



STOCKTON UNIVERSITY
STUDENT SENATE

Notice of Meeting
February 23rd, 2016
4:30 pm
Board of Trustees Room

Galloway, New Jersey 08205
609-652-4845

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**STUDENT SENATE FULL MEETING
January 26th, 2015**

Presiding: Carl Archut Jr.

Members present: Nick Persia
Emily Zeck
Brian Moore Jr.
Richard Jeffries
Patton Solowey
Chris Dietrich
Maryam Sarhan
Ike Ejikeme
Deon Davis
Victoria Dambroski
Mahalia Bazile
Jessica Cathcart
Carly Bulgia
Ryan Greene
Alex Dannecker
Toyo Aboderin
Nhi Tram
Maurice Brandon
Viona Richardson
Victoria Muraoka

Members late:

Members Absent: Dominick Martino
Haley Matsinger
Mackenzie Porch
Stephanie Hanvey
Noya Ilan

Agenda/Business:

Approval of Minutes

President Carl called the meeting to order at 04:30 pm and moved to approve the minutes of January 26th 2016, seconded by Chairperson Emily Zeck.

Motion Approved: 21-0-1*

* Senators Abstained: Carl Archut Jr.

** Senators Left Early

*** Article VII, Sec. 2, Clause C - Class Excuse: Senators Left after 05:55pm

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President's Report

President Archut Jr. began by welcoming everyone to the first full Senate meeting of the Spring Semester.

President Carl reported he met with the parking committee on 19 January 2016. The committee discussed some ideas and will be voting on these issues at the next parking committee meeting.

President Carl reported that he met with Dean of Students Dr. Santana, Acting Chief of Police Parker, and others from External Affairs about Emergency Preparedness at the University.

President Carl reported on the fundraising status for Steve Hensel, a student at Stockton University who was recently diagnosed with brain cancer. To date, the Stockton Community has been able to raise \$17,000 to help offset medical expenses.

President Carl reported that Stockton University President Dr. Kesslemen will meet with students on 23 March 2016 from 4:30 pm – 6:00 pm to give his vision for the future of Stockton University.

President Carl reported that this coming Friday he will be meeting with the Subcommittee of Student Affairs for the Atlantic City Task Force. They will be discussing further progress of the future Atlantic City Campus.

President Carl concludes his report.

Vice President's Report

President Carl yields the floor to Nick Persia on the Vice President report. Vice President (VP) Nick swore in the new Student Senate Senator Kimberly Emmanuel.

VP Nick moved to Amend Student Senate Constitution Article II Section 1.A, which will allow a reserved Student Senate seat for a graduate student; Second by Senator Brian. Senator Maurice moved to table this to committee; Second by Senator Viona.

Tabled to Committee Approved: 17-4-1

* Senators Abstained: Carl Archut Jr.

VP Nick moved to include in Student Senate Constitution Article III Section 1.J., which states that all constitutional changes, must be added to the Full Senate Minutes prior to the meeting; Second by Senator Patton. Senator Maurice moved to table this to committee; Second by Chairperson Maryam.

Tabled to Committee Approved: 11-9-2

* Senators Abstained: Carl Archut Jr., Ryan Greene

VP Nick reported the Students Helping Students program is being discussed into making the program into a club. VP Nick reported that there is work being done on the accountability program. The Program will be voted on next Full Senate Meeting.

VP Nick concludes his report and yields the floor back to President Carl.

Finance

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President Carl yields the floor to Senator Patton for the Finance Committee report. Senator Patton reported that the Budget Requests are due 8th February 2016. There will be additional budget request workshop help on 20th January 2016 at the officer-training day.

Senator Patton reported that the Supplemental Account is at \$21,358.37

Senator Patton moved the following supplemental requests on the Senate Floor:

There is a motion on the floor to approve the FEMALES supplemental request in the amount of \$2500 for the National Conference for College Women Student Leaders in College Park, Maryland from June 2-4, 2016 for 6 students and one advisor; second by Chairperson Emily.

