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F18RS 4th Legislative Week Minutes

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STUDENT GOVERNMENT

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

STUDENT SENATE

FALL 2018 REGULAR SESSION
SEPTEMBER 19, 2018
FOURTH LEGISLATIVE WEEK

CALL TO ORDER

MOMENT OF SILENCE

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC INPUT

- LIBBY TAYLOR – CENTER FOR ACADEMIC SUCCESS
 - o TALKED TO THEIR DIRECTOR AND WANTS TO PUSH SI PAST 4:00 FOR STEM CLASSES, BUT NOT FOR THE OTHERS
 - o WANTS TO GET THE WORD OUT ABOUT SI AND WHAT SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE

ROLL CALL

EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS

- LUKE DUPRE
 - o SG GOVERNMENT RELATIONS – IF YOU RECEIVED A DATE CHANGING EVENT, IT WAS THEM
 - o CONGRESS MEN GRAVES DATE CHANGED
 - o TALKED WITH THEM ABOUT REDUCED RATES FOR UBER, UBER LANES FOR GAMES, PROMO CADES WITH TIGERLAND
 - o IF YOU HAVE AN INTEREST IN TRANSPORTATION, CONTACT LUKE
- CHRISTIAN MANN
 - o SG PARTED WITH PHI PSI FOR A VOLLEY BALL TOURNAMENT
 - o THIS SUNDAY, 11 AT MANGOS
 - o BENEFITTING CHRITA REY HIGH SCHOOL
- HAYDEN GUIDRY
 - o FLA – 130 APPLICANTS, LARGEST AMOUNT
 - o CHOSE 63 OF THOSE 130
 - o OUTREACH PROJECTS – REQUIRED TO DO THAT, SO THEY MAY CONTACT SENATORS
 - o NOV 8 5:30-6:30– MOCK SENATE MEETING, ENCOURAGES EVERYONE TO ATTEND
- PHILLIP
 - o POTENTIAL ARTISTS FOR GROOVIN:
 - 2 CHAINS
 - 21 SAVAGE
 - AJR
 - ALLCHISA CARA
 - ASAP FERG
 - BUST RHYMES
 - CHARLIE WILSON
 - CHROME0
 - SIERA
 - DJ DIESEL AKA SHAQ
 - DJ SNAKE
 - FANTASIA
 - FOSTER THE PEOPLE
 - GUCCI MANE
 - HOZIER
 - JESSIE J
 - KEVIN GATES
 - KODAK BLACK
 - LIL PUMP
 - LIZO
 - MIA
 - MIGUEL

- MELODY
 - NICK JONUS
 - PLAYBOY CARDI
 - RICK ROSS
 - THE FLAMING LIPS
 - THE REVOLUTION
 - TORI LANES
 - TY DOLLAR SIGN
 - VANCE JOY
 - VINCE STAPLES
 - WALK THE MOON
 - WIZ KHALIFA
 - YOUNG THUG
 - MBA
- HAVE MORE MONEY BECAUSE OF LAST YEAR
- JUST BECAUSE THEY ARE ON THE LIST DOESN'T MEAN THEY WILL BE AVAILABLE
- NO DATE YET
- PARKER
 - THANKS FOR SHARING BUS TRIP GRAPHIC – VERY SUCCESSFUL
 - KEEP SHARING EVENTS
 - IF YOU WANT A GRAPHIC FOR YOUR INITIATIVE, CONTACT PARKER
- RENEE
 - INITIATIVE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL OUTREACH
 - STILL FORMULATING IDEAS ABOUT
 - BR, LAFAYETTE, NORTH SHORE, AND NEW ORLEANS
 - NO DATES YET
- PRES. LOCKETT
 - SO LIVE EVENT – VERY SUCCESSFUL
 - FREE PRINTING IN THE OFFICE – 40/SEMESTER
 - 5 DIGIT CODE FROM THE FRONT DESK
 - MEET SG MONDAY – ANTI HAZING THEME
 - FIRST GEN IS OCTOBER 1ST
 - PUBLIC SAFETY DAY – SUCCESS
 - JIGAROBIC
 - HAPPENING MONDAY
 - WORKING ON A FIRESIDE CHAT
 - ANSWER QUESTIONS ANYONE WILL HAVE
 - DISABILITY WEEK
 - MEETING TOMORROW

JUDICIAL OFFICER REPORTS

- ANDREW CHENEVER
 - LAST WEEK, PASSED ORGANIZATIONAL APPEAL INITIATIVE
 - NOW HAVE TO WAIT FOR A CASE TO COME TO THE JUDICIAL BRANCH
 - IF YOU HEAR ANYTHING, DIRECT THEM TO JUDICIAL BRANCH
 - CAN SUBMIT RESPONSES ON WEBSITE

