



Student Government Association

Senate Minutes February 3, 2010

- I. **Call to Order**- 3:15pm
- II. **Roll Call**
- III. **Approval of Proxies**
- IV. **Approval of Minutes**
 - A. Seconded, Approved
- V. **Special Orders of Business**
 - A. Appointment of Interfraternity Council
 1. Mark Mosias approved as the Interfraternity Council Representative
- VI. **Caucus Meetings**- 10 minutes
- VII. **Caucus Reports**
 - A. "Caucus Communication"
- VIII. **Committee Meetings**- 10 minutes
 - A. Motion to extend committee meetings by two minutes
 1. Seconded, Passed
- IX. **Committee Reports**
 - A. Academic Affairs
 1. BSU Bookstore talking with Barnes & Noble about rental program
 2. Checking back with Dr. Pearson about SGA Blackboard Community
 3. Meeting with UTS about InQsit lab times and scheduling
 - B. Community/Environmental Affairs
 1. Continuing t-shirt options and purchasing
 2. Looking into "Adopt-a-Road" as opposed to "Adopt-a-Highway"
 3. Beginning search on creating detailed campus maps and recycling signs
 - C. Diversity & Multicultural Affairs
 1. Looking into international student orientation
 2. Met with Dr. Payne about diversity statement and further progress
 3. International Fair at Mysch/Hurst Hall on 6th Floor
 4. Latino Student Union tonight in Student Center 303 at 5pm
 5. Rev. Jesse Jackson tonight in Emens Auditorium at 7pm
 6. NPHC/NALFO Greek Symposium tomorrow in TC 200 at 7pm
 7. Legends Ball tomorrow in Alumni Center
 8. Sign up to be a Conversation Buddy for international students
 9. Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. "Week of Events" next week
 - D. Governmental Affairs & Student Awareness
 1. Asking for suggestions from Senators about bringing in administration
 2. Seeking active role in university budget cut situation
 3. Looking into bringing voting stations onto campus
 4. Wondering about having Senate at different locations around campus
 - E. Student Safety
 1. Looking into better advertising emergency text alerts to all students
 2. Creating email about blue lights to send out through Comm Center
 3. RHA discussing alcohol safety posters at meeting on Thursday
 - F. Student Services
 1. Delegating Senators to sub-committees
 2. Looking into Dining Services putting proper labels on food items
 3. Seeing about when Riverside/University commuter lot will be paved
 4. Looking into creating an off-campus liability awareness program

- G. Credentials Board
 - 1. To reapply for next legislative term, be at Nomination Convention on February 15th in Pineshelf room at 6pm
 - a. If approved, you will be sworn in at Inauguration
- H. Parliamentarian
 - 1. Please continue to practice proper parliamentary procedure
 - 2. Bylaws will be presented before the end of the legislative term
- I. President Pro Tempore
 - 1. Thank you for the good feedback from “Caucus Communication”
 - 2. Looking into creating non-biased group of Senators to promote voting in 2010-2011 election year, similar to Panhellenic recruitment Pi Chi’s
 - 3. Prepare for different committee assignments to the caucuses
- X. **Executive Reports**
 - A. Treasurer- Nick Turner
 - 1. Current electronic Co-Sponsorship update
 - 2. Don’t forget to attend Rev. Jesse Jackson tonight at Emens at 7pm!
 - 3. Co-Sponsorship committee needs to meet after Senate today
 - B. Secretary- Carson Lance
 - 1. “Get to Know Your SGA Senator”: Robby Muller
 - a. Zach Anderson guessed correctly
 - 2. Hope you enjoyed the cookies!
 - 3. Grab anything from the US Census, as provided by Doug Zook, after Senate
 - 4. Take a “Make An Impact Day” flyer and spread the word!
 - C. Vice President- Mandy Mills
 - 1. Don’t forget to dress up business casual next week!
 - 2. Contact if interested in joining the Student Rights and Ethics committee
 - D. President- Beth Cahill
 - 1. Enjoy the US Census goodies!
 - 2. Don’t forget about Rev. Jesse Jackson tonight at Emens at 7pm!
 - 3. SGA Information Technology meeting here soon
 - 4. Come to the live audience of BSU Late Nite, Jeff Higgens’ show!
- XI. **Announcements**
 - 1. Rev. Jesse Jackson TONIGHT at Emens at 7pm
 - 2. Mr. Phi-Nomenal TONIGHT at Pruis at 8pm
 - 3. NPHC/NALFO Symposium tomorrow at TC 200 at 7pm
 - 4. BSUDM Chili Dinner on 17th at FIJI House
 - 5. Tell constituents to complete Presidential packet
 - 6. “Know the Code” meeting next Monday at Bracken Library at 8pm
 - 7. Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. Week of Events next week
 - 8. Watch the Manchester United soccer game tonight
 - 9. Participate in RHA’s “Cardinal Craze” scavenger hunt on the 20th from 1-4pm
- XII. **Roll Call**
- XIII. **Adjournment- 4:36pm**