

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

INSTALLATION OF STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT AND STUDENT BODY VICE PRESIDENT

INSTALLATION OF THE 2016-2017 STUDENT SENATE

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ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. Welcome to Student Governing Association!
2. Applications for Cabinet and Committee Chairs are Due April 15, 2016 on OrgSync by 5:00pm.
3. Proxies: None
4. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
3	4	5	6	7 DPC- 4:30pm, U209 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm, Big XII	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm, Big XII	15 Committee Chairs and Cabinet Applications Due 5pm on OrgSync	16

“A true leader has the confidence to stand alone, the courage to make tough decisions, and the compassion to listen to the needs of others. He does not set out to be a leader, but comes one by the equality of his actions and the integrity of his intent.”
--Douglas McArthur

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting:

Executive Committee:

University Allocations Committee:

College Allocations Committee:

Privilege Fee Committee:

Senate Operations Committee:

Governmental Relations Committee:

Student Engagement Committee:



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

APRIL 7, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Lockwood called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Lockwood led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 48 senators present for roll.

OPEN PERIOD

Student Veterans Association

- The incident on campus was a Veteran who took his own life
- Trying to bring suicide awareness out to the campus and community
- Memorial on Wednesday around 12 in Bosco Plaza
- Funeral is on Tuesday
- Help get the word out to all students including Veteran community and faculty that there are services on campus to help
- Donations going VFW in Salina and 22 Kill

Dr. Wiley

- Really appreciates the diversity campaign and partnership between current and incoming president and vice president
- Diversity Workshop on Wednesday
- Cultural sensitivity is not just with ethnicity, its about where you come from and the cultural you were brought up in
- We have to do this together, so excited to start working together
- Implementing what she has done with College of Ag at the campus level
- Understanding and appreciating inclusion
- Follow Office of Diversity on social media

INSTALLATION OF STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT AND STUDENT BODY VICE PRESIDENT

INSTALLATION OF THE 2016-2017 STUDENT SENATE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Fill out proxy form for next week if needed
2. Applications for Cabinet and Committee Chairs are due April 15th, 2016 on Orgsync by 5:00pm

COMMENDATIONS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Student Body President Van Ranken

- Apply for and spread the word about cabinet
 - Chief of Staff due Friday at 5pm
 - Cabinet is due April 15th at 5pm
- Platforms
 - Mental Wellness
 - Diversity
 - Political Advocacy

Student Body Vice President Kennedy

- Gave award to Co-Intern of the year Victor Valdez-Herrera

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

GENERAL ORDERS

Nominations for the Speaker of Student Senate

Senator Thomas nominates Senator Jack Ayres.

Senator Reichenberger nominates Senator Chance Hunley.

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Senator Comstock

- Cupcakes for a Cure suggested donation of \$3 at Clovia
- Also selling in the

Senator Jackson

- Sunday 5-7 at Smurthwait all you can eat Pancakes for \$5
- Project Linus

Senator Lowry

- Fiji is partnering with the Veteran student union Saturday April 9th 11:00 am at the Rec volleyball tournament

Senator Doll

- Smigakappaetizers April 24th 5-8 at Sigma Kappa \$5

Senator Wakim

- Jazz Night at Auntie Maes

President Van Ranken

- Diversity Workshop 4:30 on Wednesday
- Diversity Lecture 4:30 on Thursday

Director Harlan

- Please come to diversity workshop
- Let Bill know if you go by a different name

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ROLL CALL

There were 47 senators present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Kucera moved to adjourn until Thursday April 14th at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 8:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Andrea Hopkins, Student Body Secretary

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Kansas Insurance Commissioner Selzer

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ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. Applications for Cabinet and Committee Chairs are Due April 15, 2016 on OrgSync by 5:00pm.
<https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/195602> - SGA Legislative Executive Committee
<https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/194738> - SGA Executive Branch Cabinet Application

2. Proxies:

If you have been sworn in a proxy will be granted, either fill out the OrgSync form or email me at kurtl@ksu.edu

3. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
10	11	12	13	14 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm, Big XII	15 Committee Chairs and Cabinet Applications Due 5pm on OrgSync Landon Lecture – 7:00pm	16
17 Interviews for Committee Chairs and Cabinet	18	19	20	21 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm, Big XII	22	23

“A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way.”
John Maxwell

The Speaker of the Student Senate shall have the following duties and powers:

- A. Chair Student Senate meetings.
- B. Call all Student Senate meetings, except as limited in Section 406.E.
- C. Vote in Student Senate meetings only in the event of a tie.
- D. Appoint and remove chairs of Student Senate standing committees and legislatively-chartered committees. The appointments shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- E. Appoint and remove Student Senators on Student Senate committees.
- F. Appoint and remove Student Senators on University committees. The appointments shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- G. The succession to the office of Speaker of the Student Senate in case of removal, death, resignation, inability, temporary absence or permanent inability to serve shall be set forth in the By-Laws.
- H. Chair Executive Committee meetings.
- I. Supervise the Student Senate Secretary.
- J. Supervise the Student Senate Parliamentarian.
- K. Supervise the Intern Coordinator and related activities.
- L. Verify and sign all passed legislation and present such legislation to the Student Body President within eight days of the legislation's passage.
- M. Represent Student Senate on other committees as appointed.
- N. Serve on University Committees when asked to represent Student Senate.
- O. Inform the Senate Operations Standing Committee when Senators and Interns are in violation of the attendance requirement.
- P. Serve on Faculty Senate and a Faculty Senate standing committee with voting rights, and the Faculty Senate Executive Committee as a non-voting member.
- Q. Organize activities to help in the orientation of newly elected Student Senators.

507. Duties and Powers of the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate.

- A. Serve as Speaker of the Student Senate in the absence or at the request of the Speaker.
- B. Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.
- C. Chair such Standing Committees as may be provided in the By-Laws.
- D. Plan and organize annual KSU SGA diversity training sessions.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY

STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

APRIL 14, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Lockwood called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Lockwood led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 46 senators present for roll.

OPEN PERIOD

Kansas Insurance Commissioner Ken Selzer

- Commissioner Selzer is a K-State alumnus.
- Spoke about a program in South Carolina between Clemson University and the University of South Carolina over not texting during driving.
- A similar program is being brought to Kansas between K-State and KU, to be held before the KU football game week.
- Cindy Hermes talked about the details of the program, including the enrollment through the use of hashtags on social media.
- Commissioner Selzer spoke about the promotions and bringing simulators to campus before the event.
- Seeking the endorsement of student senate for this program.
- K-State Athletics, University President Kirk Schulz, Provost and Senior April Mason have endorsed the program.

INSTALLATION OF 2016-2017 STUDENT SENATORS

Speaker Lockwood swore in 2016-2017 student senators.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Senator J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Applications for executive branch cabinet and legislative committee chairs are due this Friday, April 15, on OrgSync by 5 p.m.
2. Interviews for cabinet and committee chair positions will be Sunday, April 17.
3. There will be a Landon Lecture tomorrow at 7 p.m. in McCain Auditorium.

COMMENDATIONS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

Vice President Kennedy

- Landon Lecture will be held tomorrow at 7 p.m. in McCain Auditorium.
 - Speakers are John Avlon and Margaret Hoover.
 - Avlon is editor-in-chief of The Daily Beast and a CNN contributor.
 - Hoover is a CNN political contributor and political book author.
 - Admission is free.
- Diversity workshop and lecture held this week.
 - Great participation and involvement.

Speaker Lockwood

- Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee
 - Committee makes recommendation to University President Kirk Schulz.
 - Committee is reviewing five fee proposals.
 - Encourage the body to be involved, especially those students whose colleges have fee proposals.

President Van Ranken

- Applications for executive cabinet and legislative committee.
 - Applications are due tomorrow by 5 p.m. on OrgSync.
 - Jordan DeLoach will be the chief of staff for the executive branch in the 2016-2017 term.
- Encouraged the body to get involved in the no-text program presented by Kansas Insurance Commissioner Ken Selzer.
- Encouraged the body to attend the Landon Lecture.
- Report on mental wellness platform
 - Thinking about starting a task force over mental wellness.
 - Reach out to President Van Ranken or other executive branch officials if you are interested in being involved.

COLLEGE CAUCUSES

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

GENERAL ORDERS

Election of the Speaker of the Student Senate

Senator Ayres

Positive Debate: Senator Pracht
Senator Sabatini
Senator Baalman
Senator Thomas
Senator Eberhardy

Chance Hunley

Positive Debate: Senator Comstock yielded to Lindy Bilberry
Senator Barnett
Senator Bertz
Senator Jackson
Senator Reichenberger

Senator Ayres won by a vote of 29-21. Previous Speaker Lockwood swore in Speaker Ayres

Nomination and Election of the Speaker pro tempore of Student Senate

Senator Pracht nominates Senator Andres

Positive Debate: Senator Mindrup
Senator Pracht
Senator Orth
Senator Reichenberger
Senator Lowry
Senator Clark
Senator McIntire

Senator Valdez-Herrera nominates Senator Kucera

Positive Debate: Senator Nordstrom
Senator Valdez-Herrera
Senator Jackson
Senator Frankel
Senator Gutman
Senator Barnett

Senator Kucera won by a vote of 27-22. Speaker Ayres swore in Speaker pro tempore Kucera.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

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OPEN PERIOD

Senator Pracht

- Vernon Larson Lecture Series
 - April 28 at noon in Town Hall of School of Leadership Studies

Vice President Kennedy

- Beta Zoo philanthropy
 - Will be held April 22 from 4-7 p.m.

Senator Jewell

- Tri Delta Drive Thru for St. Jude philanthropy
 - Held tonight until 2 a.m.

Advisor Harlan

- Web app
 - Focus group needed.
 - Meeting will be tomorrow and lunch is provided.
 - Let him know if you are interested in participating.
- Launching K-State mobile app.
 - Presentation next week over the app.
 - Asked the body to download and provide feedback starting next week.

Senator Mindrup

- Delta Sig Dogs philanthropy
 - Will be held May 1.
 - See him if you would like to attend.

President Van Ranken

- Sigma Kappa Kappatizers philanthropy
 - Will be held April 24.
 - See her or Senator Doll if you would like to attend.

Senator Clark

- Manhappiness Project
 - Movement starting next week and will include small activities to spread kindness and provide the opportunity to give back.
 - Encourage the body to follow on social media: @KState_MP

Senator Niederee

- Gamma Phi Beta Grilled Cheese with GPhiBs philanthropy
 - Will be held April 17 from 5-8 p.m.

Chief of Staff DeLoach

- Applications for executive cabinet
 - Encourage your friends to apply

Senator Crowder

- Student Veterans
 - Have we followed up for an action plan?

Senator Reichenberger

- Travel allocation to American Nuclear Society
 - Thanked the body for provide the opportunity to attend conference.

Senator Wakim

- Upcoming School of Music, Theatre and Dance music program events
 - K-State Orchestra Concert: Tuesday, April 19 at 7:30 pm. McCain Auditorium
 - Concert: Thursday, April 21 at 11:30 a.m. at All Faith's Chapel

Former Parliamentarian Britton

- Elections
 - Informed the body that the primary elections and filing deadline are not aligned.
 - Encouraged the formation of an elections committee.
- Advice
 - The work and people in SGA matter – utilize them.
 - Be humble and be present whatever moment you are.
 - Set your expectations for this term higher.

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

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ROLL CALL

There were 46 senators present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Comstock moved to adjourn until Thursday, April 21 at 7:00 p.m. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 10:04 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Logan Britton, Student Senate Parliamentarian

CALL TO ORDER

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OPEN PERIOD

Andy Hurtig – Co-Chair of Tuition and Fees Strategy Committee

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Resolution 16/17/03 Commendation to the National Society of Black Engineers

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/01 Approval Of Standing Committee Chairs, Intern Coordinator, Student Senate
Secretary And Parliamentarian

Resolution 16/17/02 Approval of Student Body President's Cabinet

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Bill 16/17/01 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
Statutes Concerning The Process For Requesting Funds

OPEN PERIOD

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. Please fill out the Standing Committee Preference Sheet on OrgSync by this Sunday, April 24th, 2016 by 5:00pm. <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/197141>
2. If you would like a nametag please bring Jack or Bill \$5 by next Thursday.
3. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name please let Stephen know.
4. A special committee on senate membership will be forming, starting to meet in the fall. Please email Jack at jmayres@ksu.edu if interested in serving on the committee.
5. Proxies:
 - Valdez for May
 - McGee for Reichenberger
6. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
17	18	19	20	21 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	22	23
24 Committee Preference Form due – 5:00pm Legislative Executive Committee Meeting – 8:00pm Union Room 204	25	26 Tuition and Fees Strategy Committee – 5:30pm in Konza Rm	27	28 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	29	30

“Without initiative, leaders are simply workers in leadership positions.”
-Sen. Bo Bennett

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 4-14:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/996857/show>

Executive Committee:

- Introductions
- Discussed purpose and ways to improve the exec committee
- Education

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1000257/show>

University Allocations Committee:

No Meeting

College Allocations Committee:

No Meeting

Privilege Fee Committee:

No Meeting

Senate Operations Committee:

No Meeting

Governmental Relations Committee:

No Meeting

Student Engagement Committee:

No Meeting

4 **BY:** Jack Ayres, Olivia Baalman, Jordan DeLoach, Adrianna Elliott, Megan Heyen, Jordan
5 Kiehl, Jordan Martin, Andrew Peuchen, Jonathan Peuchen, Tori Thomas

6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University student chapter of the National Society of Black Engineers
8 was recently named the Small Chapter of the Year at the society's annual conference on
9 March 23-27th in Boston, Massachusetts;

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11 **WHEREAS,** The K-State student chapter is dedicated to increasing the number of culturally
12 responsible black engineers who excel academically, succeed professionally, and
13 positively impact the community;

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15 **WHEREAS,** The competition involved an application process consisting of financial/fundraising
16 accomplishments, outreach accomplishments, goals for the chapter, membership and
17 fulfilling the mission of the Society of Black Engineers;

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19 **WHEREAS,** The highlight of their application was the planning and organization of Engineering a
20 Dream, an all-day event to introduce middle school student to STEM fields;

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22 **WHEREAS,** At the conference, chapter member Kevin Bultongez, a master's student in mechanical
23 engineering, placed first out of over 400 entrants in the technical research exhibition
24 poster competition;

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26 **WHEREAS,** The student chapter was also awarded Most Improved Student Organization and
27 Outstanding Student Organization by the Engineering Student Council; and

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29 **WHEREAS,** The College of Engineering student senators commend the excellence the Society of
30 Black Engineers demonstrate and appreciate the time and effort that the students within
31 the College of Engineering put forth to show the value of their hard work in both
32 academics and student life to improve our university culture.

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34 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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36 **SECTION 1.** Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates the
37 Kansas State student chapter on being named the ESC Most Improved Student
38 Organization, ESC Outstanding Student Organization, and the National Society of Black
39 Engineers Small Chapter of the Year.

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41 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy
42 of this resolution shall be sent to University President Kirk Schulz, Provost and Senior
43 Vice President April Mason, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat
44 Bosco, Interim Associate Provost for Diversity Zelia Wiley, Director of Multicultural
45 Engineering Program LaVerne Bitsie-Baldwin, and the members of the National Society
46 for Black Engineers.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/01**

**APPROVAL OF STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS,
2 INTERN COORDINATOR, STUDENT SENATE
3 SECRETARY AND PARLIAMENTARIAN**

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5 **BY:** Jack Ayres, Stephen Kucera

6
7 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to appoint and ratify the chairs of Student Senate standing committees, the
8 Student Senate Secretary, Student Senate Parliamentarian and the Intern Coordinator;

9
10 **WHEREAS,** These positions were adequately advertised;

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12 **WHEREAS,** Applications and interviews were made available to all students who showed interest in
13 the Kansas State University Student Governing Association;

14
15 **WHEREAS,** There were 13 applicants for these nine positions; and

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17 **WHEREAS,** These nine individuals were chosen on the basis of their leadership ability, experience,
18 and dedication to serving the Kansas State University student body throughout the next
19 term.

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21 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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23 **SECTION 1.** The following individuals be approved for their respective offices for the 2016-2017
24 term:

25		
26	Andrew Peuchen	University Allocations Committee Chair
27	William Orth	College Allocations Allocations Committee Chair
28	Jonathan Peuchen	Privilege Fee Committee Chair
29	Anna Jackson	Senate Operations Committee Chair
30	Kaitlyn Alanis	Governmental Relations Committee Chair
31	Jordan Eberhardy	Student Engagement Committee Chair
32	Jordan Kiehl	Intern Coordinator
33	Karl Wilhelm	Student Senate Parliamentarian
34	Kaitlin Flores	Student Senate Secretary

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/02**

2 **APPROVAL OF STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT'S CABINET**

3 **BY:** Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, and Jack Ayres

4
5 **WHEREAS,** The Constitution and By-Laws of the Kansas State University Student Governing
6 Association (KSU SGA) specify the Executive Branch of KSU SGA have at least nine
7 appointed members of the Student Body President's Cabinet including a Chief of Staff,
8 State Relations Director, Local Relations Director, International Affairs Director, Public
9 Relations Director, Manhattan-Salina Relations Director, Multicultural Affairs Director,
10 Sustainability Director, and Technology Coordinator;

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12 **WHEREAS,** Included within the Presidents Cabinet in the 2016-2017 term are an Athletics Liaison, an
13 Academic Affairs Director, Co-Directors of Health and Safety, a Strategic Initiatives
14 Advisor, and a Special Projects Director;

15
16 **WHEREAS,** These positions were sufficiently advertised via applications made available to all
17 students who showed interest in KSU SGA;

18
19 **WHEREAS,** There were 19 applicants for these positions; and

20
21 **WHEREAS,** These individuals were chosen on the basis of leadership ability, experience, and
22 dedication to serving the students of Kansas State University throughout the 2016-2017
23 term.

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25 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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27 **SECTION 1.** The following individuals be confirmed as members of the 2016-2017 Student Body
28 President's Cabinet:

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30	Chief of Staff	Jordan DeLoach
31	State & Local Relations Director	Bryan Swartz
32	International Affairs Director	Tendai Munyani
33	Multicultural Affairs Director	Shakyra Everett
34	Public Relations Director	Annie Jewell
35	Health and Safety Co-Director	Sierra Lekie
36	Health and Safety Co-Director	Olivia Baalman
37	Technology Coordinator	Andrew McKittrick
38	Sustainability Director	Mason Herrman
39	Special Projects Director	Alex Bangert
40	Academic Affairs Director	Meredith Clark
41	Athletics Liaison	Nick Edwards
42	Strategic Initiatives Advisor	Andy Hurtig

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS**
3 **STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING**
4 **ASSOCIATION STATUTES CONCERNING THE PROCESS**
5 **FOR REQUESTING FUNDS**

6 **BY:** Andrew Peuchen

7
8 **WHEREAS,** Chapters 21 and 23 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
9 Statutes were previously amended to require an allocations process that mandated a
10 meeting with the activities coordinator prior to the allocations hearing;

11
12 **WHEREAS,** The purpose of this meeting was to attempt to cut down on wasteful allocations and
13 reduce the amount of money left over at the end of the fiscal year that went into a reserve
14 fund;

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16 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to make it easier for students to coordinate with OSAS Staff to set up this
17 meeting; and

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19 **WHEREAS,** Previous amendments to the statutes created more complications for student
20 organizations to gain access to funding.

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22 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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24 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 21, Section 0103, Subsection D, Subsection 1 of the KSU SGA Statutes is
25 hereby amended to read as follows:

- 26
27 1. Student organizations must submit their budget request form to the Office of
28 Student Activities and Services.
29 a. After an on-campus budget request form is submitted, the ~~student~~
30 ~~organization~~ *Office of Student Activities and Services* shall contact the
31 ~~Office of Student Activities and Services~~ *student organization* within
32 seven (7) days of submitting the request to arrange an events planning
33 appointment which must be attended prior to presenting to the allocating
34 committee.
35 b. Student organizations submitting travel budget request forms will not be
36 required to attend an events planning appointment prior to presenting to
37 the allocating committee.
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40 **SECTION 2.** Chapter 23, Section 0102, Subsection D of the Kansas State University Student
41 Governing Association Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

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43 23-0102

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45 D. Process

- 46 1. Student organizations must submit their budget request form to the
47 Office of Student Activities and Services.
48 a. After an on-campus budget request form is submitted, the
49 ~~student organization~~ *Office of Student Activities and Services*
50 shall contact the ~~Office of Student Activities and Services~~
51 *student organization* within seven (7) days of submitting the
52 request to arrange an events planning appointment which must
53 be attended prior to presenting to the University Allocations
54 Committee.

b. Student organizations submitting travel budget request forms will not be required to attend an events planning appointment prior to presenting to the University Allocations Committee.

SECTION 3. The stated changes should be made to the most recently updated KSU SGA Statutes.

SECTION 4. This bill shall take effect upon passage of the student senate and signature of the student body president.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

APRIL 21, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 48 senators present for roll.

Unexcused Absences:

Brown
Grosdidier
Holder
Kilgore

Excused Absences:

Senator Reichenberger
Senator May
Senator Elliot
Senator Atchison

OPEN PERIOD

Andy Hurtig- Co-Chair of Tuition and Fees Strategy Committee

- Informed Senate of various details and information regard

Bill Harlan- Director of OSAS/ SGA Advisor

- K-State Mobile App Enhancement
- Hoping to get launched over the summer
- Wants SGA to take a moment to look at and provide feedback
- Created because certain aspects of K-State website were taking too long
- To view the K-State Mobile test "Preview" app, follow these instructions:
 1. Visit the Google Play or iOS app store from the device on which you would like to install the app.
 2. Search for "Modo Labs Preview" and download the "Preview" app.
 3. Once installed, open the app and enter the code KSTATE0115
 4. Tap "Go" and your app preview will load.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Senator Valdez moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Speaker Ayres

- Fill out standing committee preference sheet
 - Due 24th at 5pm
 - Can be found on OrgSync by 8 or 9pm tonight and will take max. 30 minutes to complete
- Bring \$5 if you would like a nametag. Will get them again in the fall
- If nameplate is wrong or you would like a different one- tell Speaker Ayres
- Check out events calendar

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/03 Commendation to the National Society of Black Engineers

Senator Valdez moves to consider Resolution 16/17/03. Introduced by Senator J Peuchen.

Chair Alanis moves to pass this resolution unanimously. Motion passes.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/01 Approval Of Standing Committee Chairs, Intern Coordinator, Student Senate Secretary And Parliamentarian

Senator Pracht moves to approve unanimously. Motion passes.

Resolution 16/17/02 Approval of Student Body President's Cabinet

Senator Pracht moves to pass motion unanimously. Motion passes.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

There were none.

DIRECTOR REPORTS

President Van Ranken

- *New York Times Article*- Lack of adjudication Sexual Misconduct at K-State
- In support a change in campus policy- we all largely have the same goal
- Policy change needs to happen as quickly as possible
- Incidents are not reflective of K-State community
- Support hiring of another investigator- to work on adjudication
- Support greater education preventative and supportive and how they can be utilized to prevent assault and help after they occur.
- *Kansas Board of Regents* was in Manhattan for campus meetings.
- They approved the change in membership of a Presidential Search Committee.
 - Van Ranken will be serving on committee along with Director Baalman.
- *Question:*
 - Senator Pracht: How long should the process last of looking for a new President?
- *Answer:*
 - Late fall semester/ early spring semester
- *Question:*
 - Director Hurtig- Is search open or closed for viewing?
- *Answer:*

- Closed process. Will be extremely confidential. Cannot answer questions specific to committee due to incredible confidentiality.
- Washington State used a closed search committee regarding President Schulz and it went well.
- *Question:*
 - Senator Lowry- Why is it taking so long to change the policy of adjudication?
- *Answer:*
 - Intensive legal nature, Tricky situation of navigating adjudicating off campus, trying to find a practice that fits K-State.
- *Question:*
 - Senator McIntire- What are we looking at in terms of supporting victims?
- *Answer:*
 - Victims are supported. They are supported through the CARE office and the Office of Institutional Equity. We simply need to do a better job of being proactive and educating students about resources.

Vice President Kennedy

- Good reminder of resources available
- CARE office is located in Holton Hall www.k-state.edu/CARE and Counseling services k-state.edu/counseling
- Need to make sure we are reaching out to our social groups to make sure we use the resources
- Can go to any staff on campus as a victim and seek help. Anyone can help and connect you to the right resources
- *Statement:*
 - Senator Barnett-
 - CARE help line is not open 24 hours.
 - Office of Student Life has a 24 hour hotline
- *Question:*
 - Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera- Do you know if faculty are trained and do they know where the resources are?
- *Answer:*
 - Recent conversation with Heather Reed that all faculty should be trained
 - Advisor Harlan- They are not all trained

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Committee PowerPoint Introductions
- Presentation is posted on OrgSync

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

There were none.

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/01 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Process For Requesting Funds

Senator Pracht moves to consider Bill 15/16/101. Introduced by Senator A Peuchen.

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Pracht

- Thursday, April 28th @ 12:00pm in Leadership Studies Town Hall- Vernon Larson Lecture Series
- Panelists of students at K-State

Senator McGee

- Thursday, April 28th @ 10:00am in Forum Hall - Chet Peters Lecture
- Address critical issues on campus especially what happened at the University of Missouri.

Senator Frankel

- Thursday, April 28th from 6-7:45pm in Leadership Studies Building- Discussion
- Facilitator in a class called Small Group Discussion Methods
- Must RSVP at ksucampuscarry@gmail.com

Senator Kennedy

- CBS finishing up university wide book drive
- If anyone has textbooks year 2000 or newer they will take them
- Will ship them to Books for Africa during the summer
- Send him an email regarding your books at pkennedy94@ksu.edu

Senator Doll

- Sunday, April 24th from 5-8pm- Sigma Kappetizers
- Will feature- BWB, Queso Bar, Mozzarella sticks, health table, gift card drawing, games, and Kornerbooth
- Benefits Alzheimers Research

Senator B. Valdez

- Saturday, April 30th at 8:00am- ACACIA Color Dash
- Register online at:
<http://newcolordash5k.ticketmob.com/event.cfm?cart&showTimingID=136255>
- Partnered with Zeta Tau Alpha
- Benefits Manhattan Boys and Girls Club

President Van Ranken

- Monday, April 25th at 10:30am- attend upcoming Landon Lecture Series
- McCain Auditorium- featuring Dr. Mehmood Kahn
- Administration has been encouraging student attendance

Director Clark

- Manhappiness Project
- Friday, April 22nd from 10-2pm- Clothing Drive in Leadership Studies
 - Clothes donated to Salvation Army

Senator Mindrup

- New Student Services is accepting applications for Campus Ambassadors
- Applications are due next Friday, April 29th

- Friday, April 22nd - Junior Day
 - Smile and wave to prospective students
- Encouraged sorority members to have chapter president's check their emails for important information regarding Delta Sig Dogs

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Saturday, April 30th at 6pm- Senior Recital in All Faiths Chapel

Senator Lowry

- Friday, April 22nd from 4-7pm- Beta Zoo
- Will include games, prizes, basketball knockout tournament, and animals of all kinds

Advisor Harlan

- Summer job opportunity with OSAS
- 12-3pm this summer- Need someone to work during enrollment and talk/answer questions about SGA

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

There were none.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 47 senators present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

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Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

APRIL 28, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 38 senators present for roll.

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Atchison
Senator Eidemiller
Senator Grosdidier
Senator Holder
Senator Kilgore
Senator Orth
Senator Williams

Excused Absences:

Senator Reichenberger
Senator Wakim
Senator Andres
Senator Kennedy
Senator Klahr
Senator Ogren
Senator Mindrup
Senator McIntire

OPEN PERIOD

John Currie – Director of Athletics

- In 2009 fractured relationship between SGA and athletics
- Have gone from 4,000 to 9,000 ticket sales since then
- Announcement of athletics concert (Zac Brown Band and Train)
 - Athletics will make some money from the concert
 - Will not have 7 home football games this year as normal so needed added income

- Will work with UPC to promote
 - Second goal is value to University- reason for concert
- Big 12 is in a more advantageous position than ever before
- Need to heal rift about poor sportsmanship that happened in February
- Carnegie Level 1 University- very proud
- Update on soccer program- Non-conference schedule this fall
 - Only playing one big 12 team (Texas)
 - Dibbini is doing a great job
 - 2017 will play a full Big 12 schedule
- If you would like to see the new addition to the stadium- Call John Currie

Garrett Kays

- Served as privilege fee committee chair
- Five points to tell us about his SGA experience
 1. Minor Allocations Process
 - a. Has not always been here
 2. You can do anything you want
 3. Find something you are passionate for
 4. You have the opportunity to care and make a difference
 5. Come early and stay late

Senator Barnett

- 3rd term senator
- Special order a resolution tonight
- Brief presentation of information on policy and answer any questions
 - PowerPoint can be located on OrgSync under “Internal Reports”
- Could have a really big impact
- Main investigating will be done by office of institutional equity
 - Doing a good job with on campus matters
- Other universities have been investigating off campus for awhile
 - K-State is behind the times
 - Back in 2011 changes were being made at other universities

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Senator Pracht moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. If you would like a nametag please bring Jack or Bill \$5 by next Thursday.
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3. A special committee on senate membership will be forming, starting to meet in the fall. Please email Jack at jmayres@ksu.edu if interested in serving on the committee.
4. If you are going to be graduating after this year or will not be running for an SGA office next year and would like to serve on a newly formed elections committee, email Jack at jmayres@ksu.edu.

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/04 Approval of New Student Senators

Senator J. Peuchen moved to consider Resolution 16/17/04. Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Senator Pracht moved to approve the resolution unanimously. Motion passes.

Speaker Ayres swore in individuals

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Jackson

- Senate Operations Committee please check your emails

DIRECTOR REPORTS

President Van Ranken

- Have heard much student input on investigation of sexual violence
- Encouraged everyone to understand that this issue is incredibly multifaceted
- Will attend a meeting tomorrow afternoon on this topic
- Open to hearing concerns before the meeting because significant progress will be made
- Stressed that VP Kennedy and herself will be working through the summer to further their platforms and other aspects of their positions
 - Would love to hear and concerns and how to best serve students over the summer

Vice President Kennedy

- Have an obligation to take Senator Barnett's presentation back to our living communities
- Sunday, May 1- 9 pm in Union room 203
 - Task force meeting for long term workout for sexual violence policy
- <http://knowyourix.org>- great link for more information on Title IX

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- PowerPoint going over the basics of how Senate works and operates
 - PowerPoint is posted on OrgSync for review
- Senators asked to divide in to their specific colleges and discuss Senate operations
- Announced college caucus leaders
 - Graduate School- Michael Reichenberger
 - College of Agriculture- Carlos Flores
 - College of Arts & Sciences- Emma Barnett
 - College of Architecture, Planning & Design- Cat Gutman
 - College of Education- Vacant for the time being
 - College of Human Ecology- Caroline May
 - College of Engineering- Jordan Martin
 - College of Veterinary Medicine- Brett Montague
 - College of Business Administration- Patrick Kennedy

Parliamentarian Karl Wilhelm

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APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/01 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Events Planning Appointment Required For Requesting Funds

Introduced by Senator A. Peuchen.

Positive Debate: Vice President Kennedy

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Bill 16/17/01 passes by a vote of 46-0-0.

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Chair A. Peuchen moved to suspend the orders of the day and consider Resolution 16/17/05 first. Seconded by Senator Pracht. Hand vote to establish 2/3 vote.

Resolution 16/17/05 Resolution Supporting Off Campus Investigations of Sexual Violence

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moves to consider Resolution 16/17/05. Introduced by Senator Barnett.

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moves to suspend the rules to special order the resolution and send it into final action

Hand vote to establish 2/3 vote.

Moves into final action.

Negative Debate: Senator McGee

Positive Debate: Senator Lowry

Senator V. Valdez

Senator Gutman

Senator Barnett

Senator Pracht

Friendly Amendment proposed by Senator V. Valdez. Rejected by Senator Barnett.

Negative Debate: Senator Barnett

Senator Pracht

Positive Debate: Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Chair Jackson

Senator J. Peuchen

Senator Pracht moved to pass the resolution unanimously. Motion passed unanimously.

Bill 16/17/02 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Events Planning Appointment Required For Requesting Funds

Senator Pracht moves to consider Bill 16/17/02. Introduced by Senator A. Peuchen.

Senator V. Valdez moves we special order this bill in to final action.

Positive Debate: Senator A. Peuchen

Hand vote to establish 2/3 vote.

Moves into final action.

Negative Debate: Senator Karimov

Positive Debate: Senator A. Peuchen.

Bill 16/17/02 passes by a vote of 51-0-0

Bill 16/17/03 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Elections Committee

Senator Pracht moves to consider Bill 16/17/03. Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera.

Bill 16/17/04 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Elections Committee

Senator Pracht moves to consider Bill 16/17/04. Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera.

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Barnett

- Need six people to stay behind after senate to watch her JuCo speech so she can pass the course

Senator Thomas

- Senate sang Happy Birthday for Senator Eberhardy's Birthday.

Senator Frankel

- Gun forum- gun policy has been rescheduled for next Wednesday
 - Time and location still TBD

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Reminder of senior recital this Saturday at 6pm in All Faiths Chapel

Advisor Harlan

- When we come back in the fall we will be close to new SGA office being opened
- Need to come up with fun programming and events ideas for the new space

Director Jewell

- Go follow SGA twitter

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

There were none.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 44 senators present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Wiese moved to adjourn until Thursday, September 1 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 10:47.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Ken Selzer – Kansas Insurance Commissioner

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FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/03

Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Elections Committee

Favorably 6-0-0

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22 *SGA By-Laws.*

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24 **SECTION 2.** Chapter 52, Section 122, Subsection 3 of the Kansas State University Student Governing
25 Association Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

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27 3. The Hearing

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29 b. The *Director* of Student Activities or his/her designee *and at least two*
30 *members of elections committee* shall attend all hearings as counsel to the
31 Elections Commissioner.

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CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Ken Selzer – Kansas Insurance Commissioner

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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Resolution 16/17/06 Approval of Judicial Appointments

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1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/06**

APPROVAL OF JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS

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3 **BY:** Sarah Pride, Jessica Van Ranken, and Jack Ayres
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5 **WHEREAS,** The following positions were sufficiently advertised;
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7 **WHEREAS,** The following individuals have been selected to serve to fill the positions for 2016-2017
8 term; and
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10 **WHEREAS,** These positions are subject to approval by the student senate.
11

12 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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14 **SECTION 1.** The following individual be approved to serve as the associate attorney general for the
15 2016-2017 term:
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17 Trevor Splichal
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19 **SECTION 2.** The following individual be approved to serve as chancellor of the Student Tribunal for
20 the 2016-2017 term:
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22 Alex Reed
23

24 **SECTION 3.** The following individuals be approved to serve as justices of the Student Tribunal for the
25 2016-2017 term:
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27 Caitlyn Dougherty, at-large representative
28 Chase Derusseau, off-campus representative
29 Casie Spangler, off-campus representative
30 Bailey Dollison, residence halls representative
31 Bailey Hamilton, greek representative
32 Luke Sells, greek representative
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34 **SECTION 4.** The following individual be approved to serve as chair of the Student Review Board for
35 the 2016-2017 term:
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37 Haley Hannaman
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39 **SECTION 5.** The following individuals be approved to serve as justices of the Student Review Board
40 for the 2016-2017 term:
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KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

SEPTEMBER 1, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 54 senators present for roll.

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Bartels
Senator Breen
Senator Brown
Senator Johnson

Excused Absences:

Senator Williams

OPEN PERIOD

Ken Selzer – Kansas Insurance Commissioner

- Contest among public universities in Kansas to see who can get the most pledges to not text and drive: debuting on September 19th.
- Call 50555WILDCAT
- Taped press conference on Tuesday, September 6th – 9:30 at Kansas Insurance Department Office
- Contest between KU and K-State
- Requesting help dispersing information to friends and other K-State Students

Senator Proct

- Special committee inside of SGA- academic competition teams
- Ex. Engineering team designing a car
- Looking at entire process, changes to privilege fee, changing statutes, talk to Senator Proct

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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· _This is due Friday, September 9th at 5:00pm
3. Two senators are to be appointed to serve on the Joint Commission on Officers' Compensation. Next week we will have nominations, brief speeches, and an election for these two representatives. If you are interested please email me as soon as possible (jmayres@ksu.edu) so I have an idea of who is planning on running.
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COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/06 Approval of Judicial Appointments

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to consider Resolution 16/17/04. Introduced by Speaker Ayres.

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the resolution unanimously. Motion passes.

Speaker Ayres swore in the individuals

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Alanis

- Governmental Relations Committee
- City university relations fund
- Allocate money to something that benefits the city and the university
- Google doc sent out- proposal needs to be finished by October 1

Chair Jackson

- Corrections to legislation- no use of oxford comma

Chair eberhardy

- Student engagement committee

- Goal is to get out and visit student groups
- Second semester trying to get them to vote and be a part of Senate
- Meeting on Monday to sign up for who they will be visiting
- Will provide updates on groups they have been meeting with
- Will meet at 5pm at Bluestem on Monday

DIRECTOR REPORTS

President Van Ranken and VP Kennedy

- Update on what was worked on over the summer
- Platforms last year were mental wellness, diversity, and political advocacy
- Mental Wellness-
 - Director of Health and Safety Olivia Baalman
 - Point person at counseling services is developing curriculum for peer counseling
 - Education course is set to start being taught January 2017
 - Will be a university course housed under college of education- taught by Wendy Barnes outreach coordinator at Counseling Services- curriculum based on similar ones from other Universities- will equip students to become peer educators- Similar to Powercat financial counseling
- Collaborating with associate vp of student life to map out and see long term plan for counseling services and what they will mean for K-State
- Diversity
 - Meetings with campus administration for different visions
 - Multicultural student center
 - Collaborate with them throughout the year on an event they are having November 3rd- pair up faculty and staff on how we can assess our course work more appropriately within a changing world
- Potential social justice campaign later on in the year
- Local relations, Senator Kennedy pushed for mandatory rental inspections, started good work and hopeful for exterior rental inspections
- Union renovation, Union Core Committee, advocating for students interest as far as what remains of union project budget
- Partnering with university administration, CARE office, regarding sexual assault policy issues.
 - Check out FAQ's— on office of institutional equity
- Potential Food Pantry on campus
 - Students who struggle with food insecurity in the community
- Working to be sure library will not be permanently set with restricted hours
 - Not an easy decision for libraries or K-State to make.

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Role SGA can play in prospective Food Pantry
- At Large committee applications due
 - Reach out to people you know and have them apply
- Go to orgsync- student government page- click on events tab- to see updated upcoming events

Speaker Ayres

- Presentation on Absences
- Scheduled class and study review sessions are always excused

- Allowed one academic freebie from senate
- All regular meetings of other organizations and work are unexcused even if they are leadership groups
- Speaker Ayres will consider all other reasons for absence on an individual basis
- If not notified via proxy form, 24hrs ahead of time, barring emergency situations, any absence will be unexcused
- After three unexcused absences, goes to senate operations committee, grounds for expulsion
 - Unexcused absence from committee meetings is also grounds for expulsion
- Proxy forms must be completed up to 24 hours in advance, must speak with proxy beforehand so they are informed
- Look on OrgSync to see how many absences you have or contact Chair Anna Jackson

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/03 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Elections Committee Favorably 6-0-0

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moves to consider Bill 16/17/03. Introduced by Speaker Ayres.

Introduced last semester

Chair J. Peuchen moved to send bill back to executive committee

Voice vote passes unanimously and bill is sent back to executive committee

Bill 16/17/04 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Elections Committee Favorably 6-0-0

Speaker Ayres votes to also bring this bill back to the executive committee

Chair J. Peuchen moved to send bill back to executive committee

Voice vote passes unanimously and bill is sent back to executive committee

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Reichenberger

- Parking Council committee
- Needing to get motivated people from SGA to serve on this committee
- Losing hundreds of parking spaces, many things being considered on the council, revising parking passes

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Wishes senate a safe Labor Day weekend

Speaker Ayres

- Reminder to fill out UGB application due on Tuesday, September 6th

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bills 16-17-03 and 16-17-04 are referred to the Executive Committee.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 55 senators present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to adjourn until Thursday, September 8 at 7:00pm. Motion passes. Adjourned at 8:00pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Lori Goetsch - Dean of K-State Libraries

Hunter Post and Mandy Marchesini – K-State Student Ambassadors

Heather Reed - Assistant Vice President of of Student Life, Senior Associate Dean and Director of Student Life

Travis Gill - Title IX Coordinator and Director of the Office of Institutional Equity

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-Ella Baker, Civil Rights Activist

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 9-1-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1060369/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1062915/show>

University Allocations Committee:

College Allocations Committee:

Privilege Fee Committee:

Senate Operations Committee:

Governmental Relations Committee:

Student Engagement Committee:



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE
MEETING MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 8, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 51 senators present for roll.

Unexcused Absences:

Representative Breen
Senator Brown
Senator Elliot
Senator Karimov
Senator Klahr
Senator A. Peuchen
Senator J. Peuchen
Senator Williams

OPEN PERIOD

Lori Goetsch - Dean of K-State Libraries

- Impact of K-State libraries has been a loss of 1 million dollars in general use funds
- Half a million dollars from the university to cover inflation on library materials
 - Took money out of budget to cover increases
- Only 10% to replace furniture, leave library open overnight
- Few options left for cuts this year
 - Cut staff by leaving positions unfilled
 - Personnel has dropped by 13 individuals from '13-'16
 - Professional development funds cut
 - Reduced office equipment and budget for PC replacements for staff
 - Talked for 2 years about cutting library hours
 - Weren't able to do that this year
 - Didn't want to bring to public an issue that potentially would not happen
 - Hundreds of emails have come from students and petitions
 - Outlook is not good for getting hours back soon
 - Other 24 hour study areas

- First floor by Einstein's
 - Computers, scanner, printer
- K-State Student Union (Potentially)
- Library Ambassador group of students have been involved as the student advisory group

Hunter Post and Mandy Marchesini – K-State Student Ambassadors

- Applying to be the next K-State Student Ambassadors
- Student ambassadors are elected during Homecoming week
 - Applications are open NOW until September 29
 - Interview with peer panel, presentation over homecoming theme, answer questions at Homecoming Events.
 - Student vote and winners are announced at football game Saturday of Homecoming Week
 - Give presentations over university life
 - Spend some nights out of town during the week for events, busiest week was 20+ hours
 - On average: 8-10 hours
- Dates to remember:
 - First round of interviews Oct. 3
 - Oct. 11 second round interviews
 - All of Homecoming week

Heather Reed - Assistant Vice President of of Student Life, Senior Associate Dean and Director of Student Life

- Questions or concerns about anything- Reach out to Heather
 - Provide support to SGA as a whole
- Student life reorganization over last year
 - Student life, advocacy, problem solving
 - Office of student life is now on the **second floor of Holton Hall**
 - Student life, veteran services, non-traditional services, LGBT resource center, CARE office, and student access center

Travis Gill - Title IX Coordinator and Director of the Office of Institutional Equity

- Historically worked with employees but in 2013 started working with students
- Came in to position one year ago
 - New office, work on investigations and address concerns that come to their office
- Handed out resource wheel for senate to review and utilize
- Personally match students with an advocate before they even come to the office
- Process of making report:
 - Peer coordinator connections
 - Seek support and care prior to even coming in to office
 - New form to avoid confusions- sign off and check what services they need immediately
 - Then delve in to the allegations and see how to help fix the problems
 - Interview witnesses
 - Was the intoxication to the level of incapacitation
 - Unable to perform a DNA swab due to not being a police entity and law does not allow
 - Any wrong move can hinder the evidence used in a criminal process
 - Perpetrator may be on grounds for expulsion
 - Will *never* have *minimal* sanctions if rape actually occurs
 - Program could be implemented to help students, faculty, and staff

- One Love Training- student run care training
 - Need student volunteers
 - In meantime, staff will step up to help
- <http://www.k-state.edu/oie/titleix/>
 - FAQ Website: <http://www.k-state.edu/oie/resolution/faqs.html>

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Senator Barnett moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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COMMENDATIONS

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APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

GENERAL ORDERS

Nominations and elections of JCOC representatives

- Senator Kennedy
- Senator Barnett

Senator Barnett moved to close the floor for nominations

Senator Sabatini moved to close nominations and elect Senator Kennedy and Senator Barnett unanimously.

Voice vote passes unanimously

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Orth-

- UAC will be meeting and having vice chair elections this Sunday, September 11

Chair Jackson

- Senate operations to stay after meeting for 10 minutes
 - More information to add to agenda

DIRECTOR REPORTS**Director Swartz**

The 2016 Spring Legislative Session: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1064851/show>

Director Clark

- Director of Academic Affairs
- App called Pocket Points that gives students points for studying
- Points can be redeemed at local businesses
- Available through app store and Google play

President Van Ranken

- Wished interns luck
- Encouraged everyone to apply for At Large positions
- Kansas Board of Regents meeting next Wednesday

Chief of Staff DeLoach

- Adding 13th member to cabinet
- Transfer student affairs director needed
- Deadline next Friday at 5pm

Vice President Kennedy

- Welcomed interns
- Consultants on campus for health and wellness master planning commission

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Working on getting tent name tags and metal name tags
- How to approve communication between executive and legislative branch
- Student Senator Mentor conversations
 - Posted on OrgSync later on tonight (9/8/16)
- Moving tuition and fees strategy earlier on in the fall
 - Respect both sides of argument

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

Discuss procedure for recommendation of TFSC representative

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

There was none.

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Pracht

- Changed google doc so everyone can edit and add their name

Senator Mindrup

- Encouraged senators to fill out at large committee application
- Get \$7.50 card

Senator Barnett

- Opportunity for Quest Freshman Honorary
- Paired with blue key senior honorary
- Get with other leaders at K-State who want to make a change
- Applications due Sept. 16- interview and application workshop next Tuesday from 5-7pm in the leadership studies building

Chair Jackson

- If you have a member of your college that is not attending meetings- can only have 3 missed meetings so alternate actions do not have to be taken

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

There were none.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 51 senators present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Pracht moved to adjourn until Thursday, September 15 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 9:15pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

John Currie – Director of Athletics

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/07	Approval of Student Senate Interns
Resolution 16/17/08	Approval of New Student Senators

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

TFSC representative discussions

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/03	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Elections Committee	Favorably 9-0-0
Bill 16/17/04	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Elections Committee	Favorably 9-0-0

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/05	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Agriculture Education Club
Bill 16/17/06	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Engineers Without Borders
Bill 16/17/07	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Structural Engineers Association of Kansas and Missouri

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/08	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Army ROTC
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OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

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ROLL CALL

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"When something is important enough, you do it even if the odds are not in your favor." – Elon Musk

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 9-1-16:

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Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1070674/show>

University Allocations Committee:

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1067431/show>

- Allocations presentation
- Vice-Chair elections

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1071684/show>

- The Committee participated in a mock Privilege Fee Review of Student Health Services, led by Director Jim Parker of Lafene Health Center to sharpen their skills for the upcoming year.
- Discussed committee schedule, expectations, and special projects for the upcoming year.
- Next meeting will be Vice-Chair Elections and the beginning of the OSAS Review.

Senate Operations Committee:

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1068984/show>

- City University Funds
- Voter Registration
- Student Leadership Alliance
- Vice-Chair Election

Student Engagement Committee:

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/07**

**APPROVAL OF
STUDENT SENATE INTERNS**

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3 **BY:** Jordan Kiehl

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5 **WHEREAS,** The positions of student senate intern were sufficiently advertised;

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7 **WHEREAS,** Ninety-eight applications for student senate intern positions were received and 43
8 applications were allowed to interview; and

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10 **WHEREAS,** Student senate interns are subject to student senate approval.

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12 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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14 **SECTION 1.** The following individuals be approved as student senate interns for the 2016-2017 term:

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16 Lanessa Aurand
17 Avery Bolar
18 Emma DeMaranville
19 Jessica Garcia
20 P.J. Hopfinger
21 Ethan Kallenberger
22 Ryan Kelly
23 Matthew Khoury
24 Karly Kinsey
25 Hannah Markel
26 Blake Medley
27 Ryan Mersmann
28 Brianna Mertens
29 Max Meyer
30 William Moore
31 Miranda Moore
32 Abigail O'Grady
33 Jansen Penny
34 Samuel Pittman
35 Jackson Stevens
36 Katelyn Struckle
37 Allison Stutterheim
38 Faith Tuttle
39 Kelly Wilkerson
40 Colby Works

RESOLUTION 16/17/08

APPROVAL OF NEW STUDENT SENATORS

BY: Senate Operations Committee

WHEREAS, Isabella Williams have chosen to resign the position of student senator for the College of Education;

WHEREAS, Mackinzie Alamo was selected from a pool of candidates to serve as the senator for the College of Education

WHEREAS, There is a position vacant for student senator for the College of Education;

WHEREAS, Dalton Maples was selected from a pool of candidates to serve as the senator for the College of Education;

WHEREAS, There are two position vacant for student senator for the Graduate School; and

WHEREAS, Kevin Bultongez and Andrew Walker were selected from a pool of candidates to serve as the senators for the Graduate School.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. Mackinzie Alamo be approved as a student senator for the College of Education.

SECTION 2. Dalton Maples be approved as a student senator for the College of Education.

SECTION 3. Kevin Bultongez and Andrew Walker be approved as the student senators for the Graduate School.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS**
4 **CONCERNING THE ELECTIONS COMMITTEE**5 **BY:** Jack Ayres, Logan Britton and Stephen Kucera6
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22 *regarding KSU SGA elections.*23
24 A. *The Elections Committee shall be composed of the following members selected in*
25 *consultation with a KSU SGA advisor:*

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- 27 1.
- Two students-at-large appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate.*
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- 29 2.
- Two students-at-large appointed by the Student Body President.*
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- 31 3.
- Two students-at-large appointed by the Attorney General.*
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- 33 4.
- Three students-at-large jointly appointed by the Student Body President,*
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- 34
- the Speaker of the Student Senate and the Attorney General.*
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- 36 5.
- At least one KSU SGA advisor, who shall serve on the committee as an*
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- 37
- ex officio member.*

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39 B. *The elections commissioner shall chair the committee and vote only in the case of*
40 *a tie.*41
42 C. *The committee shall, but is not limited to, conduct the following functions:*

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- 44 1.
- Host educational sessions to inform students about offices available in*
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- 45
- the KSU SGA elections.*
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- 47 2.
- Serve as an advisory board to the elections commissioner during*
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- 48
- hearings and their determinations.*
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- 50 3.
- Educate and advise candidates for KSU SGA offices on how to run a*
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- 51
- campaign, utilize multiple forms of media, and conduct themselves*
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- 52
- professionally during elections.*
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- 54 4.
- Promote the primary and general elections with printed and online*
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- materials as well as through campus media.*
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57 5. *Remove campaign materials found to be in violation of elections*
58 *regulations.*

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60 D. *The members of the committee shall neither run for an office for the next term*
61 *nor actively campaign or financially contribute to any student's KSU SGA*
62 *campaign.*

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64 E. *After the KSU SGA elections have ceased, the committee shall provide feedback*
65 *and suggestions to the elections commissioner for the post-election review that*
66 *will be submitted to the Senate Operations Standing Committee.*

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69 shall take effect.

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27 3. The Hearing

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29 b. The *Director* of Student Activities or his/her designee *and at least three*
30 *members of elections committee* shall attend all hearings as counsel to the
31 Elections Commissioner.

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33 **SECTION 3.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, this bill
34 shall take effect.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of Agriculture
7 Education Club;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Agriculture Education Club will be taking 8 members to the National FFA Convention in
10 Indianapolis Indiana to judge national competitions, attend teacher development
11 workshops as well as the general sessions for the convention, and actively recruit by
12 assisting with the K-State booth;13
14 **WHEREAS,** Students are provided with the opportunity to interact with students from across the
15 nation and other countries and learn about our Universities Agriculture Education Club;16
17 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:18
19 Project 1 – National FFA Convention; Indianapolis Indiana; October 18th through 22nd.20
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
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6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of Engineers
7 Without Borders;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Engineers Without Borders will be taking 7 members on October 7th-9th to Rolla
10 Missouri to attend the Midwest Regional Conference;11
12 **WHEREAS,** This conference will allow members to learn more about new practices, as well as
13 different ways to approach current problems. With problems solving being a main portion
14 of their engineering and their major, this conference will help to build those skills that
15 might not be learned in the classroom;16
17 **WHEREAS,** The students who attend the conference will be reporting back to the Engineers Without
18 Borders club about what they learned and what new ideas interested them. This
19 knowledge will allow the club to grow in how they help the community locally, as well
20 as the communities that they help abroad; and21
22 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards hotel costs and gas costs.23
24 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:25
26 Project 1 – Engineers Without Borders Midwest Regional Conference, October 7th-9th;
27 Rolla, Missouri28
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$100.00	\$100.00
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35 **SECTION 1.** CLUB shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.36
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6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of Structural
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10 American Concrete Institute (ACI) Fall 2016 Convention; and11
12 **WHEREAS,** Attendance of this convention will provide students the opportunity to gain experience
13 and learn new innovations in the field of concrete design and construction through a
14 series of professional presentations; and15
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21 Convention; Philadelphia, PA; October 22nd-26th.22
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
24 <u>Item 1</u>	\$1,000.00	\$500.00
25 TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$500.00

2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**28
29 **SECTION 1.** SEAKM shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.30
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32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1036CC.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The College Allocations committee received and reviewed the request of Army ROTC;

WHEREAS, Army ROTC will be taking fourteen members to the Army 10 Miler in Washington, D.C.;

WHEREAS, Members will represent the Kansas State ROTC program at a national level, where other students can then see their success from the race;

WHEREAS, By representing the University, more attention will be brought to Kansas State University, which will help with more interest in the school;

WHEREAS, This event will build fellowship between the students participating;

WHEREAS, This event will also give them a great opportunity to travel to our countries capital where they will be able to meet many high ranking officers and officials in our military, which will help their professional life in the future by being able to draw on these great men and women's help and experiences; and

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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Army ROTC shall be allocated \$1000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0119CC.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE
MEETING MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 15, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 48 senators present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Klahr
Senator Eidemiller
Senator Wakim
Senator Wiese
Senator Lowry
Senator Renz

Unexcused Absences:

Senator McGee
Senator Crowder
Senator Brown
Senator Breen
Senator Bertz

OPEN PERIOD

John Currie – Director of Athletics

- 8th edition of K-State budget card with goals and objectives
- 210 Millions dollars in athletics facilities over last 11 years
 - Solely from donations
- New home for Pride of Wildcat land- Band in the stadium
- Brand of K-State is K-State Students
- First ever women's soccer home game tomorrow night

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Carlos Flores (carlosf@ksu.edu) and Victor Valdez-Herrera (victor101185@k-state.edu) will co-chair a special committee on senate membership and inclusivity. If interested in serving on this committee, please contact the chairs.
2. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

16/17/07 Approval of Student Senate Interns Resolution

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider the Resolution.

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the resolution unanimously.

Motion was approved unanimously.

Coordinator Kiehl Swore in Interns

16/17/08 Approval of New Student Senators Resolution

Senator Pracht moved to consider the Resolution.

Senator Pracht moved to approve the Resolution unanimously.

Motion was approved unanimously.

