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STUDENT GOVERNMENT

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

STUDENT SENATE

FALL 2017 REGULAR SESSION
SEPTEMBER 20, 2017
FIFTH LEGISLATIVE WEEK

CALL TO ORDER
MOMENT OF SILENCE
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
PUBLIC INPUT

- JEFF CAMPBELL:
 - o BUS SYSTEMS
- COMMISSIONER OF ELECTIONS:
 - o ELECTION SCHEDULE
 - PRE-FILING
 - RESULTS ARE ANNOUNCED ON NOV. 1
 - DEADLINE FOR REFERENDUM IS UNKNOWN

NEW BUSINESS

SGR No. 5 By Senators Oliver & Bond

A RESOLUTION TO URGE AND REQUEST THE FORMATION OF A STUDENT COMMITTEE TO PROVIDE INPUT ON LIBRARY RENOVATIONS AND OTHER SERVICES OFFERED BY THE LIBRARY

- o **COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC AFFAIRS**

SGR No. 6 By Senators Riley & El-Rachidi

A RESOLUTION TO URGE AND REQUEST INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES TO BETTER PROMOTE THE SYLLABUS TEST BANK TO STUDENTS AS WELL AS TO MAKE IT MORE EASILY ACCESSIBLE TO STUDENTS BY ADDING A LINK TO THE MYLSU WEBSITE HOMEPAGE

- o **COMMITTEE ON SAS**

SGR No. 7 By Senators Riley & El-Rachidi

A RESOLUTION TO URGE AND REQUEST INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES AND BARNES & NOBLE AT LSU TO BETTER PROMOTE THE ONLINE FEATURE WHICH ALLOWS STUDENTS TO VIEW THE REQUIRED AND RECOMMENDED TEXTS FOR A COURSE AS WELL AS TO MAKE IT MORE EASILY ACCESSIBLE TO STUDENTS BY ADDING A LINK TO THE MYLSU WEBSITE HOMEPAGE

- o **COMMITTEE ON SAS**

SGCR No. 33 By Senator Allmon

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT AARIONE WILSON AS A STUDENT GOVERNMENT MEMBER OF THE PROGRAMMING, SUPPORT, AND INITIATIVES FUND (PSIF) COMMITTEE

- o **COMMITTEE ON RULES**

SGCR No. 34 BY SENATOR PRICE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PLACE A REFERENDUM BEFORE THE LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT BODY IN THE FALL 2017 ELECTION TO DEDICATE THE LSU PARADE GROUND TO THE FOUNDER AND FIRST SUPERINTENDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY, GENERAL WILLIAM TECUMSEH SHERMAN

- COMMITTEE ON SAS

SGCR No. 35 BY SENATOR JORDAN LANDRY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PLACE A REFERENDUM RATIFYING THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS IN SGB 4 ON THE 2017 FALL ELECTION BALLOT

- COMMITTEE ON RULES

SGCR No. 36 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT DAVID TREPAGNIER TO FILL THE VACANT E. J. OURSO COLLEGE OF BUSINESS (BADM) SEAT

- COMMITTEE ON RULES

SGCR No. 37 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT EVELYN GALLEGRO TO FILL THE VACANT E. J. OURSO COLLEGE OF BUSINESS (BADM) SEAT

- COMMITTEE ON RULES

SGCR No. 38 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT ASHTON QUEYROUZE TO FILL THE VACANT E. J. OURSO COLLEGE OF BUSINESS (BADM) SEAT

- COMMITTEE ON RULES

SGCR No. 39 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE NICK FOSTER AS SOLICITOR GENERAL FOR THE UNIVERSITY COURT

- COMMITTEE ON RULES

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS SENATOR BORNE

- OER VIDEO YOU SHOULD'VE GOTTEN A TEXT FROM ERICA
- BE DILIGENT IN FINDING PROXIES
- SGR No. 5 IN COMMITTEE THIS MEETING
- ON MONDAY

BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS SENATOR RILEY

- WENT THROUGH THE BUDGET THIS MEETING
- WILL BE GOING OVER THE BUDGET
- ADDING A REFERENDUM ON A STUDENT FEE
 - PASSED FAVORABLY
 - NOT MUCH DEBATE
- ABSENCES – GET A PROXY

CAMPUS AFFAIRS AND SUSTAINABILITY SENATOR ELLIS

- NO MEETING

STUDENT AUXILIARIES AND SERVICES SENATOR GRASHOFF

- MEETS TUESDAY AT 6 PM
- HANDLE ANYTHING FROM STUDENT HEALTH CENTER TO DINING
- SEND AUSTIN IN THE GROUPME WHEN HE GOES TO MEET – ANYTHING ABOUT THE UNION AND UREC, ETC.

STUDENT LIFE, DIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH SENATOR PERKINS

- NO LEGISLATION
- DID TALK ABOUT LONG TERM INITIATIVES THAT PEOPLE CAN BE A PART OF
- TIGER CARDS LEGAL FORM OF ID
 - o IDENTITY – CHROMA AND OTHER PLACES HAVE BEEN SEEING TO GET

RULES SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE HUNT

- HEARD ALL 9 SENATE APPLICANTS
- SGB NO. 4 PASSED FAVORABLY

EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS

JUDICIAL OFFICER REPORTS

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SGCR NO. 27 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT BRIDGET RYAN TO FILL THE VACANT MANSHIP SCHOOL OF MASS COMMUNICATION (MCOM) SEAT

- DEBATE:
 - o **SEN. ALLMON:**
 - DID INTERNSHIPS IN D.C.
 - PASSED FAVORABLY
 - UNBIASED:
 - WENT TO SCHOOL IN THE SAME CONFERENCE
 - o **SEN. ACCARDO:**
 - EXCITED TO BE HERE AND WANTS TO BE HERE
 - o **PASSED WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

SGCR NO. 28 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT ANDREW GRASHOFF TO FILL THE VACANT UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CENTER FOR FRESHMAN YEAR (UCFY) SEAT

- DEBATE:
 - o **SEN. ALLMON:**
 - PASSED UNANIMOUSLY
 - o **SEN. RILEY:**
 - MET GRASSHOFF
 - o **SEN. GRASSHOFF:**
 - VERY HARDWORKING
 - WILL DO GREAT THINGS FOR LSU AND SENATE
 - GREAT IDEAS – WILL DO GREAT THINGS
 - o **PASSED WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

SGCR NO. 29 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT BRETT LANDRY TO FILL THE VACANT UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CENTER FOR FRESHMAN YEAR (UCFY) SEAT

- DEBATE:

o **SEN. ALLMON:**

- HE LIKES TO DO GOVERNMENT, SO LET'S LET HIM DO IT HERE

o **PASSED WITH 95% IN FAVOR**

SGCR NO. 30 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT DIDEOLU DANIEL TO FILL THE VACANT GRADUATE SCHOOL SEAT

- DEBATE:

o **SEN. ALLMON:**

- PASSED UNANIMOUSLY IN DEBATE
- GOOD SCHEDULE AND SEEMS VERY PASSIONATE

o **SEN. LANDRY:**

- HE CAN PROVIDE REAL WORLD EXPERIENCE
- HIS RESUME – YOU DON'T SEE THIS AMONG THE PEOPLE SITTING IN THIS ROOM
- HE HAS THE TIME, WILLINGNESS, AND THE QUALIFICATIONS

o **SEN. IHEDORO:**

- IS HARDWORKING AND URGES FAVORABLE PASSAGE

o **PASSED WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

SGCR NO. 31 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT JORDYN WARREN TO FILL THE VACANT GRADUATE SCHOOL SEAT

- DEBATE:

o **SEN. ALLMON**

- HAS A CLASS AT 7:30, BUT IS STILL ABLE TO MAKE IT ON TIME?
- SHE IS READY FOR IT
- BIASED:
 - WILL BRIGHTEN UP SENATE

o **SEN. LANDRY:**

- WORKING IN THE DIVERSITY OFFICE
- SHE IS A FORMER ATHLETE FOR A SCHOOL – WE DON'T HAVE CURRENT OR FORMER ATHLETES
- IS FROM THE NORTH

o **PASSED WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

SGCR NO. 32 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT SONU SHRESTHA TO FILL THE VACANT GRADUATE SCHOOL SEAT

- DEBATE:

o **SEN. LANDRY:**

- DOES A LOT FOR THE GRAD SCHOOL
- HER RESUME AND APPLICATION IS VERY IMPRESSIVE
- HAS THE QUALITY AND RECORD – ONCE SHE MAKES IT IN HERE YOU WON'T REGRET IT

o **PASSED WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

SGCR NO. 36 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT DAVID TREPAGNIER TO FILL THE VACANT E. J. OURSO COLLEGE OF BUSINESS (BADM) SEAT

- DEBATE:

○ **SEN. ALLMON:**

- PASSED UNANIMOUSLY

○ **PASSED WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

SGCR NO. 37 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT EVELYN GALLEGRO TO FILL THE VACANT E. J. OURSO COLLEGE OF BUSINESS (BADM) SEAT

- DEBATE:

○ **SEN. ALLMON:**

- PASSED UNANIMOUSLY
- SHE'S SO HYPED TO BE HERE

○ **SEN. DUPLESSIS:**

- ONE OF HIS STRIPERS
- THEY DO A LOT OF THINGS FOR LSU – GLAD TO HAVE ANOTHER ONE OF THEM HERE

○ **SEN. HAMED:**

- EVELYN IS REALLY DETERMINED

SGCR NO. 38 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPOINT ASHTON QUEYROUZE TO FILL THE VACANT E. J. OURSO COLLEGE OF BUSINESS (BADM) SEAT

- DEBATE:

○ **SEN. ALLMON:**

- SOME BILLS NEED A FACE LIFT HE BELIEVES
- HE HAS PROBLEMS THAT HE WANTS TO FIX
- PASSED UNANIMOUSLY

○ **PASSED WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

SGCR NO. 39 BY SENATOR ALLMON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE NICK FOSTER AS SOLICITOR GENERAL FOR THE UNIVERSITY COURT

- DEBATE:

○ **SEN. ALLMON:**

- FELT THAT HE WOULD DO A GOOD JOB
- PASSED UNANIMOUSLY

○ **SEN. BELL:**

- THEY WORKED TOGETHER
- KNOWING HIM, IT WILL BE WORTH IT
- VERY UNBIASED AND VERY DETAIL ORIENTED

○ **PASSED WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

SGB NO. 5 BY SENATOR RILEY
A BILL TO APPROVE THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT BUDGET.

- DEBATE:
 - o **SEN. CHALPIN:**
 - PASSED 10-0-1
 - THERE IS NO HONORS COLLEGE FUNDING
 - TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS
 - o **SEN. PORCHE:**
 - CURRENT MEMBER OF FLC
 - SUPPORT THE INCREASE BECAUSE OF THE THINGS GOING ON IN FLC
- o **PASSED WITH 100%**

SGB NO. 4 BY SENATOR JORDAN LANDRY
A BILL TO AMEND THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT CONSTITUTION REGARDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF STUDENT SENATE APPORTIONMENT

- QUESTIONS:
 - o NONE
- DEBATE:
 - o **SEN. ALLMON:**
 - PASSED IN COMMITTEE 6-0-1
 - SELF EXPLANATORY, AND EVERYONE WAS IN FAVOR OF IT
 - o **SEN. AUSTIN GRASSHOFF:**
 - IT'S BASICALLY WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING
 - IT'S SELF EXPLANATORY – THERE IS NO WAY IT SHOULDN'T PASS
- o **PASSED WITH 100%**