Motion Passed: 19-0-2

Senators Abstained: Carl Archut Jr, Maryam Sarhan

There is a motion on the floor to approve The Finance Committee move to approve the GREEK COUNCIL supplemental request in the amount of \$2,000 for The Northeast Greek Leadership Association Conference in Pittsburgh, PA from Feb. 25th – 28th, second by Senator Brian.

Motion Passed: 17-1-2

Senators Abstained: Carl Archut Jr, Maryam Sarhan

Senators Nay: Maurice Brandon

Senator Patton yields the floor back to President Carl.

Academic Affairs

President Carl yields the floor to Chair Emily for the Academic Affairs report. Chair Emily reports that

The Chair Emily reports that the Academic Affairs Committee is scheduling a meeting to speak with Peter Hagan from Academic Advising to discuss ways they can educate students on all the minors that are available.

Chair Emily reports that the committee is looking into hosting an event promoting some of the more unpopular minors. This event would educate students on the benefits of the minor and give interested students a direct link to minor coordinators.

Chair Emily reports that the Committee is in discussion about the possibility of adding a label to courses only offered in the fall or spring semesters. These labels would help to keep students informed on the best time to take essential classes for their degree. It would also alleviate some of the confusion student's face when scheduling classes.

Chair Emily reports that the committee is in dicussion with the Public Relations Committee in promoting the use of the student senate office for homework and study sessions to all students.

Chair Emily yields her time back to President Carl.

Government Affairs

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President Carl yields the floor to Chair Maryam for the Government Affairs report. Chair Maryam reports that the Government Affairs committee is continuing its plans for the Million Student March during Higher Education Awareness Week this semester.

Chair Maryam reported that Deon will be initiating a collaboration between the Government Affairs committee and the Career Center to create a program to assist undecided students navigate a career path and major.

Chair Maryam reported that the Government Affairs committee will also be hosting a panel that discusses global perspectives on political commitment and civic engagement by showcasing individual's personal stories about political dissent, freedom of speech, etc.

Chair Maryam reported that she attended the William J. Hughes Center for Public Policy Steering Committee meeting on Friday, December 4

Chair Maryam reported that there will be information in the coming week that will include the new legislators in residence and other major events

Chair Maryam reported that Senator Maurice will continue to update the constitution and make revisions as they are approved by the full senate. Chair Maryam asked if anyone wants to see any provisions of concern or that need to be corrected, please contact Senator Maurice directly.

Chair Maryam reported that as it pertains to the student activity fee budget, the Government Affairs committee will be looking at methods and solutions that would allow all students attending academic and organizational conferences be affordable and accessible. Fundraising, personal contributions, and club contributions will be capped by percentages or in a manner that would balance the budget and allow all students to invest an equal share in their commitments to organizational and academic conferences.

Chair Maryam lastly reported the welcoming of the new committee member Kim Emmanuel.

Chair Maryam yields her time back to President Carl

Public Relations

President Carl yields the floor to Chair Victoria D. for the Public Relations report. Chair Victoria D. reported that The Public Relations committee has recently published the winter Senate Informer, which is the Student Senate newsletter reaching out to fellow ospreys and letting them know what the Student Senate has accomplished and plans to accomplish.

Chair Victoria D. reported that in the coming months of the spring term, the Public Relations committee will be hosting six interest meetings on February 9th-11th and the 16th-18th at 8pm.

Chair Victoria D. reported that the committee plans to create more Senate in Minute video clips, as well as better communicating with other students by making the student senate office (upstairs in the campus center) more visible.

Chair Victoria yields the floor back to President Carl.

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Student Affairs

President Carl yields the floor to Chair Victoria M. for the Student Affairs report. Chair Victoria M. reported that there is two surveys concerning Library Hours and Campus Center Weekend Operations.

Chair Victoria M. reported that the committee is working on a Unity March. The march is a movement that will promote more of a tolerance towards all races, sexual orientations, and religions.

