

Student Senate Minutes

November 8, 2017

7:00 pm Case Study 2

In the Student Union on the OSU-Stillwater Campus

I. Call to Order the Student Senate of the Student Government Association of Oklahoma State University

II. Roll Call and Swearing in of New Senators, Supreme Court Justices, and Executives:

I, *state your name*, do solemnly affirm that I will discharge to the best of my ability, the responsibilities entrusted to me, as an officer of the Student Government Association of Oklahoma State University

- a. **Heald:** Motion to dissolve into committee as a whole
- b. **Bastie:** Motion by suspension of the rules to approve election agency
- c. **Vance:** Motion to previous question
 - i. Motion to pass
- d. Final passage of bill
 - i. Bill to pass
- e. **Bastie:** Motion to dissolve committee
 - i. Motion to pass
- f. **Heald:** Motion to hear F17RS016
- g. **Thornton:** Motion to approve F17RS016 with unanimous consent
 - i. Bill to pass

III. Pledge of Allegiance

IV. Guest Speakers and Student Concerns

- a. **Senator Tom Dugger**

V. Advisor's Report – Dr. John Mark Day

- a. Dr. Day will be back next week!

VI. Executive Reports

- a. **Hinchey (Cowboython):** \$24,000 in 24 hours campaign is currently going on. Orange buckets in the room for you to drop spare change.
 - i. Currently at \$13,000
 - ii. Venmo also accepted!
- b. **Heald:** Motion to hear F17BL038
- c. **Thornton:** Motion by suspension of the rules to pass with unanimous consent
 - i. Motion to pass

VII. New Business

- a. **F17RS011- A RESOLUTION SENDING CONDOLENCES, WELL WISHES, AND SUPPORT TO THE GRAMBLING STATE UNIVERSITY CAMPUS**
 - i. **Hill:** Move to previous question
 1. Motion to pass
 - ii. **Hill:** Motion to pass bill with unanimous consent by suspension of the rules
 1. Motion to pass
 - iii. **Heald:** Motion to put F17RS012 and F17RS013, waving extra time for author's explanation and time for questions
 1. Motion to pass
- b. **F17RS012- A RESOLUTION TO ASSIST IN BRINGING SUICIDE PREVENTION AND MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS TO MEMBERS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA AND OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY**
- c. **F17RS013- A RESOLUTION TO ASSIST IN BRINGING SUICIDE PREVENTION AND MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS TO THE MEMBERS OF THE COWBOY FAMILY OF OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY**
 - i. **Turner:** If we are using stats from all over Oklahoma, so do you think it would be beneficial to include other universities.
 1. This was a starting point for us. I would definitely love to see more legislation in the future that includes all of OSGA.
 - ii. **Salcedo:** Could you elaborate on the training?

- 1. It will be offered in the spring and fall semester, learning when to ask questions and how to approach sensitive situations.
- iii. **Turner:** Since there is an influx of students using University Counseling Services, how will this training help?
 - 1. One of the universities top priorities will be to start with this training. Online training with videos, and resources.
- iv. **Hill:** Where do the statistics come from?
 - 1. They come from American Foundation for Suicide Prevention
- v. **Idiobe:** would you mind putting these sources in the bill?
 - 1. I have been asking authors not to do that because sources cited should not go in legislation.
- vi. **Turner:** This online training, if we aren't able to secure funding, what will happen?
 - 1. This will cost in the ballpark of \$30,000 for a two-year subscription and we are working to get donors.
- vii. **Russell:** Motion to previous question
 - 1. Motion to pass
- viii. **Russell:** Motion to pass both bills by unanimous consent
 - 1. Motion to pass
- d. **F17RS014- RESOLUTION DECLARING "PRESCRIPTION DRUG AWARENESS DAY" ON OSU STILLWATER CAMPUS**
 - i. **Thornton:** Motion to previous question
 - 1. Motion to Fail
 - ii. **Kinnison:** Would it be beneficial to make it a reoccurring event?
 - 1. This is a new issue, so we are just trying to get the ball rolling and see how it works out.
 - iii. **Hill:** When did this bill go through committee?
 - 1. Tuesday
 - iv. **Heald:** motion to recess for the purpose of drafting one amendment
 - v. **Salcedo:** Motion to pass bill with unanimous consent
 - 1. Motion to pass
 - vi. **Heald:** Motion to have reconsideration F17BL038 as a whole
 - 1. Motion to pass
 - vii. **Coughlin:** What was the original amount requested?
 - 1. \$1,000
 - viii. **Holdman:** Is that the full budget, including the buffer?
 - 1. That may exclude the buffer, because every number he has given me has yet to include a buffer.
 - ix. **Turner:** Have you cleared with Dr. Day?
 - 1. They originally requested \$1,000.
 - x. **Hickey:** the amount given tonight was including the buffer
 - xi. **Salcedo:** If the \$1,000 fails, the bill fails?
 - 1. Yes, that's true.
 - xii. **Thornton:** Motion to previous question