NEW BUSINESS

SGB No. 2 BY SENATOR PORCHE

A BILL TO AMEND THE STUDENT
GOVERNMENT BUDGET

COMMITTEE ON BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS

SGB No. 3 BY SENATOR AU. GRASHOFF

A BILL TO AMEND THE RULES OF ORDER

COMMITTEE ON RULES

SGCR No. 21 BY SENATOR AN. GRASHOFF

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE
THE APPOINTMENT OF JALON WALKER AS

AN ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF
PROGRAMMING

SGCR No. 22 BY SENATOR AN. GRASHOFF

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE
THE APPOINTMENT OF CIARA JENESKE TO
ELECTION BOARD

SGR No. 9 BY SENATOR GREEN

A RESOLUTION TO URGE AND REQUEST THE
LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY (LDEQ) TO
HOLD AN ADDITIONAL MEETING FOR
PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING THE
PROPOSED VARIANCE FOR THE NEW
THERMALDYNE FACILITY IN PORT ALLEN
ON LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY'S MAIN
CAMPUS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

SENATOR BURRIS

BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS

SENATOR PORCHE

- HEARD SGR NO. 1
- TALKED ABOUT A NEW PIECE OF LEGISLATION AND THE BUDGET NEXT WEEK
- COME AND CHECK ON THE BUDGET
- ANY QUESTIONS, ASK HIM

CAMPUS AFFAIRS AND SUSTAINABILITY

SENATOR GREEN

- MET MONDAY
- WENT OVER INITIATIVE UPDATES FOR COMMITTEE
- ADA COMPLICATES IS GOING GOOD
- GOT LEGISLATION FROM OTHER UNIVERSITIES
- MAY MOVE TO 6:30 NEXT WEEK

STUDENT AUXILIARIES AND SERVICES

SENATOR AU. GRASHOFF

- MOCK WENT VERY WELL
- SPOKE WITH VP CAMPBELL – FOOD PANTRY HAS TO TURN IN THEIR VAN SO THEY WILL BE WITHOUT TRANSPORTATION
- FOOD PANTRY IS LOOKING FOR MORE VOLUNTEERS, COULD BE AN SO POINT

STUDENT LIFE, DIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH

SENATOR MCKINNEY

- MET TUESDAY AT 5
- HEARD RESOLUTION – IT PASSED
- TALKED ABOUT BUSES AFTER GAMES, THE LAW SCHOOL GETTING MORE INVOLVED, AND GETTING INVOLVED WITH OTHER STUDENT ORGS

RULES

SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE PERKINS

- MET TUESDAY AT 8
- APPOINTMENTS WERE MOVED TO UNFINISHED BUSINESS
- A LOT OF NEW LEGISLATION

ELECTION DOCUMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE

SENATOR J. LANDRY

- THERE IS A STORY ABOUT SG IN THE REVIELLE
- PEOPLE MAY HAVE OPINIONS ABOUT ELECTION PROCESSES
- TELL THEM TO SEND IT TO US
- TALKED ABOUT IDEAS THAT HAD COME IN ABOUT LOGISTICS AND OTHER THINGS
- DISCUSSED NATURE OF ELECTION BOARD
 - o IT WILL STAY THE SAME
 - o THE SELECTION PROCESS FOR THIS BOARD COULD BE SEEING A CHANGE
- IF YOU HAVE IDEAS, TELL THEM

STUDENT FEE VALUE ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE

SENATOR RILEY

- DID NOT MEET THIS LAST FRIDAY
- MEETING THIS FRIDAY AT 3
- IF YOU WANT TO LOOK AT THE DOCUMENTS, THEY WILL BE UPLOADED TO THE ONE DRIVE

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SGCR No. 21 BY SENATOR AN. GRASHOFF

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE
THE APPOINTMENT OF JALON WALKER AS

OPENING COMMENTS:

- YIELDED TO JALON WALKER
- INVOLVED IN HIGH SCHOOL, AND REALLY WANTS TO BE

QUESTIONS:

- NONE

DISCUSSION:

- NONE

PASSES WITH UNANIMOUS CONCENT

SGCR No. 22 BY SENATOR AN. GRASHOFF

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE
THE APPOINTMENT OF CIARA JENESKE TO
ELECTION BOARD

OPENING COMMENTS

- YEILED TO CIARA JENESKE

QUESTIONS:

- NONE

DISCUSSION:

- SEN. LANDRY – YOU WOULD HAVE HEARD ABOUT HER EXPERIENCE WITH ELECTIONS. SHE
- CLOSING COMMENTS:
 - o LET’S GET IT THROUGH
- PASSES WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT

SGR No. 9 BY SENATOR GREEN

A RESOLUTION TO URGE AND REQUEST THE
LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY (LDEQ) TO
HOLD AN ADDITIONAL MEETING FOR
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CAMPUS

OPENING COMMENTS:

- THERE IS A PROPOSED CHEMICAL PLANT THAT ARE REQUESTING THEY DON’T HAVE TO FOLLOW CONTAIN COMPLIANCES (RCRA). CHEMICAL COULD GET IN THE AIR, WATER, AND OTHER PARTS OF THE ENVIRONMENTS. THERE IS A PUBLIC MEETING TOMORROW NIGHT. THIS LEGISLATION IS TO REQUEST AN ADDITION PUBLIC MEETING NEARBY SO PEOPLE CAN GET THEIR OPINIONS OUT.

