

## SGA General Board Meeting

### Minutes

Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2009

President M.Lad called the meeting to order at 3:01pm

#### Attendance:

President: M.Lad

Vice President: C.King

Secretary: M.Reisman

Treasurer: W.Dawson

BAM Chair: N.Zeni

Advisors: M.Delaney, C.Ambrosio

**Senators:** I.Adebanjo, C.Bonessi ,A. Cassarino, J.Cassella , C. Charmelus, C. Chobot, O.Chukwugor , A.Doninger , J. Frankel, E. Gomez ,D.Green, M.Grosjean, S. Kerton, S. Nolan, D.Porter- Price, Marci Reisman, S.Reyes, L. Tubbs, S. Warner

**Guests:** Dina Beiscoe, Vivian Ankrah, Jack Giovannini, Kolby Williams, Dennis C. Canterbun

#### President's Report

**Motion#53(S.Reyes, D.Porter-Price)** Move to accept the minutes for last week. **(23/0/0)Motion carries.**

-President M.Lad gave a special thanks to the issues committee for putting on a very successful commuter forum.

-University Senate representative and SGA senator Saj Reyes spoke about the issues discussed at the last University Senate meeting which included how students felt about security here at Eastern based off of the recent events that have taken place at UCONN. He ask that students and the senate give him feedback about ways to improve security here at Eastern or just a general explanation, from a student point of view, on whether or not students feel safe on campus.

-Town Gown representative and SGA senator Scott Nolan gave an update of what took place at the last Town Gown meeting. They are working on a new Promotion and Wellness campaign to lessen the use of underage drinking as well as a project to place trash cans around Willimantic to keep the streets cleaner. He stated that the university would help with this cause by donating trash cans to the community and gave the suggestion that maybe SGA could also take part in this cause. The possible of SGA donating a trash container will be taken up in further discussion.

### Vice President's Report:

#### Committee Update's:

Internal- The internal committee has been revising the constitution to fix the grammar errors and look to help clarify any confusing sections.

Promotions- the promotions committee has been working on SGA day which will be held Nov.10<sup>th</sup>, senator are encouraged to sign up to help out throughout the day.

Issues- The issues committee has just finished a very successful commuter forum and has now put their focus on commuter superlatives as well as a possible dinner and a movie night held in Hurley Hall.

#### Treasurer's Report

General Board account: \$17,828.04

E-Board account: \$15,853.97with an open P.O. of \$ 14,930

#### BAM Report

**Motion#54(S.Reyes, I.Adebanjo)** Move to accept the African Club as a new club at Eastern Connecticut State University.

**Motion #55(I.Adebanjo, C.King)** Move to postpone motion# 54 until next week when the senate has received the correct club constitution for the African Club so that a proper vote in made by the senate at next week's meeting(**22/0/1**)**Motion carries.**

**Motion #56(D.Porter-Price, S.Reyes)** Move to accept the Game Development Club as a new club at Eastern Connecticut State University. (**22/0/1**)**Motion carries.**

#### Secretary Report

##### Open Floor

**Motion #57(C. Bonessi, I. Adebanjo)** Move to have the general board meeting go into close session at 3:32pm (**23/0/0**) **Motion carries.**

-The senate then partook in a scavenger hunt throughout the student center, made by president M.Lad. This was created to have fun with the senate and a quick bonding experience.

**Motion #58(S.Reyes, Matthew Reisman)** Move to close the meeting at 4:00pm (**22/0/0**) **Motion carries.**