VIII. Legislation to be forwarded to committees

IX. Minutes of the Previous Meeting

- a. 11/1/17 approved

X. President/Vice-President Reports

a. President – Erica Stephens

- i. Committee meeting on Tuesday, we are working on forming more committees.
- ii. Met in Title IX office to get them up to speed on our goals for the upcoming year.
 - 1. Monday: Tabling day, kickoff event that evening
 - 2. 3 pillars of it's on us campaign
 - 3. Friday: Take the pledge day
- iii. Next meeting in 3 weeks.
- iv. Doing "It's on Us" campaign video to kick the entire program off.

1. Want to expand out of typical leadership in videos
 - b. Vice President – Brayden Farrell**
 - i. No reports
- XI. Senate Reports**
- a. Committee Chairs**
 - i. Budget – Austin Bui**
 1. Now at \$1,610
 2. Seeing Delta Sigma Pi next week and African Student Organization will be seen
 - ii. CSO – Heather Henderson**
 1. Had 2 groups and 1 change of status passed
 2. Might be legislation for inactivity, but other than that we're basically finished!
 - iii. Internal Affairs – Holland Gray**
 1. Meeting tomorrow at 4:15 in SU 1600
 2. Discussing legislation sent back to committee
 3. Bill to amend Title IV
 4. Bill to amend senate rules
 5. Nov 16 will be out last IA meeting unless of an emergency
 6. **Holdman:** what was the issue with Marcus' bill?
 - a. There were very little questions on such an important bill. We wanted to give plenty of time to discuss it and ask questions.
 7. **Thornton:** Any update on an OU liaison?
 - a. Yes, we will open nominations next week!
 - iv. PAC – Ridge Hughbanks**
 1. Met last Monday to finalize our bylaw revision bill
 2. Special meeting with city manager to propose ideas
 3. Looking of new installation of blue light near 4th street parking garage.
 - v. University – Vanessa Wiebe**
 1. Meeting yesterday
 2. Garcia potential bill to rename Murray
 3. University will not be meeting next week due to traveling to congress at OU.
 4. Apple potential bill to add another MAC intern
 5. Looking to get candidates on campus to debate, starting with mayoral candidates.
 6. Only one more meeting left for the semester.
 7. FRC writing letters to teachers in Oklahoma to thank them.
 - b. Liaisons**
 - i. OSU Tulsa- Nick George**
 1. Posted brochure for accounting and financial reporting conference
 - ii. OSU OKC- Alexis Vance**
 1. Oct 26 held rally to support DACA recipients
 2. 17.5% students on their campus are affected or know someone affect by DACA.
 3. Currently doing enrollment push
 - iii. OSU IT- Kase Doner**
 1. Working on getting more information about how many of their students actually hold bachelors degrees.
 - iv. GPSGA- Mauree Turner**
 1. No meeting today. Meeting next week.
 - v. FRC- Brent Cunningham**
 1. Nov 29 the letters to teachers campaign will begin.
 2. Next week they will final details for the event.
 - c. Representatives**
 - i. Board of Regents A&M- Chase Blevins**
 1. Potential to rename Murray
 2. Next meeting is Dec at Langston

- ii. Board of Higher Education- Vanessa Wiebe
 - 1. Next meeting is Dec 2
- iii. Faculty Council- Mason Russell
 - 1. Next meeting is next Tuesday

XII. Constituency Reports

- a. OCSA will be volunteering for ITS
- b. OCSA has a full senate
- c. OCSA elected new President and VP: Christian Blacet (Pres) Nikko Buchberg (VP)
- d. CEAT has P66 diversity event tomorrow
- e. CASNR stucco hosting K State College of Ag to show them how our College works
- f. Panhellenic going through transition period, currently.

XIII. Chair's Report – Brooke Bastie

- a. Next week, Rep Williams will be speaking
- b. If you are interested on going on the OU trip, please let me know so we can get a head count!
- c. New form to input date and times for constituency reports that will be inserted into the minutes
- d. I appreciate all you do working together!
- e. Election Results

XIV. Vice Chair's Report- Marcus Heald

- a. New month of minutes rolled over.

XV. Informal Discussion

XVI. Announcements

XVII. Adjournment – 10:35pm

XVIII. This agenda shall not be construed as preventing: The introduction of new legislation not listed, the reconsideration of any motion of the immediately preceding Senate meeting, or any regular procedural motion or any motions by an appropriate majority which allows the introduction and final consideration of Legislation in the same meeting so long as that legislation is listed in this agenda. Posted at 3:00 p.m. on November 7, 2017 by Brooke Bastie, Senate Chair (brooke.bastie@okstate.edu).