Chair Jackson swore in individuals

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Jackson

- Senate Operations Committee interviewed new senators
- Going page by page through the bylaws
 - Will keep updated on what they find

Chair A. Peuchen

- UAC will meet this Sunday at 7:30pm

Chair Eberhardy

- Student engagement committee
- Didn't meet this weekend because they have been out and about visiting other organizations
- Will put together in to a presentation so everyone can learn what they have been learning from their experiences

Chair Orth

- CAC will meet this Sunday at 7:30 will be reviewing four requests

Chair J. Peuchen

- Privilege fee committee will meet this Sunday at 5:30 and will also have vice chair elections

Coordinator Kiehl

- Will open application tonight for intern mentors

- Assigned by senate next week or senate after that

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director McKittrick

Technology coordinator

- K-State has a new mobile app
- Equipped with parking garage availability spots
- Find people by name and eID
 - Can take information off
- Information with map for directions around campus
- IT Help Desk
 - Just launched K-State career fair
- KSIS integration-
 - Enroll in classes
 - Pay bills
 - Leave feedback for suggestions

Director Everett

- Racist act
- K-State student painted face black
- Spoke to office of institutional equity
 - The climate control response team was working on the issue
- Multicultural does not only mean skin color
 - Posted Facebook post to encourage other students to report issues
 - More reports, more action can be taken
- Organized a gathering of people to come to Anderson Hall
 - President Van Ranken and Dr. Zelia Wiley were present
- With “ignorance” we cannot move forward with K-State 2025
- If you see it, speak upon it
- Encouraged students to speak up when racism is seen, emphasized our duty as members of senate, community, and own personal community to speak to others.
- Will be having another educational event, more inclusive, transparent
 - Time to educate, as millennial
- BSU responded to their thoughts on the matter
 - Hopes that University will take structured racism seriously

Director Munyanyi

- International affairs director
- This summer, started on visits student organizations within international student groups
- Encouraged everyone to build relationship between SGA and international groups
- Invited everyone to attend multicultural international groups

Director Hurtig

- Strategic initiatives advisor
- Health and wellness master planning commission
- Long term health and wellness focus
- Orientation meeting this week
- Went through RFQ process for an external consultant
 - Five proposals and narrowed down to two
 - Coming to campus on October 3rd

- On and off of campus for a year helping with master planning process
- Joint funding model on how to pay them
 - One piece is student government through bond surplus fund
 - Will be coming to request money
 - Congratulated Interns

President Van Ranken

- Climate response team did an incredible job working tirelessly today on the racism social media post
 - We as a K-State family can not and do not tolerate racism
 - University community is addressing the issues
 - Important that we are all holding true to our values of Kansas State University
 - Drew attention to BSU
 - Fundraising for Multicultural Student Center
 - Anti Racism policy in student code of conduct
 - Encouraged everyone to attend BSU meeting tonight and participate in the discussion
- K-State stance on BYU exclusion from Big 12 conference
 - Iowa state came out with resolution saying they did not want BYU to join the Big 12
 - President Van Ranken is working with others on writing the resolution
 - BYU policies are not in line with Big 12 because their policies state that they do not allow homosexual relations

Vice President Kennedy

- Congratulated Interns
- Encouraged everyone to encourage friends to apply for transfer student affairs director to improve connections between transfer students and student government to understand unique wants and needs of transfer student population
- One more person to be on the Educational Opportunity Fund
- Use white privilege as a source for good to leverage and improve the lives of those around us
 - Everyone can help to move K-State forward together

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- One role is diversity training for Speaker Pro Tempore
 - Invites additional contacts for potential speakers
 - September 22 in Little Theatre- Ethical and just treatment of LGBT
 - Multicultural event 9/16- dance night at Multicultural student center
- Chair of diversity programming committee
 - Meetings will be on Wednesdays from 3-4pm
 - Have spot for one more student committee member
- Everyone must give \$5 before receiving metal name tag
- Comments on revised gun policy due 9/16
 - See Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera for where to find document

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

TFSC representative discussions

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/03 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association ByLaws Concerning The Elections Committee Favorably 9-0-0

Introduced by Speaker Ayres

Senator Fleming moved to refer Bill 16/17/03 back to executive committee

Voice vote passed unanimously and is sent back to the executive committee

Bill 16/17/04 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Elections Committee Favorably 9-0-0

Introduced by Speaker Ayres

Senator Fleming moved to refer Bill 16/17/04 back to executive committee

Voice vote passed unanimously and is sent back to the executive committee

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Senator Pracht moved to consider minor allocations

Bill 16/17/05 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Agriculture Education Club

- Requested \$800 to send members to national convention in October

Bill 16/17/06 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Engineers Without Borders

- Requested \$500 to send members

Bill 16/17/07 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Structural Engineers Association of Kansas and Missouri

- Five members to Philadelphia requested \$1,000

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/08 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Army ROTC

- 14 members to army ten miler in Washington D.C.
 - Request \$1,000 dollars
- Bill referred back to UAC

OPEN PERIOD

Chief of Staff DeLoach

- Interns- Quest applications are due at noon 9/16

Senator Barnett

- Student group- wildcats against sexual violence
- Policy change, prevention, education
- First meeting next Tuesday 6:30 pm in Union 209

Senator Holder

- Chi omega second annual wish week event
 - Benefit Make a wish
 - Chi O Corn Dogs
 - Softball tournament- "Frats at Bat"

Director Jewell

- Follow @kstateSGA
- @Kstatesvp_sbvp

Speaker Ayres

- Encouraged anyone who is interested to email DPC

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/08 will be referred back to UAC.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 51 senators present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Pracht moved to adjourn until Thursday, September 22 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/09 Approval of New Student Senator

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

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APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/05	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Agriculture Education Club
Bill 16/17/06	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Engineers Without Borders
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FINAL ACTION

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Bill 16/17/08	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Army ROTC	

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/14	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Institute of Managerial Accounting
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INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/10	Inclusivity In Big 12 Conference Expansion
Bill 16/17/09	Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Academic Competition Teams
Bill 16/17/10	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Student Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects
Bill 16/17/11	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Modern Languages Graduate Student Association
Bill 16/17/12	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Kappa Kappa Psi/Tau Beta Sigma
Bill 16/17/13	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Nepalese Student Organization

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

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2. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.
3. Proxies:
 - Ogren for Nederee
 - Heyen for Andres
 - Thomas for Kiehl
 - Orth for A. Peuchen
 - Pracht for P. Kennedy
4. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25 Student Engagment: 5pm GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	26 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	27 Legislative Executive Committee: 6pm	28	29 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	30	1
2 Student Engagment: 5pm GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	3 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	4 Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	5	6 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	7	8 The ‘cats take on Texas Tech at BSFS!

"Peace cannot be kept by force; it can only be achieved by understanding." - Albert Einstein

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 9-15-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1075330/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1077678/show>

- Discussed Bill 16-17-03 and 16-17-04
- Discussed GR voter registration times
- Worked on at-large selections for standing committees

University Allocations Committee:

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1075474/show>

- Allocations presentations

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1076867/show>

- Elected Privilege Fee Committee Vice Chair
- Heard presentation for Privilege Review from OSAS
- Selected At-Large Members

Senate Operations Committee:

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1068984/show>

- City University Funds
- Voter Registration
- Student Leadership Alliance
- Vice-Chair Election

Student Engagement Committee:

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/09**

APPROVAL OF NEW STUDENT SENATOR

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3 **BY:** Senate Operations Committee

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5 **WHEREAS,** Kaitlyn Alanis has chosen to resign the position of student senator for the College of
6 Agriculture; and

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8 **WHEREAS,** Kyler Langvardt has the next highest vote total for the College of Agriculture.

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10 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** Kyler Langvardt be approved as a student senator for the College of Agriculture.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of Agriculture
7 Education Club;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Agriculture Education Club will be taking 8 members to the National FFA Convention in
10 Indianapolis Indiana to judge national competitions, attend teacher development
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Travel	\$100.00	\$100.00
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2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS**
4 **CONCERNING THE ELECTIONS COMMITTEE**5 **BY:** Jack Ayres, Logan Britton and Stephen Kucera
67 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student
8 Governing Association By-Laws;
910 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of the current KSU SGA By-Laws concerning the outreach, education
11 and operations of elections, it is apparent that refinements are in order; and
1213 **WHEREAS,** The creation of an elections committee would serve the purpose of supporting the
14 elections commissioner in his or her duties of reaching out to students of K-State.
1516 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1718 **SECTION 1.** Article I, Section 4 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
19 Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
2021 *Section 4. Elections Committee shall educate and engage the students of Kansas State University*
22 *regarding KSU SGA elections.*
2324 *A. The Elections Committee shall be composed of the following members selected in*
25 *consultation with a KSU SGA advisor:*
2627 *1. At least four students-at-large jointly appointed by the Student Body*
28 *President, the Speaker of the Student Senate and the Attorney General*
29 *approved by majority vote of Student Senate.*
3031 *2. At least one KSU SGA advisor, who shall serve on the committee as an*
32 *ex officio member.*
3334 *B. The elections commissioner shall chair the committee and vote only in the case of*
35 *a tie.*
3637 *C. The committee shall, but is not limited to, conduct the following functions:*
3839 *1. Host educational sessions to inform students about offices available in*
40 *the KSU SGA elections.*
4142 *2. Serve as an advisory board to the elections commissioner during*
43 *hearings and their determinations.*
4445 *3. Educate and advise candidates for KSU SGA offices on how to run a*
46 *campaign, utilize multiple forms of media, and conduct themselves*
47 *professionally during elections.*
4849 *4. Promote the primary and general elections with printed and online*
50 *materials as well as through campus media.*
5152 *5. Remove campaign materials found to be in violation of elections*
53 *regulations by the elections commissioner.*
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55 D. *The members of the committee shall neither run for an office for the next term*
56 *nor actively campaign or financially contribute to any student's KSU SGA*
57 *campaign.*

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59 E. *After the KSU SGA elections have ceased, the committee shall provide feedback*
60 *and suggestions to the elections commissioner for the post-election review that*
61 *will be submitted to the Senate Operations Standing Committee.*

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63 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, this bill
64 shall take effect.

BY: College Allocations Committee

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WHEREAS, Army ROTC will be taking fourteen members to the Army 10 Miler in Washington, D.C.;

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WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – The Army 10 Miler; Washington, D.C.; Oct. 7-11, 2016

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Army ROTC shall be allocated \$1000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0119CC.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Institute
7 of Managerial Accounting student chapter;8
9 **WHEREAS,** The IMA student chapter will be taking three members to a national student leadership
10 conference in Detroit, Michigan. Students will hear presentations from business leaders
11 and have an opportunity to network with IMA student chapter members from other
12 Universities around the country; and13
14 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:15
16 Project 1 – IMA Student Leadership Conference; Detroit, Michigan; November 9th.17
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1000.00	\$300.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$300.00

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2122 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**23
24 **SECTION 1.** CLUB shall be allocated \$300.00 for the event described.25
26 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
27 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0547CC.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/10**

2 **INCLUSIVITY IN BIG 12 CONFERENCE EXPANSION**

3 **BY:** Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach, Nick Edwards, Jack Ayres,
4 Holly Nelson, Adam Carr
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6 **WHEREAS,** The Principles of Community of Kansas State University affirm “the inherent dignity and
7 value of every person” as well as “the value of human diversity for community”;
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9 **WHEREAS,** The Big 12 Conference shares these values through their dedication to inclusion during
10 their facilitation and promotion of intercollegiate athletics and sportsmanship;
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12 **WHEREAS,** Big 12 schools overwhelmingly support LGBT inclusion;
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14 **WHEREAS,** Nine out of the ten Big 12 schools have LGBT resource centers to proactively make their
15 campuses safe and welcoming for people of the LGBT community;
16

17 **WHEREAS,** The Big 12 Conference policy handbook acknowledges its commitment to “cultural
18 diversity, promoting respect and sensitivity to the dignity of every person and fostering
19 participation of all in competition, administration and governance”;
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21 **WHEREAS,** The Big 12 Conference requires its member institutions to “refrain from discrimination
22 prohibited by federal and state law, and to demonstrate a commitment to fair and
23 equitable treatment of all student-athletes and athletics department personnel”;
24

25 **WHEREAS,** Brigham Young University’s (BYU) policies openly discriminate against its LGBT
26 students, faculty and staff;
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Promotions	\$750.00	\$750.00
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TOTAL	\$5,750.00	\$5,750.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. CLUB shall be allocated \$5,750.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISAFASRSV to the account NISA1295FA of Kappa Kappa Psi/Tau Beta Sigma.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Nepalese
7 Student Organization;8
9 **WHEREAS,** The Nepalese Student Organization is a graduate student organization consisting of
10 approximately 90 members;11
12 **WHEREAS,** The Nepalese Student Organization strives to bring their cultural awareness to other
13 members of the Kansas State community;14
15 **WHEREAS,** The Nepalese Student Organization is hosting an event called Nepal Night in order to
16 achieve their goal of promoting their culture by providing food, dance and fashion of
17 Nepal; and18
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20 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:21
22 Project 1 – Nepal Night; Oct. 22, 2016; K-State Student Union23
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotions	\$919.00	\$694.00
LSE	\$300.00	\$300.00
Rent of Space	\$300.00	\$300.00
TOTAL	\$1,519.00	\$1,294.00

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35 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0774CW of the
36 Nepalese Student Organization.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES SEPTEMBER 22, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 52 senators present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Niederee
Senator Andres
Senator Kiehl
Senator A. Peuchen
Senator P. Kennedy

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Breen
Senator Brown
Senator Montague
Senator Walker

OPEN PERIOD

There were no speakers for open period.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Carlos Flores (carlosf@ksu.edu) and Victor Valdez-Herrera (victor101185@k-state.edu) will co-chair a special committee on senate membership and inclusivity. If interested in serving on this committee, please contact the chairs.

2. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/09 Approval of New Student Senator

Senator Davis moved to consider Resolution 16/17/09

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Senator Pracht moved to approve the resolution unanimously. Motion passes.

Speaker Ayres swore in the individual.

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Crowder

- Tuesday is national voter registration day and voting booths will be running Tuesday through Friday
- Voter registration training Sunday in Union Room 204

Chair Orth

- College Allocation Committee meeting Sunday

Chair Jackson

- Senate Operations Committee is mixing things up and operating under the rule where if changes to constitution need to be made it must wait six months.

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Chief of Staff DeLoach

- Green action plan starting up soon
- Anyone interested –Nov. 15th tentative deadline for people to get involved
- Represents student interests on building naming committee- moving forward with four different names on Foundation Building

President Van Ranken

- Tomorrow is the State of the University Address given by Interim President General Richard B. Myers
 - 3:30 to 4:30 at Alumni Center- Q&A time after he speaks
- Monday- Landon Lecture - incredible opportunity to attend and hear speeches from leaders in public thought
 - 10:30-11:30am
 - Panel focused on higher education three ksu alumni now serving as presidents, superintendents at universities
- Anyone interested in City University Fund committee let President Van Ranken know

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Congratulations to Chair Crowder for becoming new Chair of Governmental Relations Committee
- Worked on appointing at large members- committees should be looking larger in upcoming meetings
- Last Friday voted to make union 24 hour zone 24/5 from Sunday to Friday

- Minimal additional costs
 - UGB suggested additional security measures
- Just Drive Campaign
 - Officially launched on Sept. 19
 - Simulator being brought to campus in middle of November
 - Text wildcat to 50555 to take the pledge
- Lou Douglas lecture this week over civil discourse in a time of change
 - This Tuesday at 7pm in the ballroom of K-State Student Union
- Diversity 2025 conversation this week
 - Better diversity education is needed

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

TFSC representative discussions

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/05 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Agriculture Education Club

Bill 16/17/06 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Engineers Without Borders

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/07 Travel Allocation Structural Engineers Association of Kansas and Missouri

Introduced by Speaker Ayres

Positive Debate: Chair Orth

Bill 16/17/07 passes by a vote of 48-0-0

Bill 16/17/03 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Elections Committee

Favorably 6-0-0

Introduced by Speaker Ayres

Positive Debate: Chair Orth

Bill 16/17/03 passes by a vote of 49-0-0

Bill 16/17/08 Travel Allocation Army ROTC

Introduced by Senator Mindrup

Bill 16/17/08 passes by a vote of 51-0-0

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Resolution 16/17/10 Inclusivity In Big 12 Conference Expansion

Introduced by Vice President Kennedy

Bill will be referred back to legislative executive committee

8pm union room 203

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/09 Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Academic Competition Teams

Senator Davis moves to consider Bill 16/17/09. Introduced by Senator Pracht.

Bill 16/17/09 is referred to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/10 Travel Allocation Student Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects

Chair A. Peuchen moves to consider Bill 16/17/10. Introduced by Chair Orth
Bill 16/17/10 is referred to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/11 Travel Allocation Modern Languages Graduate Student Association

Senator Pracht moves to consider Bill 16/17/11. Introduced by Senator Bogner.
Bill 16/17/11 is referred to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/12 On Campus Allocation To Kappa Kappa Psi/Tau Beta Sigma

Senator A. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/12. Introduced by Senator Davis.
Bill 16/17/12 is referred to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/13 On Campus Allocation To Nepalese Student Organization

Senator Reichenberger moved to consider Bill 16/17/13. Introduced by Senator Davis.
Bill 16/17/13 is referred to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/14 Travel Allocation Institute of Managerial Accounting

Senator Reichenberger moved to consider Bill 16/17/14. Introduced by Senator Renz.
Bill 16/17/14 is referred to the College Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Speaker Ayres

- Executive Committee Meeting on Tuesday has been changed to 8pm in Union Room 203

Senator Thomas

- Announcement from Senator Kiehl
 - Form to be an Intern mentor is on OrgSync and due Sunday by 5pm

Senator Sabatini

- Chinese Language and Culture Club event next Friday at the Frith Center by Jardine.
Will feature dumpling making workshop
- Free to all students
- RSVP to Senator Sabatini

Senator Barnett

- Involved in Wildcats Against Sexual Violence club
- Looks at how sexual violence affects K-State
- Next meeting October 4th
- Great opportunity to get involved and put voice in the discussion
- View Facebook page

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/09 is referred to the Senate Operations Committee
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ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

Passing of Bill 16/17/03 regarding revision to include the elections committee in by-laws

ROLL CALL

There were 50 senators present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Mindrup moved to adjourn until Thursday, September 29 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 9:00pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

UPC Forum's Committee

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Resolution 16/17/11 Additions To Student Body President's Cabinet

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/10	Inclusivity In Big 12 Conference Expansion (Amended 7-1-0; Favorably 7-1-0)
Bill 16/17/09	Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Academic Competition Teams
Bill 16/17/10	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Student Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects
Bill 16/17/11	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Modern Languages Graduate Student Association
Bill 16/17/12	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Kappa Kappa Psi/Tau Beta Sigma
Bill 16/17/13	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Nepalese Student Organization
Bill 16/17/14	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Institute of Managerial Accounting

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/15 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Ag Ambassadors

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/16	FY 2016 Closing Of Accounts
Bill 16/17/17	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Regarding The Senate Operations Committee
Bill 16/17/18	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes

OPEN PERIOD

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ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

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2. Proxies:
 - Niederee for Heyen
 - McGee for Reichenberger
 - Eberhardy for Thomas
 - Flores for Pracht
3. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Special Committee on Membership: 4pm in Union 204 Student Engagment: 5pm GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	3 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	4 Legislative Executive Committee: 6pm	5	6 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	7	8 The ‘cats take on Texas Tech at BSFS!
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" Start where you are. Use what you have. Do what you can." – Arthur Ashe

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 9-22-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1080651/show>

Executive Committee:

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1081549/show>

- Decisions were made to fund KanDance's trip to see The Nutcracker at the Kansas City Ballet

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1081550/show>

- Introductions, presentation by Agricultural Ambassadors club, reference of three bills to legislation.

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1084525/show>

- Welcomed At-Large Members and Interns
- Asked questions and debated legislation and funding for OSAS

Senate Operations Committee:

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1068984/show>

- City University Funds
- Voter Registration
- Student Leadership Alliance
- Vice-Chair Election

Student Engagement Committee:

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/11**

ADDITIONS TO STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT’S CABINET

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3 **BY:** Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach, Jack Ayres
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5 **WHEREAS,** The Constitution and By-Laws of the Kansas State University Student Governing
6 Association (KSU SGA) specify the Executive Branch of KSU SGA have at least nine
7 appointed members of the Student Body President’s Cabinet including a Chief of Staff,
8 State Relations Director, Local Relations Director, International Affairs Director, Public
9 Relations Director, Manhattan-Salina Relations Director, Multicultural Affairs Director,
10 Sustainability Director and Technology Coordinator;
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12 **WHEREAS,** Section 408 of the KSU SGA Constitution specifies “The Student Body President may
13 also appoint and remove other staff members of the Executive Branch determined
14 necessary”;
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16 **WHEREAS,** Additionally included within the Presidents Cabinet in the 2016-2017 term are a Policy
17 and Research Advisor and a Transfer Student Affairs Director;
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19 **WHEREAS,** There were six applicants for these positions; and
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21 **WHEREAS,** These individuals were chosen on the basis of leadership ability, experience and
22 dedication to serving the students of Kansas State University throughout the 2016-2017
23 term.
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25 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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27 **SECTION 1.** The following individuals be confirmed as members of the 2016-2017 Student Body
28 President’s Cabinet:
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30 Policy and Research Advisor
31 Transfer Student Affairs Director

Robert Kobza
Monica Garcia

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/10**

INCLUSIVITY IN BIG 12 CONFERENCE EXPANSION

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3 **BY:** Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach, Nick Edwards, Jack Ayres,
4 Holly Nelson, Adam Carr, Anna Jackson, Emma Barnett, Trent McGee, Jonathan
5 Peuchen
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7 **WHEREAS,** The Principles of Community of Kansas State University affirm “the inherent dignity and
8 value of every person” as well as “the value of human diversity for community”;
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10 **WHEREAS,** The National Collegiate Athletics Association Constitution Article 2 Section 6 states that
11 “The Association shall promote an atmosphere of respect for and sensitivity to the dignity
12 of every person. It is the policy of the Association to refrain from discrimination...
13 including on the basis of age, color, disability, gender, national origin, race, religion,
14 creed or sexual orientation. It is the responsibility of each member institution to
15 determine independently its own policy regarding nondiscrimination.”
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17 **WHEREAS,** Nine out of 10 member institutions have explicit policy protections for students based on
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34 policies and values laid out in the NCAA Constitution Article 2 Section 6.
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2324 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**25
26 **SECTION 1.** Kappa Kappa Psi/Tau Beta Sigma shall be allocated \$5,750.00 for the event described.27
28 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
29 funds shall be transferred from NISAFASRSV to the account NISA1295FA of Kappa
30 Kappa Psi/Tau Beta Sigma.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Nepalese
7 Student Organization;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Nepalese Student Organization is a graduate student organization consisting of
10 approximately 90 members;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The Nepalese Student Organization strives to bring their cultural awareness to other
13 members of the Kansas State community;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Nepalese Student Organization is hosting an event called Nepal Night in order to
16 achieve their goal of promoting their culture by providing food, dance and fashion of
17 Nepal; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2021 Project 1 – Nepal Night; Oct. 22, 2016; K-State Student Union
2223

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotions	\$919.00	\$694.00
LSE	\$300.00	\$300.00
Rent of Space	\$300.00	\$300.00
TOTAL	\$1,519.00	\$1,294.00

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29 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3031 **SECTION 1.** The Nepalese Student Organization shall be allocated \$1,294.00 for the event described.
3233 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
34 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0774CW of the
35 Nepalese Student Organization.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Institute
7 of Managerial Accounting student chapter;
89 **WHEREAS,** The IMA student chapter will be taking three members to a national student leadership
10 conference in Detroit, Michigan. Students will hear presentations from business leaders
11 and have an opportunity to network with IMA student chapter members from other
12 Universities around the country; and
1314 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:15
16 Project 1 – IMA Student Leadership Conference; Detroit, Michigan; November 9th.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1000.00	\$300.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$300.00

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2122 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2324 **SECTION 1.** CLUB shall be allocated \$300.00 for the event described.
2526 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
27 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0547CC.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the College of Agriculture Ambassadors (Ag Ambassadors);

WHEREAS, Ag Ambassadors will be taking eight members on October 18th-22nd to Indianapolis, Indiana to attend the National FFA Convention;

WHEREAS, The National FFA Convention provides learning experiences and networking through educational lectures for the ambassadors that attend. Those who do not attend will hear about the experience from those who do and are encouraged to apply and interview to attend in the upcoming years;

WHEREAS, Ag Ambassadors travel to the National FFA Convention annually to recruit high school and community college students. With 40 percent of the students in the College of Agriculture being transfer students, this is an important recruitment opportunity for The College of Agriculture;

WHEREAS, The allocation will go towards travel costs; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – Ag Ambassadors, October 18th-22nd, Indianapolis, Indiana.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$800.00	\$800.00
TOTAL	\$800.00	\$800.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The College of Agriculture Ambassadors shall be allocated \$800.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0026CC.

BY: Andrew Peuchen

WHEREAS, In accordance with the Kansas State University Student Governing Association funding statutes, the university allocations committee is required to close academic competition team, campus-wide organization, college council, institutional services, multicultural organization, fine arts council student group and institutional services accounts on an annual basis that retain unused funds; and

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NISACW1194	Vietnamese Student Association	\$ 480.00
NISACW1204	Wellcat Ambassadors	\$ 735.12
NISACW1215	Wildcat Wind Power	\$ 1,000.00
NISACW1219	Edgerly Franklin	\$ 6.80
NISACW1298	SPICMACAY	\$ 386.70
NISACW1306	Wildcat Rocketry Club	\$ 400.00
NISACW1318	Victory Lap Association	\$ 150.00
TOTAL		\$ 6,521.21

SECTION 2. The amounts listed below shall revert from the respective individual college council accounts back to the Reserve for Contingencies Account NISACONRSV:

NISA0022CC	Ag Education Club	\$ 800.00
NISA0024CC	Ag Student Council	\$ 1,123.11
NISA0044CC	Alpha Kappa Psi	\$ 471.09
NISA0076AC	ACJA American Criminal Justice	\$ 500.00
NISA0083CC	Am. Inst. of Architecture Students	\$ 1,000.00
NISA0085CC	Am. Inst. of Chemical Engineers	\$ 2,680.00
NISA0091CC	Am. Society of Civil Engineers	\$ 400.00
NISA0111CC	Apparel Marketing	\$ 800.00
NISA0115CC	Architectural Engineering Institute	\$ 1,000.00
NISA0118CC	Architecture Student Advisory Board	\$ 300.00
NISA0119CC	Army ROTC	\$ 15.61
NISA0120CC	Arnold Air Society	\$ 100.00
NISA0126CC	Arts and Science Ambassadors	\$ 730.00
NISA0128CC	Arts and Science Student Council	\$ 300.00

55	NISA0187CC	Block and Bridle	\$ 102.26
56	NISA0292CC	College of Business Ambassadors	\$ 300.00
57	NISA0301CC	Collegiate Cattlewomen	\$ 200.00
58	NISA0374CC	Education Student Council	\$ 84.15
59	NISA0384CC	Engineering College Council	\$ 300.00
60	NISA0387CC	Engineers without Borders	\$ 100.00
61	NISA0458CC	German Club	\$ 100.00
62	NISA0513CC	Horseman Association	\$ 120.00
63	NISA0522CC	Human Ecology Council	\$ 350.34
64	NISA0532CC	Illuminating Engineer Society	\$ 600.00
65	NISA0546CC	Institute of Industrial Engineers	\$ 1,066.26
66	NISA0547CC	Institute of Management Accountants	\$ 610.00
67	NISA0548CC	Institute of Transport Engineers	\$ 500.00
68	NISA0553CC	Interior Architecture Student Council	\$ 408.22
69	NISA0858CC	Pi Sigma Epsilon	\$ 900.00
70	NISA0878CC	Pre Dental Club	\$ 7.62
71	NISA0881CC	Pre Med Club	\$ 115.00
72	NISA0888CC	Pre Physician's Assistant Club	\$ 279.88
73	NISA0890CC	Pre Veterinary Medicine Club	\$ 500.00
74	NISA0994CC	Society of Human Resource Management	\$ 266.64
75	NISA1034CC	Steel Ring	\$ 592.37
76	NISA1057CC	Students of Cultural Studies	\$ 500.00
77	NISA1145CC	Theriogenology Club	\$ 182.00
78	NISA1192CC	Vet Business Management	\$ 300.00
79	TOTAL		\$18,704.55

SECTION 3. The amounts listed below shall revert from the following individual multicultural organization account back to the Reserve for Contingencies Account NISACONRSV:

84	NISA0130CW	Asian American Student Union	\$ 500.00
85	NISA0186CW	Black Student Union	\$ 700.00
86	NISA0770CW	Native American Student Association	\$ 191.10
87	TOTAL		\$ 1,391.10

SECTION 4. No amount shall revert from the respective individual institutional service accounts back to the Reserve for Contingencies Account NISACONRSV.

SECTION 5. The amounts listed below shall revert from the respective individual academic competition team accounts back to the Academic Competition Team Reserve Account NISAACTRSV:

96	NISA0082AC	Aeronautics/Astronauts	\$ 1,590.00
97	NISA0133AC	Associated General Contractors Team	\$ 1,826.00
98	NISA0433AC	Environmental Design Competition Team	\$ 1,311.00
99	NISA0725AC	Mock Trial Club	\$ 1,360.46
100	TOTAL		\$ 6,087.46

SECTION 6. The amounts listed below shall revert from the respective individual fine arts council accounts back to the Fine Arts Student Groups Reserve Account NISAFARSV:

105	NISA0071FA	Am. Choral Directors	\$ 300.00
106	NISA0146FA	Audacity A Capella	\$ 486.66
107	NISA0534FA	In A Chord	\$ 300.00
108	NISA0568FA	Intl. Tuba Euphonium Association	\$ 1,000.00

109	NISA0753FA	Natl. Assoc. of Music Educators	\$ 304.56
110	NISA0795FA	On the Spot Improv	\$ 110.00
111	NISA0955FA	Sigma Alpha Iota	\$ 500.00
112	NISA1295FA	KKP & TBS F/A	\$ 300.00
113	NISA1315FA	Society of Composers	\$ 181.85
114	TOTAL		\$ 3,479.85

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116 **SECTION 7.** The amounts listed below shall revert from the respective institutional services accounts
117 back to the Reserve for Contingencies Account NISACONRSV:
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119	NISAIS0002	University for Mankind/Global Campus	\$ 49.00
120	NISAIS0004	Center for Advocacy, Response, and Education	\$ 21.80
121	TOTAL		\$ 70.80

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123 **GRAND TOTAL** **\$34,863.87**

**AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS
REGARDING THE SENATE OPERATIONS COMMITTEE**

4 **BY:** Anna Jackson, Matt Wiese

6 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continuously review and update the Kansas State University Student
7 Governing Association By-Laws;

9 **WHEREAS,** The Senate Operations Standing Committee oversees the editing of legislation; and

11 **WHEREAS,** Proposed Legislation should be corrected by the committee.

13 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

15 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 9.I of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
16 Laws is hereby created to read as follows:

18 Section. 9. Student Senate Standing Committees

20 6. Oversee the editing of proposed Student Senate legislation

- 21 a. All Legislation must be submitted to ~~Senate Operations Standing~~
22 ~~Committee no later than two calendar days~~ *three hours prior to*
23 *the Senate Operations Standing Committee being called to order,*
24 *to be considered for the next Student Senate meeting* called by the
25 Speaker of the Student Senate or Student Body President
26 *exceptions may be made at the discretion of the Speaker of the*
27 *Student Senate or Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair*
- 28 b. Make grammatical corrections to proposed legislation. The
29 Senate Operations Standing Committee may also make minor
30 changes in phrasing to clarify the intent of the sponsor of the
31 legislation; however, no other changes may be made without the
32 sponsor's consent. If the Senate Operations Standing Committee
33 Chair determines that the only items of business before the
34 Senate Operations Standing Committee are grammatical
35 corrections or minor changes, the Senate Operations Standing
36 Committee Chair and Vice Chair *or their designees* may make
37 such corrections or minor changes on behalf of the committee.
- 38 c. Exceptions may be made at the discretion of the Speaker of the
39 Student Senate *or the Senate Operations Standing Committee*
40 *Chair.*

42 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
43 body president.

4 **BY:** Anna Jackson, Matt Wiese

5 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continuously review and update the Kansas State University Student
6 Governing Association Statutes; and

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8 **WHEREAS,** Individuals should be able to voice their opinion on issues.
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10 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 53, of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is
13 hereby amended to read as follows:

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15 Section.53-0204 Debate

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17 C. Individuals may speak twice *in debate and if there is an amendment they may speak*
18 *an additional two times in the amendment* on the same issue.

19 D. Individuals with speaking privileges, having been recognized by the Speaker of the
20 Student Senate, may speak and/or yield time to one individual without speaking
21 privileges to ask questions or speak during debate. The floor and any remaining time
22 are relinquished to the person yielding after the individual without speaking
23 privileges has concluded his/her questions or debate. Yielding time to debate shall be
24 recognized as a single debate period for the individual yielding time.

25 *1. A speaker may not yield their speaking rights to another speaker that has*
26 *maxed out their speaking privileges in debate.*

27 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
28 body president.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE
MEETING MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 29, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 53 senators and 23 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Heyen
Senator Reichenberger
Senator Thomas
Senator Pracht

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Breen
Senator Brown
Senator Doll
Senator Wakim

OPEN PERIOD

UPC Forums Committee

- Fall debate series
- Union courtyard second Wednesday of every month
- Presidential Elections Debate
- Election Watch Party on November 8
 - Involve as many politically affiliated organizations

Dr. Stephanie Bannister

- Work group of 22 people
- Conversation about not just first year students, but all year
- Discovered redundancies in organizations who all wanted provide same resources to students
 - K-State First is a major organization in these efforts
 - University Experience is being taught as a first year seminar
 - Started Cat Communities for students to come together
- Needed to revamp Academic Assistance Center
 - Now it is Academic Coaching

- Currently 520 students in program
- Space migration allowed tutoring to acquire space from Holtz Hall
- Website has information for different presentations that are offered

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/11 Additions To Student Body President's Cabinet

Senator V. Valdez moved to consider the resolution

Introduced by President Van Ranken

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to pass the resolution unanimously

President Van Ranken swore in the individuals

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair J. Peuchen

- Privilege fee committee rapping up this week
- No legislation will be seen immediately because they are waiting on the JCOC members

Intern Coordinator Kiehl

- Looking for more mentors for the Interns

Chair Eberhardy

- Student Engagement Committee
- Wanted to inform senate of what they have been able to learn through their efforts
- PowerPoint can be found here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1085786/show>
- Senator V. Valdez moved to extend Chair Eberhardy's speaking time by five minutes

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Manhattan-Salina Relations Director

- Updated Senate on current status of Polytechnic

Director Everett

- Louis Lecture Event happened this week
- 892 hate groups across the country (map was passed around)
- Encouraged students to attend event at beginning of November to help end hate
- More information to come

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Encouraged senate to debate, all votes count the same as authors of bill
- We may disagree on certain points but never stop valuing peoples right to their opinion

Vice President Kennedy

- Andy Hurtig- Chair of health and wellness master planning committee
- Two consultants coming on 8-11am Union Room 206 Monday- will be interviewed and chosen consultant will be on campus in the next few months to help in these efforts.
- President and VP got invited to attend Josh Davis event but encouraged two students to take their tickets
 - Little Theatre project will be beginning sometime soon
 - Students will not have to give any further money to Union Renovation

President Van Ranken

- Will be out of town next week for a conference
 - NACOTA conference
- Work that Cabinet has been doing
 - Implementing more technology learning to the framework of K-State
 - EAB and Guidebook
- Director of Health and Safety
 - Collaborating with UPC, Counseling Services, etc.
 - Create relationships and partnerships to have events and priority on minds of students
 - Peer research on how other institutions deal with Veteran mental health on campus

Senator Mindrup moved to extend speakers time by five minutes

- Diversity
 - State of gathering information from different stakeholders on campus regarding improvement of attention to diversity
- Spoke with Dr. Bosco about needs based student scholarships
- Attending a listening event at Interim President General Myers house this Sunday
- October 10, Monday at 7pm co sponsoring civic engagement event where general Myers will be speaking on importance of civic engagement.
- Serve on budget advisory committee
 - Communications are sent out to faculty K-State Today
 - Working to get information put in to students K-State Today
- President's advisory board
 - Continue convening group so they can hear feedback on student concerns
- Weapon's advisory group
 - Going to Board of Regents soon
- Presidential Search Committee
 - New University president sometime this year

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/10 Inclusivity In Big 12 Conference Expansion (Amended 7-1-0; Favorably 7-1-0)

Addressed changes that were made in Executive Committee
Introduced by Graduate Senator McGee

Positive Debate:

Graduate Senator McGee

Negative Debate:

Senator Davis

Legislation was amended by Caucus Leader Martin

Seconded by Senator Barnett

Both second and amendment were rescinded

Senator Kennedy moved for a five-minute recess

Legislation was amended by Caucus Leader Martin

Seconded by Senator Barnett

Positive Debate:

Caucus Leader Martin

Senator Montague

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Senator Lowry

Chair Jackson

Graduate Senator McGee

Intern Moore

Chair Jackson moved to call previous question

2/3 majority vote to end debate

Debate ended

Voice vote to accept amendment

Amendment does not pass.

Legislation was Amended by Chair Crowder

Seconded by Senator Barnett

Positive Debate:

Chair Crowder

Negative Debate:

Vote on amendment

Amendment passed unanimously by a voice vote.

Debate on resolution

Positive Debate:

Senator Barnett

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Director Munyani

President Van Ranken

Senator Nordstrom

Negative Debate:

Senator Andrews
Chair V. Valdez
Senator Niederee

Senator Lowry moved to call previous question to end debate
2/3 majority vote to end debate
Debate ended

Resolution 16/17/10 passes by a vote of 38-18-0

Bill 16/17/09 Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Academic Competition Teams

Introduced by Senator Niederee

Positive Debate:

Senator Niederee

Negative Debate:

Moved by Chair Orth and seconded for a bulk roll call vote
2/3 majority vote to grant bulk roll call vote
Bulk roll call vote granted

Bill 16/17/09 passes by a vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/10 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Student Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects

Introduced by Senator Gutman

Positive Debate:

Senator Gutman

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/10 passes by a vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/11 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Modern Languages Graduate Student Association

Introduced by Senator Bogner

Positive Debate:

Senator Bogner

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/11 passes by a vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/12 FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Kappa Kappa Psi/Tau Beta Sigma

Introduced by Senator McIntire

Positive Debate:

Senator McIntire

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/12 passes by a vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/13 FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Nepalese Student Organization

Introduced by Senator Davis

Positive Debate:

Senator Davis

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/13 passes by a vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/14 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Institute of Managerial Accounting

Introduced by Senator Renz

Positive Debate:

Senator Renz

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/14 passes by a vote of 55-0-0

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/15 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Ag Ambassadors

Referred back to CAC

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/16 FY 2016 Closing Of Accounts

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/16

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Referred back to UAC

Bill 16/17/17 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Regarding The Senate Operations Committee

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/17

Introduced by Senator Wise

Referred back to Senate Operations

Bill 16/17/18 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/18

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Referred back to Senate Operations

OPEN PERIOD

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Thanked Senate for making it through long debate
- Voter registration in the Union from 10-1pm

- Saudi Arabia has been in news but it is a wonderful way to build a cultural connection next Thursday for Saudi National day from 10-2pm in the Union Courtyard

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/15 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/16 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/17 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/18 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

Senate Operations will be looking at six month rule and will propose legislation

ROLL CALL

There were 53 senators and 23 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Intern Mersmann moved to adjourn until Thursday, October 6 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 10:00pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Ronnie Grice, Chief of University Police Department and Assistant Vice President of Public Safety

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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Bill 16/17/15 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Ag Ambassadors

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/16 FY 2016 Closing Of Accounts
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INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/22 Travel Funding Allocation To Creative Arts Therapy Students

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/19 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Diversity Programming Committee Representation
Bill 16/17/20 FY 2016 Travel Allocation To Society Of Women Engineers
Bill 16/17/21 On-Campus Funding Allocation For SPICMACAY

OPEN PERIOD

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ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

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2. Proxies:
 - Jackson for Alamo
 - Eidemiller for McIntire
 - Barnett for P. Kennedy
3. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9 Student Engagment: 5pm GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	10 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	11 Legislative Executive Committee: 5:30pm	12	13 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	14	15
16 Special Committee on Membership: 3pm; location TBA Student Engagment: 5pm GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	17 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	18 Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	19	20 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	21	22 HOMECOMING

"Progress is impossible without change, and those who cannot change their minds cannot change anything." –
George Bernard Shaw

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 9-29-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1088493/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1090528/show>

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1088171/show>

- Decisions were made to fund SPICMACAY concert here at K-State.
- Decisions were made regarding Creative Arts Therapy Group.

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1088279/show>

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1089702/show>

- Wrapped up OSAS Privilege Fee review discussing the colligate readership program
- Discussed student privilege fee appeal

Senate Operations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1089333/show>

- Discussed Bills 16/17/17 and 16/17/18
- Reviewed submitted legislation

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1088722/show>

- Review and finalize CUF funds

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BY: College Allocations Committee

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NISA1215CW	Wildcat Wind Power	\$ 1,000.00
NISA1219CW	Edgerly Franklin	\$ 6.80
NISA1298CW	SPICMACAY	\$ 386.70
NISA1306CW	Wildcat Rocketry Club	\$ 400.00
NISA1318CW	Victory Lap Association	\$ 150.00
TOTAL		\$ 6,521.21

SECTION 2. The amounts listed below shall revert from the respective individual college council accounts back to the Reserve for Contingencies Account NISACONRSV:

NISA0022CC	Ag Education Club	\$ 800.00
NISA0024CC	Ag Student Council	\$ 1,123.11
NISA0044CC	Alpha Kappa Psi	\$ 471.09
NISA0076AC	ACJA American Criminal Justice	\$ 500.00
NISA0083CC	Am. Inst. of Architecture Students	\$ 1,000.00
NISA0085CC	Am. Inst. of Chemical Engineers	\$ 2,680.00
NISA0091CC	Am. Society of Civil Engineers	\$ 400.00
NISA0111CC	Apparel Marketing	\$ 800.00
NISA0115CC	Architectural Engineering Institute	\$ 1,000.00
NISA0118CC	Architecture Student Advisory Board	\$ 300.00
NISA0119CC	Army ROTC	\$ 15.61
NISA0120CC	Arnold Air Society	\$ 100.00
NISA0126CC	Arts and Science Ambassadors	\$ 730.00
NISA0128CC	Arts and Science Student Council	\$ 300.00

55	NISA0187CC	Block and Bridle	\$ 102.26
56	NISA0292CC	College of Business Ambassadors	\$ 300.00
57	NISA0301CC	Collegiate Cattlewomen	\$ 200.00
58	NISA0374CC	Education Student Council	\$ 84.15
59	NISA0384CC	Engineering College Council	\$ 300.00
60	NISA0387CC	Engineers without Borders	\$ 100.00
61	NISA0458CC	German Club	\$ 100.00
62	NISA0513CC	Horseman Association	\$ 120.00
63	NISA0522CC	Human Ecology Council	\$ 350.34
64	NISA0532CC	Illuminating Engineer Society	\$ 600.00
65	NISA0546CC	Institute of Industrial Engineers	\$ 1,066.26
66	NISA0547CC	Institute of Management Accountants	\$ 610.00
67	NISA0548CC	Institute of Transport Engineers	\$ 500.00
68	NISA0553CC	Interior Architecture Student Council	\$ 408.22
69	NISA0858CC	Pi Sigma Epsilon	\$ 900.00
70	NISA0878CC	Pre Dental Club	\$ 7.62
71	NISA0881CC	Pre Med Club	\$ 115.00
72	NISA0888CC	Pre Physician's Assistant Club	\$ 279.88
73	NISA0890CC	Pre Veterinary Medicine Club	\$ 500.00
74	NISA0994CC	Society of Human Resource Management	\$ 266.64
75	NISA1034CC	Steel Ring	\$ 592.37
76	NISA1057CC	Students of Cultural Studies	\$ 500.00
77	NISA1145CC	Theriogenology Club	\$ 182.00
78	NISA1192CC	Vet Business Management	\$ 300.00
79	TOTAL		\$18,704.55

SECTION 3. The amounts listed below shall revert from the following individual multicultural organization account back to the Reserve for Contingencies Account NISACONRSV:

NISA0130CW	Asian American Student Union	\$ 500.00
NISA0186CW	Black Student Union	\$ 700.00
NISA0770CW	Native American Student Association	\$ 191.10
TOTAL		\$ 1,391.10

SECTION 4. The amounts listed below shall revert from the respective institutional services accounts back to the Reserve for Contingencies Account NISACONRSV:

NISAIS0002	University for Mankind/Global Campus	\$ 49.00
NISAIS0004	Center for Advocacy, Response, and Education	\$ 21.80
TOTAL		\$ 70.80

SECTION 5. The amounts listed below shall revert from the respective individual academic competition team accounts back to the Academic Competition Team Reserve Account NISAACTRSV:

NISA0082AC	Aeronautics/Astronauts	\$ 1,590.00
NISA0133AC	Associated General Contractors Team	\$ 1,826.00
NISA0433AC	Environmental Design Competition Team	\$ 1,311.00
NISA0725AC	Mock Trial Club	\$ 1,360.46
TOTAL		\$ 6,087.46

SECTION 6. The amounts listed below shall revert from the respective individual fine arts council accounts back to the Fine Arts Student Groups Reserve Account NISAFARSV:

109	NISA0071FA	Am. Choral Directors	\$ 300.00
110	NISA0146FA	Audacity A Capella	\$ 486.66
111	NISA0534FA	In A Chord	\$ 300.00
112	NISA0568FA	Intl. Tuba Euphonium Association	\$ 1,000.00
113	NISA0753FA	Natl. Assoc. of Music Educators	\$ 304.56
114	NISA0795FA	On the Spot Improv	\$ 110.00
115	NISA0955FA	Sigma Alpha Iota	\$ 500.00
116	NISA1295FA	KKP & TBS F/A	\$ 300.00
117	<u>NISA1315FA</u>	<u>Society of Composers</u>	<u>\$ 181.85</u>
118	TOTAL		\$ 3,479.85
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120	GRAND TOTAL		\$34,863.87

2 AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
3 STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS
4 REGARDING THE SENATE OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

5 BY: Anna Jackson, Mathew Wiese

6 WHEREAS, It is necessary to continuously review and update the Kansas State University Student
7 Governing Association By-Laws;
89 WHEREAS, The Senate Operations Standing Committee oversees the editing of legislation; and
1011 WHEREAS, Proposed Legislation should be corrected by the committee.
1213 BE IT ENACTED THAT:
1415 SECTION 1. Article IV, Section 9.I of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
16 Laws is hereby created to read as follows:
1718 Section. 9. Student Senate Standing Committees
1920 6. Oversee the editing of proposed Student Senate legislation
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- 22 a. All Legislation must be submitted to
- ~~Senate Operations Standing~~
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- 23
- ~~Committee no later than two calendar days~~
- three hours prior to the*
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- 24
- Senate Operations Standing Committee being called to order, to be*
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- 25
- considered for the next Student Senate meeting called by the Speaker*
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- 26
- of the Student Senate or Student Body President. Exceptions may be*
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- 27
- made at the discretion of the Speaker of the Student Senate or Senate*
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- 28
- Operations Standing Committee Chair.*
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- 29 b. Make grammatical corrections to proposed legislation. The Senate
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- 30 Operations Standing Committee may also make minor changes in
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- 31 phrasing to clarify the intent of the sponsor of the legislation;
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- 32 however, no other changes may be made without the sponsor's
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- 33 consent. If the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair
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- 34 determines that the only items of business before the Senate
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- 35 Operations Standing Committee are grammatical corrections or
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- 36 minor changes, the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair and
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- 37 Vice Chair
- or their designees*
- may make such corrections or minor
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- 38 changes on behalf of the committee.
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- 39 c. Exceptions may be made at the discretion of the Speaker of the
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- 40 Student Senate
- or the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair.*

41 SECTION 2. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
42 body president.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES**
4 **REGARDING DEBATE**

5 **BY:** Anna Jackson, Matt Wiese

6 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continuously review and update the Kansas State University Student
7 Governing Association Statutes; and

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9 **WHEREAS,** Individuals should be able to voice their opinion on issues.

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11 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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13 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 53, of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is
14 hereby amended to read as follows:

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16 Section.53-0204 Debate

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18 C. Individuals may speak twice *on each piece of legislation and twice on each*
19 *amendment. All other motions refer to Roberts Rules of Order.*

20 D. Individuals with speaking privileges, having been recognized by the Speaker of the
21 Student Senate, may speak and/or yield time to one individual without speaking
22 privileges to ask questions or speak during debate. The floor and any remaining time
23 are relinquished to the person yielding after the individual without speaking
24 privileges has concluded his/her questions or debate. Yielding time to debate shall be
25 recognized as a single debate period for the individual yielding time.

26 *1. A speaker may not yield their speaking rights to someone that has speaking*
27 *privileges.*

28 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
29 body president.

4 **BY:** University Allocation Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Creative Arts Therapy Students are requesting funding to attend the North American
7 Drama Therapy Association in Seattle, Washington, where they will present to groups
8 from across the nation;
910 **WHEREAS,** The Creative Arts Therapy Students work with groups both on and off campus, focusing
11 on those who have been diagnosed with an autism spectrum disorder;
1213 **WHEREAS,** By receiving funding for the NADTA conference they, will have the opportunity to
14 continue to present information to Kansas State University students, faculty and members
15 of the community; and
1617 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:18
19 Project 1 – North American Drama Therapy Association Conference; October 27th-30th;
20 Seattle, Washington.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$500.00	\$500.00
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

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26 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**27
28 **SECTION 1.** The Creative Arts Therapy Students shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.
2930 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
31 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0328FA of Creative
32 Arts Therapy Students.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS
CONCERNING DIVERSITY PROGRAMMING
COMMITTEE REPRESENTATION**

BY: Stephen Kucera, Trent McGee and Jack Ayres

WHEREAS, The purpose of the Diversity Programming Committee (DPC) according to Chapter 24 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes (KSU SGA) is to fund “Projects intended to dissuade prejudice and discrimination based on race, ethnicity, religion, gender, mental or physical disability, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, geographic location or age”;

WHEREAS, There is not currently a representative on DPC who represents students with “mental or physical disability”; and

WHEREAS, It is necessary to continuously review and update the KSU SGA Statutes.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Article IV, Section 14, Subsection A of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follow:

A. Shall be composed of the following members:

1. The Chairperson shall be the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate, who shall vote only to break a tie.
2. Four Multicultural Student Representatives appointed by the Associate Provost for Diversity.
3. Four International Student Representatives appointed by the Director of International Student and Scholars Services.
4. One student representing religious diversity appointed by the Committee on Religion.
5. One student representing sexual diversity appointed by the Director of the LGBT Resource Center.
6. *One student representing disability diversity appointed by the Director of the Student Access Center.*
- ~~6-7.~~ One student-at-large and two student senators appointed by the SGA Executive Committee.
- ~~7-8.~~ The Multicultural Affairs Director and International Affairs Director, acting as ex-officio, non-voting members
- ~~8-9.~~ The Office of Student Activities and Services Director or a designee thereof, acting as an ex officio, non-voting member.

B. A quorum of the committee shall be seven (7) members, not including the chair. Meetings of the committee shall be called by the chair.

C. All students on the committee must be in good standing and currently enrolled with the University.

SECTION 2. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The college allocations committee received and reviewed the request of the Society of Women Engineers;

WHEREAS, The Society of Women Engineers will be taking 20 members to the Society of Women Engineers Annual National Conference on October 26th-30th;

WHEREAS, The conference attendees will be able to network with companies that the club can ask to come speak at their meeting and attend informational sessions;

WHEREAS, The conference allows attendees the possibility to attend a career fair that is made up of over 300 companies looking for intern and full time positions; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 –Society of Women Engineers Annual National Conference; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; October 26th-30th.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1000.00	\$1000.00
TOTAL	\$1000.00	\$1000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Society of Women Engineers shall be allocated \$1000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1009CC of the Society of Women Engineers.

3 **BY:** University Allocations Committee4
5 **WHEREAS,** The university allocations committee received and reviewed the on-campus funding
6 request of Society for Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Among Youth
7 (SPICMACAY);8
9 **WHEREAS,** SPICMACAY is a student organization whose goal is to promote Indian culture among
10 students;11
12 **WHEREAS,** SPICMACAY attempts to blend both American and Indian cultures for foreign students
13 at Kansas State University (K-State) through various events during the year;14
15 **WHEREAS,** The Raga Fall 2016 event will provide students with the opportunity to hear traditional
16 Indian music from an American professor in hopes of promoting western style music and
17 diversity at K-State; and18
19 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:20
21 Project 1 – Raga Fall 2016 - Saanjh Sitar; October 29th, 2016; K-State Alumni Center.22
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotions	\$150.00	\$150.00
LSE Fees	\$2,800.00	\$2,800.00
Rent of Space	\$300.00	\$300.00
<u>Rent of Equipment</u>	<u>\$150.00</u>	<u>\$150.00</u>
TOTAL	\$3,400.00	\$3,400.00

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30 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**31
32 **SECTION 1.** Society for Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Among Youth shall be
33 allocated \$3,400.00 for the event described.34
35 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0992FA of the
37 Society for Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Among Youth.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

OCTOBER 6, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 46 senators and 17 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Alamo
Senator McIntire
Senator Kennedy

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Andres
Senator Breen
Senator Elliot
Senator Frankel
Senator Grosdidier
Senator Gutman
Senator Lonker
Senator Montague
Senator Roman
Senator B. Valdez
Senator Wakim

Intern DeMaranville
Intern Garcia
Intern Kelly
Intern Khoury
Intern Kinsey
Intern Markel
Intern Tuttle
Intern Works

OPEN PERIOD

Ronnie Grice, Chief of University Police Department and Assistant Vice President of Public Safety

- Police department has 40-50 employees
- Go through the same training as any law enforcement agency in Kansas
- July 1, 2017 there will be concealed carry allowed on the K-State campus
- University is preparing for potential of increasing staff
- There have been no clown sightings on campus
- The K-State officers wear body cameras
- Direct Officer number for Chief Grice: 785-532-6412

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

There were none.

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Jackson

- How legislation looks when it is created
- https://docs.google.com/document/d/1RKG8r9pp1k9eo1LTHy-DXpmUp4fP9-yVgYxCtxO_QDc/edit?usp=sharing
- Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to extend Chair Jackson's time by 5 minutes
- Committee looked at changing part of the constitution
- Will introduce legislation at next week's meeting
- Have been working on filling vacancies and misc. SGA

Chair Crowder

- Let him know if you have project ideas for City University Funds

Chair J. Peuchen

- Privilege fee is starting student activity fee review
- Monday at 5:30pm in the Konza room
- Past Monday wrapped up OSAS review and will have legislation soon once JCOC meets
- Request about student wanting to appeal student fees, will not be pursuing request any further

Chief of Staff DeLoach

- President and VP say hello from their conference
- SGA is hosting General Meyers Monday at 7:30pm in the Alumni Center
 - Voter registration and tables will be present
 - General Meyers will be giving perspective on the world and civic engagement
- Thank you letter sent from SAGA
- Total Rewards Program announcement coming out tomorrow from VP Morris, attempts to classify jobs across the university
 - Attempt to standardize and develop salary ranges so we can see how people fit in the 25 to 75th percentile
 - Cause a cost for students
 - Fair labor standards act, minimum salary that is relevant, many people exempt from overtime will no longer be exempt

Director Garcia

- October 9-10th resources to transfer students
- Informative video in the works

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Student Union has had a week of being open for 24 hours a day
- PowerPoint can be found here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1092622/show>
- Diversity 2025 meeting Monday's at 4pm in Union 206
- Lou Douglas lecture Tuesday at 7pm in the K-State Student Union Grand Ballroom

Speaker Ayres

- Texas A&M two senators up for expulsion due to derogatory terms happening on senate group chat
 - Reminder for everyone to be appropriate

DIRECTOR REPORTS

There were none.

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/15 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Ag Ambassadors

Senator Mindrup moved to approve the minor allocation

Voice vote to approve minor allocation

Minor allocation was approved

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/16 FY 2016 Closing Of Accounts

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Postive Debate:

Chair A. Peuchen

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/16 passes by a vote of 48-0-0

**Bill 16/17/17 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
By-Laws Regarding The Senate Operations Committee (Favorably 5-0-0)
Introduced by Chair Jackson**

Positive Debate:

Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:

**Chair J. Peuchen moved we hold bills for bulk roll call
Passed by a hand vote**

Bill 16/17/17 passes by a vote of 48-0-0

**Bill 16/17/18 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
Statutes (Favorably 5-0-0)
Introduced by Chair Jackson**

Positive Debate:

Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/18 passes by a vote of 48-0-0

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Senator Pracht moved we consider the minor allocations

**Bill 16/17/22 Travel Funding Allocation To Creative Arts Therapy Students
Referred back to University Allocations Committee**

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Intern Medley moved to consider bill 16/17/19

**Bill 16/17/19 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
By-Laws Concerning Diversity Programming Committee Representation
Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera
Referred back to the Senate Executive Committee**

Intern Mersmann moved we consider Bill 16/17/20

**Bill 16/17/20 FY 2016 Travel Allocation To Society Of Women Engineers
Introduced by Senator Pracht
Referred back to the College Allocation Committee**

Intern Wilkerson moved we consider Bill 16/17/21

Bill 16/17/21 On-Campus Funding Allocation For SPICMACAY

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Referred back to the University Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Mindrup

- Delta Sigma Phi is having a new philanthropy that will be selling raffle tickets
 - In November will draw raffle tickets and people get to run through HyVee and grab groceries
 - Will benefit the Red Cross

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Congratulations to Senator Reichenberger on his recent marriage

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/19 was referred back to the Senate Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/20 was referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/21 was referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/22 was referred back to the University Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

Chair Jackson

- Next week there will be constitutional amendments, by law amendments and may have statute amendments

ROLL CALL

There were 47 senators and 18 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Intern Mersmann moved to adjourn until Thursday, October 13 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 8:39pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Greg Willems - President and CEO, Kansas State University Foundation
Jack Nolte – Mortar Board

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/12 Approval Of New Student Senator

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/22 Travel Funding Allocation To Creative Arts Therapy Students (**Favorably 9-0-0**)

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/19 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Diversity Programming Committee Representation (**Favorably 6-0-0**)
Bill 16/17/20 FY 2016 Travel Allocation To Society Of Women Engineers (**Favorably 8-0-0**)
Bill 16/17/21 On-Campus Funding Allocation For SPICMACAY (**Favorably 9-0-0**)

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/13 Kansas State University Student Governing Association Recommendations For The Disbursement Of The City/University Special Projects Fund For Calendar Year 2018
Bill 16/17/23 Amendments To The Kansas Constitution Regarding Constitutional Amendments
Bill 16/17/24 FY 17 On Campus Allocation College of Education Council
Bill 16/17/25 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Blue Key Honor Society

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. The application for the 2016-2017 Elections Commissioner is now live and will be open until Friday, October 28th at midnight. The form can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/224088>
2. Please fill out the mid-semester survey. It is important for the leadership to know what Senators and Interns are thinking!
 - Senators: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/224363>
 - Interns: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/224911>
3. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.
4. Proxies:
 - Orth for Eidemiller
 - Thomas for Mindrup
 - Barnett for McIntire
 - Renz for Fleming
 - Klahr for Bertz
 - Elliott for Holder
 - B. Johnson for Wiese
 - Niederee for Comstock
5. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
16 Special Committee on Membership: 3pm; location TBA Student Engagment: 5pm GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	17 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	18 Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	19	20 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	21	22 HOMECOMING
23 Student Engagment: 5pm GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	24 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	25 Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	26	27 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	28	29

"A good leader leads the people from above them. A great leader leads the people from within them."

M. D. Arnold

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 10-6-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1093490/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1096881/show>

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1094563/show>

- Decisions were made to fund Blue Key Honor Society.

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1094577/show>

- Introductions
- Presentation by the college of education council
- Budget update
- Reference of three bills to legislation.

