

## **ARTICLE 1 ORGANIZATION**

### **A. NAME: VETERANS CLUB**

### **B. PURPOSE:**

- i) We stand together as collegiates, veterans, seeking to continue honorable service to ourselves, our campus, peers, and community. As veterans we seek self-improvement through rightful guidance of counselors, and fellow students, and to use our own leadership skills, to better serve our purpose in life, and as members of society. According to the Veterans Affairs, less than 10% of Americans are veterans, and it can get lonely, and odd, living in the civilian sector. As a club we aim for cohesiveness, camaraderie, "Each one, teach one." Let's pave the path for us to succeed, we're in this together, we are the Monarchs, Veterans Club.

### **C. DUES:**

- i) No dues required except for payment of ASO fee per semester (\$10)

### **D. TIME, PLACE, AND FREQUENCY OF MEETINGS**

- i) TIME: 3PM
- ii) PLACE: Student Services Center, 2<sup>ND</sup> FLOOR inside the Veterans Resource Center
- iii) DAYS: 2<sup>ND</sup> and 4<sup>TH</sup> Wednesdays of every month

## **ARTICLE 2 MEMBERSHIP**

### **A. ELIGIBILITY**

- i) Membership is open to all enrolled students of LAVC

## **ARTICLE 3 OFFICERS AND ELECTIONS**

### **A. Titles and duties of officers**

- i) President – to conduct all club meetings
- ii) Vice President – to assist president in conducting meetings
- iii) Secretary – to take notes during meeting and provide communication to all club members
- iv) Treasurer – to provide information on club budget, funds, and execute documentation and or processes for the club to access and utilize available funds
- v) ICC Rep – to represent the Veterans Club during ICC, provide updates regarding club events, serve as club liaison to ICC and ASU and communicate important updates and information related to clubs

### **B. Elections of officers**

- i) Process of elections:
  - i. Elections are decided by a club member nominating themselves or another student

- ii. All club members who are present at the time of the meeting are eligible to vote
      - iii. Majority vote wins
    - ii) Eligibility of elections:
      - i. To be eligible for an office position in the club, the student must meet minimum academic standards of 2.0 GPA
    - iii) Officers were elected on September 20, 2023
      - i. President: Jose Godales
      - ii. Vice President: Dylan Clingo
      - iii. Secretary: Mark Brusasco
      - iv. Treasurer: Hovannes Torossian
      - v. ICC Rep: Ryan Green
  - C. Special Elections
    - i) Upon an emergency, a special election will be called during the next scheduled club meeting
    - ii) The process of the special election will be the same a regular election in terms of election process and eligibility
  - D. Term of Office
    - i) Officers are elected for the current semester
  - E. Special Requirements as to Scholastic Standing or Other Rules
    - i) All officers must be regularly enrolled and have a 2.0 GPA at the time of election and maintain a 2.0 GPA during their term of service
    - ii) All members of the club must be in good standing and maintain a 2.0 GPA
  - F. Replacement Due to Ineligibility
    - i) Should an officer become ineligible, a special election will be held

## **ARTICLE 4 CLUB RULES**

- A. Club rules:
  - i) All members should attend meetings and events as much as possible
  - ii) All members must be respectful of others
  - iii) All members should be respectful of the office during club meetings and be mindful of noise level