**ASFC Mission Based Budgeting Guidelines**

*For Fiscal Year 2020-2021*

**Mission:**

    The purpose and mission of the Associated Students of Foothill College organization is to represent and serve the students of Foothill College. We strive to establish a unified community that advocates for students of all demographics associated with Foothill College.

**Goals:**

    In addition to the District and Foothill College Missions, the Associated Students of Foothill College will be looking to their own mission and the following goals in the development and implementation of the 2020-2021 Associated Student Budget. We strive to maintain a financial agenda that is fiscally responsible while supporting the needs and interests of the students of Foothill College.

* Continue to support the Associated Students of Foothill College’s effort to be visible, accessible and communicative with all students, faculty and staff of Foothill College.
* Support student leadership development and advocacy through the funding of local, national, and international conferences, lobbying efforts and civic engagement programs.
* Participate in Foothill College’s effort towards Student Success.
* Continue development of the Campus Center as a resource for students.
* Financially support student and educational resources for individuals who are economically disadvantaged, underrepresented, have special needs, or lack of access to the Foothill College main campus.
* Provide services to meet the growing needs of online students, evening students, non-traditional students, and Sunnyvale Campus students.
* Financially support the effort to increase cultural awareness and equity on campus through the heritage month series program and additional diversity programs.
* Promote student involvement in all areas of campus life by funding activities and campus organizations that foster political awareness and expose students to new perspectives that create opportunities for leadership, service, advocacy, personal development, and student professional development.
* Encourage opportunities to increase revenue generation via student and campus initiatives through fund raising.
* Improve the marketing efforts of the ASFC to increase knowledge of the benefits of the student body OwlCard.
* Remain committed to maintaining vital student services during difficult economic times.
* Financially support Foothill College’s effort to be an environmentally sustainable community
* Continue to advocate for student athletes through the funding of tournaments, post-season play, and referee fees.
* Advocate for and financially support basic student needs including housing insecurity, food insecurity, psychological services, and other mental health programs.

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