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Minutes

**Thursday, November 15, 2007
7:00 p.m. – Black & Gold Room**

Majority

Simple: __11__

2/3: ____14____

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call
Andrew Gian

III. Executive Reports

a. President

Met with President Hammond on Monday in regards to the Dare to Dream Initiatives timeline. Also attended the Food Service committee, where a majority of the discussion was in regards to enforcing the food policy in the Union and make it universal across the board. On Tuesday she attended the Facilities Planning committee, Strategic Planning committee, and the City Commissioner Forum. Attended KBOR this week where there was a consideration of Budget Requests for investments in a FHSU Professional Science Master Program and a Freshman Retention Seminar. Also this week she attended the Student Advisory committee on Thursday.

b. Vice President

Tuesday he attended the Memorial Union Policy Board Meeting that focused mostly on decorating the union. Also attended the City Commissioner Forum on Tuesday. Also attended an ITPAC meeting Thursday afternoon and discussed blackboard issues, issues with the current survey system, and proposals with the new tiger card.

c. Executive Assistant

Friday she attended the student publication board. Also attended a student insurance committee meeting, helped administer a Club Sports survey with Senator Stegmaier, and finally helped set up table with Senator Manly for the health senator drive. Also gave her China presentation.

d. Treasurer

Finished the ATSO funding and received a new request. Attended the SOC meeting.

e. Administrative Assistant

Prepared SGA brochures for Senator Manly to hand out in the Health Senator Drive in Cunningham Hall and did miscellaneous tasks for senators and other executive staff members.

f. Legislative Affairs Director

This week he attended the student publication board. Also participated in the City Commissioner Forum on Tuesday and was disappointed in senator turn out, Attended the Strategic Planning committee with President Gillogly. At KBOR they discussed Higher Education Days, which is set for February 20 (Wednesday). If you are interested in going contact him at the beginning of the spring semester and would like no less than 8 people to go.

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g. Webmaster/Historian

Updated legislation and began work on a new page for University Administration forms and also helped Senator Manly with Health Senator Recruitment table.

IV. Committee Reports

a. Appropriations

This week the committee heard a trip request and an equipment request.

b. Senate Affairs

Discussed the effectiveness of the health-recruiting table they set up in Cunningham Hall this week.

c. Student Affairs

TailGreat Resolution Fee is up for 1st reading. A resolution on the name change is coming. Administered the Club Sports survey this week.

d. Legislative & Political Action

Put on and attended the City Commissioner Forum on Tuesday in which they were very disappointed in the senator turn out. Also continued discussion of the Soccer proposal. 6 pm next week-

V. Administer Oath of Office (Gian)

Removed by executive order

VI. Open Forum

President Gillogly read an email she received from Dr Hammond's office asking for feedback on what students think about FHSU taking over the Stadium Place Apts. And what they would consider a fair amount for rent.

Senator Davis asked would the rent be per person?

President Gillogly stated she was unsure but as she read it she believes so.

Senator Davis stated that \$450 per person sounded like the best-proposed price.

Senator C. Stramel asked if the rent would include bills.

President Gillogly stated that information was not provided to her therefore she was unsure but would try to get that information.

Senator C. Stramel also suggested \$450 for rent.

Senator Newman stated that he thought \$450 for rent seems high.

Senator Davis asked if the university bought the apts. Would FHSU be in debt if they did not charge a certain amount?

President Gillogly answered that assuming that Brooks Kellogg will cut a price with FHSU for the apts. So that they wouldn't have to charge a high rent and that it has been discussed as a possible extension of residential life.

Senator Winter stated that she also that \$450 was somewhat steep and suggested that \$350 would be more reasonable.

Senator C. Stramel asked if a meal plan would be included.

President Gillogly answered that she was unsure but from her understanding the apts. Will be ran the same just under FHSU instead of Brooks Kellogg.

Senator Hansen also agreed that \$350 seemed reasonable but \$450 is too steep.

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Senator Purdy stated that he would also suggest \$350 but would like further information.

Senator Matsko stated that as the home of “affordable success” we should charge as less as possible and we need more information before asking constituents.

President Gillogly asked that senators please give me your questions and I will forward them to Dr. Hammond.

Senator Newman also recommended that the administration should keep in mind what students pay for rent off campus.

Senator Purdy brought up that a lot of online surveys have been going out to students lately and it has been discussed that students are getting sick of it in result the university has a low number in responses. President Gillogly discussed this with President Hammond and he yielded his time to President Gillogly.

President Gillogly then went on to explain that the numbers are low on surveys. The reasons they discussed for the low numbers and came up with that it is perhaps that it is too easy to create a survey and send it out to all students. So they are looking into making it harder for just anyone to send out surveys.

VII. New Business

- a. First Reading of Resolution 07/F/100: TailGreat Reservation Fee
- b. First Reading of Bill 07/F/117: Educational Opportunity Fund Committee Ratification
- c. First Reading of Bill 07/F/118: Student Fee Review Committee Ratification
- d. First Reading of Bill 07/F/119: Christian Challenge Appropriations Request
- e. First Reading of Bill 07/F/120: National Broadcasting Society Appropriations Request
- f. First Reading of Bill 07/F/121: FHSU Shooting Sports Club Equipment Request (added by executive order)

VIII. Old Business

-No old business-

IX. Announcements

- a. Fall Break Next Week – Enjoy the time off!
- b. Next SGA Meeting: Thursday, November 29 @ 7:00 pm, Black & Gold Room
Appropriations will meet in the Smoky Hill Room
Student Affairs will meet in the Meadowlark Room
LPAC will meet in the CSI/Student Organization Office
- c. Preliminary Allocations Deadline: Monday, December 3, 2007 @ 4:30 pm
Monday the 29th is the annual tree lighting ceremony outside of Sheridan
Senator C. Stramel asked that senators please sign up for alternative break over Christmas Break.
Executive Assistant Ohl announced that Tigers for troops is having a dine out night on Monday to 29 donations go to Valentines packages for the troops in Iraq.

X. Adjourn

Motioned to adjourn by Senator Purdy.

2nd by Senator Newman.