

SGA General Board Meeting

Minutes

Monday, April 13th, 2008

President S. Sayed called the meeting to order at 3:03 pm.

Attendance:

President: S. Sayed
Vice President: M. Pina
Treasurer: A. Dominguez
Secretary: B. Johnson
BAM Chair: J. Paradis
Advisors: C. Ambrosio, M. Delaney

Senators: I. Adebajo, C. Charmelus, W. Dawson, J. Frankel, M. Grosjean, C. King, P. Kosciuk, M. Lad, D. McCue, L. Mitchell, Marci Reisman, Matthew Reisman, L. Tubbs, A. White, A. Wilde, N. Zeni

Guests: Ogo Chukwuogor, Marlana Carroll, Christopher Chobot, David Porter – Price

Quorum was established.

President's Report

Motion #90: (L. Mitchell/N. Zeni) Move to accept Ogo Chukwuogor into the SGA Senate. **(20/0/0) Motion carries.**

- ❖ The Impeachment Committee reviewed the case of Jason Gussen. Because of his 2 committee absences and 3 regular meeting absences, the committee makes the recommendation to impeach J. Gussen from the Senate. All but 1 of these absences was unexcused and B. Johnson or Promotions Committee Chair C. King was notified of the absence.

Motion # 91: (W. Dawson/A. White) Move to impeach Jason Gussen from the Senate. **(17/0/4) Motion carries.**

Vice President's Report

- ❖ No report

Treasurer's Report

- ❖ General Board: \$45,188.11
- ❖ E-Board: \$16,305.35

Secretary's Report

- ❖ The last President's Breakfast will be held this Wednesday, April 15th, 2009 at 7:15 am. Senators asked for the change of the mascot, as well as

the increase in tuition to be addressed by President Nunez and the administration at the breakfast. If senators have any additional items for the President's Breakfast agenda, please email B. Johnson.

- ❖ The SGA Senate will be participating in the Town Wide/Town Pride Community Service event on this Saturday, April 18th, 2009 from 9:00 – 1:00 pm. Senators that are able to attend should meet Marci Reisman at the clock tower at 9:00 am. Please wear comfortable clothes and be on time. A picnic at the park on Tingley Street will follow the event.

BAM Chair Report

- ❖ The FRPs for the fall semester are due this Sunday, April 19th, 2009. There are no clubs that have submitted them up to this point. There will be a late penalty for those clubs that do not submit them on time.
- ❖ Nominations for Club Awards are due by next Friday, April 24th, 2009. The BAM Committee will decide the winners and the respective clubs will receive their awards at the SGA Banquet on Friday, May 1st, 2009.

Advisors

- ❖ No report

Old Business:

Motion #92: (N.Zeni/ I. Adebajo) Move to accept last week's minutes
(21/0/0) Motion carries.

New Business:

Motion #93: (C. King/J. Paradis) Move to open the floor for BAM Chair nominations. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #94: (W. Dawson/A. Wilde) Move to nominate Nicholas Zeni for the position of BAM Chair. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #95: (W. Dawson/M. Lad) Move to close nominations for the position of BAM Chair. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #96: (C. King/W. Dawson) Move to open the floor for Secretary nominations. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #97: (A. White/L. Mitchell) Move to nominate Matthew Reisman for the position of Secretary. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #98: (N. Zeni/A. White) Move to close nominations for the position of Secretary. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #99: (N. Zeni/M. Reisman) Move to open the floor for Treasurer nominations. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #100: (L. Mitchell/J. Paradis) Move to nominate Wiley Dawson for the position of Treasurer. **(21/0/0) Accepted nomination.**

Motion #101: (W. Dawson/N. Zeni) Move to nominate Levar Mitchell for the position of Treasurer. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #102: (N. Zeni/M. Grosjean) Move to nominate Daniel McCue for the position of Treasurer. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #103: (N. Zeni/W. Dawson) Move to close nominations for the position of Treasurer. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #104: (M. Pina/L. Mitchell) Move to open the floor for Vice President nominations. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #105: (J. Paradis/N. Zeni) Move to nominate Corrine King for the position of Vice President. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #106: (M. Reisman/L. Mitchell) Move to nominate Audriana White for the position of Vice President. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #107: (N. Zeni/ M. Lad) Move to close nominations for the position of Vice President. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #108: (D. McCue/N. Zeni) Move to open the floor for President nominations. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #109: (C. King/J. Paradis) Move to nominate Mita Lad for the position of President. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #110: (L. Mitchell/ N. Zeni) Move to nominate Michael Pina for the position of President. **Respectfully declined nomination.**

