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Minutes

Thursday, January 31, 2008
7:00 p.m. – Black & Gold Room

Majority

Simple: 13

2/3: 17

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Guest Speakers
 - a. Kelsey Colglazier & Rindi Zimmerman, Tigers in Service.
Thank you to the Senate for support for Tiger's in Service with t-shirts to give to senators and staff.
- IV. Executive Reports
 - a. President
Gillogly reports Allocations deadline on Friday for committee to review. Gillogly attended university press conference this week in regards to Dr. Herb Songer's resignation and thanked him for his dedication to the staff and university. This week began work on creating a letter to send out to all graduating seniors for Navigator Award. FHSU KS Student Legal Services began research for Dr. Bannister and students and provide general information in this regard. Contact Heather, university counsel administrative assistant, for questions. Gillogly met with Shana Meyer Wednesday to discuss higher education day, as well as the upcoming allocation and EOF schedule. Gillogly spoke with Mark Pahls about coming to visit with the Senate on the 7th of Feb, and set up open forums with Todd Powell and Kent Steward to discuss the Crisis Management Plan on the 14th of Feb. Two new waivers, 08/S/100 and 08/S/101, concerning Non-SOC recognized organizations and equipment fund with reduced percentages of Allocations budget allotted. In closing, Gillogly discussed the plans for Aaron Pablo and new senator pictures to be taken by Mitch Weber for Thursday next week between 3-4pm. Be there promptly.
 - b. Vice President
Attended University Press Conference to announce the retirement of Dr. Herb Songer, VP for Student Affairs and SGA Advisor and wished him the best of luck. Engel spent the majority of the week responding to allocations questions and working with Senator and Allocations Chairman John Newman to establish the schedule and procedure for this year. Engel noted that copies of last year's allocations bill and recommendations were placed in allocations committee members' mailboxes. Engel noted that bills 07/S/122 and 07/S/123 will be very helpful during the allocations hearings over the next three weeks for historical reference purposes. Engel also met with three new senators that were ratified at the previous senate meeting and gave them a brief senate orientation this week. VP Engel appointed them to standing committees as they will be sworn in tonight. VP Engel welcomed them to the senate floor. Engel notes to senate to sign up for office hours tonight or tomorrow with any changes if not already done so.
 - c. Executive Assistant
Ohl joined Pres. Gillogly and VP Engel at press conference this week, answering questions and organizing for the week. Ohl also mentioned that the polos that were due this week will not be available until next week.
 - d. Treasurer
Lalicker assisted with higher education day this week, and answered questions on

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Appropriations. Lalicker also reminds the student organizations of date and times for upcoming allocation meetings. Lalicker also typed up legislation bills for the week.

- e. Administrative Assistant
This week Pablo answered phone calls, assisted staff with allocations the week and prepared meeting for tonight, organizing senate bills and paperwork accordingly.
- f. Legislative Affairs Director
Announced the Higher Ed Day, Feb 14th date has been moved to the following Monday, Feb 18th for Volga German day. Any questions please talk to him.
- g. Webmaster/Historian
Gillogly Updated legislation and will be taking pictures for our website.

V. Committee Reports

- a. Appropriations
Heard a request from Phi-Alpha-Theta.
- b. Senate Affairs
Tuesday Feb 5th will be the deadline for senate applications.
- c. Student Affairs
Issues with Chartwells to be touched on as well as club sports.
- d. Legislative & Political Action
Welcome new senators and discussed soccer proposals as well
- e. Allocations
Senator Newman thanks Pres. Gillogly and Executive Assistant Ohl for notebook organization. Announcement to allocations committee to be at the Stouffer lounge at 10 a.m. Sunday to discuss 08-09 funding.

VI. Administer Oath of Office (Newton, Gnizak, Miller)

Please stand and raise right hand. Read oath to be sworn into SGA Senate.

VII. Open Forum

None

VIII. New Business

- a. First Reading of Bill 08/S/103: 10% Club Appropriations Request
- b. First Reading of Bill 08/S/104: TECA Appropriations Request
- c. First Reading of Waiver 08/S/100: Allocations Funding for Non-SOC Recognized Organizations
- d. First Reading of Waiver 08/S/101: Equipment Fund Percentage Change

IX. Old Business

- a. Second Reading of Bill 08/S/100: SGA Executive Staff Ratification
This bill was considered by Senator Davis and seconded by Senator Purdy. Sen. Davis move to pass by unanimous consent seconded by Sen. Purdy. No objections, bill passed by unanimous consent.
- b. Second Reading of Bill 08/S/101: Executive Review Committee Ratification
Considered by Sen. Winter, seconded by Sen. Newman. Senator Winter moves to pass by unanimous consent, seconded Senator Newman. No objections, bill passed by unanimous consent.

X. Announcements

- a. Orientation Advisor Applications, Due Thursday 2/7

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See Shana Meyer.

- b. Senator profile pictures will be taken Thursday 2/7 from 3 to 4:30 pm in the lower level of the Forsyth Library
- c. Athletic Department Administration will be here next week (2/7) to speak to senate on behalf of Tiger Athletics
- d. Crisis Management Team will be here 2/14 to discuss the FHSU Crisis Management Plan with the senate
- e. Higher Ed Day: 2/13 with Kansas Board of Regents
- f. EOF FINAL Deadline, Thursday 2/21 @ 4:30 p.m.

Senator Purdy discussed updates on sporting teams. Purdy suggests the Leader post "tacks" on the front page of the Leader to keep up with the current university athletic news and bulletins. Herb Songer referred to the FHSU website athletic page to get updates as a solution.

XI. Adjourn

Sen. Engel motions to adjourn senate meeting seconded by Sen. Purdy. Adjourn by unanimous consent.