



Angelo State University Student Senate Minutes November 7, 2005

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order November 7, 2005, at 7:35 PM.

Pledge

Roll Call

Members Present: Lezanne Amow Ali, Joshua Colyar, Josh Davis, Elizabeth Deming, Gilbert Fuentez, Clay Garmon, Erin Hart, Marcus Kelley, Brittina Ketchum, Rebekah Lewis, Valene Marshall, Ryan Mason, Ken'tia Mouton, Courtney Ray, Michele Sanchez, Maegan Small(Tardy), Randi Taylor, Daniela Swearingen

Members Absent: Amanda McKinney, Trevor Rice

Visitor's Present: Patrick Dierschke, Vanessa Marshall, Tiffani Paige

Approval of Minutes

Minutes from October 24th meeting were reviewed. Minutes were approved as read.

Presiding Officer's Report

Vice President Alex Yarbrough stated that it seemed as if it had been forever since the senate met. He also thanked all the visitors who attended the meeting. He also stated that if anyone had seen the white board in the SGA office, they would know that there is a lot to do. He also stated that he and Alicia had received a lot of ideas from the conference in San Diego.

Executive Report

Student Body President Alicia Henry stated that it was good to see everyone at the meeting. She also stated that they had a great time at the conference in San Diego and that she came back inspired. She stated that student governments across the nation are discussing a lot of the same issues. She hopes to be able to do a presentation of all the ideas they received at the conference. Finally, she stated that she really wanted the Senate to be able to go to a good conference.

Committee Reports

Judiciary and Rules – Met on October 30th and November 6th, Sending bill 77.07 back to Senate

Academic Affairs – Met last Tuesday at 5:30 in the SGA office; Sending Resolution 77.A back to the Senate; also working on some things with Public Relations

Parking, Food, Housing and Technology – Did not meet

Environment Health and Sports – did not meet

SOAR – didn't meet last week; working on getting SOAR letters to the each on campus organizations' advisors

Public Relations – Met the past two Tuesdays; working on SGA display board.

General Discussion

-Presentation on the Electronic Communication Policy given by Patrick Dierschke
The senate also discussed the issue of Police Department payment methods. It was stated that the police department hopes to be using Cashnet by Christmas break, which would enable them to accept debit cards or one cards. It was also brought up that the clinic cannot accept debit cards either.

Old Business

Bill 77.07

Explanation of the Spanish Club by a representative

-Senator Sanchez moved that Bill 77.07 pass

- Senator Garmon seconded the motion

Motion to accept the Spanish Club passed unanimously.

Resolution 77.A- Campus Wide Attendance Policy

-Senator Deming moved that Resolution 77.A pass

-Senator Garmon seconded the motion

Motion passed with **one nay**.

New Business

Resolution 77.B- R.O. Water Fountains

-Senator Mouton moved that Resolution 77.B be sent to the Parking, Food, Housing, & Technology committee

-Senator Fuentez seconded the motion.

Motion to send Resolution 77.B passed.

Resolution 77.C- Dr. Pepper Bottling Company

Brief Discussion

-Senator Deming-moved that Resolution 77.C be sent to the Parking, Food, Housing, & Technology committee

-Senator Mouton seconded the motion

Motion passed to send Resolution 77.C to the Parking, Food, Housing, & Technology Committee with **4 nays**.

Bill 77.08- Alpha Social Study Club

-Senator Fuentez moved that Bill 77.08 be sent to the Judiciary and Rules Committee

-Senator Mouton seconded the motion

Motion passed to send Bill 77.08 to the Judiciary and Rules committee

Announcements

Vice President Yarbrough- Meeting about the doors at Texan Hall on Wednesday at 5 PM

Senator Marshall asked if it was possible to have mini computer labs in the dorms; Vice President Yarbrough stated that there was mini-lab in Texan Hall, but it wasn't in use

Senator Mouton- SOAR meeting on Thursday
Senator Ali- wanted to meet with her committee after the meeting

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned November 7, 2005 at 8:20.

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