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Minutes

**Thursday, November 1, 2007
7:00 p.m. – Black & Gold Room**

Majority

Simple: ___ 11 ___

2/3: ___ 14 ___

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call

Clarice Maseberg, John Newman, Ashley Shellnut, and Michelle Snyder

III. Executive Reports

a. President

Attended the ACUI Conference. Gathered contact information for community colleges. Also gathered data on advising survey. On Tuesday, she attended House Speaker Neufeld's presentation. Also this week she participated in the teacher evaluation meeting and served as the student prospective. All agreed that a new teacher evaluation is needed. This semester 4 departments will be using the pilot program for the new teacher evaluation. And also this week she looked over the soccer proposal. She then asked that the senators please check the database information to make sure your contact info is correct and to also please sign up for tiger call.

b. Vice President

This week he passed on concerns from the safety walk to student affairs to handle the problem with the intersection at Stroup, Malloy, and Anderson Halls. Friday he attended President Hammond's press conference and also attended the union conference.

c. Executive Assistant

Participated in Make a Difference Day this week. And also attended the ACUI Dinner.

d. Treasurer

Attended the SOC meeting, reconciled the budget, and received a request from Christian Challenge.

e. Administrative Assistant

On Tuesday, she attended House Speaker Neufeld's presentation. And also this week, with the help of Advisor Shana Meyer, put together a paper history of minutes for the 05-06 SGA.

f. Legislative Affairs Director

Vivaciously served his office hours this week. Continued to work on the "Get to Know Your Senator" information. This information will become available in the office next week and that will be emailed to senators as well.

g. Webmaster/Historian

Updated leg and working on standing committees page

IV. Committee Reports

a. Appropriations

Did not meet this week but Bill 07/F/115 is up for first reading.

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b. Senate Affairs

Interviewed for an open health seat and the senate social is tonight at the bowling alley.

c. Student Affairs

Discussed the faculty senate guest speaker for next week. Also preparing a survey for new sports and clubs that students might be interested in. That should be going out with in the next 2 weeks. Also wrapped up TailGreat situation.

d. Legislative & Political Action

Working on the "Know Your Senator" information. Nov. 13 is the tentative date for the City Commission forum in Albertson Hall Room 169. Continually working on the legal house party document. This week received the soccer proposal. The following is Senator Davis' brief summary of the proposal: the proposal is asking to form a men's and women's team, increase student fees from \$5.11 to \$7.11. Will continue to sort through the information and the proposal will be brought to senate after further review. Meeting will be at 6 p.m. next week.

V. Open Forum

a. Halloween Costume Contest Voting

President Gillogly and Senator Hansen won the Halloween costume contest. Senator C. Stramel shared with senate his conversation with Mark Pahl over TailGreat and the fee that is applied to reserving a spot for tailgating.

Senator Davis stated that he still believes that students should not be charged. Senator Purdy stated that he thought that this might be a question for FHSU about not charging.

President Gillogly asked if Senator C. Stramel asked if FHSU could save room in their budget to pay for students.

Senator C. Stramel answered that he can ask that in a follow up conversation but stated that the fee is a nice gesture to the community and the fee reserves your spot for TailGreat.

Senator Davis reiterated that he still thought that students shouldn't have to pay and that another means should be worked out so they don't have to.

Senator Ladd asked the senate how many senators actually tailgate? (Senator Davis was the only one who raised his hand) Senator Ladd then stated that personally he doesn't mind paying ten dollars to support our chamber of commerce.

Senator Davis again respectively disagreed and stated that students pay enough already and that it is ironic to charge a fee to keep a populated parking lot and that there is more than just the 2 people on SGA that tailgate.

VI. New Business

a. Allocations Committee Nominations & Election

Senator Stebens nominated Senator Newman. President Engel was given permission to accept his nomination

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Senator Engel nominated Senator Maseberg. President Engel was given permission to also accept her nomination.

Senator C. Stramel nominated Senator Purdy. He accepted.

Senator Stegmaier nominated Senator Edwards. She accepted.

Senator Davis nominated Senator C. Stramel. He declined due to him student teaching next semester.

Senator Edwards nominated Senator Stegmaier. He accepted.

Senator Goodley nominated Senator Engel. He accepted.

Senator Davis nominated Senator Hansen. She accepted.

Senator Davis nominated Senator Ladd. He declined due to him studying abroad next semester.

Senator C. Stramel nominated Senator Einsel. He did not accept.

Senator Engel nominated Senator Brownfield. She accepted.

Senator Davis nominated Senator Winter. She accepted.

Senator Stebens nominated Senator Manly. She accepted.

b. First Reading of Bill 07/F/115: Appropriations Request, FHSU AMSA Pre-Medical Club

By executive order added-->

c. First Reading of Bill 07/F/116:

Senator Manly motioned to move the bill to emergency business.

The motion was 2nd by Senator Einsel.

Unanimously moved to emergency business.

Senator Edwards asked that Andrew come up and state why he wants to be on SGA and a bit about himself

Andrew Gian introduced himself and his reasons for wanting to be on SGA.

Senator Davis asked where are he was from.

Andrew Gian answered that he got out of military 2 years ago and was from Atchison, Kansas.

Senator Davis motioned for a direct vote.

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Unanimously passed

VII. Old Business

a. Second Reading of Bill 07/F/114: Student/Faculty Court Ratification

Senator Edwards motioned to consider the bill.

The motion was 2nd by Senator Engel.

There was no discussion on the bill therefore, it was moved to direct vote.

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Unanimously passed

VIII. Announcements

a. Senate Social TONIGHT at Centennial Lanes, 9:30 pm

b. Madrigal Feaste Tickets went on sale today

c. Tiger Day, Sat. 11/3: Student Organization Extra Curricular Fair, Noon-1:00

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d. SGA Tiger Call, Mon. 11/5 @ 5:30-9:00 pm (Robbins Center)

e. T4L Schmooze or Lose Night, open to all Tigers 4 Life members, 7:00-9:30 pm
President Gillogly and Senator Hansen won the Halloween costume contest.

IX. Adjourn

Senator Engel motioned to adjourn.

The motion was 2nd by Senator C. Stramel.

Unanimously agreed to adjourn.