Motion #111: (N. Zeni/ L. Mitchell) Move to close nominations for the position of President. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #112: (N. Zeni/ C. Charmelus) Move to open nominations for Senate positions. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #113: (W. Dawson/N. Zeni) Move to nominate Audriana White, Corrine King, Daniel McCue, Levar Mitchell, Wiley Dawson, Nicholas Zeni, Alexander Wilde, Ibraheem Adebajo, Matthew Grosjean, Jennifer Paradis, Christopher Chobot, Judy Frankel, Carline Charmelus, and Latatiana Tubbs for the Senate positions. **Accepted nominations.**

Motion #114: (M. Reisman/L. Mitchell) Move to nominate Marci Reisman for a position in the Senate. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #115: (C. Charmelus/L. Mitchell) Move to nominate Ogo Chukwuogor for a position in the Senate. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #116: (S. Sayed/N. Zeni) Move to nominate Peter Kosciuk for a position in the Senate. **Respectfully declined nomination.**

Motion #117: (W. Dawson/L. Mitchell) Move to nominate David Porter-Price for a position in the Senate. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #118: (M. Pina/ B. Johnson) Move to nominate Marlana Carroll for a position in the Senate. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #119: (N. Zeni/A. White) Move to close nominations for Senate positions. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Motion #120: (C. King/N. Zeni) Move to nominate Clarence Freycinet for a position in the Senate. **Accepted nomination.**

Motion #121: (L. Mitchell/N.Zeni) Move to close nominations for Senate positions. **(21/0/0) Motion carries.**

Announcements:

- ❖ On Wednesday, April 15th, 2009, the Student Issues Committee of SGA is hosting a Game Night and Breakfast for Dinner in Hurley Hall. Students will be able to play games throughout the night and be entered into a raffle.
- ❖ S. Sayed encouraged all of the election candidates to read through the guidelines before beginning to campaign. Candidates are allowed to campaign beginning today through the end of elections.
- ❖ The Student Activities Office has set up a blog where events from clubs and organizations, including CAB, will be posted. Please check the Student Activities Homepage for more information about the blog and the advertised CAB events. CAB is also in the process of changing the names of the CAB coordinators, as well as setting up a Street Team. The inspiration for the Street Team is the Fresh Prince of Bel-Air and the group meets every Tuesday at 10:00 pm in Room 219 in the Student Center. All interested students are encouraged to join! CAB's Spring Fling is this Friday, April 17th, 2009 from 9:00 – 12:00 am in the Betty Tipton Room. NAS tickets are now on sale at the Student Center Information desk. Students are allowed to purchase 1 student ticket at \$10.00 and 4 additional guest tickets at \$15.00 each. The tickets for CAB's Duck Tour trip will go on sale next Monday, April 20th, 2009 at 9:00 am at the Student Center Information Desk.
- ❖ TV 22 will be in the SGA office immediately following this meeting to interview people that are running for Executive Board positions in SGA.
- ❖ Senators were reminded about the SGA Debate next Tuesday, April 21st, 2009 at 12:30 pm in the Student Center Theatre. Candidates for SGA Executive Board positions will be speaking about their platform and the issues that they will address if elected. Senators are also encouraged to attend and ask questions. Refreshments will be served.
- ❖ A question was asked about the change of the dance party policy. The policy will not change for this semester, but there are several students looking into what the other CSU schools do in regards to this issue.
- ❖ On April 15, 2009 at 11:00 am in the Johnson Room, there will be a lecture on the Middle East by Norton Mezvinsky.
- ❖ Senators were reminded that the SGA Banquet is on Friday, May 1st, 2009 from 5:00 – 8:00 pm in the Betty Tipton Room. Please email B. Johnson with the names of your family guests that will be attending.

Motion #122: (N. Zeni/M. Lad) Move to close the meeting at 3:46 pm. (21/0/0)
Motion carries

Minutes Respectfully Submitted by:
Brittany M. Johnson, SGA Secretary