Chair Victoria M. reported that she had a meeting with Trish Krevistkie about the healthy options added to the campus dinning menues. There will be an effort to make the options visible.

Chair Vicotira M. yields the floor back to President Carl.

Announcements/Comments from the Public:

President Carl opened the floor to the public.
No public comments

Adjournment

President Carl adjourns the meeting at 06:00 pm.

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**EMERGENCY STUDENT SENATE FULL MEETING
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Members present: Nick Persia
Emily Zeck
Brian Moore Jr.
Richard Jeffries
Patton Solowey
Chris Dietrich
Maryam Sarhan
Ike Ejikeme
Deon Davis
Victoria Dambroski
Mahalia Bazile
Jessica Cathcart
Carly Bulgia
Ryan Greene
Alex Dannecker
Toyo Aboderin
Nhi Tram
Maurice Brandon
Viona Richardson
Victoria Muraoka
Dominick Martino
Haley Matsinger
Mackenzie Porch
Stephanie Hanvey
Kimberly Emmanuel
Mike Tuzzy

Members late: None

Members Absent: None

Agenda/Business:

President Carl called the meeting to order at 04:30 pm.
President Carl yields the floor to Chairperson Haley.

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Chair Haley reported that the emergency Full Senate Meeting was called to order due to the Model UN emergency Supplemental Request. Model requested additional funding for the Model UN – New York City conference. The Model UN student organization original supplemental request was adjusted from \$1446.25 to \$825.00. Chair Haley reported that under the powers of the Constitution Vice President Nick voted against the supplemental, although the supplemental request was approved by the Committee.

Chair Haley yield the floor to VP Nick to explain rational. VP Nick reported that the reason for his nay vote was to allow the full senate to vote on the supplemental request because of the earlier sessions of debate on the supplemental account and the Model UN previous requests. VP Nick yield his time back to Chair Haley.

Chair Haley moved to approve the Supplemental Request from Model UN in the amount of \$825; Second by Senator Ryan.

Motion Approved: 23-2-1

Senators Abstained: Carl Archut Jr.

Senators Nay Vote: Viona Richardson, Maurice Brandon

Chair Haley yields the floor back to President Carl.

President Carl adjourns the meeting at 05:04 pm.

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Committee: **Finance**

Presiding: Haley Matsinger

Members Present: Richard Jeffries
Patton Solowey
Chris Dietrich
Nhi Tram

Members Absent: None

Members Late: None

Agenda:

The cooking club's budget of \$500 was reabsorbed into the supplemental account after the E-Board voted upon the topic. The Cooking club became an inactive club on campus after not turning in their roster after several requests from student development.

Motion Approved 7-0-0

The Supplemental Requests below were brought to the Student Senate Vice President for approval, under the powers of the Student Senate Constitution.

The Committee approved the Supplemental for Stockton University Model United Nations for \$825, for the National Model UN Conference in New York City from March 26-31, 2016. This conference is for 25 students and 2 faculty members. The original supplemental request was for \$1446.25. Vice President Nick refused to sign, defaulted to full senate and was passed by full senate on 16 February 2015*.

Motion Approved: 5-0-0

*For Vote count please refer to Emergency Meeting Minutes on Page

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The Committee approved the Supplemental Request from the Stockton University Sustainability Trust for \$863. The Request is for the New Jersey Offshore Wind Energy Forum at Stockton University on March 29th from 4:30-7:00. This event is for 175 students. Vice President Nick signed for approval.

Motion Approved 4-0-0

The Committee approved the Supplemental Request from the STAND and History Club for \$600. Request is for a trip to the National Constitution Center in Philadelphia on March 6th from 9am-5pm. This event is for 54 students. Vice President Nick signed for approval.

Motion Approved:5-0-0

The Committee approved the Supplemental Request from STAND for \$641. The Request was for a Muslim Awareness Rally, in the Campus Center Coffee House on February 25th, 2016 from 4:30-6:00. This event is for 150 students. Vice President Nick signed for approval.

