



Student Government Association

Senate Minutes September 23, 2009

- I. **Call to Order**- 3:15pm
- II. **Roll Call**
- III. **Approval of Proxies**
- IV. **Approval of Minutes**
 - A. Corrections made, Seconded, Approved
- V. **Special Orders of Business**
 - A. Approval of Budget
 1. Motion to approve the budget, seconded, approved
- VI. **Caucus Meetings**- 15 minutes
- VII. **Caucus Reports**
 - A. At-Large
 1. Angela Ziolkowski elected Whip and Whittley Lewis elected Secretary
 2. Looking into the reasoning behind shuttle times and wondering if it is because of the amount of buses
 - B. Off-Campus
 1. Visited a few sororities this past week
 2. Thinking about planning a block bash to welcome Greeks, neighbors, and all students at Emerson Park
 3. Air Jam tickets are now on sale at Emens for \$5
 - C. On-Campus
 1. Caucus Meeting/Dinner went very well
 2. Need more issues concerning dining before talking to Jon Lewis
 3. Smoking Issues
 - a. More picnic tables behind DeHority
 - b. Noise level behind Brayton/Clevenger
 - c. Boundaries need to be determined
 4. Working with Safety about speed limit signs, crosswalks, and bike safety
 - D. Organizational
 1. Still sending out emails to other student organizations to join Senate
 2. Fiesta on the Green tomorrow from 5-8pm on University Green
- VIII. **Committee Meetings**- 15 minutes
- IX. **Committee Reports**
 - A. Academic Affairs
 1. Looking up to simplify process to log into your DAPR
 2. Talking about creating a link to i-Locker from Current Services webpage
 - B. Community/Environmental Affairs
 1. Tallying up recycling bins
 2. Wondering about online receipts for dining
 3. Researching water efficiency for washing machines in the residence halls
 - C. Diversity & Multicultural Affairs
 1. Waiting to hear back from Multicultural Council about date for multicultural mixer and forum
 2. Researching other Multicultural organizations at other schools
 3. Continue to work closely with Multicultural Council and Multicultural Advisors
 - D. Governmental Affairs & Student Awareness
 1. Moved to bring legislation SB-01-09 to the floor for its 3rd reading
 - a. Friendly amendments made and corrected

2. Continuing on planning a mixer with University Senate
 - a. Possible dates of December 2nd, 3rd, or 4th
 - b. Goal to educate one another about each other's organizations
 - c. Invite Deans of colleges, leaders of University Senate, etc.
- E. Student Safety
 1. Talking to Mayor's Council about who to contact regarding bushes obstructing views on off-campus streets
 2. Looking into need of crosswalk on McKinley and Jackson streets
- F. Student Services
 1. Compiling and narrowing down issues for How-To Book
 2. Organizing meetings and gathering information for Dead Week
- G. Credentials Board
 1. Wondering if current Senators could transfer to Off-Campus Caucus to create more space for influx of interested students
- H. Parliamentarian
 1. No report
- I. President Pro Tempore
 1. Thanks for the amendments to the legislation!
- X. **Executive Reports**
 - A. Treasurer- Nick Turner
 1. Co-Sponsorship Committee will meet next week
 - B. Secretary- Carson Lance
 1. "Get to Know Your SGA Senator": Jennifer Julius
 - a. Kayla Pickersgill guessed correctly
 2. Last time to contact me if you want a SGA magnetic, plastic name tag
 3. If you are going to be absent (with or without a proxy), please email me personally by Tuesday at 3:15pm
 4. Proxies- Each Senator can have only 2 proxies, each additional proxy must be approved by a two-thirds vote from Senate
 - C. Vice President- Mandy Mills
 1. Thank you Credentials Board for recruitment efforts
 2. If you want a SGA Homecoming shirt, sign up after Senate
 - a. They are \$10 each
 3. Dress business casual next week for LIVE streaming
 - D. President- Beth Cahill
 1. SGA:LIVE will continue next week
 2. Mayor Meeting update
 3. Volunteer for blue bag distribution
 4. Go to as many of the Homecoming events as possible this week!
 - a. SGA co-sponsored Tuesday's Talent Search and Wednesday's fireworks
 - b. Passing out pizza during Bed Races
 - c. Riding in golf carts during the parade before the game
 5. Continue working hard on the How-To Book
 6. Have caucus dinners within each of your respective caucuses!
- XI. **Announcements**
 1. LSU's "Fiesta on the Green" Tomorrow the 24th at 5-8pm on University Green
 2. NURU's "Party with a Purpose" October 16 at the FIJI house
 3. Buy Air Jam tickets now!
 4. Student Foundation Cornhole Tourney during Family Weekend
- XII. **Roll Call**
- XIII. **Adjournment- 4:45pm**