

# SF Student Government SANTA FE COLLEGE

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**Student Senate | May 24, 2017 | Santa Fe College Bldg. W Room 108**

## **MEETING MINUTES**

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- I. Call to Order
  - a. President Ryan Hamilton called the meeting to order at 4:04 PM
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Roll Call – Pro Tempore Uriguen
  - a. Present: Chi Epsilon Sigma, College Democrats, Fencing Club, Game & Mobile App Development, Gender Rights and Liberation, Health Information Student Association, Supervision and Organizational Management, Organic Gardeners, Young Americans for Liberty, Mathematics, Natural Sciences, Gators for Christ, Chess Club, Sen. Hamilton, Sen. Uriguen
  - b. Quorum set at 10 senators. Quorum met.
- IV. Minutes & New Senators
  - a. College Democrats Senator (Barber) moved to adopt the agenda as written. Seconded. Motion passed unanimously.
  - b. Chi epsilon Sigma Senator (Dycus) moved to approve the minutes as written. Seconded. Motion passed unanimously.
  - c. Chess Club requested a leave of absence for the summer semester. Leave of Absence approved unanimously.
- V. Leadership Team Reports 2017-2018
  - a. SGP Events Chair Jamauri Bryan
    - i. Due to the weather club rush has been moved to next Wednesday. Yielded time to the chair.
  - b. SGP Finance Chair Sebastian Lopez (absent)
  - c. Chief Justice Philip Papendick
    - i. Judicial appointment coming up before senate next week. Yielded time to the chair.

- d. Student Body Treasurer Mike Markham
    - i. Yielded time to the chair.
  - e. Student Body Vice President (Vacant)
  - f. Student Body President Isreal Okeowo
    - i. Changed executive branch applications and extended the deadline to June 30<sup>th</sup>. Applications will be available on eConnect this evening. Encouraged senate to download the Safe SantaFe app and test it out. Requested that all suggestions for the app be completed by July 1<sup>st</sup>. Gave information about the creation of a committee to address parking issues on campus. Signed the executive order for the creation of the constitutional reform committee. Made an appointment to the supreme court who will be coming before the senate next week. Recognized Events Chair Jamauri Bryan's birthday and lead the senate in singing the happy birthday song. Yielded time to the chair.
  - g. Senate President Pro Tempore Melissa Uriguen
    - i. Student Organization Officer Training will be held on June 7, 2017 in P-160. Yielded time to the chair.
  - h. Senate President Ryan Hamilton
    - i. Senate is attempting to go paperless and encourage sustainability. Legislative wrap up will be in the senate room immediately following senate next week at 5:00 PM. Senate meeting will be very short next week.
- VI. Staff Reports**
- a. Doug Bagby, Ph.D., Assoc. Director, Student Life/SG Advisor
    - i. Encouraged senate to have a great Memorial Day weekend. Yielded time to the chair.
  - b. Sarah Blanc, Coordinator, Civic Engagement & Service Office
    - i. Needs questions for the legislative wrap up. Students may ask questions by posting on the Facebook event, emailing or by index card during the event. Hosting a service trip to Jacksonville, Fla., on June 19 for World Refugee Day, signups are set to close after this week.
- VII. Director Reports**

- a. No directors or committee chairs gave reports.
- VIII. Order of the Day**
  - a. Student Government Access & Service Resolution
    - i. Resolution Author, Chi Epsilon Sigma senator (Dycus) gave a presentation.
    - ii. Presidential Chief of Staff Haley Noel, Supervision and Organizational Management Senator (Bedenfield), and Gators for Christ Senator (Lumpkins) rose to debate the resolution.
    - iii. First reading time expired.
  - b. SGP Board Member Nominations: Antoneik Evans and Destin Tenemaza
    - i. Destin Tememaza gave a two-minute presentation.
    - ii. President Hamilton called for questions from the floor, followed by a ten-minute debate period in which no one rose to debate.
    - iii. Supervision and Organizational Management Senator (Bedenfield) moved to go into voting. No objections.
    - iv. Tememaza was confirmed by the senate with 12 yays, 0 nays and 3 abstentions.
    - v. Antoneik Evans gave a two-minute presentation.
    - vi. President Hamilton called for questions from the floor, followed by a ten-minute debate period in which Mathematics Academic Senator (Gutierrez) and Natural Sciences Academic Senator (Johnson) rose to debate.
    - vii. Supervision and Organizational Management Senator (Bedenfield) called to question. No objections.
    - viii. Evans was confirmed by the senate with a vote of 12 yays, 0 nays, and 2 abstentions.
- IX. Debates, Open Forum, Questions & Answers**
  - a. Chi Epsilon Sigma Senator (Dycus) rose to inform the body about bill amendments
  - b. Associate Justice Nominee Daniel Beckman rose to inform the body that he would be going before senate next week for Supreme Court confirmation.

- c. Doug Bagby, Ph.D. informed the body that there were free sonic slushies in S-building if anyone wants one after senate.
  - d. Organic Gardners Senator rose to inform the body about upcoming projects within the Organic Gardening club.
  - e. Student Body President Okeowo rose to request a moment of silence for the victims of the Manchester attack and for the men and women who have fought and died for this country in light of Memorial Day approaching.
- X.** Roll Call - Pro Tempore Uriguen
- XI.** Adjournment
- a. Meeting adjourned by President Hamilton at 4:53 P.M.