

## MINUTES NOVEMBER 12<sup>TH,</sup> 2015

## I. Opening of Meeting

a. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 5pm.

b. Pledge of Allegiance

First Roll Call

President Vogl x

Vice President Manning x

Executive Assistant Johnson x

Chief Justice Olson x

RHA Rep Warneke x

Chair Commers x

Chair Drinkwine x

Chair Hwang O

Chair Krantz O

Chair Muzzamil x

Chair Johnson x

Chair Olson x

Chair O'Neil-Como x

Chair Ronning x

Chair Uecker x

Senator Bryson x

Senator Choi x

Senator Dietz x

Senator Enstrom x

Senator Gloe x

Senator Gnahn O

Senator Gross x

Senator Hoffman-Schrader O

Senator Igale x

Senator Kennedy x

Senator Khadka x

Senator La Vine x

Senator McCallson x

Senator Mitchell x

Senator Nagy x

Senator Niraula O

Senator Palme x

Senator Richter x

Senator Schlepp x

Senator Vieau x

Senator Winterquist x

Senator Zhang x

c. Approval of Today's Agenda

Senator Kennedy: Move to approve.

Senator Schlepp: Second.

Motion Carries.

d. Approval of Last Meeting's Minutes Senator Whitthuhn: Move to approve.

Senator Schlepp: Second.

Motion Carries.

## II. Hearings

## a. Open Gallery I

i. President and Vice President

President Potter plaid the video of his interview.

Last week there was a meeting introduced, the forum of Charting the Future. The meeting is open, so anyone can attend. There are 6 task, charged by the system for us to complete this year that have been assigned to groups on our campus. Most of them have student membership, and we are striving to get student involvement in all 6 areas. We will be sharing our work with the system office to keep the communication between campuses. The IRIS replacement will take 4 years. There are plenty of opportunities for you to learn about Charting the Future.

#### Questions:

Senator Bryson: What are the 6 tasks?

Speaker Potter: They are posted on the charting the future website. Of the 6, 4 are for student success, there is the scholarship campaign, and technology assessment. We are continuing work on the transferring pathways.

Senator Igale: Do you already have the time set for the meeting?

Speaker: Yes and No, we laid out the schedule, but there was a conflict, so in the email we have the first email sent out.

Senator Igale: How do you choose the students to get involved.

Speaker: President Vogl chooses them.

President Vogl: We have students for those areas.

#### **Provost**

We are just about, we hosted an event, and have received a lot of discussion from that. I framed that conversation around 4 main questions. Hopefully we can continue to have those conversations. What would it look like if 80% of our first years graduated in 4 years and 80% of our transfers in 3 years. What would the first year look like to get that to happen? What changes would we need to make in advising, academic services, and curriculum to make this happen?

What would the Husky Contact Bold Vision as he said.

### Questions:

President Vogl: For you to give student input, I think I'm going to bring sections of each student to you and then we can go over these questions.

## ii. Women's Center

Lee Ladue

Carly Puck is the GA working with student fees, Sam Gilbert is interning from the sociology program. She brought pie charts from FY15, and showed us the numbers of last year and talked about the numbers from this year. (graphs placed in folder)

#### iii. Vice President Election

## b. Finance Hearings

SCSU E-Sports recommended allocation: \$709.

SCSU Women's Lacrosse recommended allocation: \$750.

Graduate Clinical Counseling Association recommended allocation:\$800.

Korean Students Association recommended allocation: \$1,852.

Dance Team recommended allocation: \$3,000.

#### Discussion:

Senator Schlepp: Move to white ballot.

#### Senator

c. Internal Elections

Ben Uecker has been in the organization for three years. He is very familiar with the procedures and different workings used in Student Government. During this semester he has written several bills and has been very involved in many different committees throughout the years.

What is one thing that people perceive incorrectly about you?

No clear thing that people perceive incorrectly about him.

How long have you been at SCSU and when is your expected graduation date? Has been in the organization since freshman year and

Are you apart of any other student organizations?

He is currently in several different organizations including the skydiving club and judo club but realizes he would need to cut back if he became vice president.

Provide us with an example of a role that has set you up to excel in this position?

He is currently a treasurer of a committee and this has set him up to excel.

How will you balance all of these different organizations?

He thinks that he will be able to balance it but need to cut a number of different things to give full attention to student government

What sets you apart from the other candidate?

He has worked with Summer before and nows how to work productivity with her.

Have you ever ran a meeting in parley code before?

Not officially but unofficially yes, and has a good idea of how it works.

What is the biggest short comings here in student government and how would you change that?

He believes that students do not speak with administrators as much as they should.

What experiences have you gained through student government?