Motion Approved 5-0-0

The Committee approved the Supplemental Request from Hope for \$510.17. The Request is for a STAR Talent Show in the Campus Center Theater on March 4th, 2016 at 7pm. This event is for 150 students. Vice President Nick signed for approval.

Motion Approved 5-0-0

The Committee approved the Supplemental Request from Circle K for \$1,000. The Request is for a New Jersey Convention on March 11-13 for 15 students. Vice President Nick signed for approval.

Motion Approved: 3-0-0

The Committee approved the Supplemental Request from Muslim Student Association for \$660. for a trip to the Metropolitan of Art Museum in New York City on April 9th. This trip is for 50 students. Vice President Nick signed for approval.

Motion Approved:3-0-0

The Committee approved the Supplemental Request from History Club for \$1280.91. The Request is for a Spring Trip in Boston on March 11-14, 2016 for 6 students. Vice President Nick signed for approval.

Motion Approved:4-0-0

The Committee approved the Supplemental Request from STAND for \$400. The Request is for a conference on April 6th -8th, 2016 for 5 students. Vice President Nick signed for approval.

Motion Approved 4-1-0

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The Committee approved the Supplemental Request from STAND for \$186. The Request is for a guest speaker on April 14th-16th for 35 students. Vice President Nick signed for approval.

Motion Approved: 5-0-0

The Committee approved the Supplemental Request from AESNJ for \$250. The Request is for the Heritage ball on March 22nd, for 22 students. Vice President Nick signed for approval.

Motion Approved: 5-0-0

The current Supplemental fund is at approximately, \$ (that is before the supplemental requests below that are going to be voted on today. If these supplemental requests go through the account will be \$.)

The Finance Committee moved to approve the Supplemental Request from Active Minds in the amount of \$2,200. The Request is for Eating Awareness Week at Stockton University on March 2nd from 8pm-10pm. This event has an estimated attendance of 350 students.

Motion Approved: 4-0-0

Original Request was for **\$3,200**

Total Trip Cost is **\$3,700**

Club Contribution is **\$500**

Personal Contribution is **\$0**

Their supplemental amount was decreased due to a low amount in the supplemental account. This was made obvious to the club and discussed with them.

The Finance Committee moved to approve the Supplemental Request from Criminal Justice Society in the amount of \$2,000. The Request is for the Academy of Criminal Justice Science Conference in Denver, Colorado from March 30th to April 2nd for 6 students.

Motion Approved: 3-0-0

Original Request was for **\$3498**

Total Trip Cost is **\$4368**

Club's Contribution is **\$0**

Personal Contribution is **\$870**

Their supplemental amount was decreased due to a low amount in the supplemental account. This was made obvious to the club and discussed with them.

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The Finance Committee moved to approve the Supplemental Request from Geology Club in the amount of \$3,000. The Request is for the Geology Club Spring Trip 2016 in New Mexico and Texas from May 16- June 2nd for 32 students.

Motion Approved: 4-0-0

Original Request was **\$7550**

Total Trip Cost is **\$26,810**

Club's Contribution is **\$3,000**

Personal Contribution is **\$16,260**

Their supplemental amount was decreased due to a low amount in the supplemental account and an increase in their budget in the previous year due to this trip. The finance committee agreed that a \$3,000 supplemental would give the geology club the same amount as their supplemental last year. This was made obvious to the club and discussed with them.

The Finance Committee moved to approve the Supplemental Request from Buddhist in the amount of \$4,500. The Request is for the Sand Mandala Event at Stockton University on March 28th –April 1st for 200 students.

Motion Approved: 3-0-0

Original Request was **\$4,500**

Total Trip Cost is **\$8,000**

Club's Contribution is **\$3,500**

Personal Contribution **\$500**



Student Senate Resolution SP16-003

Include Student Signatures for Budget Access

- Whereas,** The Student Senate is recommending to Stockton University's Office of Student Development regulations for how clubs funds may be accessed, and
- Whereas,** the Stockton Student Senate Finance committee has assessed it in the clubs best interest from previous occasions that changing this policy would create a more accurate record of who is accessing funds in the club and whereas this would result in a better record of distributed funds and insuring the students are aware on where their budget is being spent, therefore be it
- Resolved,** the Stockton University Student Senate, endorses the initiative for the implementation of having an E-Board member approve whenever Student Fee money is being taken out of the student fee account.
- Further**
- Resolved,** the Stockton University Student Senate hereby submits this request to the Office of Student Development for further action.

