

Assiniboine College Students' Association  
 Student Council Meeting  
 December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Agenda

Present:

Present Online:

Absent:

Observing:

Staff Members Present:

Item	Discussion	Action
Call Meeting to Order		
Land Acknowledgement- Assiniboine College and the Offices of the ACSA are privileged to provide learning opportunities on the lands of the Dakota Oyate, Nakoda Oyate, Ininiwak, Nehethowak, Nehiyawak, Anishininewuk, Denesuline, Anishinaabeg, and the National Homeland of the Red River Métis.”		
Approval of Agenda		Be it resolved that the consent agenda be approved as adopted. Motioned by Seconded by Motion carried.
Approval of Minutes		Be it resolved that the minutes from the November 12 <sup>th</sup> , SAC meetings be approved as presented. Motioned by Seconded by Motion carried.
<b>Reports</b>		
Executive Report- VP of Operations		
Executive Report- VP of Engagement		
Executive Report- VP of Diversity and Inclusion		
ACSA President		
Remote Campus Representatives		
Executive Director Report	Student VIP <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Our plan is healthy</li> <li>- Claims have decreased</li> <li>- There is going to be Grocery and In Store Savings with Sobeys and Safeway where they will be able to earn Scene+ Points (January 2026)</li> </ul> From the Board Meeting with the Foundation, Alumni & Board of Governors. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Room 504 Renovation – Victoria Avenue East Campus                          A renovation and expansion project is underway for Room 504, which will become home to two new provincially funded programs: Medical Laboratory</li> </ol>	

	<p>Technology (MLT) and Combined Laboratory &amp; X-Ray Technology. A capital campaign to support this project will launch in early 2026.</p> <p>2. Greenhouse Capital Project – North Hill Campus The college is expanding and upgrading the North Hill Campus greenhouses, supported by \$2 million in funding from the Canada Foundation for Innovation and Research Manitoba. The project includes a new research lab, a new header house/training area, and four independently controlled greenhouses. Construction is already in progress, with completion expected Summer 2026.</p> <p>Water Fountain Repairs – Victoria Avenue East Campus An update was provided regarding several water fountains that have been out of service for an extended period. The contractor has been working with Elkay (the supplier) to obtain replacement parts. Incorrect parts were received last month, causing delays, but the correct components are on the way. Once received, repairs will proceed. The college plans to order spare parts to prevent future delays. An apology was shared for the inconvenience caused.</p>	
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**Old Business Review**

<b>Project Red Final Update</b>	<p>The ACSA successfully completed the 2025 Project Red Holiday Hamper Program, delivering 136 hampers and supporting approximately 451 students and family members across all campuses and remote communities. A total of \$7,189 was raised, allowing more hampers to be assembled than originally planned.</p> <p>Hampers included a grocery gift card and holiday meal items; remote learners received gift cards based on household size.</p> <p>Overall, strong community generosity made this year's program a success.</p>	
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<b>U-Pass Negotiations</b>	<p>The Executive Director sent a letter to Mayor Fawcett, MLA Balcaen, and MLA Simard requesting a reduced student transit rate (\$30–\$40/month). The letter outlined concerns about student affordability, food insecurity, and the impact of terminating the U-Pass program. The request aims to improve transit access for students and support their ability to attend college.</p> <p>The city has come back and requested another meeting and included college staff to be in this meeting. They have asked for it to be on December 15 or 16.</p>	
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<b>Vintage Prom- January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2026</b>		
<b>Badminton Tournament</b>		

**New Business**

<b>Winnipeg Parking Concerns</b>		
<b>Volunteers for Next Semester Events</b>		
<b>Open Gym for Students</b>		

<b>Approval of Financial Policy</b>		Be it resolved that the SAC approves the Financial Policy as presented. Motioned by Seconded by Motion carried.
<b>Round Table</b>		
<b>Close Meeting</b>		Be it resolved that the SAC meeting be adjourned at Motioned by Seconded by Motion carried.

**Meeting Minutes to be Signed by Executive Signing Authorities**

Name	Title	Signature
	President	
	Vice President	

**Date:**