



SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY
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~ SENATE MEETING AGENDA ~
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- I. *Call to Order – 6:00PM*
 - a. Meeting is called to order by Chief of Staff, Ian Ritchey
 - i. Ian announces that Executive Vice President Handler is currently in a committee meeting and that he will be running late. He states that he will serve as the Chair of this meeting until Ben arrives.
- II. *Roll Call – 6:01PM*
 - a. 34 out of 40 Senators in attendance
- III. *Approval of previous meeting minutes (04/04/2017) – 6:02PM*
 - a. Senate is asked for amendments or objections to the previous meeting minutes, none raised
 - b. Motion is made to approve the minutes from the previous meeting, second is given
 - i. Vote – majority in favor of approval of meeting minutes
- IV. *Approval of meeting agenda (04/18/2017) – 6:03PM*
 - a. Senate is asked for amendments to this meeting agenda
 - b. Motion is made to move SB 17-250 to before SB 17-222 in New Business on the agenda, second is given
 - i. Motion is made and passed to recognize President Stern
 1. President Stern advises against moving SB 17-250 on the agenda in order to keep the discussion on operational funding at the end of the agenda with the rest of the operational funding bills
 - ii. Vote to move SB 17-250 on the agenda – majority opposed, does not pass
- V. *Executive Reports*
 - a. *Jami Hagemann – Executive Assistant – 6:05PM*
 - i. Executive Assistant Hagemann reminds the Senate to speak up during the meeting to assist her in taking more accurate meeting minutes
 - b. *Gabi Piquini – Treasurer – 6:06PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini states the amount that is remaining for the Senate to amend the bills at tonight's meetings, and explains the difference between event funding and solar eclipse funding as it pertains to the amount of funds left to allocate to RSOs
 - c. *Ian Ritchey – Chief of Staff – 6:07PM*
 - i. Chief of Staff Ritchey reminds the Senate to turn in their constituency reports and to RSVP to the banquet as soon as possible. He states that he can be contacted with any questions regarding constituency reports or the banquet.



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- d. *Rose Weisenstein – Vice President for Student Affairs – 6:08PM*
- i. Vice President Weisenstein reminds the Senate to get all of the necessary information regarding the banquet to Chief of Staff Ritchey, and reaffirms that importance of attending the banquet. She also states that she has been working with “It’s On Us” regarding the possibility of the committee being awarded a seat in the Senate.
- e. *Ben Handler – Executive Vice President – 6:08PM*
- i. No report as Executive Vice President Handler has not arrived at the meeting yet
- f. *Jared Stern – President – 6:10PM*
- i. President Stern reports on the workings of the Chancellor’s Budget and Planning Advisory Council and how that committee will be moving forward. He also states that he plans to meet with the Dean of Library Affairs regarding cuts that will be made to the Library as it pertains to students. Finally, he asks the Senate to take their time when filling out the ballots and to be conscientious of the amount of material to be covered in the time that we have, especially since everything needs to be ratified tonight as it is the last meeting of the term.
- VI. *Advisor Report – Tena Bennett – 6:16PM*
- a. Tena Bennett reports that the Diversity Conference is taking place on campus this week. She also wishes everyone luck on finals and to please be efficient with their time tonight so we can get through the long agenda.
- VII. *Committee Reports*
- a. *External Affairs Committee – Brandon Kyles – 6:17PM*
 - i. Senator Kyles reports that the EAC has not met since the last meeting, and the only thing to note is Saluki Palooza that is taking place on April 30 in front of the towers. He states that this event is being co-sponsored by SPC.
 - b. *Internal Affairs Committee – Elizabeth Lewis – 6:18PM*
 - i. Senator Lewis reports that the IAC has been working on the Funding Guidelines amendments that are on the agenda under New Business
 - c. *Judicial Board – Kelly Meloy – 6:19PM*
 - i. No report from the Judicial Board.
 - d. *Diversity and Equity Affairs Committee – Rose Weisenstein – 6:20PM*
 - i. Vice President Weisenstein reports that the DEAC does not have any meetings left this semester, and if anyone has any questions or needs assistance to let her know.