Carl Archut Jr
Student Senate President

Nick Persia
Student Senate Vice Presiden

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Committee: **Academic Affairs**

Presiding: Emily Zeck

Members Present: Brian Moore Jr.
Mackenzie Porch
Stephanie Hanvey.
Toyo Aboderin

Members Absent: None

Members Late: None

Agenda:

Academic Affairs and Public Relations have met together to discuss future collaboration. Steph will be working closely with Public Relation to help create a video that will discuss some hot topics pertaining to Academic Affairs. Academic Affairs is also looking into advertising the CAPP system. Mackenzie is developing a minor brochure for those looking to pursue a minor. Toyo has been working with Deon to help develop the program “What Do You Want to Be When You Grow Up?” a program for students with undeclared majors. Brian has been working on contacting assist deans to gain their opinion and approval of adding semesters offered to the course descriptions of classes. The assistant deans will also be asked their opinions on a blackboard page option for coursed.

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Committee: **Government Affairs**

Presiding: Maryam Sarhan

Members Present: Ike Ijekeme

Maurice Brandon

Deon Davis

Kimberly Emmanuel

Members Absent: None

Members Late: None

Agenda:

The Government Affairs committee would like to thank everyone who attended the Democratic Presidential Debate Viewing Party on February 11th at 8 pm in MR4. It was a success with both the College Democrats and College Republicans in attendance! We would like to thank Senator Carly Bulgia for her help with this event. We look forward to having you all join us at the Republican Presidential Debate Viewing Party that we will be hosting on February 25th at 8 pm in MR 1; pizza will also be served.

Higher Education Awareness Week has now evolved into Higher Education Awareness Month. Throughout the month of March, the committee will be hosting various events, panels and tabling activities to bring awareness about college affordability, financial literacy, careers in higher education and civic engagement as well as social/political activism. The Government Affairs committee will be hosting its panel, “Global Perspectives on Civic Engagement” on March 23rd at 6:30 pm in the Board of Trustees room. The panel will discuss global perspectives on political commitment and civic engagement by showcasing individual’s personal stories about political dissent, freedom of speech, and the right to vote both locally and abroad. The committee will also be hosting two student affairs professionals on March 22nd at 3 pm to present on the topic of “Careers in Higher Education.” This presentation will focus on careers that are available to students who are interested in pursuing careers in residential life, student development and other divisions of student affairs.

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Senator Deon will be hosting the event “What do You Want to Be When You Grow Up” on March 31st at 4:30 pm in the Board of Trustees. This event will focus on providing advice and guidance to students who are undecided by exposing them to professionals and educators who went through similar experiences in their undergraduate and professional careers. Senator Kim will be our Administrative Ambassador to the Office of Service Learning and the New York Times representative to monitor the New York Times usage on our campus. Senator Ike is working on an initiative to promote diversity on campus, as a way to unify campus efforts of equity and inclusion into an annual event.

Senator Maurice has compiled and updated a final version of the Constitution which has been uploaded to the Student Senate website. Senator Maryam also sent suggestions to the Finance Committee as it relates to methods of allocating Club budget funds for the new fiscal year and plans to meet with senators from the Finance Committee to examine ways to prevent a supplemental fund shortage from occurring again next year. We would like to extend our appreciation to the Finance Committee for welcoming our suggestions. The William J. Hughes Center for Public Policy Steering Committee will be bringing Professor Brian Levin to campus on March 21st to speak about Hate Crimes and Terrorism. We encourage Stockton and the surrounding community to attend this very informative event which will be held at 6 pm in the Campus Center Theatre.

