



SENATE MINUTES
Thursday, October 2, 2008

Present: Evan Eskridge, Jarrell Anderson, Tom Caiafa, Andrew Jordan, Terkquyose Kennebrew, Akeem Mitchell, Alex Gallimore, Alexandra Smalls, Asa Stallings, Branden Ford, Cimone Husbands, Greg Abt, Karishma Saini, Katherine Cho, Kelechi Nwakudu, Kortney Easterly, LaPortia Jordan, Quasaan Manuel, Sean Graham, Shannon Cartledge, Tara Easterling, Zaneta Daniels

- I. Call to Order at 7:36 pm
- II. Roll call at 7:37
- III. Paper ballots for Senate Pro-Tempore Nominations distributed
- IV. Minutes Approved at 7:41
 - a. With grammatical changes from VP's Anderson, Caiafa, and Jordan
- V. Verbal report from ASGA Conference at 7:44
- VI. Senator Nwakudu Approved as Senate Pro-Tempore at 7:54
- VII. Bill-08-06 Overview by VP Jordan at 7:55
 - a. Motion to close debate and vote @ 8
 - b. Bill 8-06 fails with 5 abstentions, 3 yes, 12 nays
- VIII. Officer Reports at 8:04
 - a. Kennebrew:
 - i. Panther Pals with GSU Basketball Team
 - ii. Leadership Conclave is coming up. Go to Student life and Leadership for registration.
 - iii. Received first cosponsorship.
 - iv. Bring legislation to form a committee to address customer service on campus
 - b. Caiafa:
 - i. CWT Tuesday Oct 14th from 12-1 in Learning commons.
 - ii. First Admin and Standards committee meeting passed legislation to include A+ in grading system affective spring 2009. Repeat to replace legislation was introduced: VP Caiafa to serve on Subcommittee. Next Academic Affairs meeting October 9th.
 - iii. Next Committee meeting on Academic Affairs coming up later this month.
 - c. Anderson:
 - i. Kudos to VP Caiafa.
 - ii. Name change to Smoke free / smoking space taskforce met today. Next meeting will be October 23 from 11-12. Invitation to sign up.
 - iii. Complaint filed on parking prices S, P and N deck.
 - iv. Next Student Services will investigate claim about bookstore student discount discrimination.
 - v. Leadership conclave on Oct 18th.
 - vi. Next Student Services committee meeting on Wednesday, Oct 8th

- d. Jordan:
 - i. Invitation to serve on mid year allocation committee
- e. Mitchell:
 - i. Still working on the website. Introducing the option of using sitehosting.
 - a. SGA brochures are almost complete.
 - b. Models and Video for Voice your choice.
 - c. PR Committee meeting will be OCT 10 at 3 pm
- IX. More Announcements at 8:30
 - a. President has received info on the budget from the BOR, Looking for people to serve on Culture and diversity committee.
 - b. Eskridge:
 - i. Increase participation in office hours.
 - ii. Next Voice Your Choice Event in Library Plaza on the 9th. Presidential debate. Oct 23 in Urban Life Auditorium. Alpha Phi Alpha with SGA for Voice Your Choice Forum at 7:06 pm
 - iii. Town hall meeting October 30th on foot ball. The Nov 20th Town Hall meeting cancelled.
 - c. Judicial report at 8:33
 - i. Samaritan House voter registration on Saturday
 - d. New parliamentarian Iesha Cooper at 8:34
 - e. Legislation should be turned in by 5, on the Monday prior to the meeting
 - f. Meeting in the library coffee shop Monday October 6, at 830 am to discuss USA Readership Program
 - g. SGA Turning in Voter Registration by Friday
 - h. Next Budget and Finance Committee meeting October 16th
- X. Meeting Adjourned at 8:40 pm