



Staff Senate

Minutes

Wednesday, August 26, 2026 | 3:00 PM | MUC 307

1. Call to Order

2. Reports

No reports from the following department/personnel:

- President Mike Licari
- Student Government Association
- Staff Senate Executive Board
 - President
 - Vice President
 - Secretary
 - Treasurer
 - Communications Director

3. Centennial Presentation

- Alumni, Engagement and Philanthropy, gave a presentation on the yearlong centennial celebration. Reviewed event submission, on how to be involved in the celebrations. There will also be an opportunity to nominate notable APSU alumni, current staff/faculty and students, for the impact they have made to the institution. They will be celebrating a college each month.
- Ambassadors will help to promote the centennial across social media; they can be students/faculty or staff.
- GOVing Tuesday will be after Thanksgiving. Deadline for project submissions will be October 5th. 25 projects to be selected on Dec 1st, to be fully funded.

4. Committee Reports

Each committee met to discuss plans for the upcoming year and report one initiative.:

- Recognition and Appreciation Committee
 - People want to be recognized in different ways. The committee will send out a survey, to gather information on how best to recognize staff/faculty for work and personal milestones.
- University Policy Committee
 - Reviewed the previous policies and the role of the policy committee.
- Parking Citation Appeals Committee
 - Shared what the committee should expect, reviewed meeting dates and best communication practice.
- Leadership Academy Committee
 - Will focus on leadership proposal to submit to university.
- Student Success Committee
 - Will continue hosting webinars
- Events and Programs Committee

- August 26th at 6pm – Football home opener, Fortera Stadium
- September 18th at 1pm – Volleyball game, Dunn Center (Lapel Pin Giveaway)

5. Old Business

- No report.

6. New Business

- Discussed upcoming events, and created a link for staff to submit upcoming events
- Discussed the opportunity for having a staff social hour, and review options.
- Reviewed upcoming events across campus
- Staff Senate president to review salary letter in oracle, mileage reimbursement, salary database update and hazing registration link.

7. Announcements

- First Staff senate group event – September 18th at 1pm – Volleyball Match

8. Adjournment