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e. *Governing Documents Advisory Board – Chase Bridges – 6:21PM*

- i. Senator Bridges reports that the Governing Documents Board has not met since the last meeting, and that they are prepared to answer any questions regarding the bills that are in Old Business on this agenda.

f. *It's On Us – Trebor Mann – 6:22PM*

- i. Senator Mann reports that It's On Us is still working with the UCOL program on updating their curriculum. He says they are still working with SIUE to put on a joint event. Finally, he states that there is a presentation on sexual assault tomorrow at 6:00PM in the Library.

g. *Additional Committee Reports – 6:23PM*

- i. The following committees that USG has representation on are reported on by members of the Senate:
 - 1. Undergraduate Education Policy Committee – Senator Kyles
 - 2. Dean of Students Search Committee – Senator Schefelbein
 - 3. Intercollegiate Athletics Committee – Senator Schmidlin
 - 4. USG Presidential Election Committee – Senator Schmidlin
 - 5. Student Legal Assistance Board – Senator Gonzalez
 - 6. Associate Chancellor and Chief Diversity Officer Search Committee – Senator Gonzalez
 - 7. SIUC Chancellor Search Committee – Executive Vice President Handler
 - 8. Rec Center Advisory Board – Executive Vice President Handler

VIII. *Old Business*

a. *SB 17-118 Woke – RSO Status – 6:29PM*

- i. Vice President Handler explains that SB 17-118 and SB 17-183 are no longer applicable due to the funding request being withdrawn for SB 17-183, and a new bill being heard and passed for the same organization involved in SB 17-118. He asks for a motion to table both SB 17-118 and SB 17-183 indefinitely in order to ratify the documents
 - 1. The Senate acknowledges the motion and a second is given,
 - a. Vote – majority in favor of tabling SB 17-118 and SB 17-183 indefinitely.

b. *SB 17-183 Aviation Technologies Ambassadors – Event Funding – 6:29PM*

- i. SB 17-183 tabled indefinitely in the previous motion



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- c. *SB 17-214 Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority – Event Funding – 6:30PM*
- i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-214
 1. SB 17-214: \$2,250 for “Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority National Convention 2017”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler states that we have received confirmation that this organization is not under investigation
 - iii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iv. Motion is made to open the floor for a two minute debate, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor a two minute debate (6:37-6:39)
 - v. Motion is made to approve SB 17-214, second is given
 1. Vote – majority opposed, does not pass
- d. *SB 17-215 Bill of Removal – Senator Darren Jackson – 6:40PM*
- i. Senator Lewis presents SB 17-215 proposing to remove Senator Darren Jackson from the Senate for violating the attendance policy in the Constitution. She recommends that this bill be tabled indefinitely as all it would do is prevent Darren Jackson from serving in the Senate next year
 1. Motion is made to table SB 17-215 indefinitely, second is given
 - a. Vote – majority in favor of tabling SB 17-215 indefinitely
- e. *SB 17-216 Constitutional Amendment – Referendum – 6:42PM*
- i. Senator K. Hudson presents SB 17-216 that proposes to amend the Referendum section in the Constitution to only require a 2/5 Senate approval and to outline to process in a more detailed manner.
 - ii. Motion is made to approve SB 17-216, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- f. *SB 17-217 Constitutional Amendment – Removal of the Legislature – 6:44PM*
- i. Senator K. Hudson presents SB 17-217 that proposes to amend the Constitution to include a statute of limitations of 45 days as it pertains to reported violations of Constitution that may lead to the removal a member of the Legislative Branch
 - ii. Motion is made to amend SB 17-217 to change the time on the proposed statute of limitations from 45 days to 21 days, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of amendment to SB 17-217
 - iii. Motion is made to approve SB 17-217 as amended, second is given



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g. *SB 17-219 Constitutional Amendment – Umbrella Organization Guidelines – 6:45PM*