QUESTIONS:

- HAVE YOU REACH OUT TO LDGQ?
 - o HAVE NOT, BUT IT IS NOT HARD
- SEN. - WHEN IS IT DUE?
 - o DUE TOMORROW

DEBATE:

- SEN. CRAIG
 - o HEARD THIS LAST NIGHT
 - o VERY IMPORTANT
 - o THIS PLANT WILL PROCESS OIL WASTE
 - o WANT TO SAY THEIR WASTE IS NON-HAZARDOUS
- SEN. JASON
 - o TALKED ABOUT IT
 - o A FEW
- SEN. WOLF

- THEY CALL THEMSELVES A “GREEN COMPANY”
- BY APPLYING TO BE EXEMPT, IT CAUSES CONCERN
- WANTS IT TO PASS
- SEN. DALAL
 - HAS WORKED FOR COMPANIES LIKE THIS
 - THERE IS A LOT OF MISINFORMATION
 - IT’S IMPORTANT TO HEAR THEM OUT
- SEN. LANDRY
 - CONSIDERING ALL OF THE CONTAMINANTS THAT COULD BE AROUND US, WE NEED TO KNOW THAT EVERYTHING IS OK
 - MAYBE THERE IS SOMETHING IN THE PROCESS THAT THEY NEED IT FOR FOR A SHORT TIME
 - WE NEED TO KNOW WHAT IS GOING ON AND MAKE SURE EVERYONE IS UP TO SPEED
 - LETS SEND A MESSAGE
 - QUESTION
 - SEN. PRICE: DO YOU LIKE THE BREATH? DO YOU NEED TO BREATHE?
 - YES

AMENDMENT

- SEN. REILY - FRIENDLY

CLOSING COMMENTS

- THANKS FOR ADDITION THOUGHT
- THIS IS IMPORTANT BECAUSE IT COULD SET PRECEDENT FOR OTHER PLANTS AND CAN CAUSE A SNOWBALL EFFECT THAT’S BAD FOR THE AREA

PASSES WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT

SGR No. 8 BY SENATOR CRAIG

A RESOLUTION TO URGE AND REQUEST THAT THE CENTER FOR ACADEMIC SUCCESS REQUIRE SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTION SESSIONS THAT OCCUR ON SCHOOL DAYS TO START AFTER 4:00PM, WITH EXCEPTIONS

OPENING COMMENTS:

- ONLY APPLIES TO WEEKDAYS, AND NOT WEEKENDS
- METT WITH MATTHEW MADDOX TO TALK ABOUT THE EXCEPTIONS

DEBATE

- SEN. TREPAGNIER
 - IN FAVOR
- SEN. DALAL
 - TOOK HONORS HISTORY AND DID GOOD, SO TOOK ANOTHER
 - THE PROFESSOR SAID THAT IF YOU ATTEND SI, YOU GET AN A
 - ALL SIS WERE AFTE
 - QUESTION
 - SEN. GREEN: COULD YOU COMMENT ON PUBLIC INPUT?
 - THEY AGREE WITH WHAT THEY HAVE PRESENTED AND THE GOAL IS TO GET SI OUT

CLOSING

- FIRST BILL
- CAS IS ON BOARD

PASSES WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT

SGFB No. 1 BY SENATOR RILEY

A FINANCE BILL TO ALLOCATE A MAXIMUM OF SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS (\$600.00) FROM THE LEGISLATIVE CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT TO FUND TRAVEL AND REGISTRATION FOR JOHN ‘JACK’ GREEN TO ATTEND THE 2018 ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SUSTAINABILITY IN HIGHER EDUCATION (AASHE) CONFERENCE AND EXPO

OPENING COMMENTS:

- HE IS PASSIONATE ABOUT SUSTAINABILITY
- YIELD TO SEN. GREEN
 - o IT'S IN PITTSBURG ABOUT CAMPUS SUSTAINABILITY WITH STUDENTS AND FACULTY
 - o WE'VE NEVER SENT A STUDENT
 - o IT'S AN OPPORTUNITY TO NETWORK WITH OTHER UNIVERSITIES AND SEE WHAT THEY DO WITH CAMPUS SUSTAINABILITY
 - o ADDRESS THIS AS ANY OTHER BILL

QUESTIONS:

