floor for discussion.
- L. No discussion.
- M. Motion moved.

## **VIII. New Business**

- A. Vote on Secretary Position
  1. Swear Secretary Representative in
- B. Vote on Registration Fees
  1. No further discussion
  2. Approve on Registration fees

3. Callen Brackeen Navarro College, Corsicana Campus- moves to make registration fees \$250 for students, \$275 for advisors, and \$325 base for late fees.
4. Fatima Cruz, Dallas College, El Centro Campus- Seconds motion.
5. No discussion.
6. Motion carries.

C. Vote on Convention Agenda

1. Moving registration to 3:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. if possible, we will register earlier.
2. Callen Brackeen, Navarro College Corsicana Campus- moves to approve the convention agenda as written on the website.
3. Celia Hall, Dallas College, Richland Campus- Seconds motion.
4. Joel Vasquez, Trinity Valley Community College- opens floor for discussion.
5. No discussion.
6. Motion carries.

D. Resignation from Advisor, James Jones

1. Officially resigns from the Advisor position- hopes to attend the Spring Convention in 2022. Commends E-board for all of their progress and hard work. Thanks officers again and wishes us luck.

E. Joel Vasquez, Trinity Valley Community College -

1. asks Steven Rogers to fill in for the Advisor Elect position.
2. Steven Rogers, Dallas College, Collin Campus- accepts the position.

F. Chair entertains a motion for Steven Rogers to serve as Advisor-Elect for TJCSGA.

G. Aicha Diakite, Dallas College, Brookhaven Campus-

1. Moves motion.

H. Vivian Fallows, Collin College-

1. Seconds motion.

I. No discussion, floor closed.

J. Motion carries.

1. Swears in both Beth Nikopoulos (Advisor) and Steven Rogers (Advisor-Elect.)
2. Concludes end of Article 8, New Business.

**IX. Announcements**

A. President Joel Vasquez, Trinity Valley Community College-

1. opens the floor for announcements

B. Joel Vasquez, Trinity Valley Community College-

1. Speaks on status of "Student of the Year" and the previous year's conflict with relative scholarships. Recommends speaking with last year's awarded "Student of the Year" to fix any challenges and then will work with the Historian to update the TJCSGA website.

**X. Adjournment** – Meeting adjourned at 10:21am.