- i. Senators Giacobbi, Shereos and Miranda present SB 17-219 that proposes to add guidelines for umbrella organizations to the Constitution.
- ii. Motion is made to allow Bethany Peppers, chair of the Governing Documents Board to speak and answer questions as it pertains to SB 17-219, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of allow Ms. Peppers to speak
- iii. Senator Giacobbi, Shereos, Miranda and Bethany Peppers field a series of questions from the Senate regarding SB 17-219
- iv. Motion is made to open the floor for discussion for five minutes, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of a five minute discussion (6:47-6:52)
- v. Motion is made to extend the discussion for five more minutes
 1. Vote – majority in favor of extending the discussion (6:52-6:57)
- vi. Motion is made to extend the discussion for ten more minutes
 1. Vote – majority in favor of extending the discussion (6:57-7:07)
- vii. Motion is made and passed to recognize President Stern
 1. President Stern recommends that the Senate table the discussion on SB 17-219 and SB 17-220 until the end of the agenda to allow for students who are in attendance in representation of an organizations with a funding request to be heard in a timely manner
- viii. Motion is made to table the discussion on SB 17-219 and SB 17-220 until after SB 17-253 in New Business, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of tabling the discussion until later in the agenda

~~h. *SB 17-220 Funding Guidelines Amendment – Operational Funding Limitations*~~

IX. *New Business*

a. *SB 17-222 Agriculture Communications Club – RSO Status – 7:15PM*

- i. Senator Lewis, chair of the IAC, comes forward to present SB 17-22 that proposes to recognize “Agriculture Communications Club” as an official RSO
- ii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
- iii. Motion is made to approve SB 17-222, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)



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- iv. Motion is made to reconsider SB 17-214, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of reconsidering SB 17-214
- v. Motion is made to open the floor for discussion for five minutes, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of a five minute open discussion (7:20-7:25)
- vi. Motion is made to extend the discussion for five more minutes, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor is adding five more minutes to the discussion (7:25-7:30)
- vii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
- viii. Motion is made to amend SB 17-214 to lower the amount to be allocated to from \$2,250 to \$1,900
- ix. Motion is made to kill the previous motion, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of killing the previous motion to amend SB 17-214 to \$1,900
- x. Motion is made to approve SB 17-214 as originally presented, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- b. *SB 17-223 Detail Dawgs – Event Funding – 7:32PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-223
 - 1. SB 17-223: \$650 for “Aerospace Maintenance Competition”
 - ii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to amend SB 17-223 to raise the amount to be allocated to \$900, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of raising the amount to be allocated to \$900
 - iv. Motion is made to approve SB 17-223 as amended, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- c. *SB 17-224 Japanese Student Association – Event Funding – 7:36PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-224
 - 1. SB 17-224: \$850 for “Spring Picnic”
 - ii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to approve SB 17-223, second is given



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1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- d. *SB 17-225 MCM: Filmmakers United – Event Funding – 7:39PM*
 - i. Motion is made to move through the remainder of New Business that involves event/solar eclipse funding without objection and with approval from the organizations involved, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of moving through New Business without objection
 - ii. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-225
 1. SB 17-225: \$1,250 for “MCM’s 5th Annual Year-End Party”
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iv. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-225, none raised
 1. SB 17-225 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- e. *SB 17-226 NAACP – Event Funding – 7:41PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-226
 1. SB 17-226: \$850 for “NAACP Prom”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-226, none raised
 1. SB 17-226 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- f. *SB 17-227 Saluki Advertising – Event Funding – 7:42PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-227
 1. SB 17-227: \$0 for “Nashville Trip”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. No members of the organization are in attendance