- SEN. CHEAT WOOD - DID YOU GO THROUGH ORF?
 - o HAVE TO GO THROUGH PSAF AND CAN'T APPLY BECAUSE HE'S TRAVELLING ALONE
- SEN. D'ESPAUNGUE – FOR ANY SENATOR DOING THE SAME THING, COULD YOU BE MORE CLEAR ABOUT DEADLINE?
 - o A LOT HAS TO DO WITH WHAT BA HAS TO SAY ABOUT
 - o WORK WITH FINICAL COORDINATOR
 - o THERE ARE A LOT OF FACTORS TO CONSIDER
 - o TALKED ABOUT THIS A MONTH BEFORE
 - o IN SENATE, THERE IS NO DEADLINE BUT A 2 WEEK NOTICE WITH RF
- SEN. DALAL – CAN YOU BE SURE HE WILL ENJOY HIMSELF?
 - o ALLOCATING FUNDS TO ATTEND THE CONFERENCE TO LEARN AND BRING BACK KNOWLEDGE
- DEBATE
- SEN. PORSHE
 - o THERE ARE 3 ACCOUNTS
 - INITIATIVE - \$45000
 - SURPLUS \$3600
 - LEGISLATIVE CONTINGENCY – DEPEND ON THE BUDGET; AROUND \$17000
 - o HEARD THIS IN COMMITTEE AND IT PASSED
 - o QUESTIONED IF ANYTHING WAS RETROACTIVE – IT WAS NOT
 - o JACKS GREAT AND IT WOULD BE GOOD TO SEND HIM
- SEN. ALLMON
 - o THOUGHT THERE WOULD BE A CONFLICT ON INTEREST
 - o THIS WOULD BE BENEFICIAL FOR SG AS A WHOLE AND REALLY IMPORTANT
 - o VERY IN FAVOR

CLOSING COMMENTS:

- INITIALLY HESITANT ABOUT THIS, HOWEVER IT WAS MADE CLEAR THAT HE WOULD BE REPRESENTING LSU AND LEARNING SO IT IS IMPORTANT FOR SG TO FUND THIS.
- LOOK THROUGH OTHER ACCOUNTS, BUT THIS IS THE ONLY ONE THAT WOULD FUND HIM

100% IN FAVOR - PASSES

EO No. 2 BY PRESIDENT LOCKETT

AN EXECUTIVE ORDER – DECLARATION OF SAFETY PARTNER DAY

OPENING COMMENTS:

- SENIOR STAFF WANTS ONE THING TO WORK ON PER MONTH
- PARTNERED WITH EXECUTIVE PRES SECRETARY TO SAFETY PARTNER
 - o EVERYONE THAT WORKS IN PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION EXCLUDING POLICE
- A SMALL EVENT TO LET THEM KNOW WE APPRECIATE THEM

QUESTIONS:

- SEN. DALAL – WHY ARE PARKING POLICE IMPORTANT?
 - o PEOPLE WOULD PARK WHERE EVER MAKING IT HARD TO GET TO CLASS ON TIME

DISCUSSION:

- NONE

CLOSING COMMENTS:

- SOMETHING SMALL TO WRAP UP SAFETY MONTH AND BUILD RELATIONSHIP WITH DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS

100% IN FAVOR - PASSES

LO No. 10 BY SPEAKER BLACK

A LEGISLATIVE ORDER TO REAPPORTION THE LSU STUDENT SENATE

OPENING COMMENTS:

- IMPORTANT BECAUSE ENROLLMENT NUMBERS ARE DIFFERENT
- LOST 1 SEAT ENGINEERING
- UCAC IS LOSING A SEAT
- UCFY IS GAINING A SEAT
- WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR FALL ELECTIONS

QUESTIONS:

- SEN. DALAL – DO YOU TAKE INTO ACCOUNT FRESHMAN RETENTION RATE?
 - o NO, THEY LOOK AT CURRENT ENROLLMENT

DISCUSSION:

- SEN. PORSHE
 - o IT'S SOMETHING WE NEED AND HOW WE RUN

CLOSING COMMENTS:

- AS THEY MENTIONED, IT NEEDS TO BE PASSED
- SORRY IF YOU ARE LOSING SEATS
- WE WILL HAVE A TOTAL OF 53 SPOTS FOR ELECTIONS

PASSES WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT

LO No. 11 BY SPEAKER BLACK

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

OPENING COMMENTS:

- AT THIS TIME, IF YOU WANT TO CHANGE A COMMITTEE OR JOIN A COMMITTEE
- THERE IS AN OPENING FOR A TEMPORARY COMMITTEE

QUESTIONS:

- NONE

DISCUSSION:

- SEN. ALLMON – SWITCH TO CAS

CLOSING COMMENTS:

PASSES WITH UNANIMOUS CONSENT

LEGISLATIVE OFFICER REPORTS

ADVISOR REPORTS

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

ADJOURNMENT