SGR NO. 1 BY SENATORS CHALPIN & BIANCA
A RESOLUTION TO URGE AND REQUEST ONE BUS BE TAKEN FROM THE TIGER TRAILS TIGERLAND A BUS ROUTE AND BE ADDED TO THE TIGER TRAILS PURPLE BUS ROUTE AND THAT THE TIGER TRAILS PURPLE UNION BUS ROUTE BE SHORTENED TO TURN ONTO FORESTRY LANE AND HEAD BACK TO W LAKESHORE DRIVE INSTEAD OF HEADING TO LOCKETT HALL

- QUESTIONS:
 - o SEN. T: WHAT MOTIVATED THIS BILL?
 - THERE IS A LOT OF STUDENT TRAFFIC WHERE THE GOLD AND PURPLE BUSES WERE GOING
 - THERE WAS A LACK OF ROOM ON THE BUSES AROUND LUNCHTIME
 - HE WAS UNAWARE THAT THERE IS A STANDBY BUS STASH
 - AFTER LOOKING AT DIFFERENT AREAS, WE DECIDED TO GO WITH THIS OPTION
 - THIS IS THE BEST WAY OF CREATING A BENEFIT WITHOUT THE NEGATIVES
- DEBATE:
 - o SEN. CHALPIN:
 - CHANGE THE PREAMBLE
 - A RESOLUTION TO URGE AND REQUEST – SUBMIT THE WRITING
 - AMENDMENTS MADE (8:18 PM) – FRIENDLY
 - o SEN. BROUSSARD – YIELD TIME TO JOSH PICKELL AND RENE PETIT
 - THIS IS THE BEST WAY TO HELP STUDENTS GET AROUND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
 - THIS COMPROMISE WILL ACHIEVE THE GOAL OF THE BUSES
 - THIS IS AN ONGOING PROCESS AND WE SET UP THE LEGISLATION
 - IT'LL BE SMOOTH SAILING FROM HERE
 - o SEN. GRASSHOFF:
 - COMMITTEE FELT THAT THERE WAS A NEED FOR DECONGESTING
 - BIASED: THIS IS A BETTER COMPROMISE

- **PASSED WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

SGCR No. 26 BY SENATOR PRICE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PLACE A REFERENDUM BEFORE THE LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT BODY IN THE SPRING 2018 ELECTION THAT OUTLINES A NEW STUDENT INITIATIVE TO FUND THE LSU MILITARY EXCELLENCE COMMISSION FOR THE RESTORATION OF MEMORIAL TOWER

- QUESTIONS:

- SEN. STERLING: FURTHER ELABORATE/GIVE US SPECIFICS ABOUT WHAT IS GETTING REDONE?
 - COSMETIC PROBLEMS
 - DID THE OUTSIDE LAYER, BUT THEY DIDN'T DO THE INFRASTRUCTURE PART
- SEN. BORNE: IS THIS A COMPLETE DEMOLITION AND REBUILD?
 - THIS IS THE BASE LAYER, THE OUTSIDE, AND THEN THE FRONT
 - THE MILITARY MUSEUM HAS BEEN SHOVED INTO A CORNER
 - ONES THAT ARE INSIDE ARE AN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
- SEN. WARREN: ANY FOUNDATION FUNDS?
 - THIS IS COMING FROM THE SCHOOL AND LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE – THE ALUMNI
 - YOU THINK IT SHOULD BE FUNDED FROM OUTSIDE

- DEBATE:

- POST-PONED TO NEXT MEETING

LO No. 10 BY SPEAKER MICKLER

A LEGISLATIVE ORDER TO REAPPORTION THE LSU STUDENT SENATE

- **PASSED WITH 100%**

LO No. 11 BY SPEAKER MICKLER

A LEGISLATIVE ORDER TO APPOINT THE STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE FORTY-SIXTH LSU STUDENT SENATE

- **PASSED WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

LEGISLATIVE OFFICER REPORTS

ADVISOR REPORTS

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

ADJOURNMENT