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- iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-227, none raised
 - 1. SB 17-227 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- g. *SB 17-228 Phi Iota Alpha Fraternity – Event Funding – 7:46PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-228
 - 1. SB 17-228: \$925 for “85th National Convention of Phi Iota Alpha”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 - 1. Members of the organization object to the amount recommended
 - a. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to approve SB 17-228, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- h. *SB 17-229 Association of Black Psychologists Student Circle – Event Funding – 7:49PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-229
 - 1. SB 17-229: \$360 for “Enstoolment Ceremony”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 - 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-229, none raised
 - 1. SB 17-229 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- i. *SB 17-230 Lambda Chi Alpha – Event Funding – 7:50PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-230
 - 1. SB 17-230: \$1,125 for “Stead Leadership Seminar”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 - 1. Members of the organization object to the amount recommended
 - a. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to approve SB 17-230, second is given



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1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- j. **SB 17-231 American Institute of Architecture Students – Event Funding – 7:51PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-231
 1. SB 17-231: \$1,000 for “AIAS Grassroots Leadership Conference”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-231, none raised
 1. SB 17-231 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- k. **SB 17-232 Silver Wings Harper Chapter – Event Funding – 7:51PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-232
 1. SB 17-232: \$48.59 for “Police Officer Breakfast Service”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-232, none raised
 1. SB 17-232 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- l. **SB 17-233 Society of Women Engineers – Event Funding – 7:52PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-233
 1. SB 17-233: \$0 for “Marketing and Recruitment”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-233, none raised
 1. SB 17-233 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- m. **SB 17-234 Society of Women Engineers – Event Funding – 7:52PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-234



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1. SB 17-234: \$97.50 for “Regional Conference”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-234, none raised
 1. SB 17-234 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- n. **SB 17-235 Collegiate FFA – Event Funding – 7:53PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-235
 1. SB 17-235: \$360 for “Illinois FFA Conference”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization object to the amount recommended
 - a. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to amend SB 17-235 to raise the amount to be allocated to \$500
 - iv. Motion is made to kill the previous motion, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of killing the previous motion
 - v. Motion is made to amend SB 17-235 to raise the amount to be allocated to \$420, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of amendment to SB 17-235 raising the amount to be allocated to \$420
 - vi. Motion is made to approve SB 17-235 as amended, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- o. **SB 17-236 Agriculture Education Club – Event Funding – 7:58PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-236
 1. SB 17-236: \$480 for “Illinois Vocational Agriculture Teachers Conference”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization object to the amount recommended



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- a. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
- iii. Motion is made to amend SB 17-236 to raise the amount to be allocated to \$600, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of amendment to SB 17-236 raising the amount to be allocated to \$600
- iv. Motion is made to approve SB 17-236, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- p. **SB 17-237 Chi Alpha Christian Fellowship – Solar Eclipse Funding – 8:03PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-237 and states the SB 17-237 thru SB 17-242 are solar eclipse event funding
 1. SB 17-237: \$150 for “Chi Alpha Hydration Station”
 - ii. Question is raised as to how much money is left to allocate for Solar Eclipse events and if that effects the non-eclipse events
 1. Motion is made and passed to recognize President Stern
 - a. President Stern states that they Senate has \$1,600 to allocate for eclipse events, and this is not in the same pool of funds that was allocated for event funding
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization is they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iv. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-237, none raised
 1. SB 17-237 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- q. **SB 17-238 Physics Club – Solar Eclipse Funding – 8:04PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-238
 1. SB 17-238: \$311.98 for “Materials for Eclipse Event”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization is they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-238, none raised



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1. SB 17-238 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- r. **SB 17-239 Saluki Racing – Formula SAE – Solar Eclipse Funding – 8:04PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-239
 1. SB 17-239: \$331.47 for “Promotional Items for the Eclipse”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-239, none raised
 1. SB 17-239 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- s. **SB 17-240 Tau Kappa Epsilon – Solar Eclipse Funding – 8:05PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-240
 1. SB 17-240: \$105 for “Lemonade Stand”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-240, none raised
 1. SB 17-240 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- t. **SB 17-241 SIUC American Chemical Society – Solar Eclipse Funding – 8:05PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-241
 1. SB 17-241: \$54.36 for “Regional Conference”
 - ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization confirm that they accept the amount
 - iii. Executive Vice President Handler asks the Senate for objections to SB 17-241, none raised
 1. SB 17-241 passes without objection (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- u. **SB 17-242 Native American Student Organization – Solar Eclipse Funding – 8:06PM**
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-242