Student government has been a gateway for him in meeting new people and have made him realized that things can be improved

Describe yourself in thirty seconds?

Intelligent, Weirdo, enjoys research

Have you ever had an issue with another student government member and how did you deal with it?

He has but does not want to go into detail, but he worked with administrators to deal with the issue. He found out that the main thing he needed to do was distance himself from the individual.

Whats your favorite thing about SCSU?

Student Government.

What does the position as Vice president mean to you?

He wants to stand up for other students and wants to take charge and change things.

What traits do you posses that makes you a good candidate for VP?

Analytical, and break things down.

Do you have any experiences with President VogI that you two worked well with each other?

When I was in a the Academic Affairs committee with her, we worked well together and I kept her well informed. He believes they worked well together.

Mikaela Johnson passed out a cover letter, resume and platform for the position of vice president. Mikaela thanked everyone for their time and dedication. Mikaela is a third year student, and a second year student at SCSU, majoring in graphic design. Much of who she is she gives credit to her family for. Mikaela was on Tech Fee last year and was vice chair, she kept the committee well informed. She is now working with MSUSA.

As a vice president, there are many duties to accomplish and you have a very nice personality but how will you be strict at times?

She will use her mediation that she learned through Res Life to get through tough situations.

What is something in student government that has challenged you and how did you overcome it? Meeting everyone and getting to know people.

What school did you transfer from?

Northwestern in the cities.

What kind of relationship do you have with facility on campus?

A great one with the ones she knows, she likes to get to know administrators.

What are your on campus involvement?

Tech Fee, Res Life, Executive Assistant, MSUSA organizing intern

How are you going to balance all of these things?

A calendar and good tennis shoes.

Is the department of residential life association okay with you becoming VP?

She has not spoke with them, but

What does being VP mean to you?

She likes to think that Summer is the face and the VP is the one doing the background work and she thinks she would excel in this position.

Would you be wiling to drop some of your other organizations to make student government number one?

Yes if it came to be an issue but she think

What attributes set you apart from other candidates?

She is a strong leader, and has gone through several trainings to become a better leader, and is very adaptable.

She also has the amount of energy needed to complete the tasks of

Whats your favorite part about SCSU?

Walking around campus and the beauty of the campus, which is a main reason she has came here.

Describe yourself in 30 seconds?

Im cool yo, and did an awkward dance.

What is the biggest short coming in student government and how would you overcome it?

She has not thought much about the negatives, she likes to think about the positives. She thinks that the social aspect is what we lack in, she believes we should be better know around campus.

What is your comprehension of the VP duties?

Summer went over with both candidates what your duties would be. She would be the right hand of the president, meeting with committees, meeting with Wanda weekly and meeting with President Potter monthly.

What is an example of when you and Summer have worked well together?

All semester, being her executive assistant.

Senator Schlepp: Call to question Senator Winterquist: Second

- III. Plenary Session I
  - a. Unfinished Business
  - b. New Business
- IV. Recess 10 Minutes
- V. Officer Reports
  - a. President

Meeting with Provost to draft a letter to all faculty to all go to graduation in December.

Creating small groups to talk with the Provost

It's On Us event on Tuesday.

b. Vice President

Excited to be elected tonight!

- c. Chief Justice
- d. RHA Rep

Wednesday next week 5:30pm they are participating in the Oxfam Hunger Banquet is in Voyagers Talked about the concern of litter, and Garvey's dishes over campus. Starting a Clean Campus movement.

- e. Elections Committee
- f. Executive Assistant

Excited for MSUSA this weekend.

President Vogl: We need to approve the newly appointed Executive Assistant Senator Winterquist Senator Schlepp: Move to white ballot.

Senator Nagy: Second.

Motion carries.

- g. Academic Affairs
- h. Campus Affairs

Made the list of buildings and sent them to Urban Affairs for the Safety Walk.

#### i. Public Relations

Want to see more involvement for Husky Pride Day. #HuskyPrideDay

- j. Executive Board
- k. Fee Allocation

Have their last tour Nov. 17th in Athletics, and will have an updated packet here soon.

- I. Legislative Affairs
- m. Senate Finance
- n. Student Constitution
- o. Technology Fee
- p. Urban Affairs
- q. Cultural Diversity
- r. University Committees

# VI. Plenary Session II

a. Last Call for Business

President Vogl: We are doing a moment of silence for the student who passed on November 6th.

Taking a moment to entertain any questions about MSU requesting solidarity.

Senator Schlepp: Move to table until next week.

Senator Kennedy: Second. Vote passes unanimously.

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- VII. Closing of Meeting
  - a. Open Gallery II
  - b. Open Statements

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# c. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:46pm.