



STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION OF MACEWAN UNIVERSITY

**Minutes for the Students' Council Meeting of the
Students' Association of MacEwan University
January 29, 2025 at 6:00pm in the Council Chamber**

Voting Members:

Gabriel Ambutong, President
Tolu Dare, Councillor
Aryan Dutta, Councillor
Aidan Fisher, Councillor
Darcy Hoogers, Vice President Academic
Cierra Jacobs, Councillor
Joseph A. La Torre, Vice President Governance
and Finance
Aleace Moom, Vice President Student Life
Moselle Namoc, Councillor
Maade Okai, Councillor (virtual)
Nathan Poon, Councillor
Israel Reyes, Councillor
Joehn Torres, Councillor

Vincent Trinh, Councillor
Chioma Uzor, Councillor
Layal Zidan, Councillor
vacant, Councillor
vacant, Councillor
vacant, Vice President External

SAMU Officials and Council Support:

Timothy Jobs, Chair
Darryl Kostash, General Manager
Larissa Williams, Internal Advocacy Advisor
Dylan Antonio, Admin Support

Meeting called to order at 6:00pm.

1. Treaty 6 Land Recognition

We would like to acknowledge that this meeting of the Students' Association of MacEwan University is taking place on the traditional territories of the people of the Treaty 6 region in Central Alberta.

The Students' Association of MacEwan University is situated in the centre of what we call the city of Edmonton, which is called Amiskwaciy Waskahikan or Beaver Hill House in Nehiyawewin (Cree). This is the traditional home of the Nehiyaw (Cree) and Michif (Métis), and meeting place for many Indigenous peoples including the Nakawe (Saulteaux), Siksika (Blackfoot), Nakota Sioux (Stoney) and other nations.

2. Approvals

2.1 MOTION

TO APPROVE THE AGENDA FOR JANUARY 29, 2025

DUTTA/ZIDAN

CARRIED

3. Question Period

3.1. Written Questions

3.2. Oral Questions

Topics include: SAMU Fee membership freeze rationale, sustainability and contingency. Compliance with PSLA.

4. Motions & Business Orders of the Day

4.1. SAMU Fees Policy

MOTION

**TO APPROVE THE SAMU FEES POLICY, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2025, ON THE
RECOMMENDATION OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE**

VPGF/UZOR

Favour: Dare, Dutta, Fischer, Jacobs, Namoc, Okai, Poon, Reyes, Torres, Trinh, Uzor, President,
VPA, VPGF, VPSL

CARRIED

4.2. SAMU Fees Policy – Annual Membership Fee Increase

MOTION TO DISREGARD CLAUSE 4.3 OF THE SAMU FEES POLICY FOR THE 2025-2026 FISCAL YEAR

VPGF/JACOBS

Favour: Dare, Dutta, Fischer, Jacobs, Namoc, Okai, Poon, Reyes, Torres, Trinh, Uzor, President, VPA, VPGF, VPSL

CARRIED

5. Consultation

6. Evaluation

7. Recognition

8. Adjournment

MOTION TO ADJOURN

ZIDAN

CARRIED

Next Meeting Date: February 19, 2025

Meeting adjourned at 6:18pm.