

**Student Senate Minutes**

**February 1, 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

**Absent Senators:**

• <b>Stephanie Rojo</b>
• <b>Nithin Kale</b>
• <b>Sweya Gaddam</b>
• <b>Femi Ishola</b>
• <b>Daniel McLeod</b>
• <b>Lauren Pixley</b>
• <b>Sarah Sauer</b>

**III. Pledge of Allegiance**

**IV. Guest Speakers and Student Concerns**

**V. Advisor’s Report – Dr. John Mark Day**

- Colvin and Seretean putting together master planning group and looking for SGA student who would be interested in sitting in on that group.
- Friday in Student Theater, Native American artist doing live painting.
- When writing legislation, make sure you remember the impact it makes on students.
- Take care of one another. Be each other’s support.

**VI. Executive Reports**

**VII. New Business**

**a. Unfinished Business**

**b. Regular Legislation to be heard**

- S17BL002 A BILL TO GRANT REGISTERED STATUS TO DIAMOND DOLLS

- Passed by unanimous consent

- S17BL003 A BILL TO GRANT REGISTERED STATUS TO COLLEGIATE FARMERS AND RANCHERS

- Passed by unanimous consent

- S17BL001 A BILL TO AMEND TITLE VII OF THE BYLAWS

- Will amend AFAP allocation process.
  - Will be meeting with the groups it will impact over the next week. Talk to constituents on how they feel about this.
  - Move to table this bill for one week.
  - **Tabled for one week**
  - Move to suspend rules to hear **S17RS001**, **S17RS002**, and **S17RS003** this evening.
  - **Motion approved**
- S17RS001 A RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF ANDREW STEADLEY
- Grant Status of Senator Emeritus to Senator Andrew Steadley
  - Passed by unanimous consent
- S17RS002 A RESOLUTION TO DEDICATE CUBICLE IN SGA OFFICES TO SENATOR ANDREW STEADLEY
- Passed by unanimous consent
- S17RS003 A RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
- Passed by unanimous consent

**VIII. Legislation to be forwarded to committees**

**IX. Approve Minutes of the Previous Meeting**

**a. 1/18/2017 Approved**

**X. President/Vice-President Reports**

**a. President – Dillon Johnson**

- Higher Ed Day, Feb14th
- Big 12 on the Hill, decisions will be made promptly
- First Exec meeting will be next Wed at 6PM before Senate
- For presidential campaigns, don't talk about it at senate, exec meetings, in the office, ect
- Homecoming Steering and SAB applications due by Feb 10<sup>th</sup>  
(orangeconnection.org/leadership)

**b. Vice President – Ridge Howell**

- VR Practice

**XI. Senate Reports**

**a. Committee Chairs**

**i. Budget – Taylor Osborne**

- If you signed up for budget, meet with me promptly after for a short meeting.

**ii. CSO – Heather Henderson**

- No meeting next week!

### iii. Internal Affairs – Cam Close

- Meeting tomorrow at 4. If you want to switch to us, we'd love to have you!

### iv. PAC – Noah Kinnison

- Stephanie Rojo is new vice chair.
- Meeting Thursdays at 5PM
- City councilmen to meet with committee at least once a month.

### v. University – Erica Stephens

- Meeting yesterday.
- Mason Martin is new vice chair.
- working on free feminine hygiene products in public and fixing lights at Theta Pond.

## XII. Constituency Reports

- **GPSGA has first meeting next week**
- **Greek discovery day is March 25<sup>th</sup>**
- **OCSA is purchasing a brick for Senator Steadley**
- **Renter's fair is March 22<sup>nd</sup> (harry potter theme)**
- **BSC taking trip to Phillips 66 next week.**
- **CASNR week is at end of March. Having a benefit for Senator Steadley.**

## XIII. Liaison Reports

- **Open nominations to replace Ethan Beebe for OSUIT**
- **Nominees:**

- Zach Kensinger

**Votes: 10**

- Kase Doner

**Votes: 16**

- Ridge Hughbanks

**Votes: 6**

- **Motion to close the list**
- **Motion to vote by hand vote**
- **Senator Doner new liaison**

a. **OSU Tulsa-** Noah Kinnison

b. **OSU OKC-** Mason Martin

c. **OSU Institute of Technology-** Ethan Beebe

d. **GPSGA-** Mason Russell

**e. FRC- Cardin Hart**

- **Motion to open nominations for FRC liaison**
  - **Ridge Hughbanks**
  - Zach Kensinger**
  - **Alexis Vance**
  - **Brent Cunningham**
- **Motion for all nominees 30 second speeches**
- **Motion to Dale**
- **Motion to censure Senator Russell**
- **Motion to appoint Senator Blevins as Sergeant at Arms to Escort Senator Russell out of Chambers**
- **Passed by consent**
- **Hughbanks to be appointed**

**XIV. Representative Reports**

**a. Board of Regents A&M- Erica Stephens**

- No report

**b. Board of Higher Education- Chase Blevins**

- No report

**c. Faculty Council- Briar Lostlen**

- No report

**XV. Vice Chair's Report- Andrew Price**

- Do your office hours
- 4 office hours required
- Encourage people to get involved with IA

**XVI. Chair's Report – Bradley Burt**

- No report

**XVII. Informal Discussion**

- **Sign up for Cowboython**
- **Rally on library lawn at noon on Friday to protest President Trump's executive order on select Middle Eastern nations.**
- **CEAT looking for Career fair coordinator**

**XVIII. Announcements**

**XIX. Adjournment 7:52PM**

XX. 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 January 31, 2017 by Bradley Burt, Senate Chair (bradley.burt@okstate.edu) 405-744-6500.