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The Government Affairs Committee moved to approve to edit Article II Section 1.A

The Student Senate shall consist of one branch composed of twenty-seven students, dually elected in the spring and the fall. Twenty-three students will be elected in the spring, and the remaining four will be selected from first year and transfer students in a separate fall election

*The Student Senate shall consist of one branch composed of twenty-seven **undergraduate and graduate** students, dually elected in the spring and the fall. Twenty-three students will be elected in the spring, **of those 23 seats, 2 will be reserved for graduate level students**, and the remaining four will be selected from first year and transfer students in a separate fall election*

Motion Failed: 0-0-5

The Government Affairs Committee moved to approve to add Article II Section 1.A.1

In the case no graduate students are running, the seats will be filled by the undergraduates with the next highest number of votes.

Motion Failed: 0-0-5

The Government Affairs Committee moved to approve to add Article III Section 1.J

All constitution changes must be added to the Full Senate meeting minutes and agenda, after being approved by the governmental affairs committee, in order to be voted on.

Senator Maurice moved to amend the motion:

Article II Section 6 H 5 - All matters that require at least a majority vote by the Full Senate must be approved and its respective committee and added to the full Senate meeting minutes and agenda in order to be voted on.

Motion Passes: 5-0-0

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The Government Affairs Committee moved to approve to add *“Have the Finance chair’s signature or written approval of any student senate budget funds.”*

Chairperson Maryam motions to amend the motion to *The Student Senate Executive Board must approve Student Senate budget funds.*

Motion Passes: 4-0-1

The Government Affairs Committee moved to approve to add *“Under the Finance Committee’s chair responsibility, Section H number 5 the Student Senate President can make any changes to the Budget proposal before going to the full senate. I think that the Executive Cabinet and the President should give their suggestions to the Finance Chair and then those suggestions will be considered at our next committee meeting.”* **Senator Maurice motions to amend the motion to -** *The Executive Cabinet and the President shall have the power to provide the Finance Committee Chair suggestions to the Budget proposal before going to the Full senate for a vote.*

Motion Passes: 5-0-0

The Government Affairs Committee moved to remove all motions the Government Affairs committee previously made on February 9th, 2016

Motion Passes: 4-0-1

The Government Affairs Committee moved to grant the ability to begin working on Student Senate bylaws.

Motion Passes: 5-0-0

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Committee: **Public Relations**

Presiding: Victoria Dambroski

Members Present: Dominic Martino

Jessica Cathcart

Mahalia Bazile

Viona Richardson

Members Absent: None

Members Late: None

Agenda:

The Public Relations committee, hosted six interest meetings for this spring's elections! After all the interest meetings there are about 40 candidates in the running. Public Relations committee is also collaborating with Academic Affairs in a new edition of the Senate in a Minute, stay tuned! Looking forward, the Public Relations Committee will host Meet the Candidates on March 29th at the coffee house! The Public Relations Committee encourages all Ospreys to follow us @OspreySenate and like us on Facebook.

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Presiding: Victoria Muraoka

Members Present: Ryan Greene

Alex Dannecker

Carly Bulgia

Mike Tuzzy

Members Late: None

Members Absent: None

Agenda:

Victoria started the meeting by delegating assignments last month. Unity March: This is a movement that Victoria thought to promote more of a tolerance towards all races, sexual orientations, and religions. Student Affairs has to set a date in March. Post Victoria assigned Ryan to speak with the Muslim Association but they have not fully agreed to the march. Victoria assigned Alex to speak with the LGBTQ Organization asking for their participation and they have agreed to be a part of the march. Victoria has spoken with UBSS during their first meeting on next Thursday at 4:30 and they have not yet agreed with their entire e-board yet. Unfortunately, Noya has stepped down from her position in Student Affairs and Mike Tuzzy has happily agreed to step up. All other projects and assignments are concluded or having more work towards them. The meeting was adjourned at 6:00pm. These details conclude Student Affairs meeting minutes.