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1. SB 17-242: \$0 for “NASO Eclipse Shirts”
- ii. Executive Vice President Handler asks members of the organization if they accept the amount recommended to them by the Funding Board
 1. Members of the organization object to the amount recommended
 - a. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
- iii. Motion is made to approve SB 17-242, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- v. **SB 17-243 Engineering Student Council – Operational Funding – 8:10PM**
 - i. Motion is made and passed to recognize President Stern
 1. President Stern states that the total amount recommended for operational funding, which would be taken out of next fiscal year’s budget, is \$59,105.76. He states that this amount needs to be around \$40,000 for him to be comfortable approving the bills, as the current amount would be detrimental of the other 300+ RSOs on campus due to the fact USG budget for next year is projected to decrease by approximately 15%. He clarifies that if the Senate wants to make cuts to get closer to \$40,000 that cuts need to be made evenly in fairness to everyone involved.
 - ii. Motion is made to break for a ten minute recess for the Senate to discuss their options, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of a ten minute recess (8:15-8:25)
 - iii. Motion is made to extend the recess by ten minutes, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of extending the recess (8:28-8:38)
 - iv. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-243
 1. SB 17-243: \$1,000 for “2017-2018 Operational Funding”
 - v. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - vi. Motion is made to censure President Stern for speaking with the representative from the organization while a member of the Senate was speaking, censure will be in the form of a public apology
 1. President Stern comes forward and publicly apologizes
 - vii. Representatives from the Engineering Student Council decided to withdraw their request for operational funding



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1. This is acknowledged by Vice President Handler. He states that the bill is now dead as its contents are no longer applicable
- w. *SB 17-244 Latino Cultural Association – Operational Funding – 8:56PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-244
 1. SB 17-244: \$5,060 for “2017-2018 Operational Funding”
 - ii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to approve SB 17-244, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- x. *SB 17-245 Agricultural Student Council – Operational Funding – 9:00PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-245
 1. SB 17-245: \$6,000 for “2017-2018 Operational Funding”
 - ii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to approve SB 17-245, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- y. *SB 17-246 Hispanic Student Council – Operational Funding – 9:06PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-246
 1. SB 17-246: \$4,070 for “2017-2018 Operational Funding”
 - ii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to amend SB 17-246 to raise the amount to be allocated to \$6,500, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of amending SB 17-246 to raise the amount to be allocated to \$6,500
 - iv. Motion is made to approve SB 17-246 as amended, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- z. *SB 17-247 Saluki Rainbow Network – Operational Funding – 9:15PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-247
 1. SB 17-244: \$7,961.24 for “2017-2018 Operational Funding”



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- ii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
- iii. Motion is made to amend SB 17-247 to raise the amount to be allocated to \$8,500, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of amending SB 17-246 to raise the amount to be allocated to \$8,500
- iv. Motion is made to approve SB 17-244 as amended, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- aa. *SB 17-248 Inter-Greek Council – Operational Funding – 9:28PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-248
 - 1. SB 17-248: \$12,635 for “2017-2018 Operational Funding”
 - ii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to amend SB 17-248 to lower the amount to be allocated to \$10,000, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of amending SB 17-248 to lower the amount to be allocated to \$8,500
 - iv. Motion is made to approve SB 17-248 as amended, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- bb. *SB 17-249 Black Affairs Council – Operational Funding – 10:00PM*
 - i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-249
 - 1. SB 17-249: \$8,615 for “2017-2018 Operational Funding”
 - ii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to amend SB 17-249 to raise the amount to be allocated to \$11,000, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of amending SB 17-246 to raise the amount to be allocated to \$11,000
 - iv. Motion is made to approve SB 17-249 as amended, second is given
 - 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
- cc. *SB 17-250 International Student Council – Operational Funding – 10:14PM*