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1096901/show>

- Heard presentations for the Privilege Fee review of the Student Activity Fee from the CARE Office, Graduate Student Council, and Academic Competition Teams

Senate Operations Committee:

Link:

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link:

Student Engagement Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1096140/show>

- Talk about some of our experiences in the groups that we have been making connections with and explaining our attendance policy in more detail.
- Messages to Senate
 - Make sure that other groups on campus are aware that we exist and know that we have the ability to help in some situations.
 - Eventually we want to build connections with all of the groups that we have been visiting so that when election season comes around we can have a more diverse and knowledgeable senate.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/12**

APPROVAL OF NEW STUDENT SENATOR

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3 **BY:** Senate Operations Committee

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5 **WHEREAS,** Brice Valdez has chosen to resign the position of student senator for the College of
6 Human Ecology; and

7
8 **WHEREAS,** Molly Klein has the next highest vote total for the College of Human Ecology.

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10 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** Molly Klein be approved as a student senator for the College of Human Ecology.

4 **BY:** University Allocation Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Creative Arts Therapy Students are requesting funding to attend the North American
7 Drama Therapy Association in Seattle, Washington, where they will present to groups
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15 of the community; and
1617 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:18
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20 Seattle, Washington.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$500.00	\$500.00
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

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2526 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**27
28 **SECTION 1.** The Creative Arts Therapy Students shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.
2930 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
31 funds shall be transferred from NISAFASRSV to the account NISA0328FA of Creative
32 Arts Therapy Students.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS
CONCERNING DIVERSITY PROGRAMMING
COMMITTEE REPRESENTATION**

BY: Stephen Kucera, Trent McGee and Jack Ayres

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6. *One student representing disability diversity appointed by the Director of the Student Access Center.*
- ~~6-7.~~ One student-at-large and two student senators appointed by the SGA Executive Committee.
- ~~7-8.~~ The Multicultural Affairs Director and International Affairs Director, acting as ex-officio, non-voting members
- ~~8-9.~~ The Office of Student Activities and Services Director or a designee thereof, acting as an ex officio, non-voting member.

B. A quorum of the committee shall be seven (7) members, not including the chair. Meetings of the committee shall be called by the chair.

C. All students on the committee must be in good standing and currently enrolled with the University.

SECTION 2. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The college allocations committee received and reviewed the request of the Society of Women Engineers;

WHEREAS, The Society of Women Engineers will be taking 20 members to the Society of Women Engineers Annual National Conference on October 26th-30th;

WHEREAS, The conference attendees will be able to network with companies that the club can ask to come speak at their meeting and attend informational sessions;

WHEREAS, The conference allows attendees the possibility to attend a career fair that is made up of over 300 companies looking for intern and full time positions; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 –Society of Women Engineers Annual National Conference; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; October 26th-30th.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1000.00	\$1000.00
TOTAL	\$1000.00	\$1000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Society of Women Engineers shall be allocated \$1000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1009CC of the Society of Women Engineers.

3 **BY:** University Allocations Committee4
5 **WHEREAS,** The university allocations committee received and reviewed the on-campus funding
6 request of Society for Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Among Youth
7 (SPICMACAY);8
9 **WHEREAS,** SPICMACAY is a student organization whose goal is to promote Indian culture among
10 students;11
12 **WHEREAS,** SPICMACAY attempts to blend both American and Indian cultures for foreign students
13 at Kansas State University (K-State) through various events during the year;14
15 **WHEREAS,** The Raga Fall 2016 event will provide students with the opportunity to hear traditional
16 Indian music from an American professor in hopes of promoting western style music and
17 diversity at K-State; and18
19 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:20
21 Project 1 – Raga Fall 2016 - Saanjh Sitar; October 29th, 2016; K-State Alumni Center.22
23

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotions	\$150.00	\$150.00
LSE Fees	\$2,800.00	\$2,800.00
Rent of Space	\$300.00	\$300.00
<u>Rent of Equipment</u>	<u>\$150.00</u>	<u>\$150.00</u>
TOTAL	\$3,400.00	\$3,400.00

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30 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**31
32 **SECTION 1.** Society for Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Among Youth shall be
33 allocated \$3,400.00 for the event described.34
35 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1298CW of the
37 Society for Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Among Youth.

2 **KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE DISBURSEMENT**
5 **OF THE CITY/UNIVERSITY SPECIAL PROJECTS FUND**
6 **FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2018**

7 **BY:** Governmental Relations Committee

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9 **WHEREAS,** The 1993-1994 student senate supported the annexation of the Kansas State
10 University(K-State) campus by the city of Manhattan;

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12 **WHEREAS,** Students at K-State contribute significant amounts of money to the city's economy
13 through the payments of sales taxes and franchise fees generated by the sale of items on
14 the K-State campus;

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23 senate and university support staff senate submit prioritized lists of projects to be funded
24 from the City/University Special Projects Fund in calendar year 2018;

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27 university support staff representatives to discuss priorities and create a majority and a
28 minority report;

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30 **WHEREAS,** Student senate's priority list has historically served as the framework for the president's
31 recommendation to the city of Manhattan concerning the usage of City/University
32 Special Projects Fund monies;

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34 **WHEREAS,** The governmental relations committee has reviewed student, administration and city
35 project proposals for calendar year 2018; and

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37 **WHEREAS,** The projects listed below are believed to be the most beneficial to the students of K-State
38 and the residents of the city of Manhattan in 2018.

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40 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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2 AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS CONSITUTION
3 REGARDING COSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

4 BY: Senate Operations Committee

5 WHEREAS, The amount of college councils needed to ratify constitutional amendments has not happened for
6 the past ten years;7
8 WHEREAS, College caucus's meet on a regular basis; and9
10 WHEREAS, Six months is arbitrarily to long for the ratification process.11
12 BE IT ENACTED THAT:13
14 SECTION 1. Article V of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution is
15 hereby amended as follows:16 1001. Any member of Student Senate may propose an amendment to this Constitution,
17 which must be approved by three-fourths majority vote of the total Student Senate
18 selected and qualified. The Student Senate shall designate one of the following methods
19 of ratification of the proposed amendment:

- 20 a. Ratification by
- a majority of the six of the nine-college councils*
- . If a college
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- 21 council has not voted on ratification within
- two weeks six months*
- of notification
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- 22
- ~~submission of the proposed amendment the amendment vote of that college~~
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- 23
- ~~council shall be referred to the college's caucus. The caucus then has two weeks~~
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- 24
- ~~to vote on ratification. A written statement of the result of the vote of each college~~
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- ~~council or caucus shall be returned to the Student Senate Secretary. If no vote~~
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- ~~takes place it shall be counted as a vote in favor of ratification. Otherwise, a~~
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- 27
- ~~written statement of the result of the vote of each college council or caucus shall~~
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- ~~be returned to the Student Senate Secretary, who shall count the votes and inform~~
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- ~~Student Senate of the results. Unless otherwise specified amendments shall~~
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- ~~become effective when enough votes have been obtained for ratification. When~~
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- ~~Votes are sufficient to ratify the amendment, the amendment shall become~~
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- 32
- ~~effective upon the shall be announced by the Speaker of the Student Senate's~~
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- 33
- ~~announcement of the results to Student Senate during the next Student Senate~~
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- 34 meeting thereafter.

- 35 b. Ratification by election in which at least one-third of the student body shall vote
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- 36 and two-thirds of those voting shall concur.

37 SECTION 2. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
38 body president.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, College of Education Council is an organization that hosts two C2 Speakers Forum events every year where students are able to hear personal experiences from educators;

WHEREAS, College of Education Council is hosting Fredi Lajvardi, the teacher of whom “Spare Parts” is written about. Students will be excited to hear from such a prominent speaker and the Education Council is hoping for over 200 students in attendance;

WHEREAS, The events described will benefit the student body and college of education by hosting a prominent speaker to talk about his experiences as an instructor. Additionally Fredi will be able to provide valuable insight as to what makes a successful educator;

WHEREAS, Lajvardi, a teacher at Carl Hayden Community High School, will be able to relate to students by participating in engaging conversation about overcoming his personal and professional challenges; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – C2 Speaker Forum, November 3rd, Kansas State University, Student Union, Flint Hills Room.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Rent of Space	\$55.00	\$55.00
Promotion	\$900.00	\$400.00
<u>Lecturer</u>	<u>\$2,000.00</u>	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
TOTAL	\$2,955.00	\$1,455.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Education Council shall be allocated \$1,455.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0374CC.

BY: University Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The university allocations committee received and reviewed the request of the Blue Key Honor Society;

WHEREAS, The Blue Key Honor Society will be taking 14 members to the Blue Key National Convention on January 12th-15th;

WHEREAS, The conference attendees will be able to gain knowledge through networking and workshops as to how they can better the Blue Key Honor Society at Kansas State University (KSU);

WHEREAS, Blue Key Honor Society leads Quest Freshmen Honorary and the Catalyst program, as well as various other events for KSU; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
Project 1 –Blue Key National Convention; Clemson, South Carolina; January 12th-15th.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Blue Key Honor Society shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0188CW of Blue Key National Honor Society.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

OCTOBER 13, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera called the meeting to order at 7:01pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 45 senators and 21 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Eidemiller
Senator Mindrup
Senator McIntire
Senator Fleming
Senator Bertz
Senator Holder
Senator Wiese
Senator Comstock

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Barnett
Senator Bogner
Senator Breen
Senator Brown
Senator Davis
Senator Frankel
Senator Grosdidier
Senator Lowry
Senator Wakim
Senator Lonker
Senator Langvardt

OPEN PERIOD

Greg Willems - President and CEO, Kansas State University Foundation

- Served at University of Hawaii Foundation
- Manages half billion dollar endowment for K-State
- Working to bring in corporate partners for K-State

- Tasked solely for advancing the University
 - 126 people work for the Foundation
- 15 external members on the board of directors with diverse backgrounds
- Board of trustees made up of several hundred K-Stater's and non-K-Stater's
 - Come to campus twice a year
 - Informed with factual information on current campus issues
- KSU Student Foundation- 45 members
 - Originated K-State Proud
- Manage over 6,400 individual accounts
 - Over \$150 million dollar average
- \$72.2 million in cash went from the Foundation to K-State
- \$14.5 million for scholarships
- Athletics and Alumni Association are big partners because they coordinate a lot on what they do for K-State
- Innovation and Inspiration campaign

Jack Nolte – Mortar Board

- Outstanding Freshman, Sophomore, and Junior scholarship
- Application is on OrgSync and due November 4th
- Two 25

State Representative, Sydney Carlin

- Wanted Senate to know that she is here to listen to us
- Encouraged Senate to vote
- Looking for interns
 - Need to have in place by December

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Senator Pracht moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The application for the 2016-2017 Elections Commissioner is now live and will be open until Friday, October 28th at midnight. The form can be found at the following link:
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2. Please fill out the mid-semester survey. It is important for the leadership to know what Senators and Interns are thinking!
 - Senators: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/224363>
 - Interns: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/224911>
3. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/12 Approval Of New Student Senator

Chair Orth moved to consider Resolution 16/17/12

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the Resolution unanimously

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera swore in the individual

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Eberhardy

HALO

- From 8-12pm will be going to Junction City to help clean up
- Need 4 people
- Homecoming football game is at 11am

Senator Kennedy

- Asian American Student Union
- Fundraiser on October 23
- \$5, Pho will be served at International Student Center from 6-9pm
- Senator Kennedy will have wristbands

Chair Crowder

- City University Funds PowerPoint

Chair J. Peuchen

- Three groups asking Student Privilege Fee for increases
- Monday at 5:30pm

Chair Jackson

- Senate Operations work meeting on legislation
- Moved to Wefald Hall conference room
- 7pm on Monday

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Conversation with Vice Chairs regarding minute taking
- Will have Caucus time during Senate meeting
- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1098647/show>

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

Colleges discussed issues and topics

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/22 Travel Funding Allocation To Creative Arts Therapy Students
(Favorably 9-0-0)

Senator Pracht moved to approve Bill 16/17/22
Bill 16/17/22 was approved

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/19 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
By-Laws Concerning Diversity Programming Committee Representation
(Favorably 6-0-0)

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Senator Pracht moved to refer back to Senate Executive Committee

Voice vote passed to send Bill 16/17/19 back to the Senate Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/20 FY 2016 Travel Allocation To Society Of Women Engineers (Favorably 8-0-0)

Introduced by Senator Pracht

Positive Debate:

Senator Pracht

Negative Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen moved to hold Bills 16/17/20 and 16/17/21 for bulk roll call

2/3 vote passed to hold Bills 16/17/20 and 16/17/21 for bulk roll call

Bill 16/17/20 passed by a bulk roll call vote of 50-0-0

Bill 16/17/21 On-Campus Funding Allocation For SPICMACAY (Favorably 9-0-0)

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair A. Peuchen

Bill 16/17/21 passed by a bulk roll call vote of 50-0-0

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/13 Kansas State University Student Governing Association

Recommendations For The Disbursement Of The City/University

Special Projects Fund For Calendar Year 2018

Introduced by Chair Crowder

Chair J. Peuchen moved that the author be allowed to summarize

Voice roll call vote passed unanimously that author be allowed to summarize

**Bill 16/17/23 Amendments To The Kansas Constitution Regarding Constitutional
Amendments**

Senator Pracht moved we consider Bill/16/17/23

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Chair Jackson objected to summarize Bill 16/17/23

Bill 16/17/23 was sent back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/24 FY 17 On Campus Allocation College of Education Council

Senator Pracht moved we consider Bill 16/17/24

Introduced by Senator Alamo

Bill 16/17/24 was sent back to the Senate Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/25 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Blue Key Honor Society

Intern Penny moved we consider Bill 16/17/25

Introduced by Senator Sabatini

Bill 16/17/25 was sent back to the University Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD**Senator Reichenberger**

- Mail-in voting is easy
- Encouraged Senate to engage in this form of voting

Senator Pracht

- Intern program mentioned by Sydney Carlin
- Chat with him regarding internship

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/19 was sent back to the Senate Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/23 was sent back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/24 was sent back to the Senate Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/25 was sent back to the University Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS**Chair Jackson**

- Senate Operations Committee is working on two by-law legislations and statutes

ROLL CALL

There were 44 senators and 17 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Pracht moved to adjourn until Thursday, October 20 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 9:20pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Becky Carnes - Peace Corps' K-State Campus Representative

Usha Redi - Mayor of the City of Manhattan, KS

Jeff Mittie - Head Coach of K-State Women's Basketball

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/14 Commendation To Kansas State University Personal Financial Planning Student Team

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/13 Kansas State University Student Governing Association Recommendations For The Disbursement Of The City/University Special Projects Fund For Calendar Year 2018

Bill 16/17/24 FY 17 On Campus Allocation College of Education Council

Bill 16/17/25 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Blue Key Honor Society
(Favorably 5-0-0)

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/28 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Wildcats Against Sexual Violence Student Association

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/26 Amendments to the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning the Diversity Programming Committee

Bill 16/17/27 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Regarding College Caucuses

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

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ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

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5. Proxy form changes
6. Proxies:
 - Andres for Niederee
 - Orth for Fleming
 - McGee for Reichenberger
 - Ogren for Heyen
 - Mindrup for Thomas
 - Barnett for McIntire
 - Jackson for Alamo
7. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
23 Student Engagment: 5pm GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	24 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	25 Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	26	27 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	28	29
30 Special Committee on Membership: 3pm; location TBA Student Engagment: 5pm GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	31 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	1 Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	2	3 Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	4	5 The ‘cats take on OSU!

“If you hit the target every time it’s too near or too big.” – Tom Hirshfield

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 10-13-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1099198/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1103843/show>

- Bill 16/17/19 held in committee on a 7-0-0 vote
- Discussed collegiate readership program and constitutional amendments regarding college councils
- Decided on committee sickness attendance policy

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1100415/show>

- Decisions were made to fund Wildcats Against Sexual Violence.

College Allocations Committee: No meeting.

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1101787/show>

- Asked representatives questions about proposals for the Student Activity Fee
- Campus Organizations, Open House, Multicultural Student Organizations, and Diversity Programming Committee received continuances
- College Councils received a 100% reduction and UFM received a 3% reduction
- Academic Competition Teams received a 100% increase
- CARE Office and Graduate Student Council will be debated next week

Senate Operations Committee:

Link:

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link:

Student Engagement Committee:

Link:

Diversity Programming Committee:

- Minutes for the last three weeks can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/14**

2 **COMMENDATION TO KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **PERSONAL FINANCIAL PLANNING STUDENT TEAM**

4 **BY:** Blake Medley, Jonathan Peuchen

5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University's Personal Financial Planning Student team competed in the
7 Financial Planning Challenge at the 2016 Financial Planning Association Annual
8 conference September 14th-16th in Baltimore, Maryland;
9

10 **WHEREAS,** Since the inception of the challenge in 2001, the University's student team has
11 consistently made it to the finals every year;
12

13 **WHEREAS,** The team consisted of Lindsay Adams, Stephen Phillips, and Nolan Keim. All team
14 members are seniors studying personal financial planning;
15

16 **WHEREAS,** The team was coached by Ann Coulson, Assistant Professor in the School of Family
17 Studies and Human Services;
18

19 **WHEREAS,** The team was among eight finalists selected after a nationwide competition in which all
20 teams prepared a written financial plan for hypothetical clients. At the finals, the teams
21 orally presented their case studies and participated in the "How Do You Know?"
22 Challenge; and
23

24 **WHEREAS,** The Personal Financial Planning Student Team placed third overall in the Financial
25 Planning Challenge.
26

27 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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29 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates
30 the Kansas State University Personal Financial Planning Student Team for its hard work
31 and effort that resulted in third place honors at the 2016 Financial Planning Association
32 national conference.
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34 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of
35 this resolution be sent to all team members and their families, Assistant Professor and
36 Team Advisor Ann Coulson, Institute of Personal Financial Planning Program Director
37 Kristy Archuleta, Dean of the College of Human Ecology John Buckwalter and Interim
38 President General Richard B. Myers.

2 **KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
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70 Senate Carol Marden, Vice President of University Support Staff Senate Carrie Fink,
71 Faculty Affairs Co-Chair Charles Barden, Faculty Affairs Co-Chair David Lehman,
72 Faculty Senate Committee on Technology Co-Chair Lisa Crawford-Craft, Faculty Senate
73 Committee on Technology Co-Chair Michael Raine, Professional Staff Affairs Co-Chair
74 Loleta Sump, Professional Staff Co-Chair MaryAnne Andrews, Ex-Oficio Past President
75 University Support Staff Senate Pam Warren, Faculty Senate Committee on University
76 Planning Chair Spencer Wood, Academic Affairs Committee Chair Teresa Hartman,
77 Faculty Senate Administrative Specialist Candace LaBerge.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, College of Education Council is an organization that hosts two C2 Speakers Forum events every year where students are able to hear personal experiences from educators;

WHEREAS, College of Education Council is hosting Fredi Lajvardi, the teacher of whom “Spare Parts” is written about. Students will be excited to hear from such a prominent speaker and the Education Council is hoping for over 200 students in attendance;

WHEREAS, The events described will benefit the student body and college of education by hosting a prominent speaker to talk about his experiences as an instructor. Additionally Fredi will be able to provide valuable insight as to what makes a successful educator;

WHEREAS, Lajvardi, a teacher at Carl Hayden Community High School, will be able to relate to students by participating in an engaging conversation about overcoming his personal and professional challenges; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – C2 Speaker Forum, November 3rd, Kansas State University, Student Union, Flint Hills Room.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Rent of Space	\$55.00	\$55.00
Promotion	\$900.00	\$400.00
<u>LSE</u>	<u>\$2,000.00</u>	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
TOTAL	\$2,955.00	\$1,455.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. College of Education Council shall be allocated \$1,455.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0374CC.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The university allocations committee received and reviewed the request of the Blue Key
7 Honor Society;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Blue Key Honor Society will be taking 14 members to the Blue Key National
10 Convention on January 12th-15th;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The conference attendees will be able to gain knowledge through networking and
13 workshops as to how they can better the Blue Key Honor Society at Kansas State
14 University (KSU);
1516 **WHEREAS,** Blue Key Honor Society leads Quest Freshmen Honorary and the Catalyst program, as
17 well as various other events for KSU; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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21 Project 1 –Blue Key National Convention; Clemson, South Carolina; January 12th-15th.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** Blue Key Honor Society shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0188CW of Blue
33 Key Honor Society.

2 **WILDCATS AGAINST SEXUAL VIOLENCE STUDENT ASSOCIATION**3
4 **BY:** Mathew Khoury, Andrew Peuchen5
6 **WHEREAS,** University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the
7 Wildcats Against Sexual Violence Student Association (WASV);8
9 **WHEREAS,** WASV will be taking three members November 16th-17th to Kansas City, Missouri for the
10 Heartland Campus Safety Conference;11
12 **WHEREAS,** Attendance of this conference will benefit K-State administrators, faculty, staff and
13 students to provide education and training for preventing and responding to sexual
14 assault, intimate partner violence, and violence;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by students at the conference contain material that they will
17 implement into Kansas State University community in order to make the campus safer as
18 well as educate everyone on sexual violence and how to help;19
20 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards registration and travel expenses; and21
22 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
23
24 Project 1 – Heartland Campus Safety Conference; Kansas City, Missouri; November 16th-
25 17th.26
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	\$400.00	\$400.00
TOTAL	\$400.00	\$400.00

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31 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**32
33 **SECTION 1.** Wildcats Against Sexual Violence shall be allocated \$400.00 for the event described.34
35 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1343CW of Wildcats
37 Against Sexual Violence.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES CONCERNING**
4 **THE DIVERSITY PROGRAMMING COMMITTEE**

5 **BY:** Stephen Kucera

6
7 **WHEREAS,** There is not currently a representative on Diversity Programming Committee who
8 represents students who have disabilities; and
9

10 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continuously review and update the Kansas State University Student
11 Governing Association Statutes.
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13 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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15 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 24 of the Kansas State Student Governing Association Statutes is hereby
16 amended to read as follow:
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18 **Chapter 24:**

19 **Diversity Programming Committee Allocation Guidelines**

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21 **24-01 Procedures for the Diversity Programming Committee (DPC)**

22 24-0101 The Diversity Programming Committee shall consist of ~~12~~ 14 voting members as
23 provided for in Article IV, Section 14 of the Kansas State University Student
24 Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws.

25 24-0102 Committee members shall be selected not later than the first Friday in September

26 24-0103 Each semester, the committee shall solicit proposals for large-scale, student-centered,
27 diversity enhancing projects. Included in the cover letter attached to the
28 application shall be the purpose and intent of DPC, the due date for project
29 proposals, and the criteria for consideration in the allocation of DPC funds.

30 24-0104 Each semester, the DPC Chair and Office of Student Activities and Services accountant
31 must host a DPC budget request training session for student organizations.

32 24-0105 DPC proposals shall be due to the Office of Student Activities and Services by 4:00 p.m.
33 on the first Friday of September for projects falling between November 1st and
34 the last day of the fall semester, the last Friday of October for projects falling
35 between the first day of spring semester and March 15th, the last Friday of
36 January for projects falling between March 16th and the last day of spring
37 semester and the Friday before Spring Break for projects falling between the first
38 day of fall semester and October 31st, should the funding base continue to be
39 supplied.

40 24-0106 DPC funds will be divided over four quarters.

41 24-0107 The committee shall make a decision concerning whether or not to fund the proposals
42 within four weeks of the respective due date.

43 24-0108 Proposals received after the September, October, January, and March due dates will be
44 considered for funding the following quarter.

45 24-0109 The committee may not grant the same organization funding for more than two projects
46 per fiscal year.

47 24-0110 The Chair of DPC will present a report to Student Senate regarding the status of DPC
48 funding allocations and projects once each semester, ensuring that each term's
49 Senate body receives two updates during its tenure.
50

51 **24-02 Rules for Diversity Programming Fund Allocations**

52 24-0201 Use of DPC funds is limited to the following purposes:

53 A. Projects sponsored primarily by student organizations in good standing with the
54 university.

- 55 B. Projects intended to dissuade prejudice and discrimination based on race, ethnicity,
56 religion, gender, ~~mental or physical~~ disability, sexual orientation, socioeconomic
57 status, geographic location, or age.
- 58 C. Requests for allocations of \$3,000.00 or more.
- 59 D. Projects primarily for Kansas State University students, with priority extended to
60 projects held on campus; no traveling or conference expenditures will be funded.
- 61 E. Projects free and open to all Kansas State University students.
- 62 24-0202 Organizations interested in hosting projects that adhere to the stipulations outlined in
63 Section 18-0201 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
64 (KSU SGA) Statutes shall:
- 65 A. Submit their project proposals to DPC before requesting funding for any other KSU
66 SGA source.
- 67 B. Only apply for funding from another KSU SGA source after missing DPC's quarterly
68 deadline or DPC does not choose to fund the project.
- 69 C. Be prohibited from using other KSU SGA funds to supplement or replace allocations
70 from DPC.
- 71 24-0203 DPC allocations will not be held to KSU SGA funding guidelines but will meet state
72 regulations
- 73 24-0204 In special circumstances should a student organization wish to substitute a lecturer,
74 speaker and/or entertainer, the student organization must consult with the DPC
75 Chair, who will make a decision in consultation with the Privilege Fee
76 Committee Chair; and, if the event in question takes place before the next
77 scheduled DPC meeting, members of the DPC committee whether or not to allow
78 the substitution. Substituted lecturers, speakers and/or entertainers should meet
79 all DPC funding criteria, and should be at least of similar quality and draw a
80 similar number of students. No additional funds may be allocated to the
81 substituted event. If the DPC Chair decides not to allow an event substitution and
82 the original event must be cancelled, then funds will be carried forward to use for
83 the next group of requests. Unused funds, other than the circumstance mentioned
84 above, will revert back to the DPC reserve at the end of each fiscal year.
- 85 24-0205 DPC shall seek proposals for funding from all student organizations on campus and
86 conduct meetings at which applicants may verbalize their requests and field any
87 questions from the committee.
- 88

89 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
90 body president.

2 AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
3 STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS
4 REGARDING COLLEGE CAUCUSES5 BY: Anna Jackson, Jonathan Peuchen
67 WHEREAS, The amount of college councils needed to ratify constitutional amendments has not
8 happened for the past ten years;
910 WHEREAS, The constitution and by-laws need to be consistent with each other;
1112 WHEREAS, College Caucuses meet on a regular basis;
1314 WHEREAS, There needs to be parameters to how College Caucus vote on ratifications; and
1516 WHEREAS, College Councils need to be informed of things going on in Student Governing
17 Association.
1819 BE IT ENACTED THAT:
2021 SECTION 1. Article IV Section 17 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
22 Laws shall be amended as follows.
2324 A. College Caucuses shall be a means for senators elected by each college to organize and
25 communicate within the college by which they were elected and act as a unified,
26 representative voice of the college.
2728 B. Each College Caucus shall be composed of the following members:
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- 30 1. All student senators elected by the college to serve as a representative of that college,
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- 31 who will serve as a voting members.
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- 32 2. A Caucus Leader from the senators of that college, selected through a process of the
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- 33 individuals college's choosing, who will serve as a voting member. The selections
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- 34 process for the Caucus Leader could include consideration of an election, most senior
-
- 35 senator, or highest vote recipient in the KSU SGA elections.
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- 36 3. Other members of KSU SGA who are not senators but are members of the College may
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- 37 choose to belong to the caucus as ex-officio, non-voting members.
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39 C. *Quorum*
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- 41 1.
- A quorum of a college caucus shall be two thirds of the senators selected and*
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- 42
- qualified from the college.*
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44 D. *€*. Duties of the College Caucus shall include:
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- 46 1. Serving as a unified voice of its college on issues affecting its students, including
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- 47 proposed student fees from its college.
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- 48 2. Recommending a nominee to fill the student representative role for their college on the
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- 49 Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee. The recommendation for said committee shall be
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- 50 made and submitted to the student body president and Speaker before the end of the fall
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- 51 semester. Student Body President and Speaker of the Student Senate shall have discretion
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- 52 over whether to accept or reject the recommendation.
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- 53 3.
- Ratify the Constitutional Amendments on behalf of their college council if their college*
-
- council has not voted on ratifying constitutional amendments by the two weeks after they*
-
- have been passed by the Student Senate.*

54 *E. Voting*

- 55 1. *Constitutional amendments shall require a two-thirds vote of the senators selected, and*
56 *qualified.*
57 2. *All other business of the college caucus shall require a majority vote.*
58

59 *F. ~~D~~ Duties of the Caucus Leader shall include:*

- 60 1. Chairing meetings of the College Caucus.
61 2. Scheduling meetings of the College Caucus within its members, as well as with Deans
62 and leaders of the caucus' respective college.
63 3. Acting as a conduit of information between student senate leadership, college caucus,
64 *college council and dean's office.*
65

66 **Section 2.**

67 This shall go into effect on passage of Student Senate, signature of Student Body President and
68 ratification of bill 16/17/23.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

OCTOBER 20, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:05pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 43 senators and 21 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Fleming
Senator Reichenberger
Senator Heyen
Senator Thomas
Senator McIntire
Senator Alamo
Senator Barnett
Chair A. Peuchen
Senator Montague

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Eidemiller
Senator Kiehl
Senator Klahr
Senator May
Senator Nordstrom
Senator Wiese

OPEN PERIOD

Becky Carnes - Peace Corps' K-State Campus Representative

- Let Girl's Learn initiative
- Worked in country of Botswana regarding HIV/AIDS
- Peace Corps' has some of the best language training possible
- Goal of Peace Corps is about capacity building to build up the skills of their citizens
- Looking for well rounded American's such as our Senators
- Bringing American culture to other countries is a major goal

- Can only serve where it is safe and stable to keep people safe
- Benefits to being in Peace Corps
 - Living stipend
 - Readjustment
 - Safety and Security
 - Healthcare
 - Job Training
- Follow and like them via @KSUPeaceCorps
 - Spread the word
 - Engage in a project or group talk
 - Apply online at www.peacecorps.gov
 - Contact Becky Carnes at bcarnes@ksu.edu or (785) 226-5149

Usha Redi - Mayor of the City of Manhattan, KS

- Unable to attend Senate meeting

Jeff Mittie - Head Coach of K-State Women's Basketball

- 12,553 seats in Bramlage
- 8,750 seats already sold for UConn game
- Tickets set aside for students, can purchase them
- Over 1,000 tickets set aside for students
- #18 ranked recruiting class
- Tickets are free for the UConn game

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The application for the 2016-2017 Elections Commissioner is now live and will be open until Friday, October 28th at midnight. The form can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/224088>
2. Please fill out the mid-semester survey. It is important for the leadership to know what Senators and Interns are thinking!
 - Senators: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/224363>
 - Interns: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/224911>
3. If you would like to or are required to go to the Cats for Inclusion event next week (10/27) you will be excused from first roll call but please be here as soon as possible.
4. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.
5. Proxy form changes

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/14 Commendation To Kansas State University Personal Financial Planning Student Team

Speaker Ayres moved to consider the Resolution next week due to the intern who wrote legislation being absent.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

There were none.

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Eberhardy yielded speaking rights to Senator Kennedy

- Pho event from 6-9pm in the International Student Center

Chair Jackson

- 16/17/23 held in committee for another week to get more opinions
- Governmental Relations committee meets at 7pm on Monday in conference room in Wefald Hall
- Edited legislation

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director Everett

- Need to raise 17 to 19 million dollars for Multicultural Student Center

Director Edwards

- Athletics Liason
- UConn is a lottery game so must enter name by 31st of October
- Doing jersey's instead of iCat t-shirts for basketball games
- 3 million dollars for new limestone wall at the soccer stadium

Director Bangert

- Tobacco free policy on campus
- 12 members on committee
- First meeting was this past Monday

Chief of Staff DeLoach

- Feedback from Senators who have had interns and jobs
- Looking at policy options to alleviate problems with having to confirm job or internship offers in a limited amount of time
- Building voting currently happening for Foundation Building

Vice President Kennedy

- Political advocacy items
- Event with General Myers and importance of being engaged politically and civically
- Past voting registration deadline but must request absentee ballot by November 4th if wanting to receive by mail
- Voting polls officially open November 8th

President Van Ranken

- Excited to be back in the Big 12 room
- Gained knowledge from experiences in the Presidential Search Committee
 - 81 applicants
 - Strong pool of applicants
- Landon Lecture tomorrow morning in McCain auditorium at 10:30am
 - Amazing opportunity to learn from leaders around the globe

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- PowerPoint presentation can be found here:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1104007/show>
- Deadline Friday, October 28 at 4pm for diversity funding requests
- Nepal night Saturday at 2pm in Forum Hall

Speaker Ayres

- Was gone last week presenting at a conference
- Attendees were amazed at our Senate and 200-300 pages of statutes
- Great system set up

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

**Resolution 16/17/13 Kansas State University Student Governing Association
Recommendations For The Disbursement Of The City/University
Special Projects Fund For Calendar Year 2018**

Introduced by Chair Crowder

Positive Debate:

Chair Crowder

Negative Debate:

Voice vote to pass Resolution 16/17/13

Voice vote passed unanimously

Bill 16/17/24 FY 17 On Campus Allocation College of Education Council

Introduced by Chair Orth

Positive Debate:

Chair Orth

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to hold Bills 16/17/24 and 16/17/25 for bulk roll call
2/3 vote passed to hold Bills 16/17/24 and 16/17/25 for bulk roll call

Bill 16/17/24 passes by a vote of 46-0-1

**Bill 16/17/25 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Blue Key Honor Society
(Favorably 5-0-0)**

Introduced by Senator Davis in the absence of Chair A. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Senator Davis

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to hold Bills 16/17/24 and 16/17/25 for bulk roll call
2/3 vote passed to hold Bills 16/17/24 and 16/17/25 for bulk roll call

Bill 16/17/25 passes by a vote of 47-0-0

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

**Bill 16/17/28 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Wildcats Against Sexual Violence Student
Association**

Intern Garcia moved to consider the minor allocations

Bill 16/17/28 will be referred to University Allocations Committee

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

**Bill 16/17/26 Amendments to the Kansas State University Student Governing
Association Statutes Concerning the Diversity Programming
Committee**

Chair A. Peuchen moved we consider Bill 16/17/26

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Intern Kinsey moved that the author be allowed to summarize

Moved and seconded that author be allowed to summarize

Bill 16/17/26 will be referred back to the Executive Committee

**Bill 16/17/27 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing
Association By-Laws Regarding College Caucuses**

Senator Sabatini moved we consider Bill 16/17/27

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Intern Kinsey moved that the author be allowed to summarize

Moved and seconded that author be allowed to summarize

Bill 16/17/27 will be referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Holder

- Chi O Second annual wish week
- Chi O corn dogs on Bosco plaza and in the quad
- Next Wednesday afternoon
- Next Thursday all day at Pie Five they will be having a fundraiser

Senator Pracht

- If anyone needs more information on Peace Corps, sign up on the sign up sheet

Senator Mindrup

- Delta Sig is having a grocery grab
- Tickets are \$5

- Receive Hy-Vee coupon book
- If you win, you get 3 minutes to run through Hy-Vee and grab whatever you want

Director Clark

- Keep using Pocket Points
 - Email her with questions

Senator Stevens

- Farmhouse is having Philanthrocakes this Tuesday from 7-9pm

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- 6-7:30 room 126 Cats for inclusion in leadership studies
- Will have excused absence if you fill out a proxy form and then attend after, shouldn't miss any major legislation

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/26 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/27 will be referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/28 is referred to University Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

There were 45 senators and 22 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Intern Kallenberger moved to adjourn until Thursday, October 27 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 8:43pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/14	Commendation To Kansas State University Personal Financial Planning Student Team
Resolution 16/17/15	Commendation To K-State Interior Design
Resolution 16/17/16	Commendation To The Kansa State University Kappa Upsilon Chapter Of Sigma Alpha Iota
Resolution 16/17/17	Commendation To Kansas State University Crops Team
Resolution 16/17/18	Commendation To Kansas State University College Of APDesign

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/19	Approval Of New Student Senator
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COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/28	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Wildcats Against Sexual Violence Student Association
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FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/19	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Diversity Programming Committee Representation
Bill 16/17/26	Amendments to the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning the Diversity Programming Committee
Bill 16/17/23	Amendments To The Kansas State University Constitution Regarding The Ratification Of Constitutional Amendments (Favorably 5-0-0)
Bill 16/17/27	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Regarding College Caucuses (Favorably 5-0-0)

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/29	FY 2017 Allocation to Spanish Club
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INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

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2. If you are interested in serving on the Attorney General recommendation committee, please let me know as soon as possible. I need to appoint three student senators.
3. Special Committee on Membership/Diversity Updates
4. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.
5. Proxies:
 - McGee for Reichenberger
 - Andres for Niederee
 - Eberhardy for Valdez
 - Pracht for Flores
6. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 Special Committee on Membership: 3pm; location TBA GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	31 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	1 Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	2 Diversity Programming Committee: 3:30pm (204)	3 Senate Training 6:00pm (Big 12) Student Senate Meeting – 7:00pm	4	5 The ‘cats take on OSU!
6 GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	7 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	8 Tuition and Fees Strategies: 5:30pm (Konza) Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	9 Diversity Programming Committee: 3:30pm (209)	10 Student Senate Meeting (feat. Karl) – 7:00pm	11	12

“It is amazing what you can accomplish if you do not care who gets the credit.” – Harry S. Truman



Governmental Relations Brown Bag

October 28th, 2016

KSU Student Union Room 207

12:00 – 1:00 pm



Senator Tom Hawk: Senator Hawk has served as the state senator from the 22nd district since 2012. He previously represented Manhattan in the Kansas House from 2004-2010. He earned his B.S. in Math Education, a M.S. in Counseling and a Ph.D. in Educational Administration all from Kansas State University. Hawk was a junior high math teacher and counselor for 33 years then later became the USD 383 Superintendent of Schools. In the Legislature, Hawk serves as ranking minority member of the Financial Institutions and Insurance Committee, and also holds appointments on the Administrative Rules and Regulations, Telecommunications, Utilities, Natural Resources, and Agriculture committees. He is married to Diane Hawk, a former KSU faculty member.



Representative Tom Phillips: Representative Phillips has served in the Kansas house for the 67th district since 2012. Phillips graduated with a B.S. in Geography and a M.S. in Regional and Community Planning both from Kansas State University. Phillips started his own firm in 1992 that provides comprehensive planning and community development services to clients throughout the Midwest. In previous roles, he served as Riley County Commissioner from 2005-09 and was Mayor of Manhattan in 2007. In the Kansas Legislature he is vice-chair of the Local Government committee and sits on the Energy and Environment, Taxation, and Children and Seniors committees. Phillips is married to Debra Doubek, a local physician.

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COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 10-20-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1106348/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: N/A

- Exec attended the BSU meeting where the Multicultural Student Center was discussed

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1106257/show>

- Decisions were made to fund the Spanish Club.

College Allocations Committee:

Link:

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1108640/show>

- Debated further line times for the Student Activity Fee
- UFM received a continuance
- The CARE Office received a 3% increase
- Graduate Student Council will be help in committee next week
- Academic Competition Teams will be brought up again next week

Senate Operations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1107347/show>

- Edited submitted legislation
- Discussed constitutional and by-laws amendments

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link:

Student Engagement Committee:

Link:

Diversity Programming Committee:

- Minutes for the last four weeks can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/14**

2 **COMMENDATION TO KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **PERSONAL FINANCIAL PLANNING STUDENT TEAM**

4 **BY:** Blake Medley, Jonathan Peuchen

5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University's Personal Financial Planning Student team competed in the
7 Financial Planning Challenge at the 2016 Financial Planning Association Annual
8 conference September 14th-16th in Baltimore, Maryland;
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10 **WHEREAS,** Since the inception of the challenge in 2001, the University's student team has
11 consistently made it to the finals every year;
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13 **WHEREAS,** The team consisted of Lindsay Adams, Stephen Phillips, and Nolan Keim. All team
14 members are seniors studying personal financial planning;
15

16 **WHEREAS,** The team was coached by Ann Coulson, Assistant Professor in the School of Family
17 Studies and Human Services;
18

19 **WHEREAS,** The team was among eight finalists selected after a nationwide competition in which all
20 teams prepared a written financial plan for hypothetical clients. At the finals, the teams
21 orally presented their case studies and participated in the "How Do You Know?"
22 Challenge; and
23

24 **WHEREAS,** The Personal Financial Planning Student Team placed third overall in the Financial
25 Planning Challenge.
26

27 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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29 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates
30 the Kansas State University Personal Financial Planning Student Team for its hard work
31 and effort that resulted in third place honors at the 2016 Financial Planning Association
32 national conference.
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34 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of
35 this resolution be sent to all team members and their families, Assistant Professor and
36 Team Advisor Ann Coulson, Institute of Personal Financial Planning Program Director
37 Kristy Archuleta, Dean of the College of Human Ecology John Buckwalter and Interim
38 President General Richard B. Myers.

3 **BY:** Stephen Kucera and Karly Kinsey
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5 **WHEREAS,** DesignIntelligence publishes rankings for collegiate design programs based on hiring
6 professionals, deans, department heads and design students' evaluation on which schools
7 best prepare their students for design careers;
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9 **WHEREAS,** DesignIntelligence believes that sustainability and aging populations are critical issues to
10 the design profession;
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12 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University's College of Human Ecology Dean John Buckwalter believes
13 that "students are prepared to make a difference in an increasingly challenging world";
14

15 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University's interior design program uses an integrated approach to focus
16 on sustainability, help students acquire global internships and meet all human needs
17 which prepare the program's students for post-collegiate careers; and
18

19 **WHEREAS,** In the 2016-2017 report, DesignIntelligence ranks Kansas State University's interior
20 design program third in the nation among public schools and eighth in the nation among
21 all undergraduate interior design programs.
22

23 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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25 **SECTION 1.** Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates the
26 interior design program for their third place ranking among public university interior
27 design programs and eighth among all undergraduate universities.
28

29 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of
30 this resolution shall be sent to University Interim President Gen. Richard B. Myers;
31 Provost and Senior Vice President April Mason; Vice President for Student Life and
32 Dean of Students Pat Bosco; Head of the Department of Apparel, Textiles, and Interior
33 Design Barbara Anderson; and Associate Head of the Department of Apparel, Textiles,
34 and Interior Design Joy Kozar.

4 **BY:** Samuel Pittman and Victor Valdez

5
6 **WHEREAS,** Sigma Alpha Iota is an international music fraternity which promotes interaction among
7 those who share a commitment to music;
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9 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University is home to the Kappa Upsilon chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota;

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11 **WHEREAS,** The Kappa Upsilon Chapter presides in the Theta A province of Sigma Alpha Iota, which
12 includes two active alumnae chapters and four active collegiate chapters;
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14 **WHEREAS,** The Katherine Becker Province Award is awarded to one chapter in each province which
15 shows exceptional organization, service to the university and the community and makes
16 the national objectives of Sigma Alpha Iota the focus of all chapter events; and
17

18 **WHEREAS,** The K-State Kappa Upsilon chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota won the Katherine Becker
19 Province Award for the Theta A province.
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21 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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23 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and
24 congratulates the K-State Kappa Upsilon chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota for their
25 accomplishment in being awarded the Katherine Becker Province Award for the Theta A
26 province.
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28 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of
29 this resolution shall be sent to University Interim President Gen. Richard Myers, Provost
30 and Senior Vice president April Mason, Vice president for Student Life and Dean of
31 Students Pat Bosco, Amy Rosine, Susan Maxwell, Anna Marie Wytke, Taylor Crawford,
32 Kirsten Votaw, and members of the Kappa Upsilon chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota.

4 **BY:** Danielle Comstock, Faith Tuttle, Carlos Flores, Dean Klahr, Kyler Langvardt, Molly
5 Bertz, Sam Davis and Wyatt Pracht;

6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Crops Team recently placed first in the Australian
8 Universities Crops Competition;

9
10 **WHEREAS,** K-State previously participated in the Australian Universities Crops Competition in 2012
11 and 2014, placing first in 2014;

12
13 **WHEREAS,** The two day competition consisted of a seed identification section, three exams over
14 production of selected Australian crops, commercial grading of wheat samples, a
15 business management problem, field yield estimates and management recommendations
16 and a live crop, weed and disease evaluation component;

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18 **WHEREAS,** The team members consisted of Samantha L'Ecuier, Morrowville, Kansas; Nicole
19 Sudbeck, Seneca, Kansas; Michaela Simmelink, Downs, Kansas; Jessi Bramhall, Seneca,
20 Kansas; and Sarah Zerger, Cheney, Kansas;

21
22 **WHEREAS,** Teams from Iowa State University, Virginia Tech University and the University of
23 Wisconsin-Platteville also competed, along with several agricultural universities across
24 southern and western Australia;

25
26 **WHEREAS,** The team was coached by Kevin Donnelly, professor in the Department of Agronomy,
27 and accompanied by Kim Kerschen, academic coordinator in agronomy;

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29 **WHEREAS,** Samantha L'Ecuier placed second, Jessi Bramhall placed sixth, and Nicole Sudbeck
30 placed tenth; and

31
32 **WHEREAS,** Three team members, L'Ecuier, Sudbeck and Simmelink, were awarded a stipend from
33 the American Society of Agronomy to cover their travel expenses as a result of
34 previously placing 1-2-3 in the U.S. Collegiate Crops contests in Kansas City, Kansas
35 and Chicago, Illinois held in Nov. 2015.

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37 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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39 **SECTION 1.** Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends the excellence the K-
40 State Crops Team members demonstrate and appreciate the time and effort that students
41 within the College of Agriculture put forth to show the value of their hard work in both
42 academics and academic competition teams at K-State.

43
44 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of
45 this resolution shall be sent to all team members and their families, Kevin Donnelly, Kim
46 Kerschen, Head of the Department of Agronomy Gary Pierzynski, Dean of the College of
47 Agriculture and Director of K-State Research and Extension John Floros and University
48 Interim President General Richard Myers.

4 **BY:** Hannah Markel
56 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University College of Architecture, Planning and Design was ranked
7 highly in the DesignIntelligence standings of the nation's top architecture programs;
89 **WHEREAS,** DesignIntelligence ranks Kansas State's APDesign landscape architecture program as the
10 nations' number five graduate program in landscape architecture;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The landscape architecture program ranked highly in several additional areas: second in
13 computer applications, construction methods and materials, and cross-disciplinary skills;
14 third in communications skills; fourth in planning; and fifth 5 in sustainable design
15 practices and principles;
1617 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State APDesign Interior architecture program is ranked seventh;
1819 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State graduate architecture program is ranked eighteenth overall
20 and ranks eighth in educating students who know about construction methods and
21 materials;
2223 **WHEREAS,** Tim De Noble, Dean of the College, and Stephanie Rolley, Professor and
24 Head of the Landscape Architecture and Regional & Community Planning Department,
25 were named to DesignIntelligence's 25 Most Admired Educators for 2016-17;
2627 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University is one of only four schools to be ranked in the top 20 on all
28 three of DesignIntelligence's graduate program lists; and
2930 **WHEREAS,** DesignIntelligence's rankings are based on surveys from 2,920 hiring professionals,
31 145 deans and department chairs, and 3,742 students in the design disciplines.
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3334 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
3536 **SECTION 1.** Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates the
37 Kansas State University APDesign Program for its accomplishment as a program and
38 national prestige.
3940 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of
41 this resolution shall be sent to Dean of the College Tim De Noble, Professor and Head of
42 the Landscape Architecture and Reginal & Community Planning Department Stephanie
43 Rolley, and Interim University President Gen. Richard B. Myers.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/19**

APPROVAL OF NEW STUDENT SENATOR

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3 **BY:** Senate Operations Committee

4
5 **WHEREAS,** Andrew Walker has chosen to resign the position of student senator for the Graduate
6 School; and

7
8 **WHEREAS,** James Krotz was selected to fill the vacancy by the Graduate School Council.

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10 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** James Krotz be approved as a student senator for the Graduate School.
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4 **BY:** Mathew Khoury, Andrew Peuchen5
6 **WHEREAS,** University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of Wildcats
7 Against Sexual Violence (WASV);8
9 **WHEREAS,** WASV will be taking four members November 16th-17th to Kansas City, Missouri for the
10 Heartland Campus Safety Conference;11
12 **WHEREAS,** Attendance of this conference will benefit K-State administrators, faculty, staff and
13 students to provide education and training for preventing and responding to sexual
14 assault, intimate partner violence, and violence;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by students at the conference contain material that they will
17 implement into Kansas State University community in order to make the campus safer as
18 well as educate everyone on sexual violence and how to help;19
20 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards registration and travel expenses; and21
22 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
23
24 Project 1 – Heartland Campus Safety Conference; Kansas City, Missouri; November 16th-
25 17th.26
27

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	<u>\$400.00</u>	<u>\$400.00</u>
TOTAL	\$400.00	\$400.00

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30 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**31
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33 **SECTION 1.** Wildcats Against Sexual Violence shall be allocated \$400.00 for the event described.34
35 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1343CW of Wildcats
37 Against Sexual Violence.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS
CONCERNING DIVERSITY PROGRAMMING
COMMITTEE REPRESENTATION**

BY: Stephen Kucera, Trent McGee and Jack Ayres

WHEREAS, The purpose of the Diversity Programming Committee (DPC) according to Chapter 24 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes (KSU SGA) is to fund “Projects intended to dissuade prejudice and discrimination based on race, ethnicity, religion, gender, mental or physical disability, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, geographic location or age”;

WHEREAS, There is not currently a representative on DPC who represents students with “mental or physical disability”; and

WHEREAS, It is necessary to continuously review and update the KSU SGA By-Laws.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Article IV, Section 14, Subsection A of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follow:

A. Shall be composed of the following members:

1. The Chairperson shall be the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate, who shall vote only to break a tie.
2. Four Multicultural Student Representatives appointed by the Associate Provost for Diversity.
3. Four International Student Representatives appointed by the Director of International Student and Scholars Services.
4. One student representing religious diversity appointed by the Committee on Religion.
5. One student representing sexual diversity appointed by the Director of the LGBT Resource Center.
6. *One student representing disability diversity appointed by the Director of the Student Access Center.*
- ~~6-7.~~ One student-at-large and two student senators appointed by the SGA Executive Committee.
- ~~7-8.~~ The Multicultural Affairs Director and International Affairs Director, acting as ex-officio, non-voting members
- ~~8-9.~~ The Office of Student Activities and Services Director or a designee thereof, acting as an ex officio, non-voting member.

B. A quorum of the committee shall be eight (8) members, not including the chair. Meetings of the committee shall be called by the chair.

C. All students on the committee must be in good standing and currently enrolled with the University.

SECTION 2. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES CONCERNING**
4 **THE DIVERSITY PROGRAMMING COMMITTEE**

5 **BY:** Stephen Kucera

6
7 **WHEREAS,** There is not currently a representative on Diversity Programming Committee who
8 represents students who have disabilities; and
9

10 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continuously review and update the Kansas State University Student
11 Governing Association Statutes.
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13 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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15 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 24 of the Kansas State Student Governing Association Statutes is hereby
16 amended to read as follow:
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18 **Chapter 24:**

19 **Diversity Programming Committee Allocation Guidelines**

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21 **24-01 Procedures for the Diversity Programming Committee (DPC)**

22 24-0101 The Diversity Programming Committee shall consist of ~~12~~ 14 voting members as
23 provided for in Article IV, Section 14 of the Kansas State University Student
24 Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws.

25 24-0102 Committee members shall be selected not later than the first Friday in September

26 24-0103 Each semester, the committee shall solicit proposals for large-scale, student-centered,
27 diversity enhancing projects. Included in the cover letter attached to the
28 application shall be the purpose and intent of DPC, the due date for project
29 proposals, and the criteria for consideration in the allocation of DPC funds.

30 24-0104 Each semester, the DPC Chair and Office of Student Activities and Services accountant
31 must host a DPC budget request training session for student organizations.

32 24-0105 DPC proposals shall be due to the Office of Student Activities and Services by 4:00 p.m.
33 on the first Friday of September for projects falling between November 1st and
34 the last day of the fall semester, the last Friday of October for projects falling
35 between the first day of spring semester and March 15th, the last Friday of
36 January for projects falling between March 16th and the last day of spring
37 semester and the Friday before Spring Break for projects falling between the first
38 day of fall semester and October 31st, should the funding base continue to be
39 supplied.

40 24-0106 DPC funds will be divided over four quarters.

41 24-0107 The committee shall make a decision concerning whether or not to fund the proposals
42 within four weeks of the respective due date.

43 24-0108 Proposals received after the September, October, January, and March due dates will be
44 considered for funding the following quarter.

45 24-0109 The committee may not grant the same organization funding for more than two projects
46 per fiscal year.

47 24-0110 The Chair of DPC will present a report to Student Senate regarding the status of DPC
48 funding allocations and projects once each semester, ensuring that each term's
49 Senate body receives two updates during its tenure.
50

51 **24-02 Rules for Diversity Programming Fund Allocations**

52 24-0201 Use of DPC funds is limited to the following purposes:

53 A. Projects sponsored primarily by student organizations in good standing with the
54 university.

- 55 B. Projects intended to dissuade prejudice and discrimination based on race, ethnicity,
56 religion, gender, ~~mental or physical~~ disability, sexual orientation, socioeconomic
57 status, geographic location, or age.
58 C. Requests for allocations of \$3,000.00 or more.
59 D. Projects primarily for Kansas State University students, with priority extended to
60 projects held on campus; no traveling or conference expenditures will be funded.
61 E. Projects free and open to all Kansas State University students.
- 62 24-0202 Organizations interested in hosting projects that adhere to the stipulations outlined in
63 Section 18-0201 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
64 (KSU SGA) Statutes shall:
65 A. Submit their project proposals to DPC before requesting funding for any other KSU
66 SGA source.
67 B. Only apply for funding from another KSU SGA source after missing DPC's quarterly
68 deadline or DPC does not choose to fund the project.
69 C. Be prohibited from using other KSU SGA funds to supplement or replace allocations
70 from DPC.
- 71 24-0203 DPC allocations will not be held to KSU SGA funding guidelines but will meet state
72 regulations
- 73 24-0204 In special circumstances should a student organization wish to substitute a lecturer,
74 speaker and/or entertainer, the student organization must consult with the DPC
75 Chair, who will make a decision in consultation with the Privilege Fee
76 Committee Chair; and, if the event in question takes place before the next
77 scheduled DPC meeting, members of the DPC committee whether or not to allow
78 the substitution. Substituted lecturers, speakers and/or entertainers should meet
79 all DPC funding criteria, and should be at least of similar quality and draw a
80 similar number of students. No additional funds may be allocated to the
81 substituted event. If the DPC Chair decides not to allow an event substitution and
82 the original event must be cancelled, then funds will be carried forward to use for
83 the next group of requests. Unused funds, other than the circumstance mentioned
84 above, will revert back to the DPC reserve at the end of each fiscal year.
- 85 24-0205 DPC shall seek proposals for funding from all student organizations on campus and
86 conduct meetings at which applicants may verbalize their requests and field any
87 questions from the committee.
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89 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
90 body president.

2 AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE
3 UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING
4 ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION
5 REGARDING THE RATIFICATION OF
6 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

7 BY: Senate Operations Committee

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9 WHEREAS, The amount of college councils necessary to ratify constitutional amendments has not
10 matched the active number of councils for the past 10 years;11
12 WHEREAS, Four college councils meet regularly;13
14 WHEREAS, For the past 10 years constitutional amendments have had to take six months;15
16 WHEREAS, College caucuses meet on a regular basis, often during senate meetings;17
18 WHEREAS, College Caucuses are elected representatives of the college;19
20 WHEREAS, Not all colleges have an active college council, some have a body that fulfills the role of
21 college councils, such as Dean's Advisory Council or Ambassadors; and22
23 WHEREAS, Six months is arbitrarily too long for the ratification process.24
25 BE IT ENACTED THAT:26
27 SECTION 1. Article V of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution is
28 hereby amended as follows:29 1001. Any member of Student Senate may propose an amendment to this Constitution,
30 which must be approved by three-fourths majority vote of the total Student Senate
31 selected and qualified. The Student Senate shall designate one of the following methods
32 of ratification of the proposed amendment:

- 33 a.
- ~~Ratification by six of the nine college councils. If a college council has not voted on~~
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- 34
- ~~ratification within six months of submission of the proposed amendment, the vote of that~~
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- 35
- ~~college council shall be counted in favor thereof. Otherwise, a written statement of the~~
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- 36
- ~~result of the vote of each college council shall be returned to the Student Senate~~
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- 37
- ~~Secretary, who shall count the votes and inform Student Senate of the results. When votes~~
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- 38
- ~~are sufficient to ratify the amendment, the amendment shall become effective upon the~~
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- 39
- ~~Speaker of the Student Senate's announcement of the results to Student Senate during the~~
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- 40
- ~~next meeting thereafter.~~
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- 41 a.
- Ratification by six of the nine college councils that represent each college. If a*
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- 42
- college council has not voted on ratification within six regularly scheduled*
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- 43
- senate meetings when they were notified by the Secretary of the Student Senate of*
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- 44
- the amendment, the amendment shall be referred to the college's caucus. The*
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- 45
- caucus then has two regularly scheduled senate meetings to vote on ratification.*
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- 46
- A statement with the result of the vote of each college council or caucus shall be*
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- 47
- returned to the Student Senate Secretary. If no vote takes place after the allotted*
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- 48
- time, it shall be counted as a vote in favor of the amendment. Unless otherwise*
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- 49
- specified amendments shall become effective when votes are sufficient to ratify*
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- 50
- the amendment, the amendment shall be announced by the Speaker of the Student*
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- Senate during the next Student Senate meeting thereafter.*
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- 52 b. Ratification by election in which at least one-third of the student body shall vote
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- 53 and two-thirds of those voting shall concur.
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55 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
56 body president and ratification of the college councils.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS
REGARDING COLLEGE CAUCUSES**

5 **BY:** Anna Jackson

7 **WHEREAS,** The amount of college councils necessary to ratify constitutional amendments has not
8 matched the active number of councils for the past ten years;

10 **WHEREAS,** The constitution and by-laws need to be consistent with each other;

12 **WHEREAS,** College Caucuses meet on a regular basis;

14 **WHEREAS,** College Caucuses are elected representatives of the college;

16 **WHEREAS,** There must be guidelines to how College Caucuses vote on ratifications; and

18 **WHEREAS,** College councils need to be informed of things going on in Student Governing
19 Association.

21 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

23 **SECTION 1.** Article IV Section 17 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
24 Laws shall be amended as follows.

26 A. College Caucuses shall be a means for senators elected by each college to organize
27 and communicate within the college by which they were elected and act as a unified,
28 representative voice of the college.

30 B. Each College Caucus shall be composed of the following members:

- 31 1. All student senators elected by the college to serve as a representative of that
32 college, who will serve as voting members.
- 33 2. A Caucus Leader from the senators of that college, selected through a process of
34 the individuals college's choosing, who will serve as a voting member. The
35 selections process for the Caucus Leader could include consideration of an
36 election, most senior senator, or highest vote recipient in the KSU SGA elections.
- 37 3. Other members of KSU SGA who are not senators but are members of the
38 College may choose to belong to the caucus as ex-officio, non-voting members.

40 *C. Quorum*

- 41 1. *A quorum of a College Caucus shall be a majority of the senators selected and*
42 *qualified from the college.*

44 *D. €.* Duties of the College Caucus shall include:

- 45 1. Serving as a unified voice of its college on issues affecting its students, including
46 proposed student fees from its college.
- 47 2. Recommending a nominee to fill the student representative role for their college
48 on the Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee. The recommendation for said
49 committee shall be made and submitted to the Student Body President and
50 Speaker of the Student Senate before the end of the fall semester. Student Body
51 President and Speaker of the Student Senate shall have discretion over whether to
52 accept or reject the recommendation.

- 53 3. *Ratify the constitutional amendments on behalf of their college council if their*
54 *college council has not voted on ratifying constitutional amendments within the*
55 *time stated in the constitution after they have been passed by the Student Senate.*
56 *a. Constitutional amendments shall require a two-thirds vote of the*
57 *senators selected and qualified.*
58

59 E. ~~D~~ Duties of the Caucus Leader shall include:

- 60 1. Chairing meetings of the College Caucus.
61 2. Scheduling meetings of the College Caucus within its members, as well as with
62 Deans and leaders of the caucus' respective college.
63 3. Acting as a conduit of information between student senate leadership, college
64 caucus, *college council and dean's office.*
65

66 **Section 2.**

67 This shall go into effect on passage of Student Senate, signature of Student Body
68 President and ratification of bill 16/17/23.

BY: University Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The university allocations committee received and reviewed the request of the Spanish Club;

WHEREAS, The Spanish club will be hosting a Cervantes Celebration in recognition of the 400th anniversary of Cervantes' death on Thursday, Nov. 10th in Hale Library;

WHEREAS, The celebration attendees will hear from Dr. Mirzam C. Perez regarding Cervantes' Don Quijote de la Mancha and the ways in which the text was read and performed in 17th century Spain.

WHEREAS, The lecture will be followed by an interactive workshop in which students and participants create short skits and artwork related to Cervantes and Don Quijote. Artwork will later be displayed in the Modern Language Department; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – Cervantes Celebration; November 10th; Hemisphere Room, Hale Library.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotion	\$75.00	\$75.00
<u>LSE</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
TOTAL	\$575.00	\$575.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Spanish Club shall be allocated \$575.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1020CW of the Spanish Club.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

OCTOBER 27, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:03pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 47 senators present for roll. Interns were excused from first roll call.

Excused Absences:

Senator Reichenberger
Senator Niederee
Senator Valdez
Senator Pracht

Unexcused Absences Contingent Upon Second Roll Call:

Senator Breen
Senator Gutman
Senator McIntire (partial)
Senator Renz

Intern Penny

OPEN PERIOD

Speaker Ayres

- Speaker Ayres reminded Senate to get their gas money to Director Swartz.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The application for the 2016-2017 Elections Commissioner is now live and will be open until Friday, October 28th at midnight. The form can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/224088>
2. If you are interested in serving on the Attorney General recommendation committee, please let me know as soon as possible. I need to appoint three student senators.

3. Special Committee on Membership/Diversity Updates

4. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.

Chair A. Peuchen

- Update on special committee on membership and diversity
- Realized needed to pick a direction for committee to move
- Create comprehensive strategy for getting more students to apply for senate and intern positions from multicultural backgrounds
- If goals are not met by Fall 2019 then we will immediately reconvene special committee to make policy changes to the constitution

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/19 Approval Of New Student Senator

Chair A. Peuchen moved we consider resolution

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the resolution unanimously

Speaker Ayres swore in the individual

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Jackson

- Will be sending out email to senator that have two absences point five absences or more.
 - Please be watching your absences.
 - Needs to be class, medical, or family emergency reason to be excused.
 - Needs to be sent to your Chair or Speaker Ayres 24 hours in advance.

Chair Crowder

- Partnering with UPC to host an election watch party November 8th from 7-11pm in the union courtyard.
 - Will be food, giveaways, and games.

Chair Peuchen

- Privilege Fee Committee had busy meeting.
 - Minutes are on OrgSync

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Chair A. Peuchen moved to approve the minor allocations

Bill 16/17/28 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Wildcats Against Sexual Violence Student Association

Bill 16/17/28 was approved unanimously

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/19 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Diversity Programming Committee Representation
Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:
Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Chair Orth moved Bill 16/17/19 and Bill 16/17/26 for bulk roll call
Motion passed

Bill 16/17/19 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 53-0-0

Bill 16/17/26 Amendments to the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning the Diversity Programming Committee
Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:
Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Chair Orth moved Bill 16/17/19 and Bill 16/17/26 for bulk roll call
Motion passed

Bill 16/17/26 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 53-0-0

Bill 16/17/23 Amendments To The Kansas State University Constitution Regarding The Ratification Of Constitutional Amendments (Favorably 5-0-0)

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bills 16/17/23 after Commendations
Motion did not pass.
Introduced by Chair Jackson

Positive debate:

Chair Jackson
Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/23 passes by a vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/27 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Regarding College Caucuses (Favorably 5-0-0)
Introduced by Chair Jackson

Positive Debate:
Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:
Senator McGee

Bill 16/17/27 passes by a vote of 53-0-0

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

There was none.

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Chair A. Peuchen moved to hear Directors Reports after Introduction to Legislation
Motion passed.

Director Munyanyi

- Working with K-State Alumni Association and sat on diversity planning committee set up by Board of Directors
 - Dialogue about increasing diversity and inclusion
 - BSU, HALO, and Asian American Student Union presidents were present
 - Amy Button-Renz, president and CEO working as an ally to this effort
 - Alumni association provides international student fun day- students can learn what alumni center has to offer
 - International leadership award
 - International student scholarships
 - 20 different students receive \$500 each
 - Student international association groups compiling list of past members to add to database for alumni track record
 - Be able to throw alumni events reunion
 - Wanting to have first Alumni International Reunion Event in the Spring
 - Getting some international students to come forward for need based scholarships, getting volunteers to see how we can do fundraising, more ways to have events in the future
 - Encouraged future freshman to apply for freshman initiative scholarships, global perspective class to award \$750 scholarship to fund for class with guarantee the students will pick sophomore, junior, or senior year to study abroad with a guaranteed \$2,000 scholarship
- Diversity 2025 meeting
 - Provost April Mason and Interim Provost for Diversity Dr. Zelia Wiley, start fundraising for multicultural student center
 - Having discussions with diversity program council meeting to see how to improve allocations for diversity program council
 - Event in November for Muslim student club- bringing speaker to talk about terrorism and the impact on Islam
 - Hoping to start mentoring program for international students

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Review PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1110221/show>

COMMENDATIONS

Senator A. Peuchen moved to suspend the rules and move Commendations to below Introduction of Legislation.
Motion passed.

Resolution 16/17/14 Commendation To Kansas State University Personal Financial Planning Student

Team

Chair A. Peuchen moved to consider Resolution 16/17/14
Introduced by Intern Medley
Chair Orth moved we approve the resolution unanimously
Resolution 16/17/14 passed unanimously

Resolution 16/17/15 Commendation To K-State Interior Design

Chair Orth moved to consider Resolution 16/17/15
Introduced by Intern Kinsey

Senator Martin moved we approve resolution unanimously
Resolution 16/17/15 passed unanimously

Resolution 16/17/16 Commendation To The Kansa State University Kappa Upsilon Chapter Of Sigma**Alpha Iota**

Chair A. Peuchen moved to consider Resolution 16/17/16
Introduced by Intern Pittman

Intern Mersmann moved we approve unanimously
Resolution 16/17/16 passed unanimously

Resolution 16/17/17 Commendation To Kansas State University Crops Team

Chair A. Peuchen moved to consider Resolution 16/17/17
Introduced by Intern Tuttle

Intern Kallenberger moved we approve Resolution 16/17/17 unanimously
Resolution 16/17/17 passed unanimously

Resolution 16/17/18 Commendation To Kansas State University College Of APDesign

Intern Meyer moved we consider Resolution 16/17/18
Introduced by Intern Markel

Intern Garcia moved we approve Resolution 16/17/18 unanimously
Resolution 16/17/18 passed unanimously

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Chair Orth moved to consider minor allocations
Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved we have Introduction to Minor Allocations after Commendations
Motion passed

Bill 16/17/29 FY 2017 Allocation to Spanish Club

Senator Sabatini moved to consider Bill 16/17/29
Introduced by Speaker Ayres
Referred back to University Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD**Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera**

- If you are an Intern wanting to learn to write a Commendation approach please

contact Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera for training on how to do so

Senator Kennedy

- Delta Sigma Phi's Fall Fest will be this Saturday from 12-5pm
- The proceeds will benefit the American Red Cross

Chair Jackson

- Any changes, grammar, to Commendations or Bills, see Karl after the meeting to streamline the process and make it easier.

Director Munyanyi

- International Service Scholars are hosting a coffee talk at 4pm in the International Service Scholar room regarding Ghana
- Also commemorated the new Popeyes in Manhattan

Senator Mindrup

- Senator Mindrup has raffle tickets for sale for HyVee event

Senator Lowry

- Beta Boo annual haunted house will on Friday from 8-11
- Family friendly version from 8-9pm

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/29 was referred back to the University Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 51 senators and 24 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Intern Wilkerson moved to adjourn until Thursday, November 3 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 8:43pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

- Usha Redi, Mayor of the City of Manhattan, KS
- Center for Advocacy, Response and Education (CARE) Office

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/20 Commendation To Kansas State University Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/21 Approval Of New Student Senator
Resolution 16/17/22 Approval Of Elections Commissioner

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/29 FY 2017 Allocation to Spanish Club (**Favorably 10-0-0**)

FINAL ACTION

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/30 Disapproval Of The Joint Committee On Officer Compensation Salary
Recommendation
Bill 16/17/31 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Hispanic American Leadership
Organization
Bill 16/17/32 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Kansas State University Theatre Organization
Bill 16/17/33 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Investment Club

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. Please review the Joint Commission on Officer Compensation's (JCOC) recommendation at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1114069/show>
Also attached to the agenda.
2. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.
3. Proxies:
 - Eidemiller for McIntire
 - Eberhardy for Thomas
 - Pracht for Bertz
 - Heyen for Ogren
 - Klahr for Langvardt
 - McGee for Reichenberger
 - Lowry for Flores
 - Barnett for Frankel
 - Niederee for Comstock
4. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
6 Special Committee on Membership: 3pm; location TBA GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	7 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	8 Tuition & Fees Strat. Committee 5:30pm Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	9 Diversity Programming Committee: 3:30pm (209)	10 Student Senate Meeting (feat. Karl) – 7:00pm	11	12
13 GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	14 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	15 Tuition & Fees Strat. Committee 5:30pm Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	16 Diversity Programming Committee: 3:30pm (204)	17 Student Senate Meeting– 7:00pm	18	19

“I alone cannot change the world, but I can cast a stone across the water to create many ripples.”

– Mother Teresa

Quote Credit to Senator Heyen

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 10-27-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1112485/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1114089/show>

- Discussed JCOC recommendations
- Met with Health and Wellness Consultants

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1112270/show>

- Decisions were made to fund the Hispanic American Leadership Organization and the K-State Theater Organization.

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1112703/show>

- Introductions
- Academic competitions team update
- Presentation by the investment club
- Open house funding update

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1114996/show>

- Heard presentation and debated the Health and Wellness Master Planning Commission
 - Privilege Fee will author legislation to for the use \$50,000 from the bonds surplus for the Campus Health and Wellness Master Plan. Motion passed 11-0-0.
- Debated the Graduate Student Council and Academic Competition Teams
 - Graduate Student Council will receive a 17.02% increase.
 - Academic Competition Teams will receive a 26% tiered increase
- It was moved and seconded to author legislation giving Campus Organizations, Open House, Multicultural Student Organizations, Diversity Programming Council, and UFM a continuance, the CARE office a 3% increase, the Graduate Student Council a 17.02% increase, and Academic Competition Teams a 26% tiered increase. Motion passed 10-0-0

Senate Operations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1112902/show>

- Edited submitted legislation

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link:

Student Engagement Committee:

Link:

Diversity Programming Committee:

- Began review of the 3rd Quarter funding requests
- Minutes for the last four weeks can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

**KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION
JOINT COMMITTEE ON OFFICERS' COMPENSATION**

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS

**TO THE STUDENT SENATE, THE STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT AND
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**

OCTOBER 27, 2016

REPORT

The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws were amended by Student Senate on March 13, 1997 through Bill 96/97/137 (subsequently amended by Bill 97/98/60), which added a new Section 13 (later changed to Section 12) to Article V of the By-Laws that established and created the **Joint Committee on Officers' Compensation** (JCOC). In 1998, Bill 98/99/40 was enacted to provide for meetings of JCOC only during every third year, in conjunction with the budget review of the Office of Student Activities and Services. The JCOC consists of the following members:

1. One member, who shall be Chair, shall be appointed by the Vice President for Student Life and shall vote only to break a tie;
2. One student-at-large appointed by the Student Body President;
3. One student-at-large appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate;
4. One student-at-large appointed by the Attorney General; and
5. Two Student Senators who are not officers of Student Senate, both of whom shall be selected by a majority vote of Student Senate.
6. The Coordinator of Student Activities and Services shall be an ex-officio, non-voting member.

Such appointments were made:

1. Larry Moeder (Chair)
2. Andy Hurtig
3. Kylie Andres
4. Haley Hannaman
5. Emma Barnett
6. Patrick Kennedy
7. Bill Harlan (Director of Student Activities and Services)

The Joint Committee on Officers' Compensation met four times during the Fall 2016 semester. A quorum of the Joint Committee, which is three (3) members, not including the Chair or the Director, was present at all meetings.

The Joint Committee has the following duties and responsibilities, as specified in Article V,

Section 12 of the KSU SGA By-Laws:

- < The Joint Committee shall meet, study and examine the salaries of student officers of the KSU SGA. They shall survey other student governments throughout the region and nation.
- < The Joint Committee shall make a report and recommendations to Student Senate concerning the salaries of student officers of the KSU SGA. Such recommendations shall become final and effective, unless by November 15th Student Senate shall pass, by majority vote, a bill disapproving the entire set of salary recommendations and enumerating the reasons therefore.
- < If such a bill is passed, the Joint Committee shall have the opportunity to revise and amend their recommendations and resubmit before December 1st. Such resubmitted recommendations shall become final and effective, unless by December 15th the Student Senate shall pass, by majority vote, a bill disapproving the entire set of salary recommendations.
- < If a bill of disapproval is not passed before December 15th, such recommendations shall become effective for the next officers of the KSU SGA and the appropriate committees and Student Senate shall provide for such funds in their allocations bills.

The Joint Committee relied on information collected by the Office of Student Activities and Services concerning salaries, benefits and methods of payment. Student governments of the following Big 12 universities were surveyed:

Baylor University (Big 12)
West Virginia University (Big 12)
Iowa State University (Big 12 and Peer)
University of Kansas (Big 12)
Texas Christian University (Big 12)
University of Oklahoma (Big 12)
Oklahoma State University (Big 12 and Peer)
University of Texas (Big 12)
Texas Tech University (Big 12)

A chart of the amounts and method of payment for Student Governing Association officers for School Year 2016-2017 is provided below, followed by a chart summarizing the percentage of tuition provided as a scholarship during the 2014-2015, 2015-2016, and 2016-2017 academic years for each of the compensated officer positions.

For School Year 2016-2017

Officer	Scholarship	Compensation	Total
Student Body President	\$8,344	\$2,792	\$11,136
Student Body Vice President	\$5,424	\$1,813	\$ 7,237
Speaker of the Student Senate	\$6,528	\$2,792	\$ 9,320
Speaker pro tem of the Student Senate	\$4,172	\$1,813	\$ 5,985
Attorney General	\$5,841	\$1,813	\$ 7,654
SGA Treasurer/Allocations Chair	\$4,172	\$ 0	\$ 4,172
Privilege Fee Chair	\$4,172	\$ 0	\$ 4,172
College Council Allocations Chair	\$2,086	\$ 0	\$ 2,086
Chief of Staff	\$2,086	\$ 0	\$ 2,086
Senate Operations Chair	\$ 834	\$ 0	\$ 834
Governmental Relations Chair	\$ 834	\$ 0	\$ 834
Communications Chair	\$ 834	\$ 0	\$ 834
Student Senate Intern Coordinator	\$ 834	\$ 0	\$ 834
Totals	\$46,161	\$11,023	\$57,184

*Rounded to Next Highest Dollar. Tuition estimated at in-state rate of \$298 per credit hour (4.5% increase). Compensation increased by 3.7% COSL.

Scholarship Percentages for 2014-2015, 2015-2016, and 2016-2017

Student Body President	100%
Student Body Vice President	65%
Speaker of the Student Senate	75%
Speaker pro tem of the Student Senate	50%
Attorney General	70%
SGA Treasurer/Allocations Chair	50%
Privilege Fee Chair	50%
College Council Allocations Chair	25%
Chief of Staff	25%
Senate Operations Chair	10%
Governmental Relations Chair	10%
Communications Chair	10%
Student Senate Intern Coordinator	10%

The Joint Committee considered all categories of scholarship and compensation currently in place as well as compensation summaries from the other Big 12 universities. The Joint Committee discussed and re-examined levels of job responsibilities/duties/external factors and appropriate levels of amounts versus relationship to other officers.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Joint Committee on Officers' Compensation (JCOC), by unanimous vote of the members thereof, makes the following Recommendations:

1. Add SGA Treasurer position with a compensation equal to 35% of in-state tuition. Add University Allocations Chair with a compensation equal to 25% of in-state tuition. Change the compensation for the Privilege Fee Chair to 35% of in-state tuition.
2. Reduce the compensation from 10% to “0” for the following positions: Senate Operations Chair, Governmental Relations Chair, Communications Chair, and Student Senate Intern Coordinator.

Recommended Scholarship Compensation for 2017-2018, 2018-2019, and 2019-2020

Student Body President	100%
Student Body Vice President	70%
Speaker of the Student Senate	80%
Attorney General	70%
Speaker pro tem of the Student Senate	50%
SGA Treasurer	35%
Privilege Fee Chair	35%
College Allocations Chair	25%
University Allocations Chair	25%
Chief of Staff	25%

3. The method of awarding amounts is recommended to be continued as a predominantly-scholarship award for all delineated officers of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association. Because of the unreimbursed expenses for the Student Body President, Student Body Vice President, Speaker of the Student Senate, Speaker pro tem of the Student Senate, and Attorney General in pursuance of the duties, JCOC recommends that the bi-weekly compensation be continued at the same levels as provided in 2016-2017. Since other University staff are currently not receiving cost-of-living salary increases, no Cost-of-Student-Living (COSL) increase is recommended for 2017-2018, 2018-2019, or 2019-2020.
4. Scholarship for the Student Body President shall be equal to the lesser of 100% of the tuition charged for person elected to the position (in-state or out-of-state) or the maximum budgeted amount listed in the following charts. The maximum amount listed in the following charts will be exceeded if the current Student Body President is assessed out-of-state tuition. Course fees, privilege fees, and college specific surcharge fees are not covered by the scholarship. It is further recommended that the tuition percentage covered for all other elected officers be as indicated in the above chart, and continue to be based on the in-state tuition rate for an average of 14 credit hours per semester.
5. JCOC recommends the following scholarships and compensation for ten student government officers for each of the next three school years (School Years 2017-2018, 2018-2019 and 2019-2020):

For School Year 2017-2018

Officer	Scholarship	Compensation	Total
Student Body President	\$8,820	\$2,792	\$11,612
Student Body Vice President	\$6,174	\$1,813	\$ 7,987
Speaker of the Student Senate	\$7,056	\$2,792	\$ 9,848
Attorney General	\$6,174	\$1,813	\$ 7,987
Speaker pro tem of the Student Senate	\$4,410	\$ 0	\$ 4,410
SGA Treasurer	\$3,087	\$ 0	\$ 3,087
Privilege Fee Chair	\$3,087	\$ 0	\$ 3,087
College Allocations Chair	\$2,205	\$ 0	\$ 2,205
University Allocations Chair	\$2,205	\$ 0	\$ 2,205
Chief of Staff	\$2,205	\$ 0	\$ 2,205
Totals	\$45,423	\$ 9,210	\$54,623

*Rounded to Next Highest Dollar. Tuition estimated at in-state rate of \$315 per credit hour (5% increase). The dollar amounts listed are for budgeting purposes only. Actual scholarship shall be equal to the lesser actual tuition charged or the amount listed.

For School Year 2018-2019

Officer	Scholarship	Compensation	Total
Student Body President	\$9,268	\$2,792	\$12,060
Student Body Vice President	\$6,488	\$1,813	\$ 8,301
Speaker of the Student Senate	\$7,414	\$2,792	\$10,206
Attorney General	\$6,488	\$1,813	\$ 8,301
Speaker pro tem of the Student Senate	\$4,434	\$ 0	\$ 4,434
SGA Treasurer	\$3,244	\$ 0	\$ 3,244
Privilege Fee Chair	\$3,244	\$ 0	\$ 3,244
College Allocations Chair	\$2,317	\$ 0	\$ 2,317
University Allocations Chair	\$2,317	\$ 0	\$ 2,317
Chief of Staff	\$2,317	\$ 0	\$ 2,317
Totals	\$47,531	\$ 9,210	\$56,741

*Rounded to Next Highest Dollar. Tuition estimated at in-state rate of \$331 per credit hour (5% increase). The dollar amounts listed are for budgeting purposes only. Actual scholarship shall be equal to the lesser actual tuition charged or the amount listed.

For School Year 2019-2020

Officer	Scholarship	Compensation	Total
Student Body President	\$9,744	\$2,792	\$12,536
Student Body Vice President	\$6,821	\$1,813	\$ 8,634
Speaker of the Student Senate	\$7,795	\$2,792	\$10,587
Attorney General	\$6,821	\$1,813	\$ 8,634
Speaker pro tem of the Student Senate	\$4,872	\$ 0	\$ 4,872
SGA Treasurer	\$3,410	\$ 0	\$ 3,410
Privilege Fee Chair	\$3,410	\$ 0	\$ 3,410
College Allocations Chair	\$2,436	\$ 0	\$ 2,436
University Allocations Chair	\$2,436	\$ 0	\$ 2,436
Chief of Staff	\$ 2,436	\$ 0	\$ 2,436
Totals	\$50,181,	\$ 9,210	\$59,391

*Rounded to Next Highest Dollar. Tuition estimated at in-state rate of \$348 per credit hour (5% increase). The dollar amounts listed are for budgeting purposes only. Actual scholarship shall be equal to the lesser actual tuition charged or the amount listed.

6. The substantially-scholarship award system, which would recognize officers of the KSU SGA while allowing them to receive most of the amount through scholarships, is strongly recommended to be continued.
7. The amount of scholarship is recommended to be continued as divided equally for awarding at the beginning of the fall and spring semesters following the officers' election or appointment to office. No scholarship award shall be made unless the officer is properly enrolled and qualified.
8. The amounts of compensation are recommended to be continued to be paid in equal installments during months the officers are in office, except May, June and July. Such payments shall be made beginning with the month of August or after selection and qualification to office, whichever is later.
9. The Joint Committee recommends that University administration continue to provide gratis parking accommodations for the Student Body President, Student Body Vice President, Student Senate Chair, Student Senate Vice Chair, and the Attorney General.

Respectfully submitted,

Larry Moeder, Chair

4 **BY:** Jansen Penny, Carlos Flores

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6 **WHEREAS,** The Sigma Alpha Epsilon (SAE) fraternity at Kansas State University was recognized at
7 the annual John O. Moseley Leadership Cruise to the Bahamas Aug. 1st-5th 2016;
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9 **WHEREAS,** The fraternity received the Chapter Achievement Award, the second highest attainable
10 award within SAE;
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12 **WHEREAS,** Two individuals from the chapter received individual awards including Daniel Vasquez,
13 chapter president, receiving the Eminent Archon Award, and Ryan Stricklan, treasurer,
14 receiving the Outstanding Eminent Treasurer Award;
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16 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University's SAE chapter has moved into the upper echelon of award-
17 winning chapters across the nation; and
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19 **WHEREAS,** The Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity at Kansas State University was recognized with three
20 national awards.
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22 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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24 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates
25 the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity at Kansas State University for its diligence and
26 leadership that resulted in being recognized at the 2016 John O. Moseley Leadership
27 Cruise.
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29 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of
30 this resolution will be sent to the two individuals recognized and the fraternity, Office of
31 Fraternity and Sorority Life Director Ben Hopper, Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life
32 Assistant Director Jordan Kocher, Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life Assistant
33 Director Kathleen MacLeay, and Interim President Gen. Richard B. Myers.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/21**

APPROVAL OF NEW STUDENT SENATOR

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3 **BY:** Senate Operations Committee

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5 **WHEREAS,** Alex Wakim has chosen to resign the position of Student Senator for the College of Arts
6 and Sciences; and

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8 **WHEREAS,** Connor Gray has the next highest vote total for the College of Arts and Sciences.

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10 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** Connor Gray be approved as a student senator for the College of Arts and Sciences.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/22**

**APPROVAL OF ELECTIONS
COMMISSIONER**

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4 **BY:** Jessica Van Ranken, Jack Ayres, Sarah Pride

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6 **WHEREAS,** The elections commissioner is jointly appointed by the student body president, speaker of
7 the student senate and attorney general;

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9 **WHEREAS,** This position was sufficiently advertised;

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11 **WHEREAS,** Applications were made available to all students who showed interest in the position of
12 elections commissioner;

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14 **WHEREAS,** According to the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws,
15 Article I, Section 2, the elections commissioner shall be appointed and approved by
16 student senate by the third Thursday of October;

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18 **WHEREAS,** Two applications were received;

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20 **WHEREAS,** This appointment is subject to approval by the student senate.

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22 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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24 **SECTION 1.** Kylie Andres be approved to serve as elections commissioner for the 2016-2017 term.

BY: University Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The university allocations committee received and reviewed the request of the Spanish Club;

WHEREAS, The Spanish club will be hosting a Cervantes Celebration in recognition of the 400th anniversary of Cervantes' death on Thursday, Nov. 10th in Hale Library;

WHEREAS, The celebration attendees will hear from Dr. Mirzam C. Perez regarding Cervantes' Don Quijote de la Mancha and the ways in which the text was read and performed in 17th century Spain.

WHEREAS, The lecture will be followed by an interactive workshop in which students and participants create short skits and artwork related to Cervantes and Don Quijote. Artwork will later be displayed in the Modern Language Department; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – Cervantes Celebration; November 10th; Hemisphere Room, Hale Library.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotion	\$75.00	\$75.00
<u>LSE</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
TOTAL	\$575.00	\$575.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Spanish Club shall be allocated \$575.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1020CW of the Spanish Club.

**DISAPPROVAL OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE
ON OFFICER COMPENSATION SALARY
RECOMMENDATION**

BY: Jack Ayres, Andrew Crowder, Jordan DeLoach, Anna Jackson, Trenton Kennedy,
Stephen Kucera, Nick Nordstrom, Jonathan Peuchen, Sarah Pride, Jessica Van Ranken,
Karl Wilhelm

WHEREAS, It is the responsibility of the Joint Committee on Officer Compensation (Joint Committee) to make a report and recommendation to Student Senate concerning the salaries of student officers of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA);

WHEREAS, The Joint Committee has met, studied, and examined the salaries of student officers of the KSU SGA and has issued a recommendation based on their findings;

WHEREAS, Their report is issued every three years and recommends the salaries for the KSU SGA Officers for the following three years;

WHEREAS, The methodology of the Joint Committee for making their recommendation primarily involved evaluation of the responsibilities enumerated in the SGA governing documents;

WHEREAS, KSU SGA Officers are encouraged to go above and beyond their enumerated responsibilities within their position;

WHEREAS, Primarily examining the responsibilities enumerated in the SGA governing documents is not reflective of the scope of the work that many officers will take on during their term;

WHEREAS, Other Big 12 Student Governments fill different roles in their campus' joint governance structure and may not always comparative to the model utilized here at KSU; and

WHEREAS, The report presented has inaccuracies that do not present an appropriate compensation strategy.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association disapproves of the set of salary recommendations of the Joint Committee on Officer Compensation;

SECTION 2. The KSU SGA enumerates the following reasons for their disapproval:

1. The approach taken by the Joint Committee to determine equitable compensation looks primarily into enumerated duties and does not necessarily take into account the work that a KSU SGA Officer will often perform and be expected to perform in their role.
2. The report only compares compensation between Big 12 student governments which often fill different responsibilities in their university's joint governance structure.
3. The report issued has inconsistencies relating to the Speaker pro tempore recommended compensation and outdated titles of KSU SGA Officers.

SECTION 3. The KSU SGA recommends the following actions be taken by the committee in their review:

1. Investigate and consider the time spent by current and former KSU SGA Officers on work relating to their positions

- 54 2. Investigate and consider peer student governing associations outside of the Big 12
55 officer compensation strategies
56 3. Make changes to the report as warranted by further findings
57 4. Make changes to the report as necessary to reflect current officer titles
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- 59 **SECTION 4.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, this
60 recommendation will be sent to the Joint Committee on Officer Compensation.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Hispanic
7 American Leadership Organization (HALO);
89 **WHEREAS,** HALO will be taking 10 members to the United States Hispanic Leadership Institute's
10 National Conference in Chicago, Ill. on February 16th;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The conference attendees will be able to gain knowledge through networking and
13 workshops as to how they can be inclusive leaders and better reach out to Hispanic
14 students at Kansas State University; and
1516 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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18 United States Hispanic Leadership Institute National Conference; Chicago, Ill.; February
19 16th – 19th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2425 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2627 **SECTION 1.** Hispanic American Leadership Organization shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event
28 described.
2930 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
31 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0502CW of Hispanic
32 American Leadership Organization

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Kansas State
7 University(K-State) Theatre Organization;8
9 **WHEREAS,** K-State Theatre Organization is an organization that promotes the fine arts on campus
10 through theatre;11
12 **WHEREAS,** K-State Theatre Organization is sending 10 students to attend the Kennedy Center
13 American College Theatre Festival (KCACTF) in Chicago;14
15 **WHEREAS,** In attending KCACTF, students can participate in workshops to teach them skills that
16 will help them succeed both on campus and after graduation. These students host forums
17 upon returning from KCACTF to discuss how they have implemented these skills after
18 returning;19
20 **WHEREAS,** Students that attend KCACTF are given the opportunity to compete for the Irene Ryan
21 Scholarship, along with audition for professional companies and receive summer job
22 offers; and23
24 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:25
26 Project 1 – K-State Theatre Organization; Jan. 22nd-28th, 2017; Chicago, Ill..27
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>LSE</u>	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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31 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**32
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34 **SECTION 1.** K-State Theatre Organization shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.35
36 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISAFASRSV to the account NISA0598FA of K-State
38 Theatre Organization.

4 **BY:** College Allocation Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations committee received and reviewed the request of The Investment
7 Club;
89 **WHEREAS,** Members will be traveling to Chicago, Ill. to meet with key leaders within the national
10 business community;
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13 Trade;
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1617 **WHEREAS,** Members usually get very personal presentations from the business leaders they meet
18 with at these companies;
1920 **WHEREAS,** Members will be interacting with Kansas State University alumni and gaining valuable
21 experience for their future business careers; and
2223 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2425 Travel Allocation– Investment Club; Chicago, Ill.; Dec. 1st – 3rd.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Plane Tickets	\$800.00	\$500.00
<u>Hotel</u>	<u>\$800.00</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
TOTAL	\$1,600.00	\$1,000.00

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3536 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0572CC
38 of The Investment Club.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES NOVEMBER 3, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:08pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 48 senators and 22 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator McIntire
Senator Thomas
Senator Bertz
Senator Ogren
Senator Langvardt
Senator Reichenberger
Senator Flores
Senator Frankel
Senator Comstock

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Breen
Senator Lonker
Senator May
Senator Stevens
Senator Alamo (Partial)

Intern DeMaranville
Intern Mertens
Intern Wilkerson

OPEN PERIOD

Usha Redi, Mayor of the City of Manhattan, KS

- Has been on city commission for 3 years
- Came to the US in 1973 from India
- Received education degree from K-State
- On the State Board of Directors for the National Alliance on Mental Health

- Go on to city website to look at advisory boards and where to get involved

Loren Taylor- Center for Advocacy, Response and Education (CARE) Office

- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1116077/show>
- Advocacy approach:
 - Confidential
 - Free
 - Voluntary
 - Survivor centered
 - Trauma informed
 - Available for students faculty and stuff
- Contact information: 206 Holton Hall – 785-532-6444- ksucare@ksu.edu - lorent@ksu.edu

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Speaker Ayres

- Thanked Senate for taking Royal Purple Yearbook photo

Bill Harlan

- Moving in to new SGA office on November 8th
 - On the 17th before Senate from 4-7 pm there will be an open house with snacks
 - Stop by!! ☺
1. Please review the Joint Commission on Officer Compensation's (JCOC) recommendation at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1114069/show> Also attached to the agenda.
 2. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/20 Commendation To Kansas State University Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity

Senator Valdez moved we consider Resolution 16/17/20

Introduced by Intern Penny

Senator Pracht moved we approve the commendation unanimously

Resolution 16/17/20 passes unanimously

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/21 Approval Of New Student Senator

Chair Orth moved we consider Resolution 16/17/21

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved we approve Resolution 16/17/21

Resolution 16/17/21 was approved unanimously

Speaker Ayres swore in the individual

Resolution 16/17/22 Approval Of Elections Commissioner

Chair A. Peuchen moved we consider Resolution 16/17/22

Introduced by President Van Ranken

Senator Pracht moved we approve Resolution 16/17/22

Resolution 16/17/22 was approved unanimously

President Van Ranken swore in the individual

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Eberhardy

- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1110099/show>

Chair Crowder

- SGA co sponsoring Election Watch Party from 7-10 pm in the Union Courtyard on November 8th

Chair J. Peuchen

- Privilege fee committee will be introducing two pieces of legislation at Senate next Thursday

Chair Jackson

- Senate Operations edited legislation on Halloween
- Bring up corrections to Parliamentarian Wilhelm after the meeting

Elections Commissioner Andres

- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1118227/show>

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director Munyanyi

- Working on scholarships for international students
- Working on a Google Form to send out to international students where they can share their stories
 - Will print out the stories and then upload them on OrgSync and then deliver to the Provost, Dr. Wiley, Dr. Bosco, and President
- Serves on special committee for how to make SGA more diverse
 - Met with Bill Harlan and worked on a form located on OrgSync where students can input where they want to be involved on SGA
 - Have received 10 interests in 5 hours, to then be able to reach out to those students
- Cats for Inclusion event
 - Director Munyanyi has an idea to move Cats for Inclusion next weekend on a Saturday at Jardine Apartments due to its diverse community in the Frith center.
 - Will be sending out flyer to Jardine students
- DPC Funding and ways to improve the process
 - If you would like to share ideas, reach out to Director Munyanyi
- Diversity Summit took place (11/3/16)

- Had the opportunity to share thoughts to an audience of instructors, family, and friends on how multicultural students feel and how we can move forward and improve
 - Learned that progress has been made in diversity on the K-State campus, fortunate that people are willing to listen
 - Happy that Student Engagement Committee has been going to BSU meetings
- Muslim Student Association: November 10th from 11:30-12:30 event in Forum Hall over countering Violent Extremism in the Muslim World

Director McKittrick

- Chairs the Student technology committee
- Wanting input on K-State mobile app

Director Everett

- Spoke with Provost Mason on the current status of Multicultural Student Center
- There is more information in the Office of Diversity that could potentially be shared with the public

Director Garcia

- Transfer Visit day occurred and it was very successful
- Getting in contact with Butler Community College- their students are wanting to transfer over to K-State and become involved in SGA

President Van Ranken

- Anyone interested in EDCEP 311 should get involved

Vice President Kennedy

- Encouraged everyone to vote early or vote on November 8

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1115874/show>

Speaker Ayres

- Address JCOC ByLaws
- Recommendation does not need approval but disapproval would send it back

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/29 FY 2017 Allocation to Spanish Club (Favorably 10-0-0)

Chair Orth moved we approve the minor allocation

Senate was voted unanimously to approve the minor allocation

FINAL ACTION

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/30 Disapproval Of The Joint Committee On Officer Compensation Salary

Recommendation

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to consider Bill 16/17/30

Introduced by Chief of Staff DeLoach
Chair J. Peuchen moved to special order Bill 16/17/30

Positive Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen
Senator Nordstrom
Vice President Kennedy
Chief of Staff DeLoach
Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:

Senator McGee
Senator Pracht
Elections Commissioner Andres
Director Munyanyi
Senator Barnett

Senator Sabatini moved to call previous question
There was a 2/3 majority vote to end debate
Vote passed

There was a 2/3 majority vote to move Bill 16/17/30 to Final Action
Vote did not pass.
Referred to Senate Operations Committee

**Bill 16/17/31 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Hispanic American Leadership
Organization**

Senator Sabatini moved to consider Bill 16/17/31
Introduced by Senator Krotz
Bill is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/32 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Kansas State University Theatre Organization

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/32
Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen
Bill is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/33 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Investment Club

Senator Valdez moved to consider Bill 16/17/33
Introduced by Senator Mindrup
Bill is referred back to the Community Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Speaker Pro Temore

- Only voting member of the authorship of Bill 6/17/30 that will not be present at Senate next week
- Thanked Director Munyanyi for voicing his opinion on the Bill

Intern Kallenberger

- Theta Xi Fall Philanthropy

- Tickets are \$5 and t-shirts are \$18
- HBO Go and Cookie dough November 12th

Senator Barnett

- Encouraged everyone to apply for Catalyst
- Semester long course
- No cost and application deadline is November 18 at midnight

Chair J. Peuchen

- K-State Proud
- Early buy in campaign is happening now
- Would love to have SGA participation in the campaign
- Passed around cards for early buy in on the K-State Proud t-shirts
- Asked SGA to volunteer with the campaign to be at a booth and talk to students
- Will reach out with opportunities

Chair Jackson

Senate operations will be meeting in the conference room of Wefald Hall Monday at 7pm

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/30 was referred to the Senate Operation Committee

Bill 16/17/31 was referred to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/32 was referred to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/33 was referred to the Community Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

There were 46 senators and 22 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair J. Peuchen moved to adjourn until Thursday, November 10 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 9:53pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

- Dr. Pat Bosco – Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students
- Multicultural Student Center
 - Mirta Chavez, Director, Multicultural Student Organizations
 - LaBarbara James Wigfall, Associate professor of landscape architecture and regional/community planning
- National Organization Of Minority Architects (NOMAS)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/23 Approval Of Attorney General Recommendation Committee

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/30	Disapproval Of The Joint Committee On Officer Compensation Salary Recommendation (Favorable 5-0-0)
Bill 16/17/31	FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Hispanic American Leadership Organization (Favorable 8-0-0)
Bill 16/17/32	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Kansas State University Theatre Organization (Favorable 8-0-0)
Bill 16/17/33	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Investment Club (9-0-0)

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/36	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Engineers Without Borders
Bill 16/17/38	FY 2017 Travel Allocation American Society of Civil Engineers

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/24	FY 2017 Allocation Of Student Bond Surplus Funds For The Campus Health And Wellness Master Planning Commission
Bill 16/17/33	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Academic Competition Team Requests
Bill 16/17/34	Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Membership
Bill 16/17/35	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Graduate Students In Agricultural Economics
Bill 16/17/37	FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Cru Global

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. If you are going to be graduating after this year or will not be running for an SGA office next year and would like to serve on the Elections Committee, please contact Speaker Pro Tempore Stephen Kucera
2. The application for the 2017-2018 Attorney General is now live and can be found at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/228819> Complete the application by Tuesday November 28, no later than midnight. If you have any questions, please contact the SGA Attorney General, Sarah Pride, at sarpride@k-state.edu.
3. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.
4. Proxies:
 - McGee for Reichenberger
 - Nordstrom for Kucera
 - Andres for Holder
 - Bogner for Doll
 - Klahr for Bertz
 - Karimov for Bultongez
 - Thomas for Elliot
 - Lowry for B. Johnson
 - Barnett for McIntire
 - Mindrup for Bartels
 - Eberhardy for Kiehl
5. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
13 Special Committee on Membership: 3pm; location TBA GR: 6pm UAC/CAC: 7:30pm	14 Priv Fee: 5:30pm Senate Operations: 7pm	15 Tuition & Fees Strat. Committee 5:30pm Legislative Executive Committee: 7pm	16 Diversity Programming Committee: 3:30pm (204)	17 Student Senate Meeting: 7pm	18	19
20	21 Fall break	22 Fall break	23 Fall break	24 No senate!	25 Fall break	26

“How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world.”

– Anne Frank

Quote Credit to Senator Heyen

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 11-3-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1118245/show>

Executive Committee:

No meeting

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1117542/show>

- Decisions were made to fund the Game Development Club and Cru Global.

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1117569/show>

- Introductions
- Presentations by: Engineers Without Borders, The American Society Of Civil Engineers, Graduate Students In Agricultural Economics, Ashrae, Dairy Science Club, Review Of Investment Club Request

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1120709/show>

- Heard presentation and debated counseling services peer education initiative to use budget enhancement funds – will be held in committee until additional questions are answered
- It was moved and seconded to author legislation to allocate \$0.00 per year to the collegiate readership program, \$18,000.00 per year to internal auditing, 87,000.00 each year to the SafeRide program, \$30,000.00 per year for Week of Welcome, \$112,499.00 per year to Legal Services, and \$303,677.00 per year to OSAS.

Senate Operations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1118660/show>

- Edited submitted legislation
- Discussed Bill 16/17/30 on JCOC and passed out favorably

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link:

Student Engagement Committee:

Link:

Diversity Programming Committee:

- Began review of the 3rd Quarter funding requests
- Minutes for the last four weeks can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/23**

**APPROVAL OF ATTORNEY GENERAL
RECOMMENDATION COMMITTEE**

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4 **BY:** Jack Ayres, Sarah Pride and Jessica Van Ranken

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6 **WHEREAS,** Article V, Section 5 of the KSU SGA By-Laws provides for the creation of the attorney
7 general recommendation committee;

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9 **WHEREAS,** The attorney general recommendation committee shall be composed of the current KSU
10 SGA Attorney General, who shall serve as chair;

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12 **WHEREAS,** The attorney general shall appoint three judicial branch members to the committee,
13 subject to student senate approval;

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15 **WHEREAS,** Three student senators appointed by the speaker of the student senate, subject to student
16 senate approval; and

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18 **WHEREAS,** Two members of the executive branch appointed by the student body president, subject
19 to student senate approval.
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21 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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23 **SECTION 1.** The following student senators be approved as members of the attorney general nominee
24 interview committee:

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26 Stephen Kucera
27 Trent McGee
28 Megan Heyen
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30 **SECTION 2.** The following judicial branch members be approved as members of the attorney general
31 nominee interview committee:

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33 Peter Moyer
34 Devonta Bagley
35 Heidee Prosser
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37 **SECTION 2.** The following executive branch members be approved as members of the attorney
38 general nominee interview committee:

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40 Jordan DeLoach
41 Meredith Clark

5 **BY:** Jack Ayres, Andrew Crowder, Jordan DeLoach, Anna Jackson, Trenton Kennedy,
6 Stephen Kucera, Nick Nordstrom, Jonathan Peuchen, Sarah Pride, Jessica Van Ranken,
7 Karl Wilhelm
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9 **WHEREAS,** It is the responsibility of the Joint Committee on Officer Compensation (Joint
10 Committee) to make a report and recommendation to Student Senate concerning the
11 salaries of student officers of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
12 (KSU SGA);
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14 **WHEREAS,** The Joint Committee has met, studied and examined the salaries of student officers of the
15 KSU SGA and has issued a recommendation based on their findings;
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17 **WHEREAS,** Their report is issued every three years and recommends the salaries for the KSU SGA
18 Officers for the following three years;
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20 **WHEREAS,** The methodology of the Joint Committee for making their recommendation primarily
21 involved evaluation of the responsibilities enumerated in the SGA governing documents;
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23 **WHEREAS,** KSU SGA Officers are encouraged to go above and beyond their enumerated
24 responsibilities within their position;
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26 **WHEREAS,** Primarily examining the responsibilities enumerated in the SGA governing documents is
27 not reflective of the scope of the work that many officers will take on during their term;
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29 **WHEREAS,** Other Big 12 Student Governments fill different roles in their campus' joint governance
30 structure and may not always be comparative to the model utilized here at KSU; and
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32 **WHEREAS,** The report presented has inaccuracies that do not present an appropriate compensation
33 strategy.
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35 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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37 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) disapproves of
38 the set of salary recommendations of the Joint Committee on Officer Compensation;
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40 **SECTION 2.** The KSU SGA enumerates the following reasons for their disapproval:
41 1. The approach taken by the Joint Committee to determine equitable compensation
42 looks primarily into enumerated duties and does not necessarily take into account the
43 work that a KSU SGA Officer will often perform and be expected to perform in their
44 role.
45 2. The report only compares compensation between Big 12 student governments which
46 often fill different responsibilities in their university's joint governance structure.
47 3. The report issued has inconsistencies relating to the Speaker pro tempore
48 recommended compensation and outdated titles of KSU SGA Officers.
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50 **SECTION 3.** The KSU SGA recommends the following actions be taken by the committee in their
51 review:
52 1. Investigate and consider the time spent by current and former KSU SGA Officers on
53 work relating to their positions.

- 54 2. Investigate and consider peer student governing associations outside of the Big 12
55 officer compensation strategies.
56 3. Make changes to the report as warranted by further findings.
57 4. Make changes to the report as necessary to reflect current officer titles.
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- 59 **SECTION 4.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, this
60 recommendation will be sent to the Joint Committee on Officer Compensation.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Hispanic
7 American Leadership Organization (HALO);
89 **WHEREAS,** HALO will be taking 10 members to the United States Hispanic Leadership Institute's
10 National Conference in Chicago, Ill. on Feb. 16th;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The conference attendees will be able to gain knowledge through networking and
13 workshops as to how they can be inclusive leaders and better reach out to Hispanic
14 students at Kansas State University; and
1516 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:17
18 United States Hispanic Leadership Institute National Conference; Chicago, Ill.; Feb. 16th
19 – 19th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

2425 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2627 **SECTION 1.** Hispanic American Leadership Organization shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event
28 described.
2930 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
31 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0502CW of Hispanic
32 American Leadership Organization

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Kansas State
7 University(K-State) Theatre Organization;8
9 **WHEREAS,** K-State Theatre Organization is an organization that promotes the fine arts on campus
10 through theatre;11
12 **WHEREAS,** K-State Theatre Organization is sending 10 students to attend the Kennedy Center
13 American College Theatre Festival (KCACTF) in Chicago;14
15 **WHEREAS,** In attending KCACTF, students can participate in workshops to teach them skills that
16 will help them succeed both on campus and after graduation. These students host forums
17 upon returning from KCACTF to discuss how they have implemented these skills after
18 returning;19
20 **WHEREAS,** Students that attend KCACTF are given the opportunity to compete for the Irene Ryan
21 Scholarship, along with audition for professional companies and receive summer job
22 offers; and23
24 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:25
26 Project 1 – K-State Theatre Organization; Jan. 22nd-28th, 2017; Chicago, Ill..27
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>LSE</u>	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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32 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**33
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36 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISAFASRSV to the account NISA0598FA of K-State
38 Theatre Organization.

4 **BY:** College Allocation Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of The Investment
7 Club;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Members will be traveling to Chicago, Ill. to meet with key leaders within the national
10 business community;11
12 **WHEREAS,** Members will be meeting with companies like J.P. Morgan and the Chicago Board of
13 Trade;14
15 **WHEREAS,** Members will be meeting with Pat Dorsey from Dorsey Asset Management;16
17 **WHEREAS,** Members usually get very personal presentations from the business leaders they meet
18 with at these companies;19
20 **WHEREAS,** Members will be interacting with Kansas State University alumni and gaining valuable
21 experience for their future business careers; and22
23 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:24
25 Travel Allocation– Investment Club; Chicago, Ill.; Dec. 1st – 3rd.26
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$800.00	\$800.00
<u>Lodging</u>	<u>\$800.00</u>	<u>\$000.00</u>
TOTAL	\$1,600.00	\$800.00

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32 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**33
34 **SECTION 1.** The Investment Club shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.35
36 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0572CC
38 of The Investment Club.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of The Engineers Without Borders;

WHEREAS, The Engineers Without Borders student organization will be taking seven members to El Amate, Guatemala from Jan. 7th-14th, 2017;

WHEREAS, The traveling group members will be completing the pre-implementation trip for their current project, conducting tests and asking the local population what they want from the project;

WHEREAS, The trip will allow students to gain experiences with leadership, design, construction and funding of a project on an international level;

WHEREAS, The traveling group members will report on their experiences and knowledge gained during the trip to the entirety of the club upon their return; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – Completion of pre-implementation trip; El Amate, Guatemala; Jan. 7th-14th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$500.00	\$500.00
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Engineers Without Borders shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0387CC of The Engineers Without Borders.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee has received and reviewed the travel request for the
7 American Society of Civil Engineers Student Association (ASCE); and
89 **WHEREAS,** ASCE will be taking six members Feb. 2nd-5th to Minneapolis, Minn. for a conference
10 intended to train new student officers of the ASCE chapter;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Attendance to this conference teaches new ASCE officers what the organization is all
13 about, they will bring back vital information to help train students better for life after
14 graduation;
1516 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by students at the conference contain material that they will
17 implement into Kansas State University community in order to educate the students about
18 certain problems faced after graduation, as well as being able to learn new teaching
19 techniques;
2021 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards registration, travel and lodging expenses; and
2223 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2425 Project 1 – Workshop for Student Chapter Leaders; Minneapolis, Minn.; February 2nd-5th
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

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31 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3233 **SECTION 1.** ASCE shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.
3435 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0091CC of the
37 American Society of Civil Engineers.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/24**

**FY 2017 ALLOCATION OF STUDENT BOND
SURPLUS FUNDS FOR THE CAMPUS
HEALTH AND WELLNESS MASTER
PLANNING COMMISSION**

6 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee

8 **WHEREAS,** The university administration requests the Kansas State University Student Governing
9 Association give input on how bond surplus funds are utilized;

11 **WHEREAS,** The bond surplus funds exist to provide opportunity for the completion of major, one-time
12 projects;

14 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University (K-State) is committed to providing superior recreational, health,
15 and wellness services for students, in line with our land grant mission of quality programs
16 as a service to students and the State of Kansas, and in line with K-State's commitment to
17 "putting students first";

19 **WHEREAS,** It is prudent to continuously study and evaluate the long-term vision of campus service
20 offerings for our student body and campus community;

22 **WHEREAS,** Other universities have begun exploring concepts of comprehensive health and wellness
23 offerings available to their campus communities, and the opportunity exists for K-State to
24 explore such new models;

26 **WHEREAS,** Amid ongoing changes and restructuring to university and state budgets, it is sensible to
27 consider efficiency of services and innovativeness of funding resources necessary to
28 provide essential campus offerings, including but not limited to Recreational Services,
29 Lafene Health Center and Counseling Services;

31 **WHEREAS,** Considering the fast moving development of the north campus corridor master plan
32 completed in fall 2015, it is necessary to ensure that clear lines are established around the
33 assumed Recreational Services footprint and that those lines are effectively
34 communicated amongst the campus community and administration in order to protect
35 that footprint for consideration of the long-term foreseeable needs for recreational
36 services and other affiliated health and wellness offerings;

38 **WHEREAS,** With the life span and more recent deterioration of our campus natatorium, it is essential
39 and urgent to consider the long-term options for campus pool offerings, and the part the
40 campus pool plays in overall campus recreational services and other health and wellness
41 activities;

43 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association, in collaboration with
44 faculty, staff, and administration, created the Campus Health and Wellness Master
45 Planning Commission to explore the long-term vision and strategies for needs and
46 opportunities within the broad scope of campus health and wellness;

48 **WHEREAS,** The Campus Health and Wellness Master Planning Commission shall submit its final
49 proposal to the student body president and the speaker of the student senate by the end of
50 the 2016-2017 student senate term. The consultant shall be requested to present to the
51 student senate and the university community. As part of the proposal, the selected
52 consultant shall assist in developing comprehensive cost estimates and identifying
53 potential funding sources. The exploration of funding sources shall be a collaborative
54 effort between the selected consultant and the master planning commission, with long-

range financial considerations given to include fundraising, private and public partnership, consideration of a student fee referendum and other creative funding sources;

WHEREAS, The funds collected in the bond surplus are from a state requirement for agencies to collect 125 percent of the bond payment to provide for the rare occasion of a decrease in student enrollment subsequently resulting in a decrease in privilege fee revenue;

WHEREAS, As of Sept. 26th, 2016, the bond surplus account has a balance of approximately \$2,446,225.00 and has a projected increase in funds;

WHEREAS, In accordance with KSU SGA Statute 30-0703 the bond surplus funds should be utilized on projects that impact the student body, contribute to the long-range goals of K-State and add value to campus and have received approval by KSU SGA; and

WHEREAS, The Campus Health and Wellness Master Planning Commission will be jointly funded by three equal \$50,000 contributions from the Office of the Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students, Recreational Services and Lafene Health Center, and the Kansas State Student Governing Association.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. Kansas State University Student Governing Association recommends that \$50,000.00 be allocated from the student privilege fee bond surplus account for the Campus Health and Wellness Master Planning Commission.

SECTION 2. KSU SGA requires these monies to be used for consultant fees for the Campus Health and Wellness Master Planning Commission.

SECTION 3. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Assistant Vice President for Financial Services Fran Willbrant, Business Financial Specialist Jennyfer Owensby, Director of Financial Operations James Bach, Director of Recreational Services Steve Martini, Director of Lafene Health Center Jim Parker, Office of Student Activities and Services Director Bill Harlan, and Student Governing Association Accountant Amy Lee.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES**
4 **CONCERNING ACADEMIC COMPETITION TEAM REQUESTS**

5 **BY:** Wyatt Pracht

6
7 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review the Kansas State University Student Governing
8 Association Statutes;
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10 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of the current KSU SGA Statutes regarding Academic Competition
11 Team annual budget requests and difficulties associated with funding an entire
12 competition team council during this year's funding cycle, a change was deemed
13 necessary;
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15 **WHEREAS,** The current statutes don't allow ample time for a fair and equitable review and allocation
16 process for academic competition teams; and
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18 **WHEARAS,** By changing our statutes, SGA can ensure a fair funding process and equal consideration
19 for all academic competition teams.
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21 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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23 **SECTION 1.** Section 21-0106 (Student Activity Fee Funding Regulations), Sub-section A, Item Three
24 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is hereby
25 amended to read as follows:
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- 27 3. Annual requests must be completed and submitted to the Academic Competition
28 Team Standing Committee in the Office of Student Activities and Services no
29 later than the ~~last~~ *second to last* Friday in February.
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31 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and the signature of the
32 student body president.

4 **BY:** Carlos Flores, Víctor Valdez

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6 **WHEREAS,** Policies regarding Student Senate membership have not been officially reviewed in over
7 20 years;

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9 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and evaluate policies regarding Student Senate
10 membership and representation;

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12 **WHEREAS,** It is important to review if Student Senate is accurately representative of Kansas State
13 University's diverse population; and

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15 **WHEREAS,** Due to challenges the Student Governing Association (SGA) faces in terms of diversity,
16 many issues SGA attempts to solve do not take into account the perspectives of
17 underrepresented communities.

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19 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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21 **SECTION 1.** There is hereby established the special committee on membership.

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23 **SECTION 2.** The special committee on membership shall consist of the following voting members:

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25 Ryan Kelly
26 Hannah Markel
27 Tendai Munyanyi
28 Stephen Kucera
29 William Moore
30 Riley Katz
31 Adam Carr
32 Faith Tuttle
33 Catherine Gutman
34 Jordan Martin
35 Jordan Kiehl
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37 **SECTION 3.** The special committee on Student Senate membership shall be chaired by the following
38 members who only vote to break a tie:

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40 Carlos Flores
41 Victor Valdez
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43 **SECTION 4.** The special committee on Student Senate membership shall dissolve at the completion of
44 the 2016-2017 Senate term.

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46 **SECTION 5.** The committee shall submit its final report with recommendations to the speaker of the
47 student senate by March 16th, 2017, for the benefit of the entire Student Senate.

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49 **SECTION 6.** Topics discussed in committee shall include but not be limited to:

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51 Alternative measures to guarantee campus representation
52 Current and historical make up of Student Senate
53 Expanding outreach for intern recruitment
54 Educating students in regards to how to get involved with SGA

55 Reducing barriers of entry

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57 **SECTION 7.** The special committee on senate membership shall work with the Elections Committee to
58 bolster its educational and outreach efforts.

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60 **SECTION 8.** This legislation shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Graduate
7 Students in Agricultural Economics;8
9 **WHEREAS,** The Graduate Students in Agricultural Economics will be taking 12 members to the
10 Southern Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting on Feb. 3rd-8th, 2017;11
12 **WHEREAS,** The meeting attendees will be able to interact with academics in agricultural economics
13 and to enhance their network;14
15 **WHEREAS,** The meeting will allow students to gain feedback on their current work and promote
16 collaboration in research with academics from other institutions in the future; and17
18 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:19
20 Project 1 – Southern Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting; Mobile, Ala.;
21 Feb. 3rd-8th, 2017.22
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**28
29 **SECTION 1.** The Graduate Students in Agricultural Economics shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the
30 event described.31
32 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0474CC
34 of the Graduate Students in Agricultural Economics.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Cru Global;7
8 **WHEREAS,** Cru Global will be taking 8 members to the Bridges International Vision Conference in
9 Daytona Beach, Fl. from Dec. 27th-Jan 2nd;10
11 **WHEREAS,** The conference attendees will be able to gain knowledge through networking and
12 workshops with religious leaders and student affairs administrators as to how they can
13 better serve the needs of international students as they adjust to life at K-State;14
15 **WHEREAS,** The Bridges International Vision Conference has a strong service component, committed
16 to serving international students adjust to life away from home, better their English skills,
17 and develop spiritually; and18
19 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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21 Project 1 –Bridges International Vision Conference; Daytona Beach, Fla.; Dec. 27th, 2016
22 -Jan 2nd, 2017.23
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$3,000.00	\$800.00
TOTAL	\$3,000.00	\$800.00

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2728 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**29
30 **SECTION 1.** Cru Global shall be allocated \$800.00 for the event described.31
32 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0630CW of K-State
34 Cru.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES NOVEMBER 10, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Parliamentarian Wilhelm called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Parliamentarian Wilhelm led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 43 senators and 22 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Reichenberger
Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera
Senator Holder
Senator Doll
Senator Bertz
Senator Bultongez
Senator Elliot
Senator B. Johnson
Senator McIntire
Senator Bartels
Senator Kiehl

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Barnett
Senator Breen
Senator Brenneman
Senator Fleming
Senator Kennedy
Senator Wiese

OPEN PERIOD

Dr. Pat Bosco – Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students

- Indicated the importance of SGA
- Encouraged SGA to continue their good work

Chair J. Peuchen moved to suspend the rules and refer back to Open Period from Final Action

2/3 vote to suspend the rules

2/3 vote passed and the rules were suspended allowing representatives from the Multicultural Student

Center to present to Senate

Multicultural Student Center

- Mirta Chavez, Director, Multicultural Student Organizations
- LaBarbara James Wigfall, Associate professor of landscape architecture and regional/community planning
- Spoke on the benefits and importance of the prospective Multicultural Student Center, noted that their next phase is fundraising.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. If you are going to be graduating after this year or will not be running for an SGA office next year and would like to serve on the Elections Committee, please contact Speaker Pro Tempore Stephen Kucera.
2. The application for the 2017-2018 Attorney General is now live and can be found at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/228819> Complete the application by Tuesday November 28, no later than midnight. If you have any questions, please contact the SGA Attorney General, Sarah Pride, at sarpride@kstate.edu.
3. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/23 Approval Of Attorney General Recommendation Committee

Chair Orth moved we consider Resolution 16/17/23

Introduced by Senator Martin

Senator Valdez moved to approve Resolution 16/17/23 unanimously.

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Jackson

- Senate ops reviewed JCOC bill
- Passed out unanimously 5-0-0-
- Gotten ideas from senators about by laws and statutes

Chair J. Peuchen

- Had counseling services come present about the Peer Education initiative
- Authoring legislation for OSAS
- Decided to remove the SGA portion from the OSAS budget to be more transparent with SGA's funding
- SGA will have its own line item

Senator Andres

- Let her know if you would like to serve on the elections committee

DIRECTOR REPORTS

There were none.

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/30 Disapproval Of The Joint Committee On Officer Compensation Salary Recommendation (Favorable 5-0-0)

Chair J. Peuchen introduced Bill 16/17/30

Positive Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen
Chair Jackson
Director Hurtig
Chair Orth
Vice-Chair Mindrup

Negative Debate:

Senator Karimov
Senator McGee
Senator Lowry

Senator Lowry moved to call previous question
2/3 vote to call previous question was counted
2/3 vote passed to call previous question

Bill 16/17/30 passes by a vote of 31-20-2

Bill 16/17/31 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Hispanic American Leadership Organization (Favorable 8-0-0)

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair A. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen moved to bulk roll call votes for Bills 16/17/31, 16/17/32, and 16/17/33
2/3 vote to bulk roll call votes
2/3 vote passed and the above bills were to be bulk roll called

Bill 16/17/31 passes by a vote of 53-0-0

Bill 16/17/32 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Kansas State University Theatre Organization

(Favorable 8-0-0)

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair A. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/32 passes by a vote of 53-0-0

Bill 16/17/33 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Investment Club

(9-0-0)

Introduced by Senator Mindrup

Positive Debate:

Senator Mindrup

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/33 passes by a vote of 53-0-0

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Senator Valdez moved we consider the minor allocations

Bill 16/17/36 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Engineers Without Borders

Will be referred to College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/38 FY 2017 Travel Allocation American Society of Civil Engineers

Will be referred to College Allocations Committee

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/24 FY 2017 Allocation Of Student Bond Surplus Funds For The Campus Health And Wellness Master Planning Commission

Senator Valdez moved we consider Resolution 16/17/24

Introduced by Senator Niederee

Bill 16/17/24 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/33 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Academic Competition Team Requests

Senator Valdez moved we consider Resolution 16/17/33

Introduced by Senator Pracht

Bill 16/17/33 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/34 Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Membership

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/34

Introduced by Senator Valdez

Bill 16/17/34 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/35 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Graduate Students In Agricultural Economics

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/35

Introduced by Senator Pracht
Bill 16/17/35 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/37 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Cru Global

Senator Mindrup moved to consider Bill 16/17/35

Introduced by Senator Krotz

Bill 16/17/37 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Pracht

- If you are interested in Peace Corps there will be a story telling style information session at the Berney Family welcome Center, Tuesday at 12pm.

Senator Frankel

- There is another Cats for Inclusion this Saturday from 4:30 to 6:30 in the Frithe Center.

Intern Kallenberger

- Saturday from 1-5pm at Theta Xi
- Tickets are \$5

Senator Lonker

- DHOP at Delta Delta Delta after Senate from 10pm-3am

Senator Barnett

Catalyst applications are open until next Friday November 18th

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/36 is referred to the College Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/38 is referred to the College Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/24 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee
Bill 16/17/33 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee
Bill 16/17/34 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee
Bill 16/17/35 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/37 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 44 senators and 23 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Orth moved to adjourn until Thursday, November 17 at 7:00pm. Motion passes. Adjourned at 9:25pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Dr. Zelia Wiley, Interim Associate Provost for Diversity

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/25 Commendation To The Newly-Elected Legislators For The 2017-2018 Session

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/26 Amendments to the Attorney General Recommendation Committee

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/36 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Engineers Without Borders (**Favorably 6-0-0**)
Bill 16/17/38 FY 2017 Travel Allocation American Society of Civil Engineers (**Favorably 6-0-0**)

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/24 FY 2017 Allocation Of Student Bond Surplus Funds For The Campus Health And Wellness Master Planning Commission (**Favorably 12-0-0**)
Bill 16/17/33 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Academic Competition Team Requests (**Favorably 5-0-0**)
Bill 16/17/34 Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Membership (**Favorably 5-0-0**)
Bill 16/17/35 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Graduate Students In Agricultural Economics (**Favorably 6-0-0**)
Bill 16/17/37 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Cru Global (**Favorably 6-0-0**)

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/39 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Biodiesel Initiative
Bill 16/17/40 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Creative Writing Enthusiasts
Bill 16/17/41 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Game Development Club

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/42 Continuance In The Office Of Student Activities And Services Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/43 Increase In The Student Activity Fee
Bill 16/17/44 FY 2017 Allocation Of The Debt Reducation And Emergency Allocation Account For Counseling Services' Peer Advocates For Mental Wellness And Success Program
Bill 16/17/45 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Limitations On Campus Organizations Funding
Bill 16/17/46 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Election Dates And Deadlines

Bill 16/17/47	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student Senate Intern Motioning Rights
Bill 16/17/48	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Student Senate Intern Committee Placement
Bill 16/17/49	FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To LCMS U
Bill 16/17/50	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To ASHRAE
Bill 16/17/51	FY 2016 Travel Allocation For Associated General Contractors Student Chapter

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. If you are going to be graduating after this year or will not be running for an SGA office next year and would like to serve on the Elections Committee, please contact Speaker Pro Tempore Stephen Kucera or Elections Commissioner Kylie Andres
2. The application for the 2017-2018 Attorney General is now live and can be found at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/228819> Complete the application by Tuesday November 28, no later than midnight. If you have any questions, please contact the SGA Attorney General, Sarah Pride, at sarpride@k-state.edu.
3. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.
4. Proxies:
 - J. Peuchen for A. Peuchen
 - May for Elliott
 - Thomas for Eberhardy
 - Krotz for Sabatinti
 - Bogner for Kiehl
 - Klahr for Bertz
 - Eidemiller for McIntire
 - Johnson for Holder
5. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
20	21 Fall break	22 Fall break	23 Fall break	24 No senate!	25 Fall break	26
27	28	29 Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee @ 5:30 in OSAS	30	1 Senate @ 7:30	2	3

“Whether you think you can or you think you can’t, you’re right.” - Henry Ford



Governmental Relations Brown Bag

November 18th, 2016

KSU Student Union Cottonwood Room

12:00 – 1:00 pm

Speaker: Matt Casey, Kansas Board of Regents

Topic: Higher-Ed issues in the 2017 Kansas Legislative Session



Matt Casey: Matt Casey currently holds the position of Director of Governmental Relations for the Kansas Board of Regents. In this role Casey serves as the main contact point between the Kansas Board of Regents and the Kansas Legislature in advancing the Board's legislative priorities. Before working at the Board of Regents, Casey was a Government Relations Manager at Gaches Braden & Associates, a lobbying firm in Topeka. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Economics from Kansas State University. He currently resides in Wamego with his wife Ella.

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 11-10-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1124168/show>

Executive Committee:

- Discussed the future of GR
- Discussed intern committee placement

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1122946/show>

- Decisions were made to fund the Biodiesel Initiative, Creative Writing Enthusiasts, and LCMS U.
- The motion was made to fund the Game Development Club \$500, even though there was previous speculation as to the classification of the club. The motion was seconded and passed.
- The Game Development Club will later be reclassified as a CAC club.

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1122953/show>

- Introductions
- Presentations By Engineers Without Borders, The American Society Of Civil Engineers, Graduate Students In Agricultural Economics, Ashrae, And Dairy Science Club
- Review Of Investment Club Request

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1124183/show>

- It was moved and seconded that we fund Counseling Services \$6,250.00 for the PAWS program for Konginto and other supplies, not to be used for salary and benefits. Motion passed 11-0-0.
- Legislation for Student Activity Fee, Office of Student Activities and Services Privilege Fee, and Amendments to the SGA Statutes concerning College Organizations Funding Regulations will be introduced.
- It was moved and seconded to refer the Health and Wellness Master Planning Commission legislation back to Senate. Motion passed 12-0-0.

Senate Operations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1124176/show>

- Edited submitted legislation, considered referred legislation

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link:

Student Engagement Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1122839/show>

- For the future we would like to end up doing some sort of presentation to the groups that we have made strong connections with. Our overarching goal is to get better representation in the senate body and we want to reiterate how the election process works to some of the underrepresented groups.

Diversity Programming Committee:

- Began review of the 3rd Quarter funding requests
- Minutes for the last four weeks can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

4 **BY:** The Governmental Relations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The 2016 Kansas primary and general election seasons constitute long and arduous
7 processes, requiring extraordinary commitments of time and energy of the legislators on
8 behalf of their constituents;
910 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas House of Representatives and Kansas Senate are part-time, nonprofessional
11 governing bodies which require great personal sacrifice in the form of interruptions to the
12 retirements, professional careers, and personal lives of those who choose to serve;
1314 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (K-State SGA) has great
15 respect and gratitude to the members of the Kansas Legislature for choosing to serve their
16 state in this capacity;
1718 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas Legislature forms a close working relationship with all Kansas Board of
19 Regents universities, of which K-State is a proud member; and
2021 **WHEREAS,** The members of the K-State SGA wish to recognize the hard work and dedication to
22 servant leadership shown by the newly-elected legislators.
2324 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
2526 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (K-State SGA) commends
27 and congratulates all Representatives and Senators-Elect to the Kansas Legislature on
28 their successful campaigns and wishes them success in their new roles as legislators in
29 the upcoming legislative session.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy
32 of this resolution will be sent to Senators-Elect Mr. Bud Estes of Dodge City, Mr. Bruce
33 Givens of El Dorado, Mr. John Doll of Garden City, Mr. Richard Billinger of Goodland,
34 Dr. Edward Berger of Hutchinson, Mrs. Dinah Sykes of Lenexa, Mr. Richard Wilborn of
35 McPherson, Dr. Barbara Bollier of Mission Hills, Mr. John Skubal of Overland Park, Mr.
36 Dan Goddard of Parsons, Mr. Randall Hardy of Salina, Mrs. Mary Jo Taylor of Stafford,
37 Mrs. Lynn Rogers, Mr. Gene Suellentrop of Wichita and Mr. Larry Alley of Winfield.
3839 **SECTION 3.** To Representatives-Elect Mrs. Anita Judd-Jenkins of Arkansas City, Dr. John Eplee of
40 Atchison, Mrs. Kristey Williams of Augusta, Mr. Clay Aurand of Belleville, Mr. Eric
41 Smith of Burlington, Mr. David Baker of Council Grove, Mr. Bradley Ralph of Dodge
42 City, Mrs. Mary-Martha Good of El Dorado, Mr. Mark Schreiber of Emporia, Mr. Trevor
43 Jacobs of Fort Scott, Mr. Boyd Orr of Fowler, Mr. John Wheeler of Garden City, Ms.
44 Tory Arnberger of Great Bend, Mr. Eber Phelps of Hays, Mr. Stephen Crum of
45 Haysville, Mrs. Patsy Terrell of Hutchinson, Mr. Douglas Blex of Independence, Mr.
46 Leonard Mastroni of LaCrosse, Mrs. Debbie Deere of Lansing, Mr. Jeff Pittman of
47 Leavenworth, Dr. Joy Koesten of Leawood, Mr. Ron Ellis of Meriden, Mr. Timothy
48 Hodge of Newton, Mrs. Patty Markley, Mrs. Cindy Holscher, Mr. Jan Kessinger, and Mr.
49 Brett Parker of Overland Park, Mrs. Monica Murnan of Pittsburg, Mr. Jerry Stogsdill of
50 Prairie Village, Mr. Thomas Cox, Mrs. Cindy Neighbor, and Mrs. Shelee Brim of
51 Shawnee, Mr. Francis Awerkamp of St. Mary's, Mr. Sean Tarwater of Stilwell, Mr.
52 James Karleskint of Tonganoxie, Mr. James Gartner and Mrs. Brenda Dietrich of Topeka,
53 Mr. Adam Smith of Weskan, and Mr. Roger Elliott, Mrs. Elizabeth Bishop, Mr. Leo

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Delperdang, Mr. KC Ohaebosim, Dr. Greg Lakin, Mrs. Susan Humphries, and Mrs.

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Brenda Landwehr of Wichita.

RESOLUTION 16/17/26

**AMENDMENTS TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
RECOMMENDATION COMMITTEE**

BY: Jack Ayres, Sarah Pride and Jessica Van Ranken

WHEREAS, Jordan DeLoach is no longer able to serve on the Attorney General Recommendation Committee

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. Trenton Kennedy be approved as a member of the attorney general nomination interview committee

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of The Engineers Without Borders;

WHEREAS, The Engineers Without Borders student organization will be taking seven members to El Amate, Guatemala from Jan. 7th-14th, 2017;

WHEREAS, The traveling group members will be completing the pre-implementation trip for their current project, conducting tests and asking the local population what they want from the project;

WHEREAS, The trip will allow students to gain experiences with leadership, design, construction and funding of a project on an international level;

WHEREAS, The traveling group members will report on their experiences and knowledge gained during the trip to the entirety of the club upon their return; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – Completion of pre-implementation trip; El Amate, Guatemala; Jan. 7th-14th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$500.00	\$500.00
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Engineers Without Borders shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0387CC of The Engineers Without Borders.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee has received and reviewed the travel request for the
7 American Society of Civil Engineers Student Association (ASCE); and
89 **WHEREAS,** ASCE will be taking six members Feb. 2nd-5th to Minneapolis, Minn. for a conference
10 intended to train new student officers of the ASCE chapter;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Attendance to this conference teaches new ASCE officers what the organization is all
13 about, they will bring back vital information to help train students better for life after
14 graduation;
1516 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by students at the conference contain material that they will
17 implement into Kansas State University community in order to educate the students about
18 certain problems faced after graduation, as well as being able to learn new teaching
19 techniques;
2021 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards registration, travel and lodging expenses; and
2223 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2425 Project 1 – Workshop for Student Chapter Leaders; Minneapolis, Minn.; February 2nd-5th
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

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31 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**32
33 **SECTION 1.** ASCE shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.
3435 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0091CC of the
37 American Society of Civil Engineers.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/24**

**FY 2017 ALLOCATION OF STUDENT BOND
SURPLUS FUNDS FOR THE CAMPUS
HEALTH AND WELLNESS MASTER
PLANNING COMMISSION**

6 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee

8 **WHEREAS,** The university administration requests the Kansas State University Student Governing
9 Association give input on how bond surplus funds are utilized;

11 **WHEREAS,** The bond surplus funds exist to provide opportunity for the completion of major, one-time
12 projects;

14 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University (K-State) is committed to providing superior recreational, health,
15 and wellness services for students, in line with our land grant mission of quality programs
16 as a service to students and the State of Kansas, and in line with K-State's commitment to
17 "putting students first";

19 **WHEREAS,** It is prudent to continuously study and evaluate the long-term vision of campus service
20 offerings for our student body and campus community;

22 **WHEREAS,** Other universities have begun exploring concepts of comprehensive health and wellness
23 offerings available to their campus communities, and the opportunity exists for K-State to
24 explore such new models;

26 **WHEREAS,** Amid ongoing changes and restructuring to university and state budgets, it is sensible to
27 consider efficiency of services and innovativeness of funding resources necessary to
28 provide essential campus offerings, including but not limited to Recreational Services,
29 Lafene Health Center and Counseling Services;

31 **WHEREAS,** Considering the fast moving development of the north campus corridor master plan
32 completed in fall 2015, it is necessary to ensure that clear lines are established around the
33 assumed Recreational Services footprint and that those lines are effectively
34 communicated amongst the campus community and administration in order to protect
35 that footprint for consideration of the long-term foreseeable needs for recreational
36 services and other affiliated health and wellness offerings;

38 **WHEREAS,** With the life span and more recent deterioration of our campus natatorium, it is essential
39 and urgent to consider the long-term options for campus pool offerings, and the part the
40 campus pool plays in overall campus recreational services and other health and wellness
41 activities;

43 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association, in collaboration with
44 faculty, staff, and administration, created the Campus Health and Wellness Master
45 Planning Commission to explore the long-term vision and strategies for needs and
46 opportunities within the broad scope of campus health and wellness;

48 **WHEREAS,** The Campus Health and Wellness Master Planning Commission shall submit its final
49 proposal to the student body president and the speaker of the student senate by the end of
50 the 2016-2017 student senate term. The consultant shall be requested to present to the
51 student senate and the university community. As part of the proposal, the selected
52 consultant shall assist in developing comprehensive cost estimates and identifying
53 potential funding sources. The exploration of funding sources shall be a collaborative
54 effort between the selected consultant and the master planning commission, with long-

range financial considerations given to include fundraising, private and public partnership, consideration of a student fee referendum and other creative funding sources;

WHEREAS, The funds collected in the bond surplus are from a state requirement for agencies to collect 125 percent of the bond payment to provide for the rare occasion of a decrease in student enrollment subsequently resulting in a decrease in privilege fee revenue;

WHEREAS, As of Sept. 26th, 2016, the bond surplus account has a balance of approximately \$2,446,225.00 and has a projected increase in funds;

WHEREAS, In accordance with KSU SGA Statute 30-0703 the bond surplus funds should be utilized on projects that impact the student body, contribute to the long-range goals of K-State and add value to campus and have received approval by Kansas State University Student Governing Association; and

WHEREAS, The Campus Health and Wellness Master Planning Commission will be jointly funded by three equal \$50,000 contributions from the Office of the Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students, Recreational Services and Lafene Health Center and the Kansas State Student Governing Association.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. Kansas State University Student Governing Association recommends that \$50,000.00 be allocated from the student privilege fee bond surplus account for the Campus Health and Wellness Master Planning Commission.

SECTION 2. KSU SGA requires these monies to be used for consultant fees for the Campus Health and Wellness Master Planning Commission.

SECTION 3. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Assistant Vice President for Financial Services Fran Willbrant, Business Financial Specialist Jennyfer Owensby, Director of Financial Operations James Bach, Director of Recreational Services Steve Martini, Director of Lafene Health Center Jim Parker, Office of Student Activities and Services Director Bill Harlan and Student Governing Association Accountant Amy Lee.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES**
4 **CONCERNING ACADEMIC COMPETITION TEAM REQUESTS**

5 **BY:** Wyatt Pracht

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7 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review the Kansas State University Student Governing
8 Association Statutes;
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10 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of the current KSU SGA Statutes regarding Academic Competition
11 Team annual budget requests and difficulties associated with funding an entire
12 competition team council during this year's funding cycle, a change was deemed
13 necessary;
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15 **WHEREAS,** The current statutes don't allow ample time for a fair and equitable review and allocation
16 process for academic competition teams; and
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18 **WHEARAS,** By changing our statutes, SGA can ensure a fair funding process and equal consideration
19 for all academic competition teams.
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21 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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23 **SECTION 1.** Section 21-0106 (Student Activity Fee Funding Regulations), Sub-section A, Item Three
24 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is hereby
25 amended to read as follows:
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- 27 3. Annual requests must be completed and submitted to the Academic Competition
28 Team Standing Committee in the Office of Student Activities and Services no
29 later than the ~~last~~ *second to last* Friday in February.
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31 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and the signature of the
32 student body president.

4 **BY:** Carlos Flores, Víctor Valdez

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6 **WHEREAS,** Policies regarding Student Senate membership have not been officially reviewed in over
7 20 years;

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9 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and evaluate policies regarding Student Senate
10 membership and representation;

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12 **WHEREAS,** It is important to review if Student Senate is accurately representative of Kansas State
13 University's diverse population; and

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15 **WHEREAS,** Due to challenges the Student Governing Association (SGA) faces in terms of diversity,
16 many issues SGA attempts to solve do not take into account the perspectives of
17 underrepresented communities.

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19 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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21 **SECTION 1.** There is hereby established the special committee on membership.

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23 **SECTION 2.** The special committee on membership shall consist of the following voting members:

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25 Ryan Kelly
26 Hannah Markel
27 Tendai Munyanyi
28 Stephen Kucera
29 William Moore
30 Riley Katz
31 Adam Carr
32 Faith Tuttle
33 Catherine Gutman
34 Jordan Martin
35 Jordan Kiehl
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37 **SECTION 3.** The special committee on Student Senate membership shall be chaired by the following
38 members who only vote to break a tie:

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40 Carlos Flores
41 Victor Valdez
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43 **SECTION 4.** The special committee on Student Senate membership shall dissolve at the completion of
44 the 2016-2017 Senate term.

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46 **SECTION 5.** The committee shall submit its final report with recommendations to the speaker of the
47 student senate by March 16th, 2017, for the benefit of the entire Student Senate.

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49 **SECTION 6.** Topics discussed in committee shall include but not be limited to:

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51 Alternative measures to guarantee campus representation
52 Current and historical make up of Student Senate
53 Expanding outreach for intern recruitment
54 Educating students in regards to how to get involved with SGA

55 Reducing barriers of entry

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57 **SECTION 7.** The special committee on senate membership shall work with the Elections Committee to
58 bolster its educational and outreach efforts.

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60 **SECTION 8.** This legislation shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Graduate
7 Students in Agricultural Economics;8
9 **WHEREAS,** The Graduate Students in Agricultural Economics will be taking 12 members to the
10 Southern Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting on Feb. 3rd-8th, 2017;11
12 **WHEREAS,** The meeting attendees will be able to interact with academics in agricultural economics
13 and to enhance their network;14
15 **WHEREAS,** The meeting will allow students to gain feedback on their current work and promote
16 collaboration in research with academics from other institutions in the future; and17
18 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:19
20 Project 1 – Southern Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting; Mobile, Ala.;
21 Feb. 3rd-8th, 2017.22
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**28
29 **SECTION 1.** The Graduate Students in Agricultural Economics shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the
30 event described.31
32 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0474CC
34 of the Graduate Students in Agricultural Economics.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Cru Global;7
8 **WHEREAS,** Cru Global will be taking eight members to the Bridges International Vision Conference
9 in Daytona Beach, Fl. from Dec. 27th-Jan 2nd;10
11 **WHEREAS,** The conference attendees will be able to gain knowledge through networking and
12 workshops with religious leaders and student affairs administrators as to how they can
13 better serve the needs of international students as they adjust to life at Kansas State
14 University;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The Bridges International Vision Conference has a strong service component, committed
17 to serving international students and helping them adjust to life away from home, better
18 their English skills and develop spiritually; and19
20 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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22 Project 1 –Bridges International Vision Conference; Daytona Beach, Fla.; Dec. 27th, 2016
23 -Jan 2nd, 2017.24
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$3,000.00	\$800.00
TOTAL	\$3,000.00	\$800.00

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2829 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**30
31 **SECTION 1.** Cru Global shall be allocated \$800.00 for the event described.32
33 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
34 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0630CW of K-State
35 Cru.

BY: University Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Biodiesel Initiative;

WHEREAS, Biodiesel Initiative will be taking six members to the National Biodiesel Conference and Expo in San Diego, Calif. from Jan. 15th-19th, 2017;

WHEREAS, The students going to this conference will be able to present their research, gain critical knowledge from sponsors and interface with biodiesel employers. The students will present the knowledge they gained to the remaining students in the club;

WHEREAS, The students will have the opportunity to interact with other clubs across the country, research teams and employers. They will also gain knowledge and integrate what they learned back into their club; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – National Biodiesel Conference and Expo; San Diego, Calif.; Jan. 15th-19th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$600.00	\$600.00
TOTAL	\$600.00	\$600.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Biodiesel Initiative shall be allocated \$600.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0180CW of the Biodiesel Initiative.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Creative
7 Writing Enthusiasts;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Creative Writing Enthusiasts will be taking eight members to the Association of
10 Writers and Writing Programs Conferences in Washington, D.C. on Feb. 8th, 2017;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The students attending the conference will attend panels on a wide range of writing
13 topics, which include how to participate in workshops, how to bring writing outside of
14 the English classroom, and how to use creativity in other fields.
1516 **WHEREAS,** The conference attendees will bring back skills to put on their own workshops for the
17 campus community; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2021 Project 1 – Association of Writers Programs; Washington D.C.; Feb. 8th-12th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	\$800.00	\$800.00
TOTAL	\$800.00	\$800.00

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27 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** Creative Writing Enthusiasts shall be allocated \$800.00 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body president, these
32 funds shall be transferred from ACCOUNT NUMBER to the account NISA0329CW of
33 the Creative Writing Enthusiasts.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Game
6 Development Club;
78 **WHEREAS,** The Game Development Club helps students learn about the video game industry at
9 Kansas State University;
1011 **WHEREAS,** Seminars will be presented by professional engineers on a broad range of technical and
12 diverse topics regarding the video game industry; and
1314 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
1516 Project 1 – Game Development Conference; Feb. 28th–March 4th, 2017; San Francisco,
17 Calif.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

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23 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2425 **SECTION 1.** Game Development Club shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.
2627 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
28 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0446 of Game
29 Development Club.

BY: The Privilege Fee Committee

WHEREAS, The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of The Office of Student Activities and Services (OSAS) during the scheduled three-year review cycle;

WHEREAS, OSAS serves as a valuable resource to Kansas State University students through a variety of resources including support to over 500 student organizations, Week of Welcome, SafeRide, and Student Legal Services;

WHEREAS, The Privilege Fee Committee deemed necessary specific cuts to the SafeRide program as the actual cost of the program has consistently fallen short of the allocated amount;

WHEREAS, The Collegiate Readership Program has been beneficial to many students but has consistently been underutilized by students and overutilized by faculty;

WHEREAS, The Collegiate Readership Program has become outdated, consistently increased in price leading to additional funds being allocated the past three fiscal years, and the company providing the program has become increasingly unstable;

WHEREAS, The Privilege Fee Committee deemed necessary the ending of the Collegiate Readership Program and the elimination of its yearly privilege fee allocation and reserve allocation;

WHEREAS, The Privilege Fee Committee has deemed it appropriate to remove the Student Governing Association (SGA) line item from the OSAS privilege fee and create a separate SGA privilege fee to increase transparency with the student body; and

WHEREAS, Through the combination of these separate increases and decreases, the Office of Student Activities and Services will stay at level funding, minus the Student Governing Association line item, for the next three fiscal years.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.

**OFFICE OF STUDENT ACTIVITIES AND
SERVICES BUDGET AGREEMENT**

This agreement made this __ day of November 2016, between the Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA), and Kansas State University Office of Student Activities and Services (DEPARTMENT).

1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the following amounts during the corresponding Fiscal Years: \$551,176.00 for July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018; \$551,176.00 for July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019; and \$551,176.00 for July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020. These monies must be spent on expenses relating to the DEPARTMENT. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to academic year 2020-2021.

2. Internal Auditing Services:

- a. KSU SGA will provide, through the Office of Student Activities and Services Privilege Fee, the amount of \$18,000.00 annually to obtain auditing services from the Kansas State University Internal Audit Office.
 - b. The Kansas State University Internal Audit Office will dedicate approximately 1,000 hours per year for conducting audits on the specified Privilege Fee receiving agencies for that year. A Privilege Fee Agency will be defined as any agency that directly receives funding from any campus privilege fee.
 - c. The audits will be conducted on a three-year schedule and upon the discretion of the Privilege Fee Committee as set forth in Chapter 30 of the KSU SGA Statutes. The specific order of each year's audits will be determined by the Privilege Fee Committee Chair in conjunction with the Director of the Office of Internal Audit.
 - d. The Kansas State University Office of Internal Audit will utilize the same practices and processes to audit Privilege Fee Agencies as it would for any other university department or organization as detailed within Chapter 30 of the KSU SGA Statutes.
3. SafeRide Program:
- a. KSU SGA will provide, through the Office of Student Activities and Services, at least the following amounts for a SafeRide Program during the corresponding Fiscal Years: \$87,000.00 for July 1 2017 through June 30, 2018; \$87,000.00 for July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019; and \$87,000.00 for July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020.
4. Student Legal Services:
- a. KSU SGA will provide, through the Office of Student Activities and Services, at least the following amounts for Student Legal Services during the corresponding Fiscal Years: \$112,499.00 for July 1 2017 through June 30, 2018; \$112,499.00 for July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019; and \$112,499.00 for July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020.
 - b. At the beginning of the fiscal year the Office of Student Activities and Services will be able to transfer these funds to the Office of Student Life.
5. Week of Welcome
- a. The Office of Student Activities and Services will provide funding for Week of Welcome activities at least the following amounts during the corresponding Fiscal Years: \$30,000.00 for July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018; \$30,000.00 for July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019; and \$30,000.00 for July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020.
6. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with the DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.
7. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by KSU SGA, and such review could result in a decrease or termination of funding to the BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
8. Within 60 days of the end of each fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall submit a written summary of BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for review by KSU SGA.

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9. No construction of or renovation to a building or facility at KSU is permitted with privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student body. (KSU SGA Constitution Article V Section 509 Letter C and Article XI Section 1104).
10. This agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the state of Kansas.
11. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
12. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Director of the Office of Student Activities and Services Bill Harlan, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of the Student Activity
7 Fee during the scheduled three-year cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Student activities enhance the experience of student life and the Student Activity Fee
10 provides many benefits to students and student organizations;11
12 **WHEREAS,** The Student Activity Fee provides funding for campus organizations through the
13 Diversity Programming Committee, Campus Organizations Funding, Multicultural
14 Student Organizations, Open House, and Academic Competition Teams;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The Student Activity Fee provides funding to two institutional services, the Center for
17 Advocacy, Response, Education (CARE) Office and the UFM Community Learning
18 Center;19
20 **WHEREAS,** The Student Activity Fee provides funding for graduate students to present research at
21 conferences through the Graduate Student Council; and22
23 **WHEREAS,** The CARE Office requested a 3% one-time increase for promotional materials, printing
24 and outreach for the Green Dot Bystander Intervention program and 'It's On Us, K-State'
25 campaign;26
27 **WHEREAS,** The Committee agreed with the request of The CARE Office;28
29 **WHEREAS,** The Graduate Student Council requested a 20% annual increase for travel grants to
30 graduate students to attend conferences and present their research;31
32 **WHEREAS,** The Committee determined that 17% one-time increase was necessary to provide eight
33 additional graduate students with the opportunity to attend conferences and present their
34 research;35
36 **WHEREAS,** The Academic Competition Teams Standing Committee requested a one-time \$45,000
37 increase for academic competition teams to travel and compete in competitions;38
39 **WHEREAS,** The Committee determined that a \$15,000 annual increase was necessary to provide
40 academic competition teams with additional funding to travel to and attend competitions;41
42 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Government Association (KSU SGA) Treasurer and
43 College Allocations Standing Committee chair requested a continuance in funding for
44 college councils;45
46 **WHEREAS,** The Committee determined that a 100% decrease was necessary due to underutilization
47 of this funding and the opportunity for college councils to request funding from the
48 College Allocations Standing Committee; and49
50 **WHEREAS,** Upon review of all requests of the Student Activity Fee, the determined that an overall
51 increase was in order.52
53 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.

Student Activity Privilege Fee Agreement

This agreement made this ___th day of November 2016, between the Kansas State University Student Governing Association (SENATE) and Kansas State University Student Activity Fee (DEPARTMENT), and shall supersede any previous agreement made by SENATE with the DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budget and use of such funding.

1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded the following amounts for the following Fiscal Years: \$388,221.02 for July 1st, 2017, through June 30th, 2018; \$403,221.02 for July 1st, 2018, through June 30th, 2019; and \$418,221.02 for July 1st, 2019, through June 30th, 2020; and will be reviewed prior to the 2020-2021 academic year.

2. The annual DEPARTMENT BUDGET shall be allocated as follows:

	FY18	FY19	FY20
Diversity Programming Committee:	\$175,000.00	\$175,000.00	\$175,000.00
Campus Organizations:	\$70,850.00	\$70,850.00	\$70,850.00
Multicultural Organizations:	\$14,000.00	\$14,000.00	\$14,000.00
Open House:	\$10,025.00	\$10,025.00	\$10,025.00
Graduate Student Council:	\$24,574.47	\$24,574.47	\$24,574.47
Academic Competition:	\$60,000.00	\$75,000.00	\$90,000.00
CARE:	\$19,032.55	\$19,032.55	\$19,032.55
UFM Community Learning Center:	\$14,739.00	\$14,739.00	\$14,739.00

3. Institutional Services

- a. KSU SGA recognizes the Women's Center and UFM as the only Institutional Services. Therefore, they shall not be required to register as a student group within the Office of Student Activities and Services (OSAS) at Kansas State University in accordance to Statute 20-0102.
- b. The Women's Center and UFM shall adhere to the Privilege Fee funding requirements set forth in Chapter 30 of the KSU SGA Statutes in the same manner as a Privilege Fee Agency.

4. Campus Organizations

- a. Funding for Campus Organizations shall adhere to the requirements set forth in Chapter 21 of the KSU SGA Statutes.

5. Diversity Programming Committee

- a. The Diversity Programming Committee shall adhere to the requirements set forth in Chapter 24 of the KSU SGA Statutes.
- b. All decisions made by the Diversity Programming Committee regarding the funding of requests shall be final and will not be subject to further approval by the SGA.

- 108 6. Any funds not spent at the end of the fiscal year shall revert back to the Reserves for
109 Contingencies Account with the exception of the Diversity Programming Committee.
110 Remaining Diversity Programming Committee funds at the end of the fiscal year shall
111 revert back to the Diversity Programming Committee Reserve Account.
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- 113 7. Any remaining funds in the Academic Competition Reserve Account shall be transferred
114 to the reserves for Contingency Account at the end of FY 2017.
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- 116 8. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by
117 KSU SGA and such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the
118 BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not
119 constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
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- 121 9. Within 60 days of the end of the fiscal year, KSU SGA Treasurer shall submit a written
122 summary of BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair for
123 review by the entire Senate Body.
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- 125 10. No construction or renovation of a building or facility at KSU is permitted with privilege
126 fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student body
127 (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 510, Letter D and Article XI, Section 1105).
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 - 129 a. Construction shall be defined as capital outlay costs to construct new or make
130 additions onto an existing building or facility.
 - 131 b. Renovation shall be defined as any capital outlay costs used to make
132 modifications to existing building or facilities. Examples of uses of these funds
133 include major replacements (over \$30,000.00), building additions, facility
134 betterments and improvements which occur infrequently.
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- 136 11. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 138 12. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent
139 that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such
140 party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 142 13. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Privilege Fee
143 Standing Committee Chair Jonathan Peuchen, the KSU SGA Treasurer Andrew Peuchen,
144 the Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, the Speaker Pro Tempore Stephen Kucera,
145 the Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, the OSAS Director Bill Harlan, and the
146 Vice President for Student Life Pat Bosco.

2 **FY 2017 ALLOCATION OF THE DEBT REDUCATION**
3 **AND EMERGENCY ALLOCATION ACCOUNT FOR**
4 **COUNSELING SERVICES' PEER ADVOCATES**
5 **FOR MENTAL WELLNESS AND SUCCESS**
6 **PROGRAM**7 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee8
9 **WHEREAS,** Counseling Services has requested the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
10 Privilege Fee Allocation of the Debt Reduction and Emergency Allocation Account for
11 Counseling Services' Peer Advocates for Mental Wellness and Success (P.A.W.S.) Program;
1213 **WHEREAS,** Privilege Fee Agencies are allowed to apply for a one-time request to enable agencies to make
14 large purchases out of their review cycle and these requests would be withdrawn from the Debt
15 Reduction and Emergency Allocation Account, upon approval of the Privilege Fee Committee
16 and Student Senate;
1718 **WHEREAS,** P.A.W.S. is a peer education course that prepares students to go out and make timely,
19 informative presentations about various mental wellness topics to their peers on campus starting
20 in Spring 2017;
2122 **WHEREAS,** Studies have shown that peers learn best from their fellow peers, as has been proven here at K-
23 State through the success of other peer education programs such as Powercat Financial and the
24 WellCAT Ambassadors;
2526 **WHEREAS,** The course will be structured around the Certified Peer Education curriculum developed by
27 NASPA Bacchus initiative as well as Dr. Fred Newton's, "Students Helping Students", text and
28 will cover topics such as stress management, suicide prevention/intervention, drugs and
29 alcohol, depression and stigma reduction;
3031 **WHEREAS,** Counseling Services made direct contact with over 8,000 students through outreach activities,
32 increasing their awareness, understanding, and ability to handle mental wellness struggles and
33 anticipates with the inception of the P.A.W.S program at least 1,000 more students will be
34 impacted;
3536 **WHEREAS,** There has been an increase in student need, both crisis and non-crisis, and it is becoming
37 increasingly difficult for the Counseling Services Clinical Staff to provide numerous education
38 presentation during the busiest times of the semester since 52% of the agency's time is
39 occupied by each clinic staff member's direct contact with clients, consultations, and related
40 coordinating tasks; and
4142 **WHEREAS,** The Office of the Vice President for Student Life provided initial funding of \$550.00 in spring
43 of 2016 to purchase the NASPA Bacchus Initiative Certified Peer Education curriculum and Dr.
44 Barnes has invested \$470.00 of her personal funds to attend intensive peer educator advisor
45 training prior to the start of spring 2017.
4647 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**48
49 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association approves to fund \$6,250.00 for
50 Counseling Services for the Peer Advocates for Mental Wellness and Success Program from
51 the Debt Reduction and Emergency Allocation Account.
5253 **SECTION 2.** KSU SGA requires these monies to be used for Kognito and other supplies, not to be
54 used for salary and benefits.

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SECTION 3. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Cindy Bontrager, vice president for administration and finance; Fran Willbrant, assistant vice president for financial services; Pat Bosco, vice president for student life and dean of students; James Bach, director of financial operations; Bill Harlan, Office of Student Activities and Services director; Amy Lee, Office of Student Activities and Services/Student Governing Association accountant; Dori Lambert, Director of Counseling Services; and Wendy Barnes, Online Programs Coordinator.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE
UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING
ASSOCIATION STATUTES CONCERNING
LIMITATIONS ON CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS
FUNDING**

BY: Privilege Fee Committee

WHEREAS, The contract for the Student Activity Fee Privilege Fee has contained funding regulations within it for several years;

WHEREAS, Amendments to these funding regulations requires that we re-execute the Privilege Fee Contract with the KSU SGA Treasurer, Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, the Speaker of the Student Senate, the Speaker Pro Tempore, the Student Body President, the OSAS Coordinator, and the Vice President for Student Life;

WHEREAS, Adding the funding regulations to the SGA Statutes Chapter 21: Student Activity Fee Funding Regulations will allow for adjustments to be made without re-execution of the contract; and

WHEREAS, Bill 16/17/XX will add language to the Student Activity Fee Privilege Fee Contract defining that funding regulations for campus organizations are in Chapter 21 of the SGA Statutes.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Chapter 21, Section 1, Subsection 3, Subsection F of the KSU SGA Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

F. Limitations.

1. Number of Requests. Organizations shall be limited to receiving allocations for no more than five (5) projects annually, of which no more than two (2) shall be for travel.
2. Services. Funds allocated must be spent on services offered on the University campus whenever these services are available.
3. Lecturer, Speaker or Entertainer Fee (LSE Fees). All recipients of LSE Fees are required to complete an LSE Fees information sheet, and a W-9 to receive payment.
- ~~4. A maximum of 60 percent of the total Campus Organizations allocation may be used to fund travel.~~
4. *A maximum of 60 percent of the Campus Organization allocation may be used by College Council Organizations, as defined in Chapter 20 of the KSU SGA Statutes.*
5. *A maximum of 60 percent of the original Campus Organization allocation may be used by the Campus-Wide Organizations, as defined in Chapter 20 of the KSU SGA Statutes.*
6. *A maximum of 60 percent of the total Campus Organization allocation may be used to fund travel allocations.*
7. *At the discretion of the University Allocations Standing Committee and with approval from Student Senate, up to \$10,000.00 in additional funds may be disbursed from the Reserves for Contingencies Account*

(NISACONRSV) to Campus-Wide Organizations each fiscal year. These additional funds shall not be limited by (b) and may be used for any Campus-Wide Organization's request for the current fiscal year.

8. At the discretion of the College Allocations Standing Committee and with approval from Student Senate, up to \$10,000.00 in additional funds may be disbursed from the Reserves for Contingencies Account (NISACONRSV) to College Council Organizations each fiscal year. These additional funds shall not be limited by (a) and may be used for any College Council organization's request for the current fiscal year.

9. Once 80 percent of the Campus Organization allocation has been disbursed in a given fiscal year, the KSU SGA Treasurer and the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair in consultation with the OSAS Accountant shall meet to decide how the remaining funds will be divided between the University Allocations and the College Allocations Standing Committees to prevent an overdraw. If a consensus cannot be reached, the Privilege Fee Standing Committee shall decide how the remaining funds will be divided between the University Allocations and the College Allocations Standing Committees.

~~10.5-~~ Spending Restrictions. Student activity funds allocated by the University Allocations Standing Committee and College Allocations Standing Committee may not be spent on any of the following items:

- a. Food. Food may not be purchased with student activity funds except unless such materials are to be used in an educational experiment. Prior approval from the KSU SGA Treasurer shall be gained before an expenditure for this exception is made.
- b. Social Events. Student activity funds may not be spent on any materials pertaining to social functions, parties, or banquets, except when the University Allocations Standing Committee or College Allocations Standing Committee finds a substantial educational benefit.
- c. Personal Materials. Student activity funds may not be spent on any personal materials, such as plaques, gifts, awards, flowers, name-tags, engravings for specific individuals, photographs, or clothing.
- d. Wages. Student activity funds may not be spent on wages or compensation of any kind, with the exception of projectionists and security officers as required by a rental facility.
- e. Recruitment. Student activity funds may not be spent on any trips or events in which recruitment is the sole purpose, except when the University Allocations Standing Committee or College Allocations Standing Committee finds a substantial educational benefit to the Kansas State University students making the request.

SECTION 2. This bill shall take effect upon passage of the student senate and signature of the student body president.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES**
4 **CONCERNING ELECTION DATES AND DEADLINES**5 **BY:** Kylie Andres
67 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review the Kansas State University Student Governing
8 Association Statutes;
910 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of the current KSU SGA Statutes concerning both the primary and
11 general elections, it is clear updates are necessary;
1213 **WHEREAS,** Due to the changes that were made in Section 52-0104 of the Kansas State University
14 Student Governing Association Statutes during the previous semester;
1516 **WHEREAS,** The Primary Election is now held five weeks prior to Spring Break, making it necessary
17 to update the date and time requirements for the declaration of candidacy, mandatory
18 meetings, and campaign materials during elections.
1920 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2122 **SECTION 1.** Section 52-0109 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes
23 is hereby amended to read as follows:
2425 52-0109 Nomination of Candidates
2627 B. Declaration of Candidacy. The Elections Commissioner shall
28 determine the form of the declaration of candidacy. The
29 declaration of candidacy shall include the name of the student,
30 the student's Kansas State Wildcat Identification Number, the
31 college the student is enrolled in, and the office being sought by
32 the student. Any person seeking to have their name placed on the
33 ballot as a candidate for ~~Student Body President, Student Body~~
34 ~~Vice President, Student Senator, member of the Board of Student~~
35 ~~Publications, and/or member of the Union Governing Board~~
36 shall file a declaration of candidacy with the professional staff of
37 the Office of Student Activities and Services three weeks prior to
38 the General Election.
3940 C. *To be placed on the ballot, candidates for Student Body*
41 *President or a representative from their campaign must file a*
42 *declaration of candidacy with the professional staff of the Office*
43 *of Student Activities and Services before the last Friday in*
44 *January. The declaration of candidacy shall include the name of*
45 *the student, the student's Kansas State Wildcat Identification*
46 *Number, and the college the student is enrolled in.*
4748 D. *Student Body President candidates that move on to the general*
49 *election must register their Vice Presidential candidate with the*
50 *professional staff of the Office of Student Activities and Services*
51 *two weeks prior to the general election. This registration shall*
52 *include the name of the student, the student's Kansas State*
53 *Wildcat Identification Number, and the college the student is*
54 *enrolled in.*

E. Mandatory Meetings.

1. Each *primary election* candidate ~~except candidates for Graduate Student Council offices~~ shall attend one of at least two mandatory meetings completed by 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday of the week immediately prior to the primary election as specified by the Elections Commissioner. A candidate may be excused from this requirement only if the candidate has received written permission from the Elections Commissioner prior to the last scheduled meeting.
2. *Each general election candidate except candidates for Graduate Student Council offices shall attend one of at least two mandatory meetings completed by 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday two weeks prior to the general election as specified by the Elections Commissioner. A candidate may be excused from this requirement only if the candidate has received written permission from the Elections Commissioner prior to the last scheduled meeting.*

SECTION 2. Section 52-0114 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

52-0114 Campaign Materials

A. Time Limited Materials

1. Chalking, Banners, and Posters. Candidates in the Primary Election may begin to display chalking, banners, and posters after 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday of the week immediately prior to the Primary Election. Candidates in the General Election may begin to display chalking, banners, and posters after 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday ~~of the week immediately~~ *two weeks* prior to the General Election.
2. Tables. Tables may be established by Primary Election candidates beginning on the Thursday immediately prior to the Primary Election. Tables may be established by General Election candidates beginning on the Thursday ~~immediately~~ *two weeks* prior to the General Election. *Primary Election candidates who qualify for the general election may continue to table the weeks following the primary election.* All tables are to be removed during the weekends and immediately following the completion of the respective elections.
3. Removal. Primary Election candidates failing to qualify for the General Election shall remove all campaign

materials from campus property by 7:00 p.m. the day following the completion of the Primary Election. All General Election candidates shall remove campaign materials from campus property by 7:00 p.m. the day following the completion of the General Election.

4. For general election candidates not seeking a student body president or student body vice president position, campaign and campaign materials, such as stickers, buttons, T-shirts, websites and other materials not listed in these regulations, shall not be dispersed or publicized ~~5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday, three weeks prior to the Primary Election~~ until the primary elections are closed.

B. Tables.

4. Candidates for Student Senate or other campus-wide positions may establish tables in the K-State Student Union ~~the calendar week on the Thursday two weeks~~ prior to the General Election in accordance with this section.

SECTION 3. All subsequent items in this section shall be renumbered.

SECTION 4. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and the signature of the student body president.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE STUDENT SENATE INTERN**
5 **MOTIONING RIGHTS**

6 **BY:** William Moore, Jordan Kiehl and Faith Tuttle

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8 **WHEREAS,** Student Governing Association Student Senate Interns are non-voting members and are
9 not allowed to make any motions; and

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11 **WHEREAS,** The majority of the Intern class believes making motions would allow them to become
12 more comfortable with senatorial parliamentary procedure.

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14 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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16 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 10, sub-section B of the Kansas State University Student Governing
17 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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19 B. Interns shall be non-voting members of Student Senate and shall be subject
20 to removal by the voting members of Student Senate for malfeasance,
21 nonfeasance, or misfeasance. Interns shall ~~not~~ have the ability to make any
22 motion~~and~~. *Interns* may not sponsor any legislation without a Senator co-
23 sponsor. Interns shall have the same duties as Student Senator as outlined
24 in Article V, Section 4 of the KSU SGA By-Laws. Attendance policies shall be
25 provided for in the Student Senate Standing Rules.

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27 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the
28 Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **BY-LAWS CONCERNING STUDENT SENATE INTERN**
5 **COMMITTEE PLACEMENT**

6 **BY:** Jack Ayres and Jordan Kiehl

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8 **WHEREAS,** Student Governing Association Student Senate Interns are voting members of standing
9 committees;

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11 **WHEREAS,** Current SGA By-Laws allow three Interns to serve on Privilege Fee Standing Committee,
12 University Allocations Standing Committee and College Allocations Standing Committee
13 and two Interns to serve on Senate Operations Standing Committee;

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15 **WHEREAS,** Aforementioned caps force seven interns to serve on Student Engagement Standing
16 Committee and Governmental Relations Standing Committee

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18 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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20 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C, of the Kansas State University Student Governing
21 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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23 2. Membership

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25 e. ~~Three~~Four Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator
26 in consultation with the KSU SGA Treasurer.

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28 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 10, sub-section G, of the Kansas State University Student Governing
29 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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31 2. Membership

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33 f. ~~Three~~Four Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator
34 in consultation with the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair.

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36 **SECTION 3.** Article IV, Section 10, sub-section H, of the Kansas State University Student Governing
37 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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39 2. Membership

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41 e. ~~Three~~Four Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator
42 in consultation with the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, who
43 shall have voting privileges on the committee.

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45 **SECTION 4.** Article IV, Section 10, sub-section H, of the Kansas State University Student Governing
46 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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48 2. Membership

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50 e. ~~Three~~Four Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator
51 in consultation with the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, who
52 shall have voting privileges on the committee.
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SECTION 4. Article IV, Section 10, sub-section I, of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

2. Membership

- d. ~~Two~~ Four Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in consultation with the present Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.

SECTION 2. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate

BY: University Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Lutheran Church of the Missouri Synod University (LCMS U) organization;

WHEREAS, LCMS U will be taking nine members to the National LCMS Campus Ministry Conference in Washington, D.C. from Jan. 3rd-7th, 2017;

WHEREAS, The conference attendees will be able to gain knowledge through networking and workshops with religious leaders and student affairs administrators as to how they can better serve the needs of Kansas State University students when discussing controversial topics regarding diverse views and the First Amendment;

WHEREAS, The National LCMS U Campus Ministry Conference theme is “Liberty on Campus”, striving to equip students to serve the needs of marginalized voices on campuses where there is a large Lutheran presence committed to serving those marginalized voices; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – National LCMS U Campus Ministry Conference; Washington, D.C.; Jan 3rd-7th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$900.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$900.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Lutheran Church of the Missouri Synod University (LCMS U) shall be allocated \$900.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0657CW of LCMS U.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE);

WHEREAS, ASHRAE will be taking 12 students to the national ASHRAE Winter Conference from Jan. 28th - Feb. 1st, 2017;

WHEREAS, The students in attendance will be able to participate in conference sessions while meeting and learning valuable information from HVAC&R professionals. This information will be shared with the rest of their group upon return and will help their students become leaders in the industry;

WHEREAS, The group will participate in technical sessions, workshops and seminars throughout the weekend. The information learned at this event is directly related to the career path of the students and cannot be conveyed in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – ASHRAE Winter Conference; Las Vegas Nev. Jan. 28th – Feb. 1st, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1000.00	\$1000.00
TOTAL	\$1000.00	\$1000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0092CC of the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of Associated
7 General Contractors (AGC);8
9 **WHEREAS,** AGC will be taking 29 members Jan. 8th-14th to Birmingham, Ala. for their AGC
10 Alternative Break trip;11
12 **WHEREAS,** Attendance of this event will help students of the Architectural Engineering and
13 Construction Science Department at Kansas State University develop and apply skills
14 learned in the classroom by gaining industry experience in construction skills, site tours
15 and networking;16
17 **WHEREAS,** Attendees will also be helping a community in need through collaboration with Habitat
18 for Humanity; and19
20 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:21
22 Project – 1 AGC Alternative Break; Birmingham, Ala.; Jan. 8th-14th.23
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2728 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**29
30 **SECTION 1.** Associated General Contractors shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.31
32 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRS to the account NISA0133AC of AGC.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE
MEETING MINUTES
NOVEMBER 17, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:02pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 47 senators and 21 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator A. Peuchen
Senator Elliott
Chair Eberhardy
Senator Sabatinti
Senator Kiehl
Senator Bertz
Senator McIntire
Senator Holder

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Barnett
Senator Breen
Senator Comstock
Senator Frankel (partial)
Senator Lowry
Senator Pracht (partial)

Intern Medley (partial)
Intern Mersmann
Intern Moore
Intern O'Grady (partial)
Intern Struckle

OPEN PERIOD

Dr. Zelia Wiley, Interim Associate Provost for Diversity

- Noted that SGA is very important to her
- Discussed how to be courageous in what we say and how we say it

- K-State Principles of Community
 - Students need to be aware that derogatory words are not appropriate and should not be spoken to anyone.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. If you are going to be graduating after this year or will not be running for an SGA office next year and would like to serve on the Elections Committee, please contact Speaker Pro Tempore Stephen Kucera or Elections Commissioner Kylie Andres
2. The application for the 2017-2018 Attorney General is now live and can be found at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/228819> Complete the application by Tuesday November 28, no later than midnight. If you have any questions, please contact the SGA Attorney General, Sarah Pride, at sarpride@kstate.edu.
3. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.
4. Governmental Relations Brownbag event tomorrow from 12-1 in the Cottonwood room.

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/25 Commendation To The Newly-Elected Legislators For The 2017-2018 Session

Senator Pracht moved we consider Resolution 16/17/25

Introduced by Intern Aurand

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the resolution unanimously

Resolution 16/17/25 was approved unanimously

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/26 Amendments to the Attorney General Recommendation Committee

Senator Pracht moved we consider Resolution 16/17/26

Introduced by President Van Ranken

Senator Mindrup moved we approve the resolution

Resolution 16/17/26 was approved unanimously

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Elections Commissioner Andres

- JCOC has been working on the report
 - Have been emailing other universities
 - Let them know if there are any further universities they should consider
 - Send information to Elections Commissioner Andres or Bill Harlan

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- View update here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1126998/show>

Vice President Kennedy

- Delay in legislation getting to senate from committee
- Need four more student senators to serve on the Student Centered Tuition Enhancement Committee
 - Let him know if you would like to participate on this committee

President Van Ranken

- Update from Big 12 Conference
- View update here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1127018/show>

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Senator Pracht moved we approve the minor allocations

Bill 16/17/36 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Engineers Without Borders (Favorably 6-0-0)

**Bill 16/17/38 FY 2017 Travel Allocation American Society of Civil Engineers
(Favorably 6-0-0)**

The minor allocations were approved

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/24 FY 2017 Allocation Of Student Bond Surplus Funds For The Campus Health And Wellness Master Planning Commission (Favorably 12-0-0)

Introduced by Senator Niederee

Positive Debate:

Senator Niederee

Negative Debate:

Resolution 16/17/24 passes by a vote of 54-0-0

Bill 16/17/33b Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Academic Competition Team Requests (Favorably 5-0-0)

Introduced by Senator Pracht

Positive Debate:

Senator Pracht

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/33b passes by a bulk roll call vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/34 Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Membership
(Favorably 5-0-0)

Introduced by Senator Valdez

Positive Debate:

Senator Valdez

Negative Debate:

Senator Pracht moved we hold Bills 16/17/34, 16/17/35, and 16/17/37 for bulk roll call
Motion passes and the Bills will be held for bulk roll call

Bill 16/17/34 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/35 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Graduate Students In Agricultural Economics
(Favorably 6-0-0)

Introduced by Senator Pracht

Positive Debate:

Senator Pracht

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/35 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/37 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Cru Global **(Favorably 6-0-0)**

Introduced by Senator Krotz

Positive Debate:

Senator Krotz
Senator Davis
Senator Stevens
Senator Mindrup
Chair J. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera
Senator Reichenberger
Senator Karimov

Senator Pracht moved to call previous question
2/3 majority vote to approve motion
Motion passes

Bill 16/17/37 passes by a vote of 48-6-0

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved we approve the minor allocations

Bill 16/17/39 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Biodiesel Initiative

Bill 16/17/39 is referred to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/40 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Creative Writing Enthusiasts

Bill 16/17/40 is referred to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/41 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Game Development Club

Bill 16/17/41 is referred to the University Allocations Committee

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/42 Continuance In The Office Of Student Activities And Services Privilege Fee

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/42

Introduced by Senator Martin

Chair J. Peuchen moved that the author be allowed to summarize

Motion passes

Bill 16/17/42 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/43 Increase In The Student Activity Fee

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/43

Chair J. Peuchen moved that the author be allowed to summarize

Motion passes

Introduced by Senator Valdez

Bill 16/17/43 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/44 FY 2017 Allocation Of The Debt Reduction And Emergency Allocation Account For Counseling Services' Peer Advocates For Mental Wellness And Success Program

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/44

Introduced by Senator Niederee

Bill 16/17/44 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/45 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Limitations On Campus Organizations Funding

Chair Orth moved to consider Bill 16/17/45

Senator Bultongez moved that the author be allowed to summarize

Motion passes

Introduced by Chair J. Peuchen

Bill 16/17/45 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/46 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Election Dates And Deadlines

Chair Orth moved to consider Bill 16/17/46

Senator Kennedy moved that the author be allowed to summarize

Motion passes

Introduced by Elections Commissioner Andres

Bill 16/17/46 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

**Bill 16/17/47 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
By-Laws Concerning The Student Senate Intern Motioning Rights**

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/47

Introduced by Intern Tuttle

Bill 16/17/47 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

**Bill 16/17/48 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
By-Laws Concerning Student Senate Intern Committee Placement**

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/48

Introduced by Speaker Ayres

Bill 16/17/48 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/49 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To LCMS U

Senator Stevens moved to consider Bill 16/17/49

Introduced by Senator Krotz

Bill 16/17/49 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/50 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To ASHRAE

Senator Bartels moved to consider Bill 16/17/50

Introduced by Chair Orth

Bill 16/17/50 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

**Bill 16/17/51 FY 2016 Travel Allocation For Associated General Contractors Student
Chapter**

Senator Roman moved to consider Bill 16/17/51

Introduced by Senator Bogner

Bill 16/17/51 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Reichenberger

- There was a question about graduate student council request from privilege fee
- They only bring in enough funds to send 60% of people to conferences who are doing their master's or PHD work
 - Money that comes from SGA is critical component
- See Senator Reichenberger for any questions

Senator Krotz

- Two weeks from tonight is the application deadline to be a legislative intern in Topeka
- Senator Krotz has done this in the past and plans on doing this again
- They need more K-State students to apply

Senator Martin

- Tuesday December 6th Leadership 405 class is hosting “Cookies and Cocoa for the Kids”
- Anyone who wants to help bake cookies please contact him
- \$4 in advance or \$5 at the door for all you can eat cookies and cocoa
- Room 123 and 122 in Leadership Studies Building

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Monday that we come back from Thanksgiving 5-10 fundraiser at Fuzzy’s for group he is involved with
- Next meeting there will be a conversation over student feedback
 - Over the break he will draft a page to give background information

Speaker Ayres

- Tuition and Fees Strategy committee has been meeting
- Meeting this Tuesday regarded 200 page long Orientation Packet
- Meetings are informative and have been recorded on OrgSync under Minutes-Tuition and Fees Strategy Committee

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/39 is referred to the University Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/40 is referred to the University Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/41 is referred to the University Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/42 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee
Bill 16/17/43 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee
Bill 16/17/44 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee
Bill 16/17/45 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee
Bill 16/17/46 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee
Bill 16/17/47 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee
Bill 16/17/48 is referred back to the Executive Committee
Bill 16/17/49 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/50 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/51 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

Statutes and by-laws coming next week
Governing documents change will be looked at over break to add role of serving on faculty committee

ROLL CALL

There were 46 senators and 21 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Martin moved to adjourn until Thursday, December 1 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 9:14pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Sarah Barr – Student Legal Services

Dr. Bernard Franklin - Assistant Vice President for Student Life and Executive Director of the Kansas State College Advising Corps

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/27	Amendments to the Attorney General Recommendation Committee
Resolution 16/17/28	Approval of Elections Committee

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

DISCUSSION

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

Please take this time to discuss the following: JCOC Report (included in the agenda) and resolutions 29-31.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/39	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Biodiesel Initiative
Bill 16/17/40	FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Creative Writing Enthusiasts
Bill 16/17/41	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Game Development Club

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/42	Continuance In The Office Of Student Activities And Services Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/43	Increase In The Student Activity Fee
Bill 16/17/44	FY 2017 Allocation Of The Debt Reduction And Emergency Allocation Account For Counseling Services' Peer Advocates For Mental Wellness And Success Program
Bill 16/17/45	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Limitations On Campus Organizations Funding
Bill 16/17/46	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Election Dates And Deadlines
Bill 16/17/47	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student Senate Intern Motioning Rights
Bill 16/17/49	FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To LCMS U
Bill 16/17/50	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To ASHRAE
Bill 16/17/51	FY 2016 Travel Allocation For Associated General Contractors Student Chapter

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/29	Reaffirmation of K-State's Commitment to Diversity and Inclusion
Resolution 16/17/30	FY 2018 Allocations Of Educational Opportunity Fund
Resolution 16/17/31	FY 2017 Allocation Of Student Bond Surplus Funds For Union Renovation
Bill 16/17/52	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Definition Of Wages
Bill 16/17/53	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By- Laws Concerning The Responsibilities Of The Speaker Pro Tempore
Bill 16/17/54	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Wildlife And Outdoor Enterprise Management Club

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.
2. Proxies:
 - Crowder for Krotz
 - Peuchen for Niederee
 - Atchison for Reichenberger
 - Eberhardy for Thomas
 - Mindrup for May
 - Stevens for Flores
 - Martin for Fleming
 - Heyen for Grosdidier
 - Kiehl for Bogner
 - Roman for Doll
3. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4	5	6	7	8 No senate!	9	10
11	12 Finals!	13 Finals!	14 Finals!	15 Finals!	16 Finals!	17

"Leaders must be close enough to relate to others, but far enough ahead to motivate them." John C. Maxwell

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 11-10-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1128804/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1132753/show>

- Discussed proposed special orders for this week
- Discussed streamlined director's reports
- Discussed the future of GR
- Discussed intern committee placement

University Allocations Committee:

No meeting

College Allocations Committee:

Link:

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1131701/show>

- Student Activity Fee legislation was moved and seconded to refer back to Senate favorably. Vote passed 10-0-0.
- Office of Student Activities and Services legislation was moved and seconded to refer back to Senate favorably. Vote passed 10-0-0.
- College Council Funding Guidelines Statutes amendment legislation was moved and seconded to refer back to Senate favorably. Vote Passed 10-0-0.
- Counseling Services Peer Education Initiative legislation was moved and seconded to refer back to Senate favorably. Vote Passed 10-0-0.
- Received a brief overview of Recreation Services funding structure and a tour of the Recreation Complex.

Senate Operations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1131605/show>

- Edited submitted legislation, considered referred legislation

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link:

Student Engagement Committee:

Link:

Diversity Programming Committee:

- Minutes can be found at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

Frequency of Student Feedback on Teaching

Discussion: December 1, 2016

By: Stephen Kucera, Speaker Pro Tempore

The purpose of student feedback of teaching and classroom experience is to improve the quality of teaching and learning experience of students. The most common form of collecting this feedback at K-State is the TEVAL, although other methods such as the IDEA form are used.

Several years ago, the K-State Student Governing Association passed a resolution to require that all K-State academic courses are surveyed about student feedback of teaching and classroom experience. The resolution passed Student Senate and, after much debate, was adopted by Faculty Senate.

It is currently required that all teachers in every class seek student feedback every semester; yet, only 74-75% of eligible classes are surveyed. (Some classes are not eligible due to the small class sizes and ability for teachers to potentially tie feedback to students.) Although there is a requirement, there is no identified course of action prescribed if a professor fails to provide an opportunity for student feedback.

Conversation has arisen in Faculty Affairs (a Faculty Senate committee) about how some teachers feel as though there is too much opportunity for feedback and that students feel “over-TEVAL’ed.” Apparently, teachers tend to receive similar marks even when the frequency for feedback is increased.

Some students have mentioned that a few faculty seem tired by the exercise and that some faculty openly comment that they do not regard the results from the feedback collection because “they have tenure.” The university and departments have set up a program to identify a course of action for faculty members that receive low scores on their feedback quizzes, even those that are tenured. This has led to programs to improve faculty performance and, in rare cases, resignation or termination from their current position.

There is currently conversation in Faculty Senate about potentially adjusting the regulation so that the frequency for student feedback in a class is less than every semester. Some possible reductions in frequency that have been mentioned are:

- Reducing required frequency to one section of one class per semester
- Reducing required frequency to one section of a class with semester per year

Some things that have been discussed as alternatives to reduced frequency for student feedback on teaching are:

- Creating language in the syllabus about the university grievance policy and protections for such communications
- Occasionally using alternative or more extensive student feedback methods
- Communicating to faculty about other feedback methods and the opportunity to add questions for student feedback
- Explore a promoted optional mid-semester TEVAL
- Increase campus awareness of the purpose of TEVALs (improve teaching and learning experience) and that the results of TEVALs are used when considering faculty for tenure

Before proceeding with discussions surrounding possible changes in the frequency student feedback for teaching, the Faculty Affairs committee would like your opinion. Are you willing to consider reducing the frequency required for student feedback on teaching? What would make you more willing to consider such a change? If your comment is not heard in Senate, feel free to send me a message (skkansas@gmail.com) to let me know your thoughts so I can best represent student opinion on the committee.

Kansas State University Student Governing Association Joint Committee On Officers' Compensation Report And Recommendations

**TO THE STUDENT SENATE, THE STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT AND
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**

**Submitted on October 27, 2016, rejected by student senate on November 10, 2016 by Bill 16/17/30
(31-20-2) and resubmitted on December 1, 2016**

History

The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws were amended by Student Senate on March 13, 1997 through Bill 96/97/137 (subsequently amended by Bill 97/98/60), which added a new Section 13 (later changed to Section 12) to Article V of the By-Laws that established and created the **Joint Committee on Officers' Compensation** (JCOC). In 1998, Bill 98/99/40 was enacted to provide for meetings of JCOC only during every third year, in conjunction with the budget review of the Office of Student Activities and Services. The JCOC consists of the following members:

1. One member, who shall be Chair, shall be appointed by the Vice President for Student Life and shall vote only to break a tie;
2. One student-at-large appointed by the Student Body President;
3. One student-at-large appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate;
4. One student-at-large appointed by the Attorney General; and
5. Two Student Senators who are not officers of Student Senate, both of whom shall be selected by a majority vote of Student Senate.
6. The Coordinator of Student Activities and Services shall be an ex-officio, non-voting member.

Such appointments were made:

1. Larry Moeder (Chair)
2. Andy Hurtig (Student Body President Appointment)
3. Kylie Andres (Speaker of the Student Senate Appointment)
4. Haley Hannaman (Attorney General Appointment)
5. Emma Barnett (Elected by Student Senate)
6. Patrick Kennedy (Elected by Student Senate)
7. Bill Harlan (Director of Student Activities and Services)

The Joint Committee on Officers' Compensation met four times during the Fall 2016 semester. A quorum of the Joint Committee, which is three (3) members, not including the Chair or the Director, was present at all meetings.

The Joint Committee has the following duties and responsibilities, as specified in Article V, Section 12 of the KSU SGA By-Laws:

- The Joint Committee shall meet, study and examine the salaries of student officers of the KSU SGA. They shall survey other student governments throughout the region and nation.
- The Joint Committee shall make a report and recommendations to Student Senate concerning the salaries of student officers of the KSU SGA. Such recommendations shall become final and effective, unless by November 15th Student Senate shall pass, by majority vote, a bill disapproving the entire set of salary recommendations and enumerating the reasons therefore.
- If such a bill is passed, the Joint Committee shall have the opportunity to revise and amend their recommendations and resubmit before December 1st. Such resubmitted recommendations shall become final and effective, unless by December 15th the Student Senate shall pass, by majority vote, a bill disapproving the entire set of salary recommendations.
- If a bill of disapproval is not passed before December 15th, such recommendations shall become effective for the next officers of the KSU SGA and the appropriate committees and

Student Senate shall provide for such funds in their allocations bills.

A chart of the amounts and method of payment for Student Governing Association officers for School Year 2016-2017 is provided below, followed by a chart summarizing the total money provided during the 2014-2015, 2015-2016, and 2016-2017 academic years for each of the compensated officer positions.

2013 Recommendation - Total Scholarship + Compensation Amounts / Fiscal Year

	FY15		FY16		FY17		% Tuition
	Scholarship	Compensation	Scholarship	Compensation	Scholarship	Compensation	
President	\$7,644	\$2,596	\$7,980	\$2,692	\$8,344	\$2,792	100%
Vice President	\$4,969	\$1,686	\$5,187	\$1,748	\$5,424	\$1,813	65%
Speaker	\$5,733	\$2,596	\$5,985	\$2,692	\$6,528	\$2,792	75%
Speaker pro tem	\$3,822	\$1,686	\$3,990	\$1,748	\$4,172	\$1,813	50%
Attorney General	\$5,351	\$1,686	\$5,586	\$1,748	\$5,841	\$1,813	70%
SGA Treasurer							
Privilege Fee Chair	\$3,822	\$ 0	\$3,990	\$ 0	\$4,172	\$ 0	50%
University Allocations Chair	\$3,822	\$ 0	\$3,990	\$ 0	\$4,172	\$ 0	50%
College Council Chair	\$1,911	\$ 0	\$1,995	\$ 0	\$2,086	\$ 0	25%
Chief of Staff	\$1,911	\$ 0	\$1,995	\$ 0	\$2,086	\$ 0	25%
Senate Operations Chair	\$ 764	\$ 0	\$ 798	\$ 0	\$ 834	\$ 0	10%
Governmental Relations Chair	\$ 764	\$ 0	\$ 798	\$ 0	\$ 834	\$ 0	10%
Communications Chair	\$ 764	\$ 0	\$ 798	\$ 0	\$ 834	\$ 0	10%
Intern Coordinator	\$ 764	\$ 0	\$ 798	\$ 0	\$ 834	\$ 0	10%
TOTAL DOLLARS	\$42,041	\$10,250	\$43,890	\$10,628	\$46,161	\$11,023	

2013 Recommendation - Total Money / Fiscal Year			
	FY15	FY16	FY17
President	\$10,240	\$10,672	\$11,136
Vice President	\$6,655	\$6,935	\$7,237
Speaker	\$8,329	\$8,677	\$9,320
Speaker pro tem	\$5,508	\$5,738	\$5,985
Attorney General	\$7,037	\$7,334	\$7,654
SGA Treasurer			
Privilege Fee Chair	\$3,822	\$3,990	\$4,172
University Allocations Chair	\$3,822	\$3,990	\$4,172
College Council Chair	\$1,911	\$1,995	\$2,086
Chief of Staff	\$1,911	\$1,995	\$2,086
Senate Operations Chair	\$ 764	\$ 798	\$834
Governmental Relations Chair	\$ 764	\$ 798	\$834
Communications Chair	\$ 764	\$ 798	\$834
Intern Coordinator	\$ 764	\$ 798	\$834
TOTAL DOLLARS	\$52,291	\$54,518	\$57,184

Considerations

Bill of Disapproval

Student Senate passed Bill 16/17/30 on November 10 by a vote of 31-20-2 disapproving the first report submitted by the Joint Committee on Officer Compensation. A copy of the bill is included in the Appendix. The committee considered each of the points as well as all of the debate and informal discussions concerning the report. Many of the concerns raised that the committee was asked to consider, were already considered but the committee reconsidered each and will add more information to the report to accurately reflect this.

At a later senate meeting the committee announced that they would consider all information presented to the committee, including any information about other student governments and their compensation. Senator Martin was the only one to provide additional information from other schools (North Carolina State University and Kentucky) which is included in this report. Because Washington State University was offered during debate as a possible school, the committee did research their compensation, which is included in this report.

The committee felt that there were many different directions that the rest of student government wanted the committee to go, but that there was no consensus on what the final outcome should be. Ultimately after considering all new information and the committee has not made any changes to their original funding recommendations but has added information and changed and added some procedural recommendations.

Enumerated Responsibilities

It is the decision of the committee to award scholarships and compensation based on the enumerated by-laws and constitution. The committee will make a recommendation that JCOC can reconvene more often to address the changes to the SGA documents and the position descriptions

The committee believes all positions are undercompensated when considering the value they provide to campus, but that's not the reason for assuming the positions. It's for the experience, leadership development, and passion for the school. The compensation is not the point, it's simply an incentive.

The committee also believes that the money awarded to the recommended positions serves as a means to support the students in those positions rather than compensating them for the level of work performed. The goal of the support is to reduce financial hardships of the positions that may make it difficult to hold other jobs while serving.

A full description of each job from the constitution, by-laws and constitution are available in the appendix.

Officers Leaving Position

A request from Chair Crowder was considered to address the issue that can arise when someone is due to receive scholarships or compensation but abdicates or is removed from their position. The committee discussed the feasibility of requiring recipients to return scholarship money and ways to determine what course of actions should be considered. Senate operations committee, privilege fee committee, and student tribunal were considered as feasible options to consider the question. The committee chose to

make a recommendation allowing for senate to request JCOC reconvene if the situation arises to consider the issue if it happens.

Other Positions

The committee was asked to consider adding multiple positions to the list of scholarship/compensation.

Suggested positions included:

- Assistant Attorney General
- Chair of Student Tribunal
- Chair of Student Review Board
- Governmental Relations Director
- All cabinet positions
- Parliamentarian

After considering each position and comparing it to the currently compensated positions, the committee felt that some positions were comparable to those currently receiving 10% of tuition as a scholarship. The committee felt that there were actually many positions that performed that level of work and instead of trying to compensate all of the positions, it was fairer to discontinue awarding scholarships at the 10% level.

Interviews

Committee members contacted people who had previously held positions that received compensation. They were asked to convey the amount of time they spent working in the position, and what role the compensation played in them deciding to hold the position.

The committee discussed whether or not to contact officers currently serving in compensated positions about work the position and compensation. The decision was originally made to not contact people currently serving in the positions. After senate rejected the report asking for more research, the committee decided to reach out to even more past leaders but to still refrain from interviewing current leaders for the following reason.

- Leaders serving in these positions at the time of this report are only partly done with their year of service.
- By avoiding discussing the people currently serving in the position the committee hopes that a more objective view can be obtained by not making it a statement about anyone's current performance.
- The committee did consider all statements made by leaders during senate meetings and personal discussions.

People Contacted

President: Andy Hurtig

Chief-of-Staff: Ava Clark

Speaker Pro Tempore: Jessica Van Ranken

Treasurer: Jordan Marquess, Kevin Klein

Privilege Fee Chair: Ryan Patterson, Garrett Kays, Drew Unruh

Intern Coordinator: Becky Brady, Trenton Kennedy

Senate Ops Chair: Chance Hunley

Governmental Relations Chair: Jonathan Peuchen

Attorney General: Joe Oaks, Gerald Meshange

Student Engagement Chair: Kylie Andres

Summaries

A summary of each conversation of those who responded is included for reference. Summaries are not necessarily direct quotes. Full responses are available from the committee.

Jessica Van Ranken

Speaker Pro Tempore – 2015-2016

Averaged 10-20 hours per week depending on DPC and senate activity level. Outside of enumerated duties worked to attend senate committee meetings and faculty senate meetings, helped Speaker prepare for senate and SGA Exec and worked to identify new senators to fill facancies.

Chance Hunley

Senate Operations Committee Chair – 2015-2016

Outside of Senate and committee meetings, the Senate Operations Chair contributes between 2-8 hours per week, depending on the time of the semester. The Senate Operations Chair is tasked

with monitoring the OrgSync file system to check on incoming legislation, conferring with the authors of various legislation for more information or potential corrections, creating resources/guides for other committees on writing legislation, advising other SGA members on legislation writing and writing style choices, and helping to update By-Laws, Constitution, and Statutes to a uniform, consistent, and current style.

Trenton Kennedy

Intern Coordinator – 2015-2016

The most intensive aspect of coordinating the intern program is the selection and recruitment process. The recruitment process includes outreach to multiple organizations and the admissions office, recruiting through Orientation and Enrollment and the planning for the recruitment efforts of students during the school year. Additionally, reaching out to multiple diversity coordinators and advisors of MSO's to increase the recruitment of diverse and multicultural students to join the intern program. The selection process includes preparing an application and interview, coordination logistics and coverage of those events, and overseeing the grading and selection process. The intern program also requires a curriculum, which includes an idea of what interns would be doing on a meeting by meeting basis. The program also includes mentorship of roughly 25 freshmen in SGA.

Gerald Mashange

Attorney General – 2013-2014

Asst. Attorney General doesn't do much unless they have to step in for Attorney General. 20% for the assistant is more than sufficient. Most often the Student Review Board Chair is the assistant attorney general. I also agree with 10% for the Student Review Board and Tribunal chairs, but you might check if changes have been made to the positions.

Garrett Kays

Privilege Fee Chair – 2015-2016

I think 50% seems equitable for the work load of the privilege fee chair compared to others (probably a little bias). Majority of the work that the chair does it outside of the "normal work" of the committee. Half the work done is reviewing contracts and making sure money was spent in the appropriate manner. Other committees work with just OSAS to allocate but Privilege Fee works with financial services too. I think 50% is an equitable amount but understand the reduction of that to make budgets fit.

Jonathan Peuchen

Governmental Relations Chair – 2015-2016

There were a few non-enumerated duties I was responsible for. The governmental relations committee is project based and has a large degree of freedom determining what to work on. The committee led two multi-day registration drives and partnered with classes. As chair also met with Manhattan Area Technical College about some issues. I personally think its important to provide a small bit of compensation for this position. I was unaware of the compensation when I was selected but it served as a motivating factor to keep the role a priority in my busy schedule.

Ryan Patterson

Privilege Fee Chair – 2013-2014

Difficult to wade through what is required of each position vs what a person can do. The additional time commitments were meeting with directors up for review, administration and serving on Tuition and Fees Strategy Committee. Also served on union renovation committee and rec council. Its accurate that privilege fee chair requires more time than other chair positions. Was comparable to allocation chair / treasurer position when it was still one position. If you decide to decrease the percentage for privilege fee chair, dropping it to 25% would not be correct, rather somewhere in the 35-40% seems appropriate.

Ava Clark

Chief of Staff – 2015-2016

The main piece of the chief-of-staff position the bylaws leave out is the interaction with president and vice president and I'm sure that depends on the year and their relationship. I served as a sounding board on many things and accompanied them to many meetings. I also met with them and cabinet members to make sure things were moving. I also worked on a lot of their platform issues. That would also depend on each year but since I managed their campaign I was well versed on their platforms and could help. I also coordinated any trips that were taken and made reservations (Big 12 on the hill and student government conference) but am not sure that needs to be in bylaws. There were exec meetings, cabinet meetings, and senate meetings. Between all of those random meetings and meeting with president, vice president and cabinet I would say about 10 hours per week.

School Comparisons

The Joint Committee relied on information collected by the Office of Student Activities and Services concerning salaries, benefits and methods of payment. Student governments of the following Big 12 universities were surveyed. A full description of each school is available in the Appendix

After looking at other schools, the committee came to the conclusion that the total amount awarded to Student government leaders is a responsible approach to student dollars that fairly compensates those in the positions but provides a great value to the student body. Based on the perception of other student governments at big 12 schools, the committee feels that the magnitude of responsibility that K-State SGA assumes is in the upper echelon of student governments and it is therefore appropriate to be in the upper tier of funding for big 12 schools.

FY17 Big 12 Comparison					
	President Receives	# Officers Receiving	Tuition Rate * (no fees)	% of Tuition	Type of Compensation
Kansas	\$12,480	11	\$7,663	163%	Salary (\$8/hr 30hr/week 52 weeks)
Kansas State University	\$11,136	13	\$7,210	154%	\$8344 scholarship and \$2792 (bi-weekly)
Texas	\$12,040	7	\$9,986	121%	\$5200 and \$570 monthly
Oklahoma	\$5,400	11	\$4,575	118%	\$450/month
Iowa State University	\$8,218	5	\$7,098	116%	Full Tuition and Fees
West Virginia	\$6,500	15	\$6,720	97%	Annual Stipend
Oklahoma State	\$3,000	6	\$8,321	36%	\$1500 in fall and spring
Baylor	\$9,499	4	\$37,996	25%	6 Hour Scholarship
Texas Christian	\$3,000	6	\$42,580	7%	\$3,000 Annually
Texas Tech		6	\$6,000		Monthly Salary and Book Scholarship
<i>*Based on 12 hours</i>					

Based on the information presented from other schools outside the Big 12 the committee did not find any compelling information that the compensation levels at K-State needed to be adjusted.

FY17 Other University Comparison					
	President Receives	# Officers Receiving	Tuition Rate * (no fees)	% of Tuition	Type of Compensation
Washington State University	\$10,916	37	\$10,916	100%	100% Cost of attendance (club tickets for football)
North Carolina State University	\$4,800	5	\$8,880	46%	Paid biweekly
Kentucky	Partial Stipend	9	\$28,000		The president receives a stipend covering "partial" tuition costs. More than 9 positions as "chairs" and "directors" were listed as single positions.
<i>*Based on 12 hours</i>					

Recommendations

The Joint Committee considered all categories of scholarship and compensation currently in place as well as compensation summaries from the other Big 12 universities. The Joint Committee discussed and re-examined levels of job responsibilities/duties/external factors and appropriate levels of amounts versus relationship to other officers.

The Joint Committee on Officers' Compensation (JCOC), by unanimous vote of the members thereof, makes the following Recommendations:

1. Add SGA Treasurer position with a compensation equal to 35% of in-state tuition. Add University Allocations Chair with a compensation equal to 25% of in-state tuition. Change the compensation for the Privilege Fee Chair to 35% of in-state tuition.
2. Reduce the compensation from 10% to "0" for the following positions: Senate Operations Chair, Governmental Relations Chair, Communications Chair, and Student Senate Intern Coordinator.
3. Use the following percentages to determine the amount of scholarship to be awarded to SGA leaders.

Recommended Scholarship level for FY 2018, 2019, 2020 as a percentage of tuition	
Position	Percentage of Tuition (14 hours)
President	100%
Vice President	70%
Speaker	80%
Speaker pro tempore	50%
Attorney General	70%
SGA Treasurer	35%
Privilege Fee Chair	35%
University Allocations Chair	25%
College Council Chair	25%
Chief of Staff	25%

4. The method of awarding amounts is recommended to be continued as a predominantly-scholarship award for all delineated officers of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association.
5. Because of the unreimbursed expenses for the Student Body President, Student Body Vice President, Speaker of the Student Senate, and Attorney General in pursuance of the duties, JCOC recommends that the bi-weekly compensation be continued at the same levels as provided in 2016-2017. Since other University staff are currently not receiving cost-of-living salary increases, no Cost-of-Student-Living (COSL) increase is recommended for 2017-2018, 2018-2019, or 2019-2020.
6. Because of the reduced responsibilities of the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate, including no longer chairing the student affairs committee, the committee

- recommends decreasing the composition for this position to \$0.00 in future years.
7. Scholarship for the Student Body President shall be equal to the lesser of 100% of the tuition charged for person elected to the position (in-state or out-of-state) or the maximum budgeted amount listed in the following charts. The maximum amount listed in the following charts will be exceeded if the current Student Body President is assessed out-of-state tuition. Course fees, privilege fees, and college specific surcharge fees are not covered by the scholarship. It is further recommended that the tuition percentage covered for all other elected officers be as indicated in the above chart, and continue to be based on the in-state tuition rate for an average of 14 credit hours per semester.
 8. JCOC recommends the following scholarships and compensation for ten student government officers for each of the next three school years (School Years 2017-2018, 2018-2019 and 2019-2020):

2016 Recommendation - Total Scholarship + Compensation Amounts / Fiscal Year

	FY18		FY19		FY20		% Tuition
	Scholarship	Compensation	Scholarship	Compensation	Scholarship	Compensation	
President	\$8,820*	\$2,792	\$9,268†	\$2,792	\$9,744‡	\$2,792	100%
Vice President	\$6,174*	\$1,813	\$6,488†	\$1,813	\$6,821‡	\$1,813	70%
Speaker	\$7,056*	\$2,792	\$7,414†	\$2,792	\$7,795‡	\$2,792	80%
Speaker pro tem	\$4,410*	\$ 0	\$4,634†	\$ 0	\$4,872‡	\$ 0	50%
Attorney General	\$6,174*	\$1,813	\$6,488†	\$1,813	\$6,821‡	\$1,813	70%
SGA Treasurer	\$3,087*	\$ 0	\$3,244†	\$ 0	\$3,410‡		35%
Privilege Fee Chair	\$3,087*	\$ 0	\$3,244†	\$ 0	\$3,410‡	\$ 0	35%
University Allocations Chair	\$2,205*	\$ 0	\$2,317†	\$ 0	\$3,410‡	\$ 0	25%
College Council Chair	\$2,205*	\$ 0	\$2,317†	\$ 0	\$2,436‡	\$ 0	25%
Chief of Staff	\$2,205*	\$ 0	\$2,317†	\$ 0	\$2,436‡	\$ 0	25%
TOTAL DOLLARS	\$45,423	\$9,210	\$47,731	\$9,210	\$51,155	\$9,210	

*Rounded to Next Highest Dollar. Tuition estimated at in-state rate of \$315 per credit hour (5% increase). The dollar amounts listed are for budgeting purposes only. Actual scholarship shall be equal to the lesser actual tuition charged or the amount listed.

†Rounded to Next Highest Dollar. Tuition estimated at in-state rate of \$331 per credit hour (5% increase). The dollar amounts listed are for budgeting purposes only. Actual scholarship shall be equal to the lesser actual tuition charged or the amount listed.

‡*Rounded to Next Highest Dollar. Tuition estimated at in-state rate of \$348 per credit hour (5% increase). The dollar amounts listed are for budgeting purposes only. Actual scholarship shall be equal to the lesser actual tuition charged or the amount listed.

Total Scholarship + Compensation Amounts / Fiscal Year

	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20	% Δ
President	\$10,240	\$10,672	\$11,136	\$11,612	\$12,060	\$12,536	22%
Vice President	\$6,655	\$6,935	\$7,237	\$7,987	\$8,301	\$8,634	30%
Speaker	\$8,329	\$8,677	\$9,320	\$9,848	\$10,206	\$10,587	27%
Speaker pro tem	\$5,508	\$5,738	\$5,985	\$4,410	\$4,634	\$4,872	-12%
Attorney General	\$7,037	\$7,334	\$7,654	\$7,987	\$8,301	\$8,634	23%
SGA Treasurer				\$3,087	\$3,244	\$3,410	10%
Privilege Fee Chair	\$3,822	\$3,990	\$4,172	\$3,087	\$3,244	\$3,410	-11%

University Allocations Chair	\$3,822	\$3,990	\$4,172	\$2,205	\$2,317	\$2,436	-36%
College Council Chair	\$1,911	\$1,995	\$2,086	\$2,205	\$2,317	\$2,436	27%
Chief of Staff	\$1,911	\$1,995	\$2,086	\$2,205	\$2,317	\$2,436	27%
Senate Operations Chair	\$764	\$798	\$834	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	-100%
Governmental Relations Chair	\$764	\$798	\$834	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	-100%
Communications Chair (Campus Outreach, Student Engagement)	\$764	\$798	\$834	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	-100%
Intern Coordinator	\$764	\$798	\$834	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	-100%
TOTAL DOLLARS	\$52,291	\$54,518	\$57,184	\$54,633	\$56,941	\$59,391	14%

9. The substantially-scholarship based award system, which would recognize officers of the KSU SGA while allowing them to receive most of the amount through scholarships, is strongly recommended to be continued.
10. The amount of scholarship is recommended to continue to be divided equally for awarding at the beginning of the fall and spring semesters following the officers' election or appointment to office. No scholarship award shall be made unless the officer is properly enrolled, qualified and still serving in the position.
11. The compensation is recommended to continue to be paid in equal installments during the months the officers are in office, except May, June and July. Such payments shall be made beginning with the month of August or after selection and qualification to office, whichever is later.
12. Student senate consider amending the constitution and by-laws allowing for JCOC to convene out-of-cycle. The committee recommends that senate consider allowing the privilege fee and/or senate operations be allowed to request the JCOC committee meet out-of-cycle. The committee recommends that the reasons JCOC may meet out-of-cycle would be due to significant changes in the cost of attendance, amendments to the constitution or by-laws involving the title or responsibilities of SGA positions, or a person abdicates or is removed from a position currently listed in this report.
14. The Joint Committee recommends that University administration continue to provide gratis parking accommodations for the Student Body President, Student Body Vice President, Speaker of the Student Senate, Speaker Pro Tempore, and the Attorney General.

Respectfully submitted,

Larry Moeder, Chair

Appendix

Big 12 Research

Big 12 School's Compensation		
	Dollars	Method
University of Kansas		
President	\$12,480	\$8/hr 30hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
Vice President	\$12,480	\$8/hr 30hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
Chief of Staff	\$12,480	\$8/hr 30hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
Treasurer	\$12,480	\$8/hr 30hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
Assistant Treasurer	\$4,492	\$8/hr 12hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
Communications Director	\$4,492	\$8/hr 12hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
Internal Affairs Director	\$4,492	\$8/hr 12hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
Policy and Development Director	\$4,492	\$8/hr 12hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
Governmental Relations Director	\$4,492	\$8/hr 12hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
Diversity and Inclusion Director	\$4,492	\$8/hr 12hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
Director of Graduate Affairs	\$4,492	\$8/hr 12hrs/week 52 weeks Salary
University of Texas		
President	\$12,040	\$5200 tuition allotment and \$570/month
Vice President	\$12,040	\$5200 tuition allotment and \$570/month
Chief of Staff	\$3,420	\$285 monthly stipend
Communications Director	\$3,420	\$285 monthly stipend
Administration Director	\$3,420	\$285 monthly stipend
Internal Financial Director	\$3,420	\$285 monthly stipend
External Financial Director	\$3,420	\$285 monthly stipend
University of Oklahoma		
President	\$5,400	\$450/month (12) compensation
Vice President	\$4,380	\$365/month (12) compensation
Chair of Congress	\$3,285	\$365/month (9) compensation
Chair of Senate	\$3,285	\$365/month (9) compensation
Campus Activities Council Chair	\$3,285	\$365/month (9) compensation
Student Bar Association President	\$2,610	\$290/month (9) compensation
Chair of SGA Budgetary Committee	\$2,385	\$265/month (9) compensation
Secretary of Congress	\$2,385	\$265/month (9) compensation
Secretary of Senate	\$2,385	\$265/month (9) compensation
Vice Chair of Congress	\$2,385	\$265/month (9) compensation
Vice Chair of Senate	\$2,385	\$265/month (9) compensation
Iowa State University		
President	\$11,136	Full Tuition and Fees (Scholarship 12 Hours)
Vice President	\$5,568	Half Tuition and Fees (Scholarship 12 Hours)
Finance Director	\$11,136	Full Tuition and Fees (Scholarship 12 Hours)
Speaker of the Senate	\$5,568	Half Tuition and Fees (Scholarship 12 Hours)
West Virginia University		
President	\$6,500	Stipend
Vice-President	\$6,500	Stipend
Chief of Staff	\$1,500	Stipend

Attorney General	\$500	Stipend
Co-Big 12 Liaisons	\$500	Stipend
Treasurer	\$1,000	Stipend
Policy Director	\$1,000	Stipend
Accountability Director	\$1,000	Stipend
Co-Communication Directors	\$325	Stipend
Executive Secretary	\$325	Stipend
Director of Student Organizations	\$250	Stipend
Administrative Director	\$250	Stipend
Elections Chair	\$1,000	Stipend
Director of Intern Program	\$750	Stipend
City Council	\$250	Stipend
Oklahoma State University		
President	\$3,000	\$1,500/semester stipend
Vice President	\$1,800	\$800/semester, \$200 summer stipend
Senate Chair	\$1,800	\$900/semester
Treasurer	\$1,400	\$600/semester, \$200 summer stipend
AFAP Chair	\$600	\$300/semester
Budget Chair	\$250	\$125/semester
Baylor University		
President	\$9,499	Scholarship for 6 Credit Hours
Vice-President Internal	\$9,499	Scholarship for 6 Credit Hours
Vice-President External	\$9,499	Scholarship for 6 Credit Hours
President of Student Senate	\$9,499	Scholarship for 6 Credit Hours
Texas Christian University		
President	\$3,000	Compensation Paid Annually
Vice President External	\$2,600	Compensation Paid Annually
Vice President Internal	\$2,600	Compensation Paid Annually
Treasurer	\$2,600	Compensation Paid Annually
Speaker of the House	\$2,600	Compensation Paid Annually
Frog Aide Directors	\$2,600	Collectively paid to all directors
Texas Tech University		
President		Monthly Salary and Book Scholarship
Vice-President External		Monthly Salary and Book Scholarship
Vice-President Internal		Monthly Salary and Book Scholarship
Graduate Vice-President		Monthly Salary and Book Scholarship
Journal Clerk	\$8,320	\$8/hr 20hrs/week (assuming 52)
Chief of Staff	\$8,320	\$8/hr 20hrs/week (assuming 52)

Other School Research

Other School's Compensation		
	Dollars	Method
Washington State University		
President	\$10,916	100% of Tuition Club Seats, Parking Passes
Vice President	\$10,916	
Executive Staff		\$10/hr paid. (assume 52 weeks)
Chief of Staff	\$7,800 (15hrs)	
Director of Internal Operations	\$6,240 (12hrs)	
Director of Finance	\$6,240 (12hrs)	
Director of University Affairs	\$6,240 (12hrs)	
Asst. Director of University Affairs	\$4,160 (8 hrs)	
Director of Student Life	\$6,240 (12hrs)	
Co-Assistant Directors of Student Life	\$4,160 (8 hrs)	
Director of Community Affairs	\$6,240 (12hrs)	
Asst. Director of Community Affairs	\$4,160 (8 hrs)	
Director of Communication	\$6,240 (12hrs)	
Associate Director of Communication	\$4,160 (8 hrs)	
Director of Legislative Affairs	\$6,240 (12hrs)	
Associate Director of Legislative Affairs	\$4,160 (8 hrs)	
Director of Diversity Efforts	\$6,240 (12hrs)	
Asst. Director of Diversity Efforts	\$4,160 (8 hrs)	
Senators (20)	\$3,120 (6 hrs)	
North Carolina State University		
President	\$4,800	Paid Biweekly
Vice President	\$4,300	
Student Senate President	\$4,400	
Chief Justice	\$3,600	
Treasurer	\$4,000	
Kentucky		
President	Semester stipend covering partial tuition (\$28,000/43,200 tuition)	
Vice President		
Senate President	\$6,630	Bi-weekly employee. Works a maximum of 15 paid hrs/week (including 6 in the SGA office) at \$8.50/hr.
Executive Branch Student Directors	\$4,420	Bi-weekly employee. Works a maximum of 10 paid hrs/week (including 6 in the SGA office) at \$8.50/hr.

Senate Committee Chairs	\$800-1000	Semester stipend for \$400-\$500 based on specific committee time commitment
Senate Coordinator	\$800	\$400 semester stipend
Senate Clerk	\$400	\$200 semester stipend
Parliamentarian	\$400	\$200 semester stipend
Graphic Designer	\$2,652	Bi-weekly employee. Works a maximum of 6 paid hrs/week at \$8.50/hr.
Executive Branch Coordinators	Unpaid but compete for a semester stipend of \$100-250	

Bill of Disapproval

BILL 16/17/30

DISAPPROVAL OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON OFFICER COMPENSATION SALARY RECOMMENDATION

BY: Jack Ayres, Andrew Crowder, Jordan DeLoach, Anna Jackson, Trenton Kennedy, Stephen Kucera, Nick Nordstrom, Jonathan Peuchen, Sarah Pride, Jessica Van Ranken, Karl Wilhelm

WHEREAS, It is the responsibility of the Joint Committee on Officer Compensation (Joint Committee) to make a report and recommendation to Student Senate concerning the salaries of student officers of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA);

WHEREAS, The Joint Committee has met, studied and examined the salaries of student officers of the KSU SGA and has issued a recommendation based on their findings;

WHEREAS, Their report is issued every three years and recommends the salaries for the KSU SGA Officers for the following three years;

WHEREAS, The methodology of the Joint Committee for making their recommendation primarily involved evaluation of the responsibilities enumerated in the SGA governing documents;

WHEREAS, KSU SGA Officers are encouraged to go above and beyond their enumerated responsibilities within their position;

WHEREAS, Primarily examining the responsibilities enumerated in the SGA governing documents is not reflective of the scope of the work that many officers will take on during their term;

WHEREAS, Other Big 12 Student Governments fill different roles in their campus' joint governance structure and may not always be comparative to the model utilized here at KSU; and

WHEREAS, The report presented has inaccuracies that do not present an appropriate compensation strategy.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) disapproves of the set of salary recommendations of the Joint Committee on Officer Compensation;

SECTION 2. The KSU SGA enumerates the following reasons for their disapproval:

1. The approach taken by the Joint Committee to determine equitable compensation looks primarily into enumerated duties and does not necessarily take into account the work that a KSU SGA Officer will often perform and be expected to perform in their role.
2. The report only compares compensation between Big 12 student governments which often fill different responsibilities in their university's joint governance structure.
3. The report issued has inconsistencies relating to the Speaker pro tempore recommended compensation and outdated titles of KSU SGA Officers.

SECTION 3. The KSU SGA recommends the following actions be taken by the committee in their review:

1. Investigate and consider the time spent by current and former KSU SGA Officers on work relating to their positions.
2. Investigate and consider peer student governing associations outside of the Big 12 officer compensation strategies.

3. Make changes to the report as warranted by further findings.
4. Make changes to the report as necessary to reflect current officer titles.

SECTION 4. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, this recommendation will be sent to the Joint Committee on Officer Compensation.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/27**

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL**
3 **RECOMMENDATION COMMITTEE**

4 **BY:** Jack Ayres, Sarah Pride and Jessica Van Ranken

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6 **WHEREAS,** Stephen Kucera is no longer able to serve on the Attorney General Recommendation
7 Committee

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9 **WHEREAS,** Meredith Clark is no longer able to serve on the Attorney General Recommendation
10 Committee

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12 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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14 **SECTION 1.** Jordan Kiehl be approved as a member of the attorney general nomination interview
15 committee

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17 **SECTION 1.** Annie Jewell be approved as a member of the attorney general nomination interview
18 committee

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/28**

APPROVAL OF ELECTIONS COMMITTEE

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3 **BY:** Jack Ayres, Sarah Pride and Jessica Van Ranken
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5 **WHEREAS,** Article I, Section 4 of the KSU SGA By-Laws provides for the creation of the Elections
6 Committee;
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8 **WHEREAS,** The Elections Committee shall be composed of at least four students-at-large jointly
9 appointed by the Student Body President, the Speaker of the Student Senate and the
10 Attorney General approved by majority vote of Student Senate.
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12 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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14 **SECTION 1.** The following students be approved as members of the Elections Committee:
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16 Stephen Kucera
17 Robert Sharp
18 Emma Barnett
19 Mary Sabatini

BY: University Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Biodiesel Initiative;

WHEREAS, Biodiesel Initiative will be taking six members to the National Biodiesel Conference and Expo in San Diego, Calif. from Jan. 15th-19th, 2017;

WHEREAS, The students going to this conference will be able to present their research, gain critical knowledge from sponsors and interface with biodiesel employers. The students will present the knowledge they gained to the remaining students in the club;

WHEREAS, The students will have the opportunity to interact with other clubs across the country, research teams and employers. They will also gain knowledge and integrate what they learned back into their club; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – National Biodiesel Conference and Expo; San Diego, Calif.; Jan. 15th-19th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$600.00	\$600.00
TOTAL	\$600.00	\$600.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Biodiesel Initiative shall be allocated \$600.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0180CW of the Biodiesel Initiative.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Creative
7 Writing Enthusiasts;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Creative Writing Enthusiasts will be taking eight members to the Association of
10 Writers and Writing Programs Conferences in Washington, D.C. on Feb. 8th, 2017;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The students attending the conference will attend panels on a wide range of writing
13 topics, which include how to participate in workshops, how to bring writing outside of
14 the English classroom and how to use creativity in other fields.
1516 **WHEREAS,** The conference attendees will bring back skills to put on their own workshops for the
17 campus community; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2021 Project 1 – Association of Writers Programs; Washington, D.C.; Feb. 8th-12th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	\$800.00	\$800.00
TOTAL	\$800.00	\$800.00

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2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** Creative Writing Enthusiasts shall be allocated \$800.00 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body president, these
32 funds shall be transferred from ACCOUNT NUMBER to the account NISA0329CW of
33 the Creative Writing Enthusiasts.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Game
6 Development Club;
78 **WHEREAS,** The Game Development Club helps students learn about the video game industry at
9 Kansas State University;
1011 **WHEREAS,** Seminars will be presented by professional engineers on a broad range of technical and
12 diverse topics regarding the video game industry; and
1314 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
1516 Project 1 – Game Development Conference; Feb. 28th–March 4th, 2017; San Francisco,
17 Calif.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

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23 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**24
25 **SECTION 1.** Game Development Club shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.
2627 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
28 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0446 of Game
29 Development Club.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of The Office of Student
7 Activities and Services (OSAS) during the scheduled three-year review cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** OSAS serves as a valuable resource to Kansas State University students through a variety
10 of resources including support to over 500 student organizations, Week of Welcome,
11 SafeRide and Student Legal Services;12
13 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee deemed necessary specific cuts to the SafeRide program as
14 the actual cost of the program has consistently fallen short of the allocated amount;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The Collegiate Readership Program has been beneficial to many students but has
17 consistently been underutilized by students and overutilized by faculty;18
19 **WHEREAS,** The Collegiate Readership Program has become outdated, consistently increased in price
20 leading to additional funds being allocated the past three fiscal years and the company
21 providing the program has become increasingly unstable;22
23 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee deemed necessary the ending of the Collegiate Readership
24 Program and the elimination of its yearly privilege fee allocation and reserve allocation;25
26 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee has deemed it appropriate to remove the Student Governing
27 Association (SGA) line item from the OSAS privilege fee and create a separate SGA
28 privilege fee to increase transparency with the student body; and29
30 **WHEREAS,** Through the combination of these separate increases and decreases, the OSAS will stay at
31 level funding, minus the SGA line item, for the next three fiscal years.32
33 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**34
35 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
36 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
37 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.38
39 **OFFICE OF STUDENT ACTIVITIES AND**
40 **SERVICES BUDGET AGREEMENT**41
42 This agreement made this __ day of November 2016, between the Kansas State University Student
43 Governing Association (KSU SGA), and Kansas State University Office of Student Activities and
44 Services (DEPARTMENT).

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- 46 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the following
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- 47 amounts during the corresponding Fiscal Years: \$551,176.00 for July 1, 2017 through June
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- 48 30, 2018; \$551,176.00 for July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019; and \$551,176.00 for July 1,
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- 49 2019 through June 30, 2020. These monies must be spent on expenses relating to the
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- 50 DEPARTMENT. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to academic year 2020-2021.
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- 52 2. Internal Auditing Services:
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- 54 a. KSU SGA will provide, through the Office of Student Activities and Services

Privilege Fee, the amount of \$18,000.00 annually to obtain auditing services from the Kansas State University Internal Audit Office.

b. The Kansas State University Internal Audit Office will dedicate approximately 1,000 hours per year for conducting audits on the specified Privilege Fee receiving agencies for that year. A Privilege Fee Agency will be defined as any agency that directly receives funding from any campus privilege fee.

c. The audits will be conducted on a three-year schedule and upon the discretion of the Privilege Fee Committee as set forth in Chapter 30 of the KSU SGA Statutes. The specific order of each year's audits will be determined by the Privilege Fee Committee Chair in conjunction with the Director of the Office of Internal Audit.

d. The Kansas State University Office of Internal Audit will utilize the same practices and processes to audit Privilege Fee Agencies as it would for any other university department or organization as detailed within Chapter 30 of the KSU SGA Statutes.

3. SafeRide Program:

a. KSU SGA will provide, through the Office of Student Activities and Services, at least the following amounts for a SafeRide Program during the corresponding Fiscal Years: \$87,000.00 for July 1st, 2017 through June 30th, 2018; \$87,000.00 for July 1st, 2018 through June 30th, 2019; and \$87,000.00 for July 1st, 2019 through June 30th, 2020.

4. Student Legal Services:

a. KSU SGA will provide, through the Office of Student Activities and Services, at least the following amounts for Student Legal Services during the corresponding Fiscal Years: \$112,499.00 for July 1st, 2017 through June 30th, 2018; \$112,499.00 for July 1st, 2018 through June 30th, 2019; and \$112,499.00 for July 1st, 2019 through June 30th, 2020.

b. At the beginning of the fiscal year the Office of Student Activities and Services will be able to transfer these funds to the Office of Student Life.

5. Week of Welcome

a. The Office of Student Activities and Services will provide funding for Week of Welcome activities at least the following amounts during the corresponding Fiscal Years: \$30,000.00 for July 1st, 2017 through June 30th, 2018; \$30,000.00 for July 1st, 2018 through June 30th, 2019; and \$30,000.00 for July 1st, 2019 through June 30th, 2020.

6. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with the DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.

7. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by KSU SGA, and such review could result in a decrease or termination of funding to the BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.

8. Within 60 days of the end of each fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall submit a written summary of BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for

109 review by KSU SGA.

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111 9. No construction of or renovation to a building or facility at KSU is permitted with
112 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
113 body. (KSU SGA Constitution Article V Section 509 Letter C and Article XI Section
114 1104).

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116 10. This agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the state of Kansas.

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118 11. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent
119 that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such
120 party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.

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122 12. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Director of the
123 Office of Student Activities and Services Bill Harlan, Vice President for Student Life and
124 Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy
125 Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica
126 Van Ranken and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of the Student Activity
7 Fee during the scheduled three-year cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Student activities enhance the experience of student life and the Student Activity Fee
10 provides many benefits to students and student organizations;11
12 **WHEREAS,** The Student Activity Fee provides funding for campus organizations through the
13 Diversity Programming Committee, Campus Organizations Funding, Multicultural
14 Student Organizations, Open House, and Academic Competition Teams;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The Student Activity Fee provides funding to two institutional services, the Center for
17 Advocacy, Response, Education (CARE) Office and the UFM Community Learning
18 Center;19
20 **WHEREAS,** The Student Activity Fee provides funding for graduate students to present research at
21 conferences through the Graduate Student Council;22
23 **WHEREAS,** The CARE Office requested a 3% one-time increase for promotional materials, printing
24 and outreach for the Green Dot Bystander Intervention program and 'It's On Us, K-State'
25 campaign;26
27 **WHEREAS,** The Committee agreed with the request of The CARE Office;28
29 **WHEREAS,** The Graduate Student Council requested a 20% annual increase for travel grants to
30 graduate students to attend conferences and present their research;31
32 **WHEREAS,** The Committee determined that 17% one-time increase was necessary to provide eight
33 additional graduate students with the opportunity to attend conferences and present their
34 research;35
36 **WHEREAS,** The Academic Competition Teams Standing Committee requested a one-time \$45,000
37 increase for academic competition teams to travel and compete in competitions;38
39 **WHEREAS,** The Committee determined that a \$15,000 annual increase was necessary to provide
40 academic competition teams with additional funding to travel to and attend competitions;41
42 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Government Association (KSU SGA) Treasurer and
43 College Allocations Standing Committee chair requested a continuance in funding for
44 college councils;45
46 **WHEREAS,** The Committee determined that a 100% decrease was necessary due to underutilization
47 of this funding and the opportunity for college councils to request funding from the
48 College Allocations Standing Committee; and49
50 **WHEREAS,** Upon review of all requests of the Student Activity Fee, the determined that an overall
51 increase was in order.52
53 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.

Student Activity Privilege Fee Agreement

This agreement made this ___th day of November 2016, between the Kansas State University Student Governing Association (SENATE) and Kansas State University Student Activity Fee (DEPARTMENT), and shall supersede any previous agreement made by SENATE with the DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budget and use of such funding.

1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded the following amounts for the following Fiscal Years: \$388,221.02 for July 1st, 2017, through June 30th, 2018; \$403,221.02 for July 1st, 2018, through June 30th, 2019; and \$418,221.02 for July 1st, 2019, through June 30th, 2020; and will be reviewed prior to the 2020-2021 academic year.

2. The annual DEPARTMENT BUDGET shall be allocated as follows:

	FY18	FY19	FY20
Diversity Programming Committee:	\$175,000.00	\$175,000.00	\$175,000.00
Campus Organizations:	\$70,850.00	\$70,850.00	\$70,850.00
Multicultural Organizations:	\$14,000.00	\$14,000.00	\$14,000.00
Open House:	\$10,025.00	\$10,025.00	\$10,025.00
Graduate Student Council:	\$24,574.47	\$24,574.47	\$24,574.47
Academic Competition:	\$60,000.00	\$75,000.00	\$90,000.00
CARE:	\$19,032.55	\$19,032.55	\$19,032.55
UFM Community Learning Center:	\$14,739.00	\$14,739.00	\$14,739.00

3. Institutional Services

- a. KSU SGA recognizes the Women's Center and UFM as the only Institutional Services. Therefore, they shall not be required to register as a student group within the Office of Student Activities and Services (OSAS) at Kansas State University in accordance to Statute 20-0102.
- b. The Women's Center and UFM shall adhere to the Privilege Fee funding requirements set forth in Chapter 30 of the KSU SGA Statutes in the same manner as a Privilege Fee Agency.

4. Campus Organizations

- a. Funding for Campus Organizations shall adhere to the requirements set forth in Chapter 21 of the KSU SGA Statutes.

5. Diversity Programming Committee

- a. The Diversity Programming Committee shall adhere to the requirements set forth in Chapter 24 of the KSU SGA Statutes.
- b. All decisions made by the Diversity Programming Committee regarding the funding of requests shall be final and will not be subject to further approval by

the SGA.

6. Any funds not spent at the end of the fiscal year shall revert back to the Reserves for Contingencies Account with the exception of the Diversity Programming Committee. Remaining Diversity Programming Committee funds at the end of the fiscal year shall revert back to the Diversity Programming Committee Reserve Account.
7. Any remaining funds in the Academic Competition Reserve Account shall be transferred to the reserves for Contingency Account at the end of FY 2017.
8. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by KSU SGA and such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
9. Within 60 days of the end of the fiscal year, KSU SGA Treasurer shall submit a written summary of BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair for review by the entire Senate Body.
10. No construction or renovation of a building or facility at KSU is permitted with privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student body (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 510, Letter D and Article XI, Section 1105).
 - a. Construction shall be defined as capital outlay costs to construct new or make additions onto an existing building or facility.
 - b. Renovation shall be defined as any capital outlay costs used to make modifications to existing building or facilities. Examples of uses of these funds include major replacements (over \$30,000.00), building additions, facility betterments and improvements which occur infrequently.
11. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
12. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
13. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair Jonathan Peuchen, the KSU SGA Treasurer Andrew Peuchen, the Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, the Speaker Pro Tempore Stephen Kucera, the Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, the OSAS Director Bill Harlan and the Vice President for Student Life Pat Bosco.

**FY 2017 ALLOCATION OF THE DEBT REDUCATION
AND EMERGENCY ALLOCATION ACCOUNT FOR
COUNSELING SERVICES' PEER ADVOCATES
FOR MENTAL WELLNESS AND SUCCESS
PROGRAM**

BY: Privilege Fee Committee

WHEREAS, Counseling Services has requested the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Privilege Fee Allocation of the Debt Reduction and Emergency Allocation Account for Counseling Services' Peer Advocates for Mental Wellness and Success (P.A.W.S.) Program;

WHEREAS, Privilege Fee Agencies are allowed to apply for a one-time request to enable agencies to make large purchases out of their review cycle and these requests would be withdrawn from the Debt Reduction and Emergency Allocation Account, upon approval of the Privilege Fee Committee and Student Senate;

WHEREAS, P.A.W.S. is a peer education course that prepares students to go out and make timely, informative presentations about various mental wellness topics to their peers on campus starting in Spring 2017;

WHEREAS, Studies have shown that peers learn best from their fellow peers, as has been proven here at K-State through the success of other peer education programs such as Powercat Financial and the WellCAT Ambassadors;

WHEREAS, The course will be structured around the Certified Peer Education curriculum developed by NASPA Bacchus initiative as well as Dr. Fred Newton's, "Students Helping Students", text and will cover topics such as stress management, suicide prevention/intervention, drugs and alcohol, depression and stigma reduction;

WHEREAS, Counseling Services made direct contact with over 8,000 students through outreach activities, increasing their awareness, understanding, and ability to handle mental wellness struggles and anticipates with the inception of the P.A.W.S program at least 1,000 more students will be impacted;

WHEREAS, There has been an increase in student need, both crisis and non-crisis, and it is becoming increasingly difficult for the Counseling Services Clinical Staff to provide numerous education presentation during the busiest times of the semester since 52% of the agency's time is occupied by each clinic staff member's direct contact with clients, consultations and related coordinating tasks; and

WHEREAS, The Office of the Vice President for Student Life provided initial funding of \$550.00 in spring of 2016 to purchase the NASPA Bacchus Initiative Certified Peer Education curriculum and Dr. Barnes has invested \$470.00 of her personal funds to attend intensive peer educator advisor training prior to the start of spring 2017.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association approves to fund \$6,250.00 for Counseling Services for the Peer Advocates for Mental Wellness and Success Program from the Debt Reduction and Emergency Allocation Account.

SECTION 2. KSU SGA requires these monies to be used for Kognito and other supplies, not to be used for salary and benefits.

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SECTION 3. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Cindy Bontrager, Vice President for Administration and Finance; Fran Willbrant, Assistant Vice President for Financial Services; Pat Bosco, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students; James Bach, Director of Financial Operations; Bill Harlan, Office of Student Activities and Services Director; Amy Lee, Office of Student Activities and Services/Student Governing Association Accountant; Dori Lambert, Director of Counseling Services; and Wendy Barnes, Online Programs Coordinator.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE
UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING
ASSOCIATION STATUTES CONCERNING
LIMITATIONS ON CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS
FUNDING**

BY: Privilege Fee Committee

WHEREAS, The contract for the Student Activity Fee Privilege Fee has contained funding regulations within it for several years;

WHEREAS, Amendments to these funding regulations requires that we re-execute the Privilege Fee Contract with the KSU SGA Treasurer, Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, the Speaker of the Student Senate, the Speaker Pro Tempore, the Student Body President, the OSAS Coordinator and the Vice President for Student Life;

WHEREAS, Adding the funding regulations to the SGA Statutes Chapter 21: Student Activity Fee Funding Regulations will allow for adjustments to be made without re-execution of the contract; and

WHEREAS, Bill 16/17/45 will add language to the Student Activity Fee Privilege Fee Contract defining that funding regulations for campus organizations are in Chapter 21 of the SGA Statutes.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Chapter 21, Section 1, Subsection 3, Subsection F of the KSU SGA Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

F. Limitations.

1. Number of Requests. Organizations shall be limited to receiving allocations for no more than five (5) projects annually, of which no more than two (2) shall be for travel.
2. Services. Funds allocated must be spent on services offered on the University campus whenever these services are available.
3. Lecturer, Speaker or Entertainer Fee (LSE Fees). All recipients of LSE Fees are required to complete an LSE Fees information sheet, and a W-9 to receive payment.
- ~~4. A maximum of 60 percent of the total Campus Organizations allocation may be used to fund travel.~~
4. *A maximum of 60 percent of the Campus Organization allocation may be used by College Council Organizations, as defined in Chapter 20 of the KSU SGA Statutes.*
5. *A maximum of 60 percent of the original Campus Organization allocation may be used by the Campus-Wide Organizations, as defined in Chapter 20 of the KSU SGA Statutes.*
6. *A maximum of 60 percent of the total Campus Organization allocation may be used to fund travel allocations.*
7. *At the discretion of the University Allocations Standing Committee and with approval from Student Senate, up to \$10,000.00 in additional funds may be disbursed from the Reserves for Contingencies Account (NISACONRSV) to Campus-Wide Organizations each fiscal year. These additional funds shall not be limited by (b) and may be used for any*

Campus-Wide Organization's request for the current fiscal year.

8. *At the discretion of the College Allocations Standing Committee and with approval from Student Senate, up to \$10,000.00 in additional funds may be disbursed from the Reserves for Contingencies Account (NISACONRSV) to College Council Organizations each fiscal year. These additional funds shall not be limited by (a) and may be used for any College Council organization's request for the current fiscal year.*
9. *Once 80 percent of the Campus Organization allocation has been disbursed in a given fiscal year, the KSU SGA Treasurer and the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair in consultation with the OSAS Accountant shall meet to decide how the remaining funds will be divided between the University Allocations and the College Allocations Standing Committees to prevent an overdraw. If a consensus cannot be reached, the Privilege Fee Standing Committee shall decide how the remaining funds will be divided between the University Allocations and the College Allocations Standing Committees.*

- ~~10.5-~~ Spending Restrictions. Student activity funds allocated by the University Allocations Standing Committee and College Allocations Standing Committee may not be spent on any of the following items:
- a. Food. Food may not be purchased with student activity funds except unless such materials are to be used in an educational experiment. Prior approval from the KSU SGA Treasurer shall be gained before an expenditure for this exception is made.
 - b. Social Events. Student activity funds may not be spent on any materials pertaining to social functions, parties, or banquets, except when the University Allocations Standing Committee or College Allocations Standing Committee finds a substantial educational benefit.
 - c. Personal Materials. Student activity funds may not be spent on any personal materials, such as plaques, gifts, awards, flowers, name-tags, engravings for specific individuals, photographs, or clothing.
 - d. Wages. Student activity funds may not be spent on wages or compensation of any kind, with the exception of projectionists and security officers as required by a rental facility.
 - e. Recruitment. Student activity funds may not be spent on any trips or events in which recruitment is the sole purpose, except when the University Allocations Standing Committee or College Allocations Standing Committee finds a substantial educational benefit to the Kansas State University students making the request.

SECTION 2. This bill shall take effect upon passage of the student senate and signature of the student body president.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES
CONCERNING ELECTION DATES AND DEADLINES**

BY: Kylie Andres

WHEREAS, It is necessary to continually review the Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) Statutes;

WHEREAS, After evaluation of the current KSU SGA Statutes concerning both the primary and general elections, it is clear updates are necessary;

WHEREAS, Due to the changes that were made in Section 52-0104 of the KSU SGA Statutes during the previous semester; and

WHEREAS, The Primary Election is currently held five weeks prior to Spring Break, making it necessary to update the date and time requirements for the declaration of candidacy, mandatory meetings and campaign materials during elections.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Section 52-0109 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

52-0109 Nomination of Candidates

B. Declaration of Candidacy. The Elections Commissioner shall determine the form of the declaration of candidacy. The declaration of candidacy shall include the name of the student, the student's Kansas State Wildcat Identification Number, the college the student is enrolled in, and the office being sought by the student. Any person seeking to have their name placed on the ballot as a candidate for ~~Student Body President, Student Body Vice President, Student Senator, member of the Board of Student Publications, and/or member of the Union Governing Board~~ shall file a declaration of candidacy with the professional staff of the Office of Student Activities and Services three weeks prior to the General Election.

C. *To be placed on the ballot, candidates for Student Body President or a representative from their campaign must file a declaration of candidacy with the professional staff of the Office of Student Activities and Services before the last Friday in January. The declaration of candidacy shall include the name of the student, the student's Kansas State Wildcat Identification Number and the college the student is enrolled in.*

D. *Student Body President candidates that move on to the general election must register their Vice Presidential candidate with the professional staff of the Office of Student Activities and Services two weeks prior to the general election. This registration shall include the name of the student, the student's Kansas State Wildcat Identification Number and the college the student is enrolled in.*

E. Mandatory Meetings.

1. Each *primary election* candidate ~~except candidates for Graduate Student Council offices~~ shall attend one of at least two mandatory meetings completed by 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday of the week immediately prior to the primary election as specified by the Elections Commissioner. A candidate may be excused from this requirement only if the candidate has received written permission from the Elections Commissioner prior to the last scheduled meeting.
2. *Each general election candidate except candidates for Graduate Student Council offices shall attend one of at least two mandatory meetings completed by 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday two weeks prior to the general election as specified by the Elections Commissioner. A candidate may be excused from this requirement only if the candidate has received written permission from the Elections Commissioner prior to the last scheduled meeting.*

SECTION 2. Section 52-0114 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

52-0114 Campaign Materials

A. Time Limited Materials

1. Chalking, Banners, and Posters. Candidates in the Primary Election may begin to display chalking, banners, and posters after 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday of the week immediately prior to the Primary Election. Candidates in the General Election may begin to display chalking, banners, and posters after 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday ~~of the week immediately~~ *two weeks* prior to the General Election.
2. Tables. Tables may be established by Primary Election candidates beginning on the Thursday immediately prior to the Primary Election. Tables may be established by General Election candidates beginning on the Thursday ~~immediately two weeks~~ prior to the General Election. *Primary Election candidates who qualify for the general election may continue to table the weeks following the primary election.* All tables are to be removed during the weekends and immediately following the completion of the respective elections.
3. Removal. Primary Election candidates failing to qualify for the General Election shall remove all campaign materials from campus property by 7:00 p.m. the day following the completion of the Primary Election. All

General Election candidates shall remove campaign materials from campus property by 7:00 p.m. the day following the completion of the General Election.

4. For general election candidates not seeking a student body president or student body vice president position, campaign and campaign materials, such as stickers, buttons, T-shirts, websites and other materials not listed in these regulations, shall not be dispersed or publicized ~~5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday, three weeks prior to the Primary Election~~ *until the primary elections are closed.*

B. Tables.

4. Candidates for Student Senate or other campus-wide positions may establish tables in the K-State Student Union ~~the calendar week on the Thursday two weeks~~ prior to the General Election in accordance with this section.

SECTION 3. All subsequent items in this section shall be renumbered.

SECTION 4. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE STUDENT SENATE INTERN**
5 **MOTIONING RIGHTS**

6 **BY:** William Moore, Jordan Kiehl and Faith Tuttle

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8 **WHEREAS,** Student Governing Association Student Senate Interns are non-voting members and are
9 not allowed to make any motions; and

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11 **WHEREAS,** The majority of the Intern class believes making motions would allow them to become
12 more comfortable with senatorial parliamentary procedure.

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14 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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16 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 10, sub-section B of the Kansas State University Student Governing
17 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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19 B. Interns shall be non-voting members of Student Senate and shall be subject
20 to removal by the voting members of Student Senate for malfeasance,
21 nonfeasance, or misfeasance. Interns shall ~~not~~ have the ability to make any
22 motion~~and~~. *Interns* may not sponsor any legislation without a Senator co-
23 sponsor. Interns shall have the same duties as Student Senator as outlined
24 in Article IV, Section 4 of the KSU SGA By-Laws. Attendance policies shall be
25 provided for in the Student Senate Standing Rules.

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27 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the
28 Student Body President.

5 **BY:** University Allocations Committee6
7 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Lutheran
8 Church of the Missouri Synod University (LCMS U) organization;
910 **WHEREAS,** LCMS U will be taking nine members to the National LCMS Campus Ministry
11 Conference in Washington, D.C. from Jan. 3rd-7th, 2017;
1213 **WHEREAS,** The conference attendees will be able to gain knowledge through networking and
14 workshops with religious leaders and student affairs administrators as to how they can
15 better serve the needs of Kansas State University students when discussing controversial
16 topics regarding diverse views and the First Amendment;
1718 **WHEREAS,** The National LCMS U Campus Ministry Conference theme is “Liberty on Campus”,
19 striving to equip students to serve the needs of marginalized voices on campuses where
20 there is a large Lutheran presence committed to serving those marginalized voices; and
2122 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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24 Project 1 – National LCMS U Campus Ministry Conference; Washington, D.C.; Jan 3rd-
25 7th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$900.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$900.00

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31 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3233 **SECTION 1.** Lutheran Church of the Missouri Synod University (LCMS U) shall be allocated \$900.00
34 for the event described.
3536 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0657CW of LCMS
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6 **BY:** College Allocations Committee7
8 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the
9 organization registered as the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-
10 Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE);11
12 **WHEREAS,** ASHRAE will be taking 12 students to the national ASHRAE Winter Conference from
13 Jan. 28th - Feb. 1st, 2017;14
15 **WHEREAS,** The students in attendance will be able to participate in conference sessions while
16 meeting and learning valuable information from HVAC&R professionals. This
17 information will be shared with the rest of their group upon return and will help their
18 students become leaders in the industry;19
20 **WHEREAS,** The group will participate in technical sessions, workshops and seminars throughout the
21 weekend. The information learned at this event is directly related to the career path of the
22 students and cannot be conveyed in the classroom; and23
24 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:25
26 Project 1 – ASHRAE Winter Conference; Las Vegas Nev. Jan. 28th – Feb. 1st, 2017.27
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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32 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**33
34 **SECTION 1.** The organization registered as American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-
35 Conditioning Engineers
36 shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.37
38 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
39 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0092CC
40 of the organization registered as the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air
41 Conditioning Engineers.
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4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of Associated
7 General Contractors (AGC);
89 **WHEREAS,** AGC will be taking 29 members Jan. 8th-14th to Birmingham, Ala. for their AGC
10 Alternative Break trip;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Attendance of this event will help students of the Architectural Engineering and
13 Construction Science Department at Kansas State University develop and apply skills
14 learned in the classroom by gaining industry experience in construction skills, site tours
15 and networking;
1617 **WHEREAS,** Attendees will also be helping a community in need through collaboration with Habitat
18 for Humanity; and
1920 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2122 Project 1– AGC Alternative Break; Birmingham, Ala.; Jan. 8th-14th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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28 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2930 **SECTION 1.** Associated General Contractors shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3132 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0133AC of AGC.

4 **BY:** Ryan Kelly, Victor Valdez, Hannah Markel, Miranda Moore, Jordan Martin, Carlos
5 Flores, Stephen Kucera and Tendai Munyanyi
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7 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University (KSU) has a strong commitment to promoting diversity and
8 inclusion as stated in the Principles of Community;
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10 **WHEREAS,** KSU is making great bounds to increase inclusivity exemplified by its dedication to
11 funding need-based scholarships, efforts to increase retention among underrepresented
12 groups and cooperation with diverse communities across campus;
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14 **WHEREAS,** KSU, along with other universities across the nation, has recently seen violent speech and
15 racial slurs proliferate on campus via oral expression and statements written on university
16 property;
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18 **WHEREAS,** A significant number of multicultural students attend school at KSU who identify with
19 the groups targeted by such aforementioned speech; and
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21 **WHEREAS,** This type of hateful rhetoric contributes to a negative environment for many minority
22 students who already feel their voices, opinions and perspectives are not adequately
23 represented at KSU.
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25 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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27 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association condemns any action or
28 expression contributing to a discriminatory or exclusive campus environment as well as
29 any hateful speech.
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31 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy
32 of this resolution shall be sent to Black Student Union President Bryan Davis, Hispanic
33 American Leadership Organization President Valeria Guizado, Asian American Student
34 Union President Jackie Huynh, Native American Student Association President Tonja
35 Wright, Muslim Student Association President Muhammad Sajidur Rahman, Sexuality
36 and Gender Alliance President Holly Nelson, Gender Collective President Riley Katz,
37 Association of Residence Halls President Brandon Jansen, LGBT Resource Center
38 Coordinator Brandon Haddock, Interim Associate Provost for Diversity Dr. Zelia Wiley,
39 Kansas State University Vice President of Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco,
40 Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life Director Ben Hopper and President Gen. Richard
41 B. Myers.

RESOLUTION 16/17/30**FY 2018 ALLOCATIONS OF
EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FUND**

BY: Educational Opportunity Fund Committee

WHEREAS, The EOF committee allocates \$370,000.00 in funding for academic scholarships and fellowships, need-based grants, community service programs and campus student service programs;

WHEREAS, The EOF reserve fund has a balance of \$103,292 which is made available for use by the committee if need be;

WHEREAS, The EOF Committee has considered 28 proposals for FY 2018 EOF;

WHEREAS, All groups were provided ample opportunity to submit requests for FY 2018 EOF;

WHEREAS, All groups will have a chance to respond to EOF recommendations; and

WHEREAS, The following groups have met all formal and informal guidelines established by the Kansas Board of Regents and the Kansas State University Student Governing Association.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. The following organizations shall receive funding from the FY 2017 Educational Opportunity Fund budget:

Title of Proposal	FIS Account	Allocated FY 2017	Requested FY 2018	Allocated FY 2018
1. Graduate Assistant Position <i>Office of Multicultural Student Organizations</i>	NRDVDIVEOF	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00
2. Recruiting and Preparing Tomorrow's Teachers <i>College of Education</i>	NDOEPTTEOF	\$10,500.00	\$16,666.00	\$16,666.00
3. Developing Leaders through Community Engagement <i>Staley School of Leadership Studies</i>	NLSAEOFUND	\$9,870.00	\$37,500.00	\$9,870.00
4. Graduate Assistant Position <i>Academic Assistance Center</i>		\$0.00	\$12,890.00	\$12,890.00
5. Green Build Program <i>Architectural Engineering Institute</i>		\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
6. Support Services for Multicultural Students: Academic Transition Program <i>Academic Assistance Center</i>	NIEPTUTEOF	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00
7. Need-Based Scholarships for Full-time and Part-time Non-traditional Undergraduate Students <i>Non-Traditional and Veteran Student Services</i>	NISFEDOPPS	\$7,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
8. University-wide Tutoring Service <i>Academic Assistance Center</i>	NIEPTUTEOF	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00
9. Undergraduate Student Assistant Positions <i>Office of Diversity</i>	NRDVDIVEOF	\$6,750.00	\$7,200.00	\$7,200.00
10. Graduate Assistant Position and Student Workers <i>Powercat Financial Counseling</i>		\$0.00	\$50,700.00	\$0.00

62	11. Joey Lee Garmon Undergraduate Scholarship	NISFEDOPPS	\$2,800.00	\$3,500.00	\$3,500.00
63	<i>Community Cultural Harmony Planning Committee</i>				
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65	Title of Proposal	FIS	Allocated	Requested	Allocated
66		Account	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2018
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68	12. Graduate Assistant Position		\$9,890.00	\$12,890.00	\$0.00
69	<i>Office of Undergraduate Research/Undergraduate Studies</i>				
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71	13. Graduate Assistant Position	NRUSOUREOF	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00
72	<i>Developing Scholars Program/Undergraduate Studies</i>				
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74	14. Developing Scholars Supplemental Funding Mini-Grants	NRUSOUREOF	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00
75	<i>Developing Scholars Program/Undergraduate Studies</i>				
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77	15. Childcare Subsidies for Student Parents "Childships"	NISAEOfGFI	\$105,000.00	\$105,000.00	\$105,000.00
78	<i>Center for Child Development</i>				
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80	16. Graduate Research Assistant for SafeZone	NISLSAFEOF	\$9,890.00	\$12,890.00	\$9,890.00
81	<i>Center for Advocacy, Response and Education</i>				
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83	17. Graduate Research Assistant Position	NISLNTVEOF	\$12,890.00	\$12,890.00	\$12,890.00
84	<i>Non-Traditional and Veteran Student Services</i>				
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86	18. Provide Scholarships to Students with Mobility Impairments,	NISFEDOPPS	\$4,200.00	\$4,200.00	\$4,200.00
87	Sensory Impairments and Chronic Health Conditions	6 @ \$700	6 @ \$700	6 @ \$700	6 @ \$700
88	<i>Student Access Center</i>				
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90	19. Provide Services to Students with Cognitive Disabilities	NISLSACEOF	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00
91	<i>Student Access Center</i>				
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93	20. Graduate Assistant Position	NISLCAREOF	\$0.00	\$12,890.00	\$12,890.00
94	<i>Center for Advocacy, Response, and Education</i>				
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96	21. Graduate Research Assistant	NISLOSLEOF	\$12,890.00	\$12,890.00	\$12,890.00
97	<i>Office of Student Life</i>				
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99	22. Support for Student Success: CAT Communities and K-State				
100	First		\$0.00	\$12,890.00	\$12,890.00
101	<i>K-State First</i>				
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103	23. Graduate Assistant Position	NRIN490811	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00
104	<i>International Student and Scholar Services</i>				
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106	24. Educational Evaluations for Underrepresented Students	NISLSAEOf	\$6,000.00	\$6,000.00	\$6,000.00
107	Who have or Likely have Learning Disabilities				
108	<i>Student Access Center</i>				
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110	25. Provide Scholarships to Students with Cognitive Disabilities	NISFEDOPPS	\$5,600.00	\$5,600.00	\$5,600.00
111	<i>Student Access Center</i>	8 @ \$700	8 @ \$700	8 @ \$700	8 @ \$700
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113	26. Graduate Research Assistant		\$0.00	\$13,500.00	\$0.00
114	<i>K-State First</i>				
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116	27. Provide Services to Students with Mobility Impairments,	NISLSAMEOf	\$9,890	\$9,890.00	\$9,890.00
117	Sensory Impairments, and Chronic Health Conditions				
118	<i>Student Access Center</i>				
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120	28. International Student Scholarships	NRIN490811	\$5,600.00	\$5,600.00	\$5,600.00
121	<i>Center for Student and Professional Services</i>	8 @ 700	8 @ 700	8 @ 700	8 @ 700
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123	TOTAL		\$370,000.00	\$495,146.00	\$383,996.00
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125 **SECTION 2.** \$370,000 of funds shall be transferred from account NISAEOfGRV, the Educational
126 Opportunity Fund Account to each project's respective account at the beginning of FY
127 2018.
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129 **SECTION 3.** \$13,996 of funds shall be transferred from account NISAEOfRSV, the Education
130 Opportunity Fund Reserve Account to each projects respective account at the beginning
131 of FY 2018.
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133 **SECTION 4.** Any unspent funds shall automatically revert back to the Educational Opportunity Fund
134 Reserves Account at the end of FY 2018.
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136 **SECTION 5.** Upon passage of this legislation, a copy of this bill shall be sent to Kansas State
137 University President Gen. Richard B. Myers and the Kansas Board of Regents for
138 approval.

4 **BY:** Trent McGee, Will Orth, Jack Ayres and the Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The university administration has requested the Kansas State University Student Governing
7 Association give input on how bond surplus funds are utilized;8
9 **WHEREAS,** The bond surplus funds exist to provide opportunity for the completion of major, one-time
10 projects;11
12 **WHEREAS,** The students at K-State voted in the spring of 2013, by a majority of 74.5 percent, to add
13 a \$20 per semester to their privilege fees to fund a renovation of the K-State Student
14 Union;15
16 **WHEREAS,** This \$20 increase, along with other bonds rolling off the privilege fee, results in a \$25
17 million dollar renovation;18
19 **WHEREAS,** Resolution 14/15/58 established a budget of \$800,000 to renovate Little Theater
20 completing the First Floor renovations;21
22 **WHEREAS,** On November 28, at a meeting with the architects and contractor, SGA was informed that
23 after making all the possible cuts that still preserved the functionality of the room, the
24 project was still \$127,861 over budget;25
26 **WHEREAS,** SGA leaders have explored any and all other means of reducing the cost of the project or
27 increasing the funds available;28
29 **WHEREAS,** Privilege Fee renovations such as Recreational Services and the K-State Student Union
30 are funded through bonds that are repaid by the annual privilege fee;31
32 **WHEREAS,** State laws require that K-State collect 25% more annually than the amount necessary for
33 bond payments;34
35 **WHEREAS,** The excess money that is collected is placed in the bond surplus account;36
37 **WHEREAS,** As of September 26th, 2016, the bond surplus account has a balance of approximately
38 \$2,446,225.00 and has a projected increase in funds;39
40 **WHEREAS,** In accordance with KSU SGA Statute 30-0703 the bond surplus funds should be utilized on
41 projects that impact the student body, contribute to the long-range goals of K-State and add
42 value to campus and have received approval by KSU SGA.43
44 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**45
46 **SECTION 1.** Kansas State University Student Governing Association recommends and approves
47 \$100,000.00 to be allocated from the student privilege fee bond surplus account for the
48 completion of the Little Theatre as a part of the union renovation project.49
50 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy
51 of this resolution shall be sent to Bill Smriga, K-State Student Union Director; Cindy
52 Bontrager, Vice President for Administration and Finance; Fran Willbrant, Assistant Vice
53 President for Financial Services; Pat Bosco, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of
54 Students; James Bach, Director of Financial Operations; Bill Harlan, Office of Student

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Activities and Services Director; and Amy Lee, Office of Student Activities and
Services/Student Governing Association Accountant.

1 **BILL 16/17/52**

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS**
3 **STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING**
4 **ASSOCIATION STATUTES CONCERNING**
5 **DEFINITION OF WAGES**

6 **BY:** Anna Jackson

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8 **WHEREAS,** Chapter 25 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes (KSU
9 SGA) states that hourly wage is \$7.25;

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11 **WHEREAS,** Chapter 27 of the KSU SGA Statutes states that wage is minimum wage; and

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13 **WHEREAS,** KSU SGA's statutes should be consistent and accurate.

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15 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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17 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 25, Section 02, Subsection 05 of the Kansas State University Student Governing
18 Association Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

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20 **25-0205** Wages are calculated *as at \$7.25 per hour federal minimum wage.*

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22 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student
23 Body President.

BILL 16/17/53 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT
GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE
RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

BY: Stephen Kucera

WHEREAS, The Speaker Pro Tempore has historically served as a voting member on the Faculty
Senate Committee – Faculty Affairs;

WHEREAS, The Faculty Affairs committee routinely discusses issues relating to faculty, improving
the quality of teaching and the most effective methods for collection of student feedback
on classroom instruction;

WHEREAS, The committee traditionally meets every-other week; and

WHEREAS, It is important for the governing documents of the Kansas State University Student
Governing Association to reflect the expectations and time commitments of its officers.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1: Article IV, Section 3, Subsection B of the Kansas State University Student Governing
Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

- B. Duties of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate shall include:
1. Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the Speaker's
absence or at the Speaker's request.
 2. Coordinate the Student Senate open period speakers.
 3. Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.
 4. Oversee the College Caucus system.
 5. Plan and organize annual KSU SGA diversity training sessions.
 6. *Serve on the Faculty Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate with voting rights.*

SECTION 2: This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student
Body President.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Kansas State
7 University's (KSU) Wildlife and Outdoor Enterprise Management Club (WOEM);
89 **WHEREAS,** WOEM will be taking 20-25 members to the National Wild Turkey Federation 41st
10 National Convention in Nashville, TN;
1112 **WHEREAS,** KSU's WOEM program the only one of it's kind in the nation and is not well known.
13 Attending the convention will give the program more visibility, granting those who
14 attend possible job and internship opportunities in the future;
1516 **WHEREAS,** At the convention the students in attendance will hear from the owner of the Chattokee
17 Lodge. The owner will provide real world experience about how to own and operate a
18 hunting and fishing lodge; and
1920 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:21
22 Project 1 –National Wild Turkey Federation National Convention; Nashville, TN; Feb.
23 12th-19th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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29 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3031 **SECTION 1.** The Wildlife and Outdoor Enterprise Management Club shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for
32 the event described.
3334 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
35 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1223CC of the
36 Wildlife and Outdoor Enterprise Management Club.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES DECEMBER 1, 2016

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:05pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 46 senators and 21 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Krotz
Senator Niederee
Senator Reichenberger
Senator Thomas
Senator May
Senator Flores
Senator Fleming
Senator Grosdidier
Senator Bogner
Senator Doll

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Andres (Partial)
Senator Barnett (Partial)
Senator Bartels (Partial)
Senator Bertz (Partial)
Senator Breen
Senator Brown
Senator Frankel
Senator Gray (Partial)
Senator Ogren
Senator Lonker (Partial)
Senator Langvardt (Partial)
Senator Mindrup (Partial)
Senator A. Peuchen (Partial)
Senator Pracht (Partial)
Senator Renz (Partial)
Senator Sabatini (Partial)

Intern Aurand
Intern Bolar
Intern Mertens
Intern Works
Intern DeMaranville (Partial)

OPEN PERIOD

Sarah Barr

- 5 attorneys in 45 years
- Student Legal Services has seen 7,500 clients
- Encouraged Senate to be passionate about what they do
 - “Create or be something that will outlive you.”
 - “Laugh, have fun, and don’t take yourself too seriously.”
- Sarah Barr location on campus: 201 Holton Hall
 - Phone number: 785-532-6432
 - Email: barr@ksu.edu

Dr. Bernard Franklin

- Spent half of undergraduate experience in Senate
- Spoke about K-States Reaffirmation of K-State's Commitment to Diversity and Inclusion
- Students may contact Dr. Bernard Franklin at Bernardf@ksu.edu

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. If your nameplate is wrong or you would prefer a different name, please let Stephen know.

Speaker Ayres

- Several pieces of legislation that are time sensitive
- If the body is uncomfortable voting on these things tonight, a special meeting could be called next week
- Committee meetings are being recorded

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/27 Amendments to the Attorney General Recommendation Committee

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Resolution 16/17/27

Introduced by President Van Ranken

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve Resolution 16/17/27 unanimously

Resolution 16/17/27 is approved unanimously

Resolution 16/17/28 Approval of Elections Committee

Chair Orth moved we consider Resolution 16/17/28
Introduced by President Van Ranken
Senator Holder moved to approve Resolution 16/17/28 unanimously
Resolution 16/17/28 is approved unanimously

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Elections Commissioner Andres

- JCOC met and discussed and put summaries of everyone they contact for interviews
- Compared K-State to three more Universities to see how they compensate their Senate offices
- Added procedural recommendations, capability for JCOC to meet more than every three years
 - Privilege Fee Committee and Senate Operations Committee can call to reconvene JCOC
 - If someone leaves their position Senate Operations Committee can then call JCOC to see if money needs to be refunded.
 - Open discussion on having 2/3 majority vote in Senate to reconvene JCOC
 - The above are solely recommendations.

Chair Orth

- College Allocations Committee will be Reviewing open house requests this coming weekend
 - Senate can expect an update on this next semester

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director Munyanyi

- Update on Provost Distinguished Lecture Series
 - U.S. State Department individual came to campus
 - Spoke about the world of countering Muslim extremism
 - Important to focus on why we are doing what we do and make it interesting
- International Associate Provost Dr. Sabates is leaving K-State
 - Next semester we will know who is the new Associate Provost
- Thanked Speaker Ayres, Interns, Chair Eberhardy, Bill Harlan and more for speaking at the Senate information session today
 - Requested that someone from HE, Architecture, Agriculture, and Vet-Med give Director Munyanyi your contact information to be able to share what was spoke about with your college.

Director Everett

- Diversity 2025 met on Monday and discussed moving forward with Diversity planning
- Tomorrow there will be a meeting with General Myers at 5:15pm in the Multicultural Student Office (MSO) to discuss the Multicultural Center

President Van Ranken

- Spoke about additional information to the court documents regarding sexual assaults occurring off campus in the K-State community
 - Stressed that our position regarding this topic has not changed and they are in support of bettering this issue.
 - Came to understanding that K-State will not make a change in policy, pending legal decisions will play a large roll in what future policy will be
 - Any pending policy would reflect the best interest of K-State Students

- o Interested in improving how they can better communicate their stances on this topics
- Concealed carry will be allowed to be present on campus on July 1, 2017
- Kansas Board of Regents meeting on 12/14 is where they will likely approve or disapprove university policies form across the system regarding weapons policies
 - o Willing to distribute to Senate what policy will be approved or go before Kansas Board of Regents on 12/14.

Vice President Kennedy

- Wanted to be clear about intentions with EOF
 - o Transitions from paper process is reliant on OSAS staff to do a lot of work
 - o Transitioning to online process, there were many complications that slowed down the process
 - o Many people on EOF have been supported since 1985
 - To hold these groups in limbo until January or February could be dangerous
 - Also noted that Childships are in jeopardy from those who receive them if this is held off.

Advisor Harlan

- In EOF process an office presents their request with eleven copies, which uses a lot of paper
- SCTE is due tomorrow, December 2.

Speaker Ayres

- Executive committee meeting on Tuesday spoke about special orders for this week
- Streamlining Directors reports, provide another page in the agenda where director's reports can be placed directly on the agenda to cut down on time that we spend on said reports.

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1131883/show>

DISCUSSION

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera lead a discussion on Senate's thoughts regarding TEVALS and how the process can be improved

- Chair J. Peuchen felt TEVALS are important to students and faculty
- Vice President Kennedy encouraged everyone to be aggressive in their want for TEVALS to continue
- Chair Jackson noted that students don't have much input in teachers and the TEVAL is a vital way to improve this
- Senator Mindrup said some students don't feel their voices are being heard in the TEVALS, teachers salaries won't be increased until their TEVALS are strong
- Caucus Leader Martin, in Engineering the TEVALS sometimes don't event end up in head of department's hands.
- Elections Commissioner Andres, some students may not fill out TEVAL correctly because they are tired. Would rather have it in the middle of the semester
- Senator Holder, when teacher gives TEVAL at beginning of class some students do it too quickly so they can leave, in this case it should be given at the end of class or just sent online
- Intern Maples, if a teacher is constantly getting negative reviews then students should have knowledge that the teacher was not reviewed well.
- Caucus Leader Montague, in college of Vet Med, the student leaders from the classes have a curriculum committee and student faculty affairs committee which sits down with professors to

discuss what did and did not go well.

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

- Time to discuss the JCOC report as well as resolutions

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/39 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Biodiesel Initiative

Bill 16/17/41 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Game Development Club

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minor allocations.
The minor allocations were approved.

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/40 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To Creative Writing Enthusiasts

Chair A. Peuchen moved we take Bill 16/17/40 to final action
Introduced by Intern Stutterheim

Positive Debate:

Intern Stutterheim

Negative Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen moved we hold Bills 16/17/40-49-50-51 for bulk roll call
Conduct a 2/3 majority vote to pass movement
Motion passes

Bill 16/17/40 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 51-0-0

Bill 16/17/42 Continuance In The Office Of Student Activities And Services Privilege Fee

Introduced by Caucus Leader Martin

Positive Debate:

Caucus Leader Martin

Negative Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen moved we hold Bills 16/17/42-43 for bulk roll call
Conduct a 2/3 majority vote to pass movement
Motion passes

Bill 16/17/42 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 50-0-0.

Bill 16/17/43 Increase In The Student Activity Fee

Introduced by Senator Valdez

Positive Debate:

Senator Valdez

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/43 passes by bulk roll call vote of 50-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/44 FY 2017 Allocation Of The Debt Reducation And Emergency Allocation
Account For Counseling Services' Peer Advocates For Mental Wellness And
Success Program**

Introduced by Chair J. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen
Senator McGee

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/44 passes by bulk roll call vote of 52-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/45 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
Statutes Concerning Limitations On Campus Organizations Funding**

Introduced by Chair J. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen moved we hold Bills 16/17/45-46 for bulk roll call
Conduct a 2/3 majority vote to pass movement
Motion passes

Bill 16/17/45 passes by bulk roll call vote of 52-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/46 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
Statutes Concerning Election Dates And Deadlines**

Introduced by Elections Commissioner Andres

Positive Debate:

Elections Commissioner Andres

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/46 passes by bulk roll call vote of 52-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/47 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
By-Laws Concerning The Student Senate Intern Motioning Rights**

Introduced by Intern Moore

Positive Debate:

Intern Moore

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/47 passes by bulk roll call vote of 51-2-0.

Bill 16/17/49 FY 2017 Travel Funding Allocation To LCMS U

Introduced by Senator Davis

Positive Debate:

Senator Davis

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/49 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 51-0-0

Bill 16/17/50 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To ASHRAE

Introduced by Chair Orth

Positive Debate:

Chair Orth

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/50 passes by a bulk roll vote of 51-0-0

Bill 16/17/51 FY 2016 Travel Allocation For Associated General Contractors Student Chapter

Introduced by Chair Orth

Positive Debate:

Chair Orth

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/51 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 51-0-0

Resolution 16/17/31 FY 2017 Allocation of Student Bond Surplus Funds For Union Renovation

Introduced by Graduate Senator McGee

Positive Debate:

Graduate Senator McGee
Senator McIntire
Chair J. Peuchen
Advisor Harlan
President Van Ranken
Chair J. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Senator Kennedy
Vice President Kennedy
Speaker Ayres
Senator Kennedy

Resolution 16/17/31 passes by a vote of 42-5-0.

Resolution 16/17/30 FY 2018 Allocations Of Educational Opportunity Fund
Introduced by Vice President Kennedy

Positive Debate:

Vice President Kennedy

Negative Debate:

Senator Lowry moved that Resolution 16/17/30 be passed unanimously.
Resolution 16/17/30 passed unanimously.

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

**Resolution 16/17/31 FY 2017 Allocation of Student Bond Surplus Funds For Union
Renovation**

Chair J. Peuchen moved we consider Resolution 16/17/31
Introduced by Graduate Senator McGee

Chair Orth moved that we special order Resolution 16/17/31 to final action

Positive Debate:

Chair Orth
Senator Kennedy

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

There was a 2/3 vote to move Resolution 16/17/31 to final action
Motion passes

Resolution 16/17/29 Reaffirmation of K-State's Commitment to Diversity and Inclusion
Senator Valdez moved we consider Resolution 16/17/29
Introduced by Intern Kelly

Resolution 16/17/29 is referred back to the Special Committee on Membership

Resolution 16/17/30 FY 2018 Allocations Of Educational Opportunity Fund

Chair Orth moved we consider Resolution 16/17/30

Introduced by Vice President Kennedy

Chair Orth moved that the author be allowed to summarize

2/3 majority vote to approve the motion

Motion passes.

Chair J. Peuchen moved that Resolution 16/17/30 be sent to final action

Positive Debate:

Vice President Kennedy

Negative Debate:

2/3 majority vote to move Resolution 16/17/30 into final action

Motion passes.

**Bill 16/17/52 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
Statutes Concerning Definition Of Wages**

Chair Orth moved we consider Bill 16/17/52

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Bill 16/17/52 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

**Bill 16/17/53 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
By-Laws Concerning The Responsibilities Of The Speaker Pro Tempore**

Chair J. Peuchen moved we consider Bill 16/17/53

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Chair J. Peuchen moved that the author be allowed to summarize

It was moved and seconded that the author be allowed to summarize.

Bill 16/17/53 is referred back to the Executive Committee

**Bill 16/17/54 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Wildlife And Outdoor Enterprise Management
Club**

Intern Moore moved we consider Bill 16/17/54

Introduced by Intern Garcia

Bill 16/17/54 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Next Tuesday December 6th playing with K-State orchestra in McCain at 7:30
- Next Wednesday playing the final piece of concert for brass ensemble in all faiths chapel
- Friday of finals week rented out ice rink in city park from 8-9pm

Caucus Leader Martin

- Leadership studies 123 and 126 lead 405 class putting on an event Cookies and Cocoa for Kids

- \$4 in advance or \$5 at the door
- Prizes can be won for cookie decorating contest

Senator Holder

- DU all you can eat pancake food from 9 am to 1pm tickets are \$5 and there will be karaoke

Senator Barnett

- President of Wildcats against sexual violence
- Focus on responses toward sexual violence
- Want to work with senate to see how we can all work together in these efforts
- Talks of writing another resolution next semester regarding sexual violence
- Speaker Ayres and Senator Barnett are also serving on Heartland Project grant to make recommendations about prevention and policies

Speaker Ayres

- Apologized to senate for being in and out of senate due to being interviewed and working to keep the lights on as it is currently 12:17pm.

Senator Montague

- If anyone is in town during Christmas break and wants to foster a dog or cat contact Senator Montague

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/29 is referred back to the Special Committee on Membership

Bill 16/17/52 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/53 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/54 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS**ROLL CALL**

There were 38 senators and 20 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Gutman moved to adjourn until Thursday, January 19 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 12:20am.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Mayor Usha Reddi

Dr. Peggy Schmidt and Dr. Bonnie Rush – College of Veterinary Medicine

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Resolution 16/17/32 Approval Of Appointments To The Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/33 Commending Congressman Dr. Roger Marshall

Resolution 16/17/34 Commendation To Dr. Thomas Schwartz

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

DISCUSSION

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/29 Reaffirmation of K-State's Commitment to Diversity and Inclusion
Bill 16/17/52 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Definition Of Wages
Bill 16/17/53 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Responsibilities Of The Speaker Pro Tempore
Bill 16/17/54 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Wildlife And Outdoor Enterprise Management Club

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/69 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To The Harry Potter Alliance

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/35 Student Governing Association Disapproval Of Kansas Campus Concealed Carry Policy
Bill 16/17/55 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Student Senate Intern Committee Placement For The 2016-2017 Term
Bill 16/17/56 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Student Senate Intern Voting Rights
Bill 16/17/57 Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Academic Competition Team Funding
Bill 16/17/58 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Balance Of The Bond Surplus Account
Bill 16/17/59 FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Vietnamese Student Association

Bill 16/17/60	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Sexuality And Gender Alliance
Bill 16/17/61	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Kansas State University Qualitative Research Student Organization
Bill 16/17/62	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To International Tuba And Euphonium Association
Bill 16/17/63	FY 2017 Travel Allocation American Choral L Directors Association
Bill 16/17/64	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Alpha Kappa Psi
Bill 16/17/65	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Institute Of Industrial Systems Engineer
Bill 16/17/66	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Student Finance Association
Bill 16/17/67	FY 2017 Travel Allocation National Association for Music Education
Bill 16/17/68	FY 2017 Allocation Of Open House Funds

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. Proxies:
 - Comstock for Klahr
2. Filing deadline for primary elections is tomorrow (Friday 1/27) at 4pm! www.ksu.edu/elections
3. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30 Mandatory Rules/Regs. Mtg. for Primary Election Candidates – 4pm	31	1	2 Senate – 7pm	3	4
5	6	7 TFSC – 6pm	8	9 Senate – 7pm	10	11

“Happiness is a choice. You can choose to be happy. There's going to be stress in life, but it's your choice whether you let it affect you or not.” – Valerie Bertinelli

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 12-1-16:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1138802/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1164486/show>

- Discussed the future of GR
- Discussed intern committee placement and intern voting rights legislation
- Student Engagement Discussion

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1161962/show>

- Decisions were made to fund the Sexuality and Gender Alliance (SAGA), and the Harry Potter Alliance.

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1161974/show>

- INTRODUCTIONS, PRESENTATIONS BY THE INSTITUTE OF INDUSTRIAL SYSTEMS ENGINEERS, THE STUDENT FINANCE ASSOCIATION, THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR MUSIC EDUCATION, AND THE PRE-VET MED CLUB

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1164751/show>

- Presentation by Director of Recreational Services Steve Martini
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1164803/show>

Senate Operations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1163425/show>

- Edited submitted legislation, considered referred legislation

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link:

Student Engagement Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1161908/show>

- Created new groups
- Went over what to include in presentations

Diversity Programming Committee:

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

DIRECTOR'S REPORTS FOR THE WEEK

Athletics Liaison – Nick Edwards

- The point system for the KU game does not end after that game. For example, if we were playing for the Big 12 Championship at the last game of the season, they would implement the point system. So continue attending games! Remember to represent K-State with class and respect at sporting events...
- #WeStillOwnTexas

Director of Health and Safety – Olivia Baalman

- Mental Wellness Week April 3-8th
- If you're interested in volunteering during the events throughout the week, please email me at oliviab2@ksu.edu

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/32**

**APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS TO THE
STUDENT-CENTERED TUITION
ENHANCEMENTS COMMITTEE**

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5 **BY:** Trenton Kennedy and Sarah Niederee

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7 **WHEREAS,** Chapter 26 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes
8 requires the Speaker of the Student Senate and the Student Body President jointly appoint
9 six Student Senators and four at large students to the Student-Centered Tuition
10 Enhancements Committee;

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12 **WHEREAS,** These positions were sufficiently advertised; and

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14 **WHEREAS,** These appointments are subject to the approval of Student Senate.

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16 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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18 **SECTION 1.** The following Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, be
19 approved as members of the Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee for the
20 2016-2017 term:

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22 Cat Gutman
23 Megan Heyen
24 Matt Mindrup
25 Sarah Niederee
26 Will Orth
27 Victor Valdez
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29 **SECTION 2.** The following at large students, appointed by the Student Body President, be approved as
30 members of the Student-Centered tuition Enhancements Committee for the 2016-2017
31 term:

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33 Matthew Bryan
34 Chase Bouse
35 Emma DeMaranville
36 Connor Swanson
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38 **SECTION 3.** The following Faculty Senate to Student Senate representative, whom shall be a non-
39 voting member appointed by the Student Body President, be approved as a member of the
40 Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee for the 2016-2017 term:

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42 Dr. David Lehman

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/33**

**COMMENDING CONGRESSMAN
DR. ROGER MARSHALL**

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4 **BY:** Governmental Relations Committee

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6 **WHEREAS,** The 2016 primary and general election seasons constitute long and arduous processes,
7 requiring extraordinary commitments of time and energy of candidates on behalf of those
8 constituents they seek to represent;
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10 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association(KSU SGA) has great respect
11 and gratitude for the members of the United States Congress for choosing to serve their
12 states in this capacity; and
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14 **WHEREAS,** The members of the KSU SGA wish to recognize the hard work and dedication to servant
15 leadership shown by the newly- elected.
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17 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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19 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and
20 congratulates Kansas State University alumnus Congressman Dr. Roger Marshall on his
21 successful campaign and wishes him success in his new role as Congressman for the
22 Kansas First District in the 115th Congress.
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24 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy
25 of this resolution will be sent to Congressman Dr. Roger Marshall of Great Bend, Kan..

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/34**

Commendation To Dr. Thomas Schwartz

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3 **BY:** Brett Montague
4

5 **WHEREAS,** Dr. Thomas Schwartz assumed the role of director at Kansas State University's
6 Veterinary Health Center on Jan. 2nd, 2017;
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8 **WHEREAS,** The Veterinary Health Center provides routine, specialty and emergency care to over
9 16,000 patients with more than 50 veterinarians, and 14 board-certified specialties in
10 small, exotic and large animal fields as well as the training of thousands of veterinarians
11 in its nearly 100-year history; and
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13 **WHEREAS,** Dr. Schwartz brings over 20 years of experience in both mixed and small animal practice
14 to his new role as director.
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16 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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18 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends Dr. Thomas
19 Schwartz for his new position and service to Kansas State University.
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21 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy
22 of this resolution shall be sent to Veterinary Health Center Director Thomas Schwartz,
23 Dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine Tammy Beckham and Executive Associate
24 Dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine Bonnie Rush.

4 **BY:** Ryan Kelly, Victor Valdez, Hannah Markel, Miranda Moore, Jordan Martin, Carlos
5 Flores, Jack Ayres, Stephen Kucera, Tendai Munyanyi, Shakyra Everett, Kevin
6 Bultongez, Emma Barnett, Zachary Lowry, Brett Montague, Jordan Eberhardy, Faith
7 Tuttle and William Moore
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9 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University (KSU) respects and abides by our First Amendment rights
10 granting students the freedoms to express themselves without fear of suppression from
11 social, administrative and governmental actions;
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13 **WHEREAS,** KSU has a strong commitment to promoting diversity and inclusion as stated in the
14 Principles of Community;
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16 **WHEREAS,** KSU is making great bounds to increase inclusivity exemplified by its dedication to
17 funding need-based scholarships, efforts to increase retention among underrepresented
18 groups and cooperation with diverse communities across campus;
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20 **WHEREAS,** KSU, along with other universities across the nation, has recently seen violent speech and
21 racial slurs proliferate on campus via oral expression and statements written on university
22 property;
23

24 **WHEREAS,** A significant number of multicultural students attend school at KSU who identify with
25 the groups targeted by such aforementioned speech;
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27 **WHEREAS,** An atmosphere of hostility and animosity is not conducive to the academic process and
28 does not allow for civil, intellectual discussion regarding complex and sensitive issues;
29 and
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31 **WHEREAS,** Hateful rhetoric leads to an uncomfortable environment for students at KSU who already
32 feel their voices and perspectives are not adequately represented.
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34 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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36 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association rebukes any action or
37 expression contributing to a discriminatory or exclusive campus environment as well as
38 any hateful speech, especially that which is founded on the basis of gender, ethnic origin,
39 religion, race, disability or sexual orientation.
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41 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of
42 this resolution shall be sent to Black Student Union President Bryan Davis, Hispanic
43 American Leadership Organization President Israel Mendoza, Asian American Student
44 Union President Jackie Huynh, Native American Student Association President Tonja
45 Wright, Muslim Students Association President Sajid Rahman, Sexuality and Gender
46 Alliance President Holly Nelson, Gender Collective Officer Sam Sharpe, Feminists
47 Igniting Resistance and Empowerment President Chelsea Turner, American Ethnic
48 Studies Student Association President Alonso Peña, College Republicans President
49 Taylor Latham, Young Democrats President Jonah Hall, International Student and
50 Scholar Programs Director Sara Thurston, Broad Spectrum Veterinary Medicine
51 President Stephanie Skinner, Student Access Center Director Jason Maseberg-Tomlinson,
52 Association of Residence Halls President Brandon Jansen, LGBT Resource Center
53 Coordinator Brandon Haddock, Faculty Senate President Andrew Bennett, University
54 Support Staff President Carol Marden, Interim Associate Provost for Diversity Dr. Zelia
55 Wiley, Vice President of Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Office of
56 Fraternity and Sorority Life Director Ben Hopper and President Richard B. Myers.

1 **BILL 16/17/52**

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS**
3 **STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING**
4 **ASSOCIATION STATUTES CONCERNING**
5 **DEFINITION OF WAGES**

6 **BY:** Anna Jackson

7
8 **WHEREAS,** Chapter 25 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes (KSU
9 SGA) states that hourly wage is \$7.25;

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11 **WHEREAS,** Chapter 27 of the KSU SGA Statutes states that wage is minimum wage; and

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13 **WHEREAS,** KSU SGA's statutes should be consistent and accurate.

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15 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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17 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 25, Section 02, Subsection 05 of the Kansas State University Student Governing
18 Association Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

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20 **25-0205** Wages are calculated *as at \$7.25 per hour federal minimum wage.*

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22 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student
23 Body President.

BILL 16/17/53 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT
GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE
RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

BY: Stephen Kucera

WHEREAS, The Speaker Pro Tempore has historically served as a voting member on the Faculty
Senate Committee – Faculty Affairs;

WHEREAS, The Faculty Affairs committee routinely discusses issues relating to faculty, improving
the quality of teaching and the most effective methods for collection of student feedback
on classroom instruction;

WHEREAS, The committee traditionally meets every-other week; and

WHEREAS, It is important for the governing documents of the Kansas State University Student
Governing Association to reflect the expectations and time commitments of its officers.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1: Article IV, Section 3, Subsection B of the Kansas State University Student Governing
Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

- B. Duties of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate shall include:
1. Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the Speaker's
absence or at the Speaker's request.
 2. Coordinate the Student Senate open period speakers.
 3. Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.
 4. Oversee the College Caucus system.
 5. Plan and organize annual KSU SGA diversity training sessions.
 6. *Serve on the Faculty Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate with voting rights.*

SECTION 2: This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student
Body President.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Kansas State
7 University's (KSU) Wildlife and Outdoor Enterprise Management Club (WOEM);
89 **WHEREAS,** WOEM will be taking 20-25 members to the National Wild Turkey Federation 41st
10 National Convention in Nashville, TN;
1112 **WHEREAS,** KSU's WOEM program is the only one of its kind in the nation and is not well known;
1314 **WHEREAS,** Attending the convention will give the program more visibility, granting those who
15 attend possible job and internship opportunities in the future;
1617 **WHEREAS,** At the convention the students in attendance will hear from the owner of the Chattokee
18 Lodge. The owner will provide real world experience about how to own and operate a
19 hunting and fishing lodge; and
2021 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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23 Project 1 – National Wild Turkey Federation National Convention; Nashville, Tenn.; Feb.
24 12th-19th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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30 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**31
32 **SECTION 1.** The Wildlife and Outdoor Enterprise Management Club shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for
33 the event described.
3435 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1223CC of the
37 Wildlife and Outdoor Enterprise Management Club.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The university allocations committee received and reviewed the request of The Burrow, a
7 Chapter of the Harry Potter Alliance;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Burrow is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting social justice and
10 literacy, is planning to attend the Granger Leadership Academy National Conference;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The conference has the purpose to build leadership skills through keynote speakers and
13 interactive programming with others from across the nation;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Burrow officers can utilize the conference to strengthen communication skills and
16 planning strategies to better serve the Kansas State University (K-State) Chapter and the
17 K-State community; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2021 Project 1 – Travel; March 9th-12th, 2017; St. Louis, Mo..
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>LSE</u>	\$500	\$500
TOTAL	\$500	\$500

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27 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** The Harry Potter Alliance shall be allocated \$500 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0491CW of the
33 Harry Potter Alliance.
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1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/35**

2 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
3 **DISAPPROVAL OF KANSAS CAMPUS**
4 **CONCEALED CARRY POLICY**
5

6 **BY:** The Governmental Relations Committee, Jack Ayres, Trenton Kennedy, Jessica
7 Van Ranken and Bryan Swartz
8

9 **WHEREAS,** According to the Kansas State University(KSU) Constitution Article IV, it is the
10 duty of the student body president and vice president to “represent and protect the
11 rights and interests of the student body;”
12

13 **WHEREAS,** The members of the KSU Student Governing Association (SGA) are concerned
14 about the safety of students, faculty, and staff;
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16 **WHEREAS,** The Docking Institute of Public Affairs at Fort Hays State University conducted a
17 stratified poll of the Kansas Board of Regents universities;
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19 **WHEREAS,** The stratified poll was sent to all 24,113 students of KSU, garnering a response
20 rate of 32 percent;
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22 **WHEREAS,** Sixty-two percent of KSU surveyed stated that they want the Kansas Legislature
23 to amend K.S.A 75 so that the concealed carry of firearms are not allowed on
24 campus;
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26 **WHEREAS,** Fifty-seven percent of KSU students surveyed responded that they would feel less
27 safe with concealed carry on campus;
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29 **WHEREAS,** Sixty percent of KSU students surveyed responded they want to prohibit all guns
30 in buildings other than residence halls and sporting events;
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32 **WHEREAS,** The stratified poll was sent to all 6,348 faculty support staff employees of KSU,
33 garnering a response rate of 52.6 percent;
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35 **WHEREAS,** Sixty-five percent of KSU faculty and staff surveyed stated that they want the
36 Kansas Legislature to amend K.S.A 75 so faculty cannot carry guns in
37 classrooms;
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39 **WHEREAS,** Seventy-nine percent of KSU faculty and staff surveyed stated that they want the
40 Kansas Legislature to amend K.S.A 75 so students cannot carry guns in
41 classrooms;
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43 **WHEREAS,** Eighty-one percent of KSU faculty and staff surveyed stated that they want the
44 Kansas Legislature to amend K.S.A 75 so visitors cannot carry guns in
45 classrooms;
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47 **WHEREAS,** Sixty-three percent of KSU faculty and staff surveyed stated that they want the
48 Kansas Legislature to amend the law so guns are not allowed in campus
49 buildings;

WHEREAS, Sixty-three percent of KSU faculty and staff surveyed responded they would feel less safe with concealed carry allowed in campus buildings;

WHEREAS, Due to the recent cuts to the University operating budget as enacted by the Governor, the cost of adequate security measures such as metal detectors and security personnel would constitute an undue strain on the University operating budget;

WHEREAS, Of the thirty-two states that currently permit weapons on campus, twenty-four allow institutions of higher education to determine if and where concealed weapons may be carried on their campuses; and

WHEREAS, KSU President General Richard B. Meyers has reiterated his disapproval of the campus carry section of K.S.A 75 and his belief that “concealed carry on a university campus is contrary to the mission of that particular enterprise”.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) supports amendments to K.S.A 75 in the 2017 legislative session.

SECTION 2. KSU SGA hereby supports a specific amendment to K.S.A 75 allowing the CEO’s of Regents universities to individually determine the weapons policies of their own universities as it relates to concealed carry of firearms.

SECTION 3. Upon passage of this bill by the student Senate and signature of the student body President, this resolution shall be sent to Chairman of the House Education Committee Clay Aurand, Chairwoman of the Senate Education Committee Molly Baumgardner, Chairman of the House Federal and State Affairs Committee John Barker, Chairman of the Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee Jacob LaTurner, Governor of the State of Kansas Sam Brownback, Dean of Student Life Dr. Pat Bosco, Provost and Senior Vice President April C. Mason, University President Richard B. Myers, Chairwoman of the Kansas Board of Regents Zoe Newton, University Director of Governmental Relations Sue Peterson, Vice President of Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, University Chief of Police Ronnie Grice, University Faculty Senate President Andrew Bennett, and University Support Staff Senate President Carol Marden

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE**
3 **UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **BY-LAWS CONCERNING STUDENT SENATE INTERN**
5 **COMMITTEE PLACEMENT FOR THE 2016-2017 TERM**

6 **BY:** Jack Ayres and Jordan Kiehl

7
8 **WHEREAS,** Student Governing Association (SGA) Student Senate Interns are voting members
9 of standing committees;

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11 **WHEREAS,** Current SGA By-Laws allow three Interns to serve on Privilege Fee Standing
12 Committee, University Allocations Standing Committee and College Allocations
13 Standing Committee and two Interns to serve on Senate Operations Standing
14 Committee;

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16 **WHEREAS,** Aforementioned caps force seven interns to serve on Student Engagement
17 Standing Committee and Governmental Relations Standing Committee;

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19 **WHEREAS,** To avoid the aforementioned issue, Interns were placed evenly on committees
20 following the end of their committee rotations according to interest and
21 availability;

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23 **WHEREAS,** The number of Interns placed on College Allocations Standing Committee,
24 Student Engagement Standing Committee and Governmental Relations Standing
25 Committee are in accordance with the By-Laws;

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27 **WHEREAS,** The number of interns placed on Privilege Fee Standing Committee, University
28 Allocations Committee and the Senate Operations Committee exceeds the number
29 of Interns specified in the By-Laws;

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31 **WHEREAS,** The Student Senate Interns were promised voting rights when first applying to the
32 program and they will be present for all future discussion required to make an
33 informed vote;

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35 **WHEREAS,** The proposed increases still maintain that elected members hold the highest vote
36 share in every standing committee; and

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38 **WHEREAS,** This problem will be avoided in the future due to changes to the Intern Program
39 and respective legislative changes in regards Intern voting rights.

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41 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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43 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section F, of the Kansas State University Student
44 Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
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1. University Allocations Standing Committee shall consist of ~~fifteen~~ 16 voting members, and the Chair of University Allocations Standing Committee who shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be eight members, not including the Chair of University Allocations Committee.
2. Membership.
 - a. University Allocations Standing Committee Chair appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate, who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
 - b. Nine Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with University Allocations Standing Committee Chair.
 - c. Three students-at-large, appointed by the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
 - d. Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the University Allocations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the University Allocations Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
 - e. ~~Three~~ Four Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in consultation with the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair.

SECTION 2. Article IV, Section 9, sub-section H, of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

1. Privilege Fee Standing Committee shall consist of ~~15~~ 16 voting members, and the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, who shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair.
2. Membership.
 - a. Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
 - b. Nine Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in consultation with the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair.
 - c. Three students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.

- 87 d. Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee shall elect
88 a Vice Chair of the Privilege Fee Standing Committee. This
89 appointment is subject to the approval of the Privilege Fee Standing
90 Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Privilege
91 Fee Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be
92 responsible for the minutes of the committee.
93 ~~e. Three~~ *Four* Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern
94 Coordinator in consultation with the Privilege Fee Standing
95 Committee Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.
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97 **SECTION 3.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section I, of the Kansas State University Student
98 Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
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- 100 1. Senate Operations Standing Committee shall consist of ~~nine~~ *eleven* voting
101 members, and the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, who shall
102 vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the
103 committee members then selected and qualified, not including the Senate
104 Operations Chair.
105 2. Membership.
106 a. Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of
107 the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the
108 Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be
109 subject to the approval of Student Senate.
110 b. Student Senate Parliamentarian, who shall have voting privileges in the
111 committee.
112 c. Six Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in
113 consultation with the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair. Of
114 these members, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the Senate
115 Operations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the
116 approval of the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice
117 Chair shall chair the Senate Operations Standing Committee in the
118 absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the
119 committee.
120 ~~d. Two~~ *Four* Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in
121 consultation with the present Senate Operations Standing Committee
122 Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.
123

124 **SECTION 4.** Upon passage by the Student Senate, this bill shall take effect immediately but
125 shall be ineffective following the end of the 2016-2017 term.
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2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS**
3 **STATE UNIVERSITY**
4 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
5 **BY-LAWS CONCERNING STUDENT SENATE INTERN**
6 **VOTING RIGHTS**

7 **BY:** Jack Ayres and Jordan Kiehl

8
9 **WHEREAS,** Student Governing Association (SGA) Student Senate Interns are voting members
10 of standing committees;

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12 **WHEREAS,** In order to allow Interns to experience and learn about all six SGA standing
13 committees, the intern coordinator shall coordinate a rotation schedule in which
14 each Intern will serve on each standing committee for a period of time throughout
15 the term; and

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17 **WHEREAS,** Due to the fact that Interns will not serve on the same committee throughout the
18 term, they will not be present for all discussion required to form an informed vote.
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20 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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22 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby
23 amended to read as follows:

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25 C. Interns shall be assigned ~~by~~ *at the discretion of* the Senate Intern Coordinator
26 *in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate* to serve on Student Senate
27 standing committees as *non*-voting committee members.
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29 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section F, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby
30 amended to read as follows:

- 31
32 1. University Allocations Standing Committee shall consist of ~~fifteen~~ 12 voting
33 members, *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-*
34 *section C of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-*
35 *Laws* and the Chair of University Allocations Standing Committee who shall
36 vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the
37 committee members then selected and qualified, not including the University
38 Allocations Standing Committee Chair.
39 2. Membership.
40 a. University Allocations Standing Committee Chair appointed by the
41 Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro
42 tempore of the Student Senate, who shall chair the committee. The
43 appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
44 b. Nine Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate
45 in consultation with University Allocations Standing Committee Chair.

- c. Three students-at-large, appointed by the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
- d. Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the University Allocations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the University Allocations Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
- e. ~~Three Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in consultation with the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair.~~

SECTION 3. Article IV, Section 9, sub-section G, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

1. College Allocations Standing Committee shall consist of ~~45~~ 12 members, *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C of the Kansas State University Student Governing KSU SGA By-Laws* and the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair who shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair.

2. Membership.

- a. College Allocations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate, who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- b. Seven Student Senators, no more than two of whom may be representatives of a single College, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in consultation with the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair.
- c. Five students-at-large, no more than one of whom may be a representative of a single College, appointed by the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
- d. Of these Student Senators and students-at-large, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the College Allocations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair the College Allocations Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
- e. Of these Student Senators and students-at-large, each Academic College must be represented.

90 f. ~~Three Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
91 ~~consultation with the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair.~~
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94 **SECTION 4.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section H, of the Kansas State University Student
95 Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
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- 97 1. Privilege Fee Standing Committee shall consist of ~~15~~ 12 voting members,
98 *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C of*
99 *the KSU SGA By-Laws* and the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, who
100 shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority
101 of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the
102 Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair.
103 2. Membership.
104 a. Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of
105 the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the
106 Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall
107 be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
108 b. Nine Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student
109 Senate, in consultation with the Privilege Fee Standing Committee
110 Chair.
111 c. Three students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in
112 consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have
113 voting privileges on the committee.
114 d. Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee shall elect
115 a Vice Chair of the Privilege Fee Standing Committee. This
116 appointment is subject to the approval of the Privilege Fee Standing
117 Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Privilege
118 Fee Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be
119 responsible for the minutes of the committee.
120 e. ~~Three Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
121 ~~consultation with the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, who~~
122 ~~shall have voting privileges on the committee.~~
123

124 **SECTION 5.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section I, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby amended
125 to read as follows:
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- 127 1. Senate Operations Standing Committee shall consist of ~~nine~~ seven voting
128 members, *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-*
129 *section C of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-*
130 *Laws* and the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, who shall vote
131 only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the
132 committee members then selected and qualified, not including the Senate
133 Operations Chair.

134 2. Membership.

- 135 a. Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the
136 Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro
137 tempore of the Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The
138 appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- 139 b. Student Senate Parliamentarian, who shall have voting privileges in
140 the committee.
- 141 c. Six Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate,
142 in consultation with the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair.
143 Of these members, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the
144 Senate Operations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to
145 the approval of the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair. The
146 Vice Chair shall chair the Senate Operations Standing Committee in
147 the absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the
148 committee.
- 149 ~~d. Two Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
150 ~~consultation with the present Senate Operations Standing Committee~~
151 ~~Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.~~

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154 **SECTION 6.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section J, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby amended
155 to read as follows:

- 156
157 1. Governmental Relations Standing Committee shall consist of at least 13
158 members and the Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair, who
159 shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority
160 of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the
161 Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair.
- 162 2. Membership.
- 163 a. Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the
164 Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro
165 tempore of the Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The
166 appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- 167 b. Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in
168 consultation with the Governmental Relations Committee Chair.
- 169 c. Local Relations Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet, who
170 shall be a voting member of the committee.
- 171 d. State Relations Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet, who
172 shall be a voting member of the committee.
- 173 e. Two students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in
174 consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have
175 voting privileges on the committee.

- 176 f. Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee shall elect
177 a Vice Chair of the Governmental Relations Standing Committee. This
178 appointment is subject to the approval of the Governmental Relations
179 Standing Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the
180 Governmental Relations Standing Committee in the absence of the
181 Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
182 g. ~~Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
183 ~~consultation with the Governmental Relations Standing Committee~~
184 ~~Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.~~
185 *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-section*
186 *C of the KSU SGA By-Laws who shall serve as non-voting members*
187

188 **SECTION 7.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section K, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby
189 amended to read as follows:

- 190 1. Student Engagement Standing Committee shall consist of 13 voting members
191 and the Student Engagement Standing Committee Chair, who shall vote only
192 to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee
193 members then selected and qualified, not including the Student Engagement
194 Standing Committee Chair.
195 2. Membership.
196 a. The Student Engagement Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker
197 of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of
198 the Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment
199 shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
200 b. Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in
201 consultation with the Student Engagement Committee Chair.
202 c. Two students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in
203 consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have
204 voting privileges on the committee.
205 d. Of the Student Senators and students-at-large, the committee shall
206 elect a Vice Chair of the Student Engagement Standing Committee.
207 This appointment is subject to the approval of the Student Engagement
208 Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Student
209 Engagement Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall
210 be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
211 e. Director of Public Relations of the Student Body President's Cabinet
212 who shall have a vote in committee.
213 f. Other members of the executive branch whose position deals with
214 issues related to the committee, who shall serve as ex-officio members.
215 g. ~~Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
216 ~~consultation with the Student Engagement Committee, who shall have~~
217 ~~voting privileges on the committee.~~ *Student Senate Interns according*
218 *to Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C of the Kansas State University*

219 *Student Governing Association By-Laws who shall serve as non-voting*
220 *members.*

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222 **SECTION 8.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section L, of the Kansas State University Student
223 Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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225 1. Membership.

- 226 a. The KSU SGA Treasurer, who will be elected to their position by the
227 student body in a campus wide election similar to that of the Student
228 Body President and be subject to the approval of Student Senate, shall
229 serve as the chair of this committee.
- 230 b. Seven Student Senators, no more than two of whom may be
231 representatives of a single College, appointed by the Speaker of the
232 Student Senate, in consultation with the KSU SGA Treasurer.
- 233 c. Three students-at-large ~~and three Student Senate interns~~, no more than
234 one of whom may be a representative of a single college, ~~with at-large~~
235 ~~members~~ appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in
236 consultation with the KSU SGA Treasurer ~~and Student Senate interns~~
237 ~~appointed by the Intern Coordinator in consultation with the SGA~~
238 ~~Treasurer.~~
- 239 d. *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-section*
240 *C of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-*
241 *Laws who shall serve as non-voting members*
- 242 e. Of these members, a Vice Chair shall be elected to serve in the
243 absence of the KSU SGA Treasurer and take minutes for the
244 committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the KSU
245 SGA Treasurer.
- 246 f. Of these members, an attempt must be made to have each
247 undergraduate academic college represented.
- 248 g. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee
249 members then selected and qualified, not including the KSU SGA
250 Treasurer.

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252 **SECTION 9.** Upon passage by the Student Senate, this bill shall take effect in the 2017-2018
253 term.

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4 **BY:** Andrew Peuchen and Wyatt Pracht

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6 **WHEREAS,** In preparation for the transition from the University Allocations Committee to the
7 Academic Competition Team Standing Committee allocating the funds for these teams
8 the Special Committee on Academic Competition Team Funding committee will disperse
9 the funds;

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11 **WHEREAS,** The committee shall have seven student senators, three students-at-large and three
12 Student Governing Association (SGA) interns;

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14 **WHEREAS,** In the 2017-2018 SGA term the new Treasurer position will chair the committee in
15 charge of overseeing academic competition teams; and

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17 **WHEREAS,** To help with this transition, the Special Committee on Academic Competition team
18 funding will work to ensure a smooth transition.

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20 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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22 **SECTION 1.** There is hereby established the Special Committee on Academic Competition Team
23 funding.

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25 **SECTION 2.** The special Committee on Academic Competition Team Funding will consist of the
26 following voting members:

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28 Dean Klahr
29 Catherine Gutman
30 Mary Sabatini
31 Will Orth
32 Makinzie Alamo
33 Megan Heyen
34 Jake McIntire
35 Timothy Kohtz
36 Abigail Horn
37 Justin Schmutz
38 Jessica Garcia
39 Faith Tuttle
40 Ryan Mersmann

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42 **SECTION 4.** The Special Committee on Academic Competition Team Funding shall be co-chaired by
43 the following members who will cast a single vote to break a tie:

44
45 Andrew Peuchen
46 Wyatt Pracht

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48 **SECTION 5.** The Special Committee on Academic Competition team funding shall dissolve at the
49 completion of the 2016-2017 senate term.

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51 **SECTION 6.** The committee shall submit its funding report with recommendations to student senate by
52 Mar. 31st, 2017, for the benefit of the entire Student Senate.
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54 **SECTION 7.** This legislation shall take effect upon passage of Student Senate and signed by the
55 Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE**
3 **UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING**
4 **ASSOCIATION STATUTES CONCERNING**
5 **THE BALANCE OF THE BOND SURPLUS**
6 **ACCOUNT**

7 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee

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9 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) is required to
10 collect 125% of the value of the scheduled bond payments to cover unexpected changes
11 in enrollment and still cover our obligations;

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13 **WHEREAS,** The surplus revenue collected beyond the bond payments is deposited in the Bond
14 Surplus Account;

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16 **WHEREAS,** Bond Surplus Funds have been used on many projects to increase the quality of student
17 life on this campus;

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19 **WHEREAS,** The usage of Bond Surplus Funds require Student Senate approval;

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21 **WHEREAS,** SGA has had significant say in the use of the funds historically; and

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23 **WHEREAS,** It is crucial that a portion of these funds be set aside for future uses, as deemed necessary
24 by future student government leaders.

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26 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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28 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 7, Section 7 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
29 Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

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31 **30-07** ***Use of Bond Surplus Funds***

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33 30-0701 The Vice-President for Administration and Finance shall collaborate with the Student
34 Body President, Speaker of the Senate, and Privilege Fee Chair to develop special project
35 proposals.

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37 30-0702 Once the Vice-President for Administration and Finance's proposals are complete, they
38 shall be submitted for review to the Campus Privilege Fee Committee.

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40 30-0703 The following shall be the criteria to judge whether the requested proposal should use
41 student funds:

- 42 A. Impact on Student Life
- 43 B. Contribution to long range goals of Kansas State University
- 44 C. Value to campus

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46 30-0704 The Vice President for Administration and Finance shall provide a Bond Surplus
47 proposal to the Privilege Fee Committee containing the following information:

- 48 A. A justification of the fee and the benefits to the student body
- 49 B. The request and justification for the level of its fee
- 50 C. Any alternative methods of raising funds for proposal
- 51 D. Any additional information requested by the Privilege Fee Committee

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53 30-0705 The Campus Privilege Fee Committee shall review and approve any such proposals.

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55 30-0706 ~~The total money allocated in a given year to a specific privilege fee entity through the use~~
56 ~~of bond surplus funds, may not be greater than 50% of the anticipated annual bond~~

~~surplus funds generated by that privilege fee entity. One year exceptions can be made in the case of specific allocations as approved by a majority vote of the Student Senate.~~
Allocations out of the Bond Surplus Account shall not reduce the balance of the account to less than 50% of the annual debt service for bonds supported by the campus privilege fees.

30-0707 Proposals shall then be submitted to Student Senate for review in the form of a resolution. Resolutions must pass by a majority vote and obtain signatures from the Student Body President; Privilege Fee Chair; Student Senate Speaker; Vice-President for Student Life; and Vice-President for Administration and Finance.

SECTION 2. These amendments shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the
7 Vietnamese Student Association;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Vietnamese Student Association is a multicultural organization on campus that aims
10 to promote and share the Vietnamese culture;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The Vietnamese Student Association is hosting its third annual Vietnamese Lunar New
13 Year's Festival, which helps spread Vietnamese culture on campus to students, faculty
14 and the community; and
1516 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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18 Project 1 – Vietnamese Lunar New Year's Festival; Feb. 4, 2017; Kansas State University
19 Grand Ballroom
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotions	\$200.00	\$200.00
Rent of Space	\$140.00	\$140.00
<u>LSE</u>	<u>\$1,003.69</u>	<u>\$1,003.69</u>
TOTAL	\$1,343.69	\$1,343.69

2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**28
29 **SECTION 1.** The Vietnamese Student Association shall be allocated \$1,343.69 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1194CW of the
33 Vietnamese Student Association.

BY: University Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Sexuality and Gender Alliance (SAGA);

WHEREAS, The Sexuality and Gender Alliance is an organization that promotes diversity and awareness of LGBTQIA+ issues;

WHEREAS, SAGA will be attending the annual Midwest, Bisexual, Lesbian, Gay, Transgender, and Ally College Conference (MBLGTACC) at Navy Pier in Chicago Ill;

WHEREAS, MBLGTACC offers students workshops, forums, panels, and educational opportunities to expand their understanding of diversity and inclusion so that they might better address issues within the LGBTQ community and every intersecting identity within that community including race, ethnicity, and religious practice, and;

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – Travel; Feb. 16th-19th, 2017; Navy Pier, Chicago, Ill.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Sexuality and Gender Alliance shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0062CW of Sexuality and Gender Alliance.

5 **BY:** University Allocations Committee6
7 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request from the
8 Kansas State University Qualitative Research Student Organization;
910 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University Qualitative Research Student Organization is a group on campus
11 interested in explaining research through storytelling that quantitative research data,
12 cannot portray;
1314 **WHEREAS,** The organization will be hosting Dr. Melisa Cahnman-Taylor, the author of newly-
15 released book of poems, *Imperfect Tense* which focuses on social justice issues;
1617 **WHEREAS,** The event will provide a safe environment that is expected to spark proactive
18 conversation that connects people to ideas and concepts that elevate social justice
19 conscious; and
2021 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2223 Project 1 – Writing the “Not Me”: Drama and Poetry in Qualitative Inquiry: February 1,
24 2017; Bluemont Hall.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
LSE	\$4,480.00	\$3,500.00
TOTAL	\$4,480.00	\$3,500.00

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30 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**31
32 **SECTION 1.** Kansas State University Qualitative Research Student Organization shall be allocated
33 \$3,500.00 for the event described.
3435 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1303CW of Kansas
37 State University Qualitative Research Student Organization.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the
7 International Tuba and Euphonium Association (ITEA);
89 **WHEREAS,** ITEA would like to host a Norwegian musician, who will bring a new perspective on
10 what music means to different cultures;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Oystein Baadsvik, a world-renown soloist on tuba, will perform a concert in All Faiths
13 Chapel on Apr. 5th, 2017 at 7:30 PM and will be a master class for anyone to attend at
14 11:30 AM in Kirmser Hall on Apr. 5th, 2017;
1516 **WHEREAS,** Oystein Baadsvik is known for his master classes, performances and tuba clinics which
17 are frequently held in numerous universities throughout the United States;
1819 **WHEREAS,** All events will have free admission and open to the everyone; and
2021 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2223 Project 1 – Tuba Concert and Master Class; Apr. 5th, 2017; All Faiths Chapel & Kirmser
24 Hall.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>LSE</u>	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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29 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**30
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32 **SECTION 1.** The International Tuba and Euphonium Association shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the
33 event described.
3435 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0568FA of the
37 International Tuba and Euphonium Association.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the funding request from
7 American Choral Directors Association (ACDA);
89 **WHEREAS,** ACDA will be taking five members on Mar. 7th-12th to Minneapolis, Minn. to attend the
10 National ACDA Convention;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The National ACDA Convention provides learning experiences and networking through
13 educational lectures for the ambassadors that attend. Members that attend this conference
14 gain valuable information and tools to use in their future music classrooms, and they can
15 share this information with those that chose not to attend the conference.;
1617 **WHEREAS,** This conference includes both workshops, honor choirs, education labs, and concerts.
18 ACDA will gather valuable information pertaining to the field of music education to
19 bring back to the students at Kansas State University. The sessions offered at this
20 conference will be led by some of the top music educators in the country and members
21 will have to opportunity to network with other educators and students attending the
22 conference as well.
2324 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards their travel costs and conference registration.25
26 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:27
28 Project 1 – ACDA National Conference, March 7th-12th; Minneapolis, Minn.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,800.00	\$500.00
TOTAL	\$,1800.00	\$500.00

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33 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3435 **SECTION 1.** American Choral Directors Association (ACDA) shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event
36 described.
3738 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
39 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0071FA of the
40 ACDA.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Alpha Kappa Psi Association (AKP);

WHEREAS, AKP will be taking 30 members Feb. 10th - 12th to Chicago Ill. for the Alpha Kappa Psi National Convention, Principles of Business Leadership (PBL)- a conference intended to accelerate the student's business leadership skills;

WHEREAS, This will benefit the Kansas State University (K-State) student body as AKP is recognized as the premier developer of principled business leaders. Through this PBL learning trip, they will be able to pass on their leadership to their peers, be a resource for their own endeavors and have a positive impact on the K-State Family;

WHEREAS, The sessions attended by students at the conference contain material that they will implement into K-State community in order to become better leaders on campus, as well as teach others how to become great leaders;

WHEREAS, The allocation will go towards registration, travel and lodging expenses; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – Alpha Kappa Psi National Convention; Chicago, Ill.; Feb. 10th-12th.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Alpha Kappa Psi shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0044CC of Alpha Kappa Psi.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Institute
7 of Industrial Systems Engineers (IISE);
89 **WHEREAS,** IISE will be taking 30 members March 2nd- March 5th to Texas Tech University
10 (Lubbock, TX) for the Regional Institute of Industrial Systems Engineers conference, a
11 conference intended to make Kansas State University more present in the Industrial
12 Engineering community;
1314 **WHEREAS,** Students who will attend will bring back concepts gained from the workshops and panels
15 provided at the conference and present them to students who are unable to attend. By
16 attending the conference, K-State students are able to network with companies that don't
17 normally recruit at K-State. This helps the industrial engineering department to build
18 relationships with more companies which opens up more job opportunities for students;
1920 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by students at the conference contain material that they will
21 implement into K-State community by showing students different opportunities within
22 industrial engineering that can help them find their passion; and
2324 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:25
26 Project 1 – Regional ITSE; Lubbock, TX; Mar. 2nd – Mar. 5th.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$2,700.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$2,700.00	\$1,000.00

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3132 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3334 **SECTION 1.** Institute of Industrial Systems Engineer (ILSE) shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event
35 described.
3637 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
38 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0546CC of IISE.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Student Finance Association.

WHEREAS, Student Finance Association will be taking 20 students to the Berkshire Hathaway Headquarters in Omaha, Neb. from Feb. 16th - 17th, 2017;

WHEREAS, The students in attendance will be able to engage in a question and answer with Warren Buffet about career, educational, and life advice. K-State is only one of two undergraduate programs invited and will be able to bring back valuable advice to approximately 75 Student Finance Members;

WHEREAS, The group will participate in tours of the Berkshire Hathaway companies Oriental Trading, Nebraska Furniture Mart, and Borsheims. This will allow the students to network and bring back information about the companies to the students at K-State; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – Berkshire Hathaway Headquarters Visit; Omaha, Neb. Feb. 16th - 17th, 2017,

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Student Finance Association shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1049CC of the organization registered as the Student Finance Association.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of National
7 Association for Music Education;8
9 **WHEREAS,** National Association for Music Education will be taking 20 members to Kansas Music
10 Education Association (KMEA)'s In-Service Workshop at Century II Performing Arts &
11 Convention Center in Wichita, Kan.;12
13 **WHEREAS,** Students are provided with the opportunity to interact with professionals in the field and
14 attend clinics where they will learn valuable knowledge about music education advocacy,
15 lesson plans, composition, and research; and16
17 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:18
19 Project 1 – Travel; February 23-25, 2017; Wichita, Kan.20
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Item 1	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2425 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**26
27 **SECTION 1.** National Association for Music Education shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event
28 described.29
30 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
31 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0753CC of the
32 National Association for Music Education.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the allocations requests of the
7 various college councils or their respective Open House organizations;
89 **WHEREAS,** All colleges were given ample opportunity and notification of their ability to submit
10 requests for the 2017 Open House;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received seven requests for funding of the eight
13 possible requesting entities;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Open House budget is \$10,025.00 per year and is to be dispersed among all requests;
16 and
1718 **WHEREAS,** All funds must be used per the funding guidelines outlined in the statutes and have been
19 allocated accordingly.
2021 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2223 **SECTION 1.** The following organizations shall receive funding from the FY 2017 Open House budget:
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	<u>Recommendation</u>
College of Agriculture Ambassadors	\$800.00
SCASLA	\$146.00
Arts and Sciences Ambassadors	\$1,550.00
College of Business Student Advisory Council	\$1,947.00
College of Education Student Council	\$2,300.00
Steel Ring	\$1,600.00
College of Human Ecology College Council	\$1,682.00
TOTAL	\$10,025.00

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3536 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the respective accounts of each
38 organization listed in Section 1.
3940 **SECTION 3.** Any unspent funds shall automatically revert back to the Reserve for Contingencies
41 Account, NISACONRSV.
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KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

JANUARY 26, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 55 senators and 25 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Klahr
Senator Flores

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Brown
Senator Crowder
Senator Gray

OPEN PERIOD

Veterans Student Association

- Will be having elections at first meeting
 - Wednesday, February 1 at 5:30pm
- Mental health week is coming up
- Memorial Stadium Dedication coming up
 - Headed by Office of Military Affairs
- Fort Riley Day Baseball Game
- Got fourth overall in points at National Business Plan Competition
- Voting for Student Veteran of the Year and Student Veteran Chapter of the Year will open up in several months

Mayor Usha Reddi

- Second time speaking to Senate this year
- Focusing on mental health

- Budget has a huge impact on mental health
- Feeling it in Manhattan
 - Have budgeted money to fund Pawnee Mental Health and an on call police officer
 - Two full time positions- three applications and only one person qualified
 - Are in need of two people to fill the position
- Kansas has not made it easy for someone to come and obtain a job in the state and in Manhattan, KS
- Have partnered up with Via Christi
- There will be a fundraiser called the Sweetheart Gala at 7:30pm on February 9th at the Houston Street Ballroom
 - Mayor Reddi gifted four free tickets to the Gala for Senate to distribute
- February 16 the city will discuss having a stabilization center
- Commissioners in Manhattan are dedicated to improving Mental Health facilities

Dr. Peggy Schmidt and Dr. Bonnie Rush – College of Veterinary Medicine

- Please see PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1165951/show>

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Andres

- Please see document here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1166242/show>

**Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to suspend the orders of the day to move the Director Reports
2/3 majority vote passed to move Director Reports**

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director Hurtig

- Introduced Strategic planning Committee
- Committee updated senate on current status of health and wellness planning

Director Baalman

- Mental Wellness cabinet member
- Have been partnering with many organizations on campus UPC, WellCat Ambassadors
- Date to help out with Mental Wellness Week
 - April 3-8
 - Will consist of different activities on campus each day from 11-1
 - Speaker on Tuesday
 - Panel on Thursday
 - Out of the Darkness walk on Saturday morning- Same day of old stadium dedication

- (potential)
- Volunteers are needed, Google Sheets Document to be sent out in the future

President Van Ranken

- Senate Bill 53 had a hearing in front of the Kansas Legislature
 - Exemption amongst post secondary institutions to refuse new gun laws
- President Van Ranken sent testimony regarding the Bill
 - Administered it to the Collegian so it will be public information soon
- Supporting permanent exemption of concealed carry on campuses
- Will be presenting to hopefully include 3 students as ex officio non voting members on Student Advisory Committee

Vice President Kennedy

- One senator *excluding* College of Engineering and College of Business to volunteer to be on SCTE Committee.
 - Meet Fridays at 3pm

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Thanked Senate for dressing in professional clothing
 - Noted that it is expensive to continue dressing professionally
 - Encouraged students to visit the Career Closet in the Berney Family Welcome Center for clothing Monday-Thursday from 12-4pm
- Wreath Laying at Martin Luther King, Jr. Bust January 25 at 2pm in Ahearn Field House

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/33 Commending Congressman Dr. Roger Marshall

Chair J. Peuchen moved we consider Resolution 16/17/33

Introduced by Intern Pittman

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to approve the resolution unanimously

Resolution 16/17/33 was approved unanimously

Resolution 16/17/34 Commendation to Dr. Thomas Schwartz

Chair J. Peuchen moved we consider Resolution 16/17/34

Introduced by Senator Montague

Senator Holder moved to approve the resolution unanimously

Resolution 16/17/34 was approved unanimously

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/32 Approval of Appointments To The Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements

Senator Valdez moved to consider Resolution 16/17/32

Introduced by Vice President Kennedy

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve Resolution 16/17/32 unanimously

Resolution 16/17/32 is approved unanimously

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair J. Peuchen

- Exciting things happening on Privilege Fee Committee
 - Dean Goetz of K-State Libraries and Wildcat Watch will present to Privilege Fee Committee
 - Meeting will be March 6th
 - Beginning review of recreation services and will have legislation coming soon

DISCUSSION

There was none.

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/29 Reaffirmation of K-State's Commitment to Diversity and Inclusion

Introduced by Intern Kelly

Positive Debate:

Intern Kelly

Negative Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen moved to pass Resolution 16/17/29 unanimously.

Bill 16/17/29 passes unanimously.

Bill 16/17/52 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning Definition Of Wages

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Positive Debate:

Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/52 passes by a vote of 52-0-0.

Bill 16/17/53 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By- Laws Concerning The Responsibilities Of The Speaker Pro Tempore

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Senator Pracht moved to sent Bill 16/17/53 back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/53 was unanimously sent back to the Executive Committee.

Bill 16/17/54 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Wildlife And Outdoor Enterprise Management Club

Introduced by Intern Garcia

Positive Debate:

Intern Garcia

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/54 passes by a vote of 54-0-0.

Bill 16/17/61 FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Kansas State University Qualitative Research Student Organization

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair A. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/61 passes by a vote of 50-4-0.

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/69 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To The Harry Potter Alliance

Senator Pracht moved to approve the Minor Allocations

The Minor Allocations were approve unanimously

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/35 Student Governing Association Disapproval Of Kansas Campus Concealed Carry Policy

Chair J. Peuchen moved we consider Resolution 16/17/35

Introduced by Bryan Swartz

Resolution 16/17/35 is referred back to the Governmental Relations Committee.

Bill 16/17/55 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By- Laws Concerning Student Senate Intern Committee

Placement For The 2016-2017 Term

Senator Sabatini moved we consider Bill 16/17/55
Senator Sabatini moved the author be allowed to summarize
Introduced by Intern Coordinator Kiehl

Bill 16/17/55 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/56 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By- Laws Concerning Student Senate Intern Voting Rights

Chair A. Peuchen moved we consider Bill 16/17/56
Senator Sabatini moved the author be allowed to summarize
Introduced by Intern Coordinator Kiehl

Bill 16/17/56 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/57 Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Academic Competition Team Funding

Senator Pracht moved we consider Bill 16/17/57
Intern Kallenberger moved that the author be allowed to summarize
Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Bill 16/17/57 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/58 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Balance Of The Bond Surplus Account

Senator Pracht moved we consider Bill 16/17/58
Senator Sabatini moved the author be allowed to summarize
Introduced by Senator Martin

Bill 16/17/58 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/59 FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Vietnamese Student Association

Senator Pracht moved we consider Bill 16/17/59
Senator Sabatini moved the author be allowed to summarize
Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Bill 16/17/59 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/60 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Sexuality And Gender Alliance

Chair Orth moved we consider Bill 16/17/60
Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to summarize all remaining Introductions of Legislation
Introduced by Senator McIntire

Bill 16/17/60 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

**Bill 16/17/61 FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Kansas State University
Qualitative Research Student Organization**

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved we consider Bill 16/17/61

Introduced by Senator Brenneman

Bill 16/17/61 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Chair A. Peuchen motioned to move Bill 16/17/61 into Final Action

Positive Debate:

Chair A. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/61 was unanimously special ordered into Final Action

**Bill 16/17/62 FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To International Tuba And
Euphonium Association**

Chair Orth moved we consider Bill 16/17/62

Introduced by Intern Moore

Bill 16/17/62 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/63 FY 2017 Travel Allocation American Choral L Directors Association

Senator Pracht moved we consider Bill 16/17/63

Introduced by Intern Moore

Bill 16/17/63 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/64 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Alpha Kappa Psi

Senator Pracht moved we consider Bill 16/17/64

Introduced by Intern Khoury

Bill 16/17/64 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/65 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Institute Of Industrial Systems Engineer

Chair Orth moved we consider Bill 16/17/65

Introduced by Intern Khoury

Bill 16/17/65 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/66 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Student Finance Association

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved we consider Bill 16/17/66

Introduced by Chair Orth

Bill 16/17/66 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

**Bill 16/17/67 FY 2017 Travel Allocation National Association for Music
Education**

Chair J. Peuchen moved we consider Bill 16/17/67

Introduced by Chair Orth

Bill 16/17/67 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/68 FY 2017 Allocation Of Open House Funds

Senator Grosdidier moved we consider Bill 16/17/68

Introduced by Chair Orth

Bill 16/17/68 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Chair Jackson

- Reminded Senate to see her or Parliamentarian with changes to legislation to speed the meeting along

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/35 is referred back to the Governmental Relations Committee

Bill 16/17/55 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/56 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/57 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/58 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/59 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/60 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/61 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/62 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/63 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/64 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/65 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/66 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/67 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/68 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 54 senators and 25 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Orth moved to adjourn until Thursday, February 2 at 7:00pm. Motion passes. Adjourned at 9:35pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Amy Button Renz – President, Alumni Association

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/37	Commendation To The Alpha Omega Chapter Of Alpha Kappa Psi
Resolution 16/17/38	Commendation to Senator Moran
Resolution 16/17/39	Commendation to Congresswoman Jenkins
Resolution 16/17/40	Commendation to Congressmen Yoder

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/41	Approval of New Student Senator
Resolution 16/17/43	Approval of New Student Senator
Resolution 16/17/44	Approval of New Student Senator

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/69	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To The Harry Potter Alliance
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FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/35	Resolution Recommending Amendments to K.S.A. 75 Regarding Kansas Campus Carry Policy
Bill 16/17/55	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Student Senate Intern Committee Placement For The 2016-2017 Term
Bill 16/17/56	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Student Senate Intern Voting Rights
Bill 16/17/57	Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On Academic Competition Team Funding
Bill 16/17/58	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Balance Of The Bond Surplus Account
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Bill 16/17/60	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Sexuality And Gender Alliance
Bill 16/17/62	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To International Tuba And Euphonium Association
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Bill 16/17/64	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Alpha Kappa Psi
Bill 16/17/65	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Institute Of Industrial Systems Engineer
Bill 16/17/66	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Student Finance Association
Bill 16/17/67	FY 2017 Travel Allocation National Association for Music Education
Bill 16/17/68	FY 2017 Allocation Of Open House Funds

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/42	Support Of Change To University Principles Of Community
Bill 16/17/70	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Pre-Veterinary Medicine Club
Bill 16/17/71	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Minorities In Agriculture Natural Resources And Related Sciences
Bill 16/17/72	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Alpha Gamma Rho

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. Proxies:

- Holder for Elliott

2. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5	6	7 TFSC – 6:00pm	8	9 Senate – 7pm	10	11
12	13	14 Primary elections start at noon.	15 Primary elections end at 6pm.	16 Senate – 7pm	17	18

“Human kindness has never weakened the stamina or softened the fiber of a free people. A nation does not have to be cruel to be tough.” – President Franklin D. Roosevelt

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 1-26-17:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1168186/show>

Executive Committee:

No meeting.

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1167827/show>

- Decisions were made to fund Alpha Gamma Rho and Minorities in Agriculture, Natural Resources, and Related Sciences (MANNRS).

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1167844/show>

- PRESENTATIONS BY THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY BLOCK AND BRIDLE AND THE MEAT SCIENCE ASSOCIATION.

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1169067/show>

- Brief presentation and overview of Recreational Services Privilege Fees
- Questions for Steve Martini about Recreational Services Privilege Fees

Senate Operations Committee:

Link:

Governmental Relations Committee:

Link:

Student Engagement Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1167791/show>

- We continued our dialogue for visiting groups to talk about the election process. Each team has dates and a preliminary game plan for what is going to be presented.

Diversity Programming Committee:

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

DIRECTOR'S REPORTS FOR THE WEEK

- Directors, please remember to fill this out so your report will show up on the agenda!

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/37**

2 **COMMENDATION TO THE ALPHA OMEGA**
3 **CHAPTER OF ALPHA KAPPA PSI**

4 **BY:** Sarah Niederee, Rachel Ogren, Patrick Kennedy, Kyle Fleming, Lucas Renz, Matt Wiese and
5 Will Orth
6

7 **WHEREAS,** Alpha Kappa Psi is a worldwide, co-ed business fraternity recognized as the premier developer of
8 principled business leaders;
9

10 **WHEREAS,** The Alpha Omega Chapter at Kansas State University is the oldest organization within the
11 College of Business, but is open to any major or student interested in business;
12

13 **WHEREAS,** Through leadership conferences, company tours, guest speakers and chapter operations, Alpha
14 Kappa Psi is focused on developing the business students of today and turning them into the
15 business leaders of tomorrow;
16

17 **WHEREAS,** The Alpha Omega Chapter is also involved within the Manhattan community with their
18 philanthropy, the Johnson Cancer Research Center, and partnering with the College of Business
19 and other organizations to increase their impact; and
20

21 **WHEREAS,** The Alpha Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi would like to recognize their newly initiated
22 members including Alex Carro, Alix Beexley, Anne Kenworthy, Blake Druecker, Brody Ackley,
23 Caleb Jurgensen, Clay Cabbage, Cody Legreca, Cole Dudgeon, Connor Wheatley, Drew Casper,
24 Elizabeth Lapham, Elizabeth Schrick, Francie Knackeldoffel, Grace Kinman, Haley Meyers,
25 Jaden Barthol Jenna Cleveland, Jessica Doshier, Jusitn Moser, Kayla McDougald, Kylee Rink,
26 Libby Kauffman, Lindsay Chassay, Lindsey Solida, Matthew Allen, Meg Fitzgerald, Molli
27 Miller, Mogan Krusoe, Morgan Tauscher, Nicole Biggins, Reagan Swank, Robert Caldwell, Ryan
28 Horn, Sally Swan, Seth Castinado, Sophia Gilliam and Trent Arnold.
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30 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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32 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates the
33 2016 Alpha Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi and their newly initiated members.
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35 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this
36 resolution be sent to College of Business Administration Dean Kevin Gwinner, Vice President for
37 Student life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, President Richard B. Myers, College of Business
38 Administration Recruiting Coordinator and The Alpha Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi
39 Advisor Blair Kocher and The Alpha Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/38**

COMMENDATION TO SENATOR MORAN

2
3 **BY:** Sarah Niederee, Trenton Kennedy, Annie Jewell, Jonathan Peuchen, James Krotz, Jack Ayres and
4 Governmental Relations Committee
5

6 **WHEREAS,** The 2016 Primary and General Election seasons constitute long and arduous processes, requiring
7 extraordinary commitments of time and energy of candidates on behalf of those constituents they
8 seek to represent;
9

10 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) has great respect and
11 gratitude for the members of the United States Congress for choosing to serve their states in this
12 capacity; and
13

14 **WHEREAS,** The members of the KSU SGA wish to recognize the hard work and dedication to servant
15 leadership shown by the newly reelected.
16

17 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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19 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates
20 Senator Jerry Moran on his successful campaign and wishes him success in his role as Senator for
21 the State of Kansas.
22

23 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this
24 resolution will be sent to Senator Jerry Moran.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/39**

2 **COMMENDATION TO**
3 **CONGRESSWOMAN JENKINS**

4 **BY:** Sarah Niederee, Trenton Kennedy, Annie Jewell, Jonathan Peuchen and Governmental Relations
5 Committee
6

7 **WHEREAS,** The 2016 Primary and General Election seasons constitute long and arduous processes, requiring
8 extraordinary commitments of time and energy of candidates on behalf of those constituents they
9 seek to represent;
10

11 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) has great respect and
12 gratitude for the members of the United States Congress for choosing to serve their states in this
13 capacity; and
14

15 **WHEREAS,** The members of the KSU SGA wish to recognize the hard work and dedication to servant
16 leadership shown by the newly reelected.
17

18 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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20 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates
21 Congresswoman Lynn Jenkins on her successful campaign and wishes her success in her role as
22 Congresswoman for the Kansas Second District.
23

24 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this
25 resolution will be sent to Congresswoman Lynn Jenkins.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/40**

COMMENDATION TO CONGRESSMAN YODER

2
3 **BY:** Sarah Niederee, Trenton Kennedy, Annie Jewell, Jonathan Peuchen, Jack Ayres and
4 Governmental Relations Committee
5

6 **WHEREAS,** The 2016 Primary and General Election seasons constitute long and arduous processes, requiring
7 extraordinary commitments of time and energy of candidates on behalf of those constituents they
8 seek to represent;
9

10 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) has great respect and
11 gratitude for the members of the United States Congress for choosing to serve their states in this
12 capacity; and
13

14 **WHEREAS,** The members of the KSU SGA wish to recognize the hard work and dedication to servant
15 leadership shown by the newly reelected.
16

17 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
18

19 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates
20 Congressman Kevin Yoder on his successful campaign and wishes him success in his role as
21 Congressman for the Kansas Third District.
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23 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this
24 resolution will be sent to Congressman Kevin Yoder.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/41**

APPROVAL OF NEW STUDENT SENATOR

2
3 **BY:** Senate Operations Committee

4
5 **WHEREAS,** Molly Bertz has chosen to resign the position of student senator for the College of
6 Agriculture; and

7
8 **WHEREAS,** Karl Wilhelm has the next highest vote total for the College of Agriculture.

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10 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** Karl Wilhelm be approved as a student senator for the College of Agriculture.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/43**

APPROVAL OF NEW STUDENT SENATOR

2
3 **BY:** Senate Operations Committee

4
5 **WHEREAS,** Kylie Andres has chosen to resign the position of student senator for the College of Arts
6 and Sciences; and

7
8 **WHEREAS,** Isaiah Solorzano has the next highest vote total for the College Arts and Sciences.

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10 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** Isaiah Solorzano be approved as a student senator for the College of Arts and Sciences.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/44**

APPROVAL OF NEW STUDENT SENATOR

2
3 **BY:** Senate Operations Committee
4

5 **WHEREAS,** Rachel Ogren has chosen to resign the position of student senator for the College of
6 Business Administration; and
7

8 **WHEREAS,** Joseph Pepoon has the next highest vote total for the College Business Administration.
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10 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
11

12 **SECTION 1.** Joseph Pepoon be approved as a student senator for the College of Business
13 Administration.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The university allocations committee received and reviewed the request of The Burrow, a
7 Chapter of the Harry Potter Alliance;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Burrow is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting social justice and
10 literacy, is planning to attend the Granger Leadership Academy National Conference;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The conference has the purpose to build leadership skills through keynote speakers and
13 interactive programming with others from across the nation;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Burrow officers can utilize the conference to strengthen communication skills and
16 planning strategies to better serve the Kansas State University (K-State) Chapter and the
17 K-State community; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2021 Project 1 – Travel; March 9th-12th, 2017; St. Louis, Mo.
22

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>LSE</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

26
27 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** The Harry Potter Alliance shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0491CW of the
33 Harry Potter Alliance.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/35**

**RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING
AMENDMENTS TO K.S.A 75
REGARDING KANSAS CAMPUS
CARRY POLICY**

6 **BY:** The Governmental Relations Committee, Jack Ayres, Trenton Kennedy, Jessica
7 Van Ranken, and Bryan Swartz

9 **WHEREAS,** According to the Kansas State University (KSU) Constitution Article IV, it is the
10 duty of the student body president and vice president to “represent and protect the
11 rights and interests of the student body”;

13 **WHEREAS,** The members of the KSU Student Governing Association (SGA) are concerned
14 about the safety of students, faculty, and staff;

16 **WHEREAS,** The Docking Institute of Public Affairs at Fort Hays State University conducted a
17 stratified poll of the Kansas Board of Regents universities;

19 **WHEREAS,** The stratified poll was sent to all 24,113 students of KSU, garnering a response
20 rate of thirty-two percent;

22 **WHEREAS,** Sixty-two percent of KSU student surveyed stated that they want the Kansas
23 Legislature to amend K.S.A. 75 so that the concealed carry of firearms is not
24 allowed on campus;

26 **WHEREAS,** Fifty-seven percent of KSU students surveyed responded that they would feel less
27 safe with concealed carry on campus;

29 **WHEREAS,** Sixty percent of KSU students surveyed responded they want to prohibit all guns
30 in buildings other than residence halls and sporting events;

32 **WHEREAS,** Due to the recent cuts to the University operating budget as enacted by the
33 Governor, the cost of adequate security measures such as metal detectors and
34 security personnel would constitute an undue strain on the University operating
35 budget;

37 **WHEREAS,** Of the thirty-two states that currently permit weapons on campus, twenty-four
38 allow institutions of higher education to determine if and where concealed
39 weapons may be carried on their campuses;

41 **WHEREAS,** Each Regent university has a greater understanding of the wants and needs of
42 their individual campus community than the Kansas Legislature;

44 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University has a long tradition of shared governance between
45 students and administration;

46

WHEREAS, KSU President Richard B. Myers has reiterated his disapproval of the campus carry section of K.S.A 75 and his belief that “concealed carry on a university campus is contrary to the mission of that particular enterprise”.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. KSU SGA hereby supports amendments to K.S.A 75 allowing the CEOs of Regents universities in Kansas to individually determine the weapons policies of their own universities as it relates to concealed carry of firearms.

SECTION 2. Upon passage of this bill by the student Senate and signature of the student body President, this resolution shall be sent to Chairman of the House Education Committee Clay Aurand, Chairwoman of the Senate Education Committee Molly Baumgardner, Chairman of the House Federal and State Affairs Committee John Barker, Chairman of the Senate Federal and State Affairs Committee Jacob LaTurner, Governor of the State of Kansas Sam Brownback, Dean of Student Life Dr. Pat Bosco, Provost and Senior Vice President April C. Mason, University President Richard B. Myers, Chairwoman of the Kansas Board of Regents Zoe Newton, University Director of Governmental Relations Sue Peterson, Vice President of Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, University Chief of Police Ronnie Grice, University Faculty Senate President Andrew Bennet, and University Support Staff Senate President Carol Marden.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE**
3 **UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **BY-LAWS CONCERNING STUDENT SENATE INTERN**
5 **COMMITTEE PLACEMENT FOR THE 2016-2017 TERM**

6 **BY:** Jack Ayres and Jordan Kiehl

7
8 **WHEREAS,** Student Governing Association (SGA) Student Senate Interns are voting members
9 of standing committees;

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11 **WHEREAS,** Current SGA By-Laws allow three Interns to serve on Privilege Fee Standing
12 Committee, University Allocations Standing Committee and College Allocations
13 Standing Committee and two Interns to serve on Senate Operations Standing
14 Committee;

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16 **WHEREAS,** Aforementioned caps force seven interns to serve on Student Engagement
17 Standing Committee and Governmental Relations Standing Committee;

18
19 **WHEREAS,** To avoid the aforementioned issue, Interns were placed evenly on committees
20 following the end of their committee rotations according to interest and
21 availability;

22
23 **WHEREAS,** The number of Interns placed on College Allocations Standing Committee,
24 Student Engagement Standing Committee and Governmental Relations Standing
25 Committee are in accordance with the By-Laws;

26
27 **WHEREAS,** The number of interns placed on Privilege Fee Standing Committee, University
28 Allocations Committee and the Senate Operations Committee exceeds the number
29 of Interns specified in the By-Laws;

30
31 **WHEREAS,** The Student Senate Interns were promised voting rights when first applying to the
32 program and they will be present for all future discussion required to make an
33 informed vote;

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35 **WHEREAS,** The proposed increases still maintain that elected members hold the highest vote
36 share in every standing committee; and

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38 **WHEREAS,** This problem will be avoided in the future due to changes to the Intern Program
39 and respective legislative changes in regards Intern voting rights.

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41 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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43 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section F, of the Kansas State University Student
44 Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
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1. University Allocations Standing Committee shall consist of ~~fifteen~~ 16 voting members, and the Chair of University Allocations Standing Committee who shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be eight members, not including the Chair of University Allocations Committee.
2. Membership.
 - a. University Allocations Standing Committee Chair appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate, who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
 - b. Nine Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with University Allocations Standing Committee Chair.
 - c. Three students-at-large, appointed by the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
 - d. Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the University Allocations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the University Allocations Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
 - e. ~~Three~~ Four Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in consultation with the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair.

SECTION 2. Article IV, Section 9, sub-section H, of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

1. Privilege Fee Standing Committee shall consist of ~~15~~ 16 voting members, and the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, who shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair.
2. Membership.
 - a. Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
 - b. Nine Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in consultation with the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair.
 - c. Three students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.

- 87 d. Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee shall elect
88 a Vice Chair of the Privilege Fee Standing Committee. This
89 appointment is subject to the approval of the Privilege Fee Standing
90 Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Privilege
91 Fee Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be
92 responsible for the minutes of the committee.
93 ~~e. Three~~ *Four* Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern
94 Coordinator in consultation with the Privilege Fee Standing
95 Committee Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.
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97 **SECTION 3.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section I, of the Kansas State University Student
98 Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
99

- 100 1. Senate Operations Standing Committee shall consist of ~~nine~~ *eleven* voting
101 members, and the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, who shall
102 vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the
103 committee members then selected and qualified, not including the Senate
104 Operations Chair.
105 2. Membership.
106 a. Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of
107 the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the
108 Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be
109 subject to the approval of Student Senate.
110 b. Student Senate Parliamentarian, who shall have voting privileges in the
111 committee.
112 c. Six Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in
113 consultation with the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair. Of
114 these members, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the Senate
115 Operations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the
116 approval of the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice
117 Chair shall chair the Senate Operations Standing Committee in the
118 absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the
119 committee.
120 ~~d. Two~~ *Four* Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in
121 consultation with the present Senate Operations Standing Committee
122 Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.
123

124 **SECTION 4.** Upon passage by the Student Senate, this bill shall take effect immediately but
125 shall be ineffective following the end of the 2016-2017 term.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS**
3 **STATE UNIVERSITY**
4 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
5 **BY-LAWS CONCERNING STUDENT SENATE INTERN**
6 **VOTING RIGHTS**

7 **BY:** Jack Ayres and Jordan Kiehl

8
9 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University (KSU) Student Governing Association (SGA) Student
10 Senate Interns are voting members of standing committees;

11
12 **WHEREAS,** In order to allow Interns to experience and learn about all six SGA standing
13 committees, the intern coordinator shall coordinate a rotation schedule in which
14 each Intern will serve on each standing committee for a period of time throughout
15 the term; and

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17 **WHEREAS,** Due to the fact that Interns will not serve on the same committee throughout the
18 term, they will not be present for all discussion required to form an informed vote.

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20 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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22 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby
23 amended to read as follows:

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25 C. Interns shall be assigned ~~by~~ *at the discretion of* the Senate Intern Coordinator
26 *in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate* to serve on Student Senate
27 standing committees as *non*-voting committee members.

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29 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section F, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby
30 amended to read as follows:

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32 1. University Allocations Standing Committee shall consist of ~~fifteen~~ 12 voting
33 members, *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-*
34 *section C of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-*
35 *Laws* and the Chair of University Allocations Standing Committee who shall
36 vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the
37 committee members then selected and qualified, not including the University
38 Allocations Standing Committee Chair.
- 39 2. Membership.
- 40 a. University Allocations Standing Committee Chair appointed by the
41 Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro
42 tempore of the Student Senate, who shall chair the committee. The
43 appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- 44 b. Nine Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate
45 in consultation with University Allocations Standing Committee Chair.

- c. Three students-at-large, appointed by the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
- d. Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the University Allocations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the University Allocations Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
- e. ~~Three Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in consultation with the University Allocations Standing Committee Chair.~~

SECTION 3. Article IV, Section 9, sub-section G, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

1. College Allocations Standing Committee shall consist of ~~45~~ 12 members, *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C of the Kansas State University Student Governing KSU SGA By-Laws* and the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair who shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair.

2. Membership.

- a. College Allocations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate, who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- b. Seven Student Senators, no more than two of whom may be representatives of a single College, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in consultation with the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair.
- c. Five students-at-large, no more than one of whom may be a representative of a single College, appointed by the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
- d. Of these Student Senators and students-at-large, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the College Allocations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair the College Allocations Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
- e. Of these Student Senators and students-at-large, each Academic College must be represented.

90 f. ~~Three Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
91 ~~consultation with the College Allocations Standing Committee Chair.~~
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94 **SECTION 4.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section H, of the Kansas State University Student
95 Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
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- 97 1. Privilege Fee Standing Committee shall consist of ~~15~~ 12 voting members,
98 *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C of*
99 *the KSU SGA By-Laws* and the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, who
100 shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority
101 of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the
102 Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair.
103 2. Membership.
104 a. Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of
105 the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the
106 Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall
107 be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
108 b. Nine Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student
109 Senate, in consultation with the Privilege Fee Standing Committee
110 Chair.
111 c. Three students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in
112 consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have
113 voting privileges on the committee.
114 d. Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee shall elect
115 a Vice Chair of the Privilege Fee Standing Committee. This
116 appointment is subject to the approval of the Privilege Fee Standing
117 Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Privilege
118 Fee Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be
119 responsible for the minutes of the committee.
120 e. ~~Three Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
121 ~~consultation with the Privilege Fee Standing Committee Chair, who~~
122 ~~shall have voting privileges on the committee.~~
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124 **SECTION 5.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section I, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby amended
125 to read as follows:
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- 127 1. Senate Operations Standing Committee shall consist of ~~nine~~ seven voting
128 members, *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-*
129 *section C of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-*
130 *Laws* and the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, who shall vote
131 only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the
132 committee members then selected and qualified, not including the Senate
133 Operations Chair.

134 2. Membership.

- 135 a. Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the
- 136 Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro
- 137 tempore of the Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The
- 138 appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- 139 b. Student Senate Parliamentarian, who shall have voting privileges in
- 140 the committee.
- 141 c. Six Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate,
- 142 in consultation with the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair.
- 143 Of these members, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the
- 144 Senate Operations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to
- 145 the approval of the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair. The
- 146 Vice Chair shall chair the Senate Operations Standing Committee in
- 147 the absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the
- 148 committee.
- 149 ~~d. Two Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
- 150 ~~consultation with the present Senate Operations Standing Committee~~
- 151 ~~Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.~~
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154 **SECTION 6.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section J, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby amended

155 to read as follows:

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- 157 1. Governmental Relations Standing Committee shall consist of at least 13
- 158 members and the Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair, who
- 159 shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority
- 160 of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the
- 161 Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair.
- 162 2. Membership.
- 163 a. Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the
- 164 Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro
- 165 tempore of the Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The
- 166 appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- 167 b. Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in
- 168 consultation with the Governmental Relations Committee Chair.
- 169 c. Local Relations Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet, who
- 170 shall be a voting member of the committee.
- 171 d. State Relations Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet, who
- 172 shall be a voting member of the committee.
- 173 e. Two students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in
- 174 consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have
- 175 voting privileges on the committee.

- 176 f. Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee shall elect
177 a Vice Chair of the Governmental Relations Standing Committee. This
178 appointment is subject to the approval of the Governmental Relations
179 Standing Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the
180 Governmental Relations Standing Committee in the absence of the
181 Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
182 g. ~~Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
183 ~~consultation with the Governmental Relations Standing Committee~~
184 ~~Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.~~
185 *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-section*
186 *C of the KSU SGA By-Laws who shall serve as non-voting members*
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188 **SECTION 7.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section K, of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby
189 amended to read as follows:

- 190 1. Student Engagement Standing Committee shall consist of 13 voting members
191 and the Student Engagement Standing Committee Chair, who shall vote only
192 to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee
193 members then selected and qualified, not including the Student Engagement
194 Standing Committee Chair.
195 2. Membership.
196 a. The Student Engagement Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker
197 of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of
198 the Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment
199 shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
200 b. Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in
201 consultation with the Student Engagement Committee Chair.
202 c. Two students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in
203 consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have
204 voting privileges on the committee.
205 d. Of the Student Senators and students-at-large, the committee shall
206 elect a Vice Chair of the Student Engagement Standing Committee.
207 This appointment is subject to the approval of the Student Engagement
208 Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Student
209 Engagement Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall
210 be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
211 e. Director of Public Relations of the Student Body President's Cabinet
212 who shall have a vote in committee.
213 f. Other members of the executive branch whose position deals with
214 issues related to the committee, who shall serve as ex-officio members.
215 g. ~~Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
216 ~~consultation with the Student Engagement Committee, who shall have~~
217 ~~voting privileges on the committee.~~ *Student Senate Interns according*
218 *to Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C of the Kansas State University*

219 *Student Governing Association By-Laws who shall serve as non-voting*
220 *members.*

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222 **SECTION 8.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section L, of the Kansas State University Student
223 Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
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225 1. Membership.

- 226 a. The KSU SGA Treasurer, who will be elected to their position by the
227 student body in a campus wide election similar to that of the Student
228 Body President and be subject to the approval of Student Senate, shall
229 serve as the chair of this committee.
- 230 b. Seven Student Senators, no more than two of whom may be
231 representatives of a single College, appointed by the Speaker of the
232 Student Senate, in consultation with the KSU SGA Treasurer.
- 233 c. Three students-at-large ~~and three Student Senate interns~~, no more than
234 one of whom may be a representative of a single college, ~~with at-large~~
235 ~~members~~ appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in
236 consultation with the KSU SGA Treasurer ~~and Student Senate interns~~
237 ~~appointed by the Intern Coordinator in consultation with the SGA~~
238 ~~Treasurer.~~
- 239 d. *Student Senate Interns according to Article IV, Section 10, sub-section*
240 *C of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-*
241 *Laws who shall serve as non-voting members*
- 242 e. Of these members, a Vice Chair shall be elected to serve in the
243 absence of the KSU SGA Treasurer and take minutes for the
244 committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the KSU
245 SGA Treasurer.
- 246 f. Of these members, an attempt must be made to have each
247 undergraduate academic college represented.
- 248 g. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee
249 members then selected and qualified, not including the KSU SGA
250 Treasurer.

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252 **SECTION 9.** Upon passage by the Student Senate, this bill shall take effect in the 2017-2018
253 term.

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4 **BY:** Andrew Peuchen and Wyatt Pracht

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6 **WHEREAS,** In preparation for the transition from the University Allocations Committee to the
7 Academic Competition Team Standing Committee allocating the funds for these teams
8 the Special Committee on Academic Competition Team Funding committee will disperse
9 the funds;

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11 **WHEREAS,** The committee shall have seven student senators, three students-at-large and three
12 Student Governing Association (SGA) interns;

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14 **WHEREAS,** In the 2017-2018 SGA term the new Treasurer position will chair the committee in
15 charge of overseeing academic competition teams; and

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17 **WHEREAS,** To help with this transition, the Special Committee on Academic Competition team
18 funding will work to ensure a smooth transition.

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20 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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22 **SECTION 1.** There is hereby established the Special Committee on Academic Competition Team
23 funding.

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25 **SECTION 2.** The special Committee on Academic Competition Team Funding will consist of the
26 following voting members:

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28 Dean Klahr
29 Catherine Gutman
30 Mary Sabatini
31 Will Orth
32 Makinzie Alamo
33 Megan Heyen
34 Jake McIntire
35 Timothy Kohtz
36 Abigail Horn
37 Justin Schmutz
38 Jessica Garcia
39 Faith Tuttle
40 Ryan Mersmann

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42 **SECTION 4.** The Special Committee on Academic Competition Team Funding shall be co-chaired by