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- i. Treasurer Piquini presents SB 17-250
 1. SB 17-250: \$13,764.52 for “2017-2018 Operational Funding”
 - ii. Members of the organization come forward to speak on their behalf and field a series of questions from the Senate
 - iii. Motion is made to approve SB 17-244, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor of approval (record of votes cast can be found on last page)
 - iv. Motion is made to exercise the clause in the Constitution that allows the Senate to call for a special meeting next week, second is given
 - v. Motion is made to kill the previous the motion, second is given
 1. Vote – majority opposed, motion to kill does not pass
 - vi. Motion is made to allow the public to speak before voting on adjournment, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor
 - vii. The public voices their concerns on the following topics:
 1. GPSC can help with event funding next year
 2. The Umbrella organization guidelines that are on the table
 - viii. Motion is made to close the floor for public comments, second is given
 1. Vote – majority in favor
 - ix. Executive Vice President Handler recognizes the previous motion that allows the Senate to call for a special meeting next week
 1. Vote – majority in favor
 - a. Executive Vice President Handler states that the remaining items on this agenda will be on the agenda for the special meeting next week, and to expect more information on that meeting by the end of the week.
 - x. The meeting is adjourned by Executive Vice President Handler at 10:30PM
- ~~dd. SB 17 251 Funding Guidelines Amendment – Funding Policies~~
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~~ff. SB 17 253 Constitutional Amendment – Governing Documents Committee~~

~~X. Public Comments~~

~~XI. Senate Open Forum (15 Minutes)~~

~~XII. Executive Board Closing Remarks~~

~~XIII. Adjournment~~



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Y: YES N: NO NA: NO VOTE AS: ABSENT AB: ABSTAIN

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B. BABNIK	AB	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
J. BEYKIRCH	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
C. BRIDGES	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
A. DAVIS	N/A	Y	Y	N/A	AB	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
A. DEZANEK	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
A. DROPIK	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
H. DUVAL	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
J. EMMANUEL	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS
J. GIACOBBI	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
D. GONZALEZ	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
S. HAITT-LEONARD	AB	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	AB	Y	Y	Y	Y	AB	AB	Y
D. HOCH	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS
K. HUDSON	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
R. HUDSON	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
K. HURD	Y	Y	Y	Y	AB	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
D. JACKSON	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS
M. JACKSON	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
J. KIRKWOOD	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
B. KYLES	AB	Y	Y	Y	AB	Y	Y	Y	AB	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y



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B. BABNIK	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	AB	Y	Y
J. BEYKIRCH	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
C. BRIDGES	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
A. DAVIS	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
A. DEZANEK	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
A. DROPIK	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	AB	Y	N	Y
H. DUVALL	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N/A
J. EMMANUEL	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	N/A	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS
J. GIACOBBI	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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S. HAITT-LEONARD	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	AB	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
D. HOCH	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	N/A	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS
K. HUDSON	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
R. HUDSON	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
K. HURD	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	AB	Y
D. JACKSON	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	N/A	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS
M. JACKSON	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
J. KIRKWOOD	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N/A
B. KYLES	Y	AB	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	AB	N/A	Y	AB	N/A	Y	Y	Y	N/A



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K. LINDSAY	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
T. MANN	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
C. MENEFE	AB	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	AB	N	N	Y
E. MIHALIK	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	AB	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
C. MIRANDA	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
T. MITCHELL	Y	AB	Y	Y	Y	AB	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A
D. NUNEZ	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	AB	Y	Y	Y
T. RAWLS	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
K. REISELBACH	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
E. SABO	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
W. SCHEFELBEIN	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	AB	Y	Y
M. SCHMIDLIN	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
N. SHEREOS	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
G. SWIESZCZ	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	N/A	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS
C. TRINA	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	N/A	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS
M. VELAZQUEZ	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
L. WANIGASINGHE	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
L. WILLIS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	N/A	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS	AS
R. ZHANG	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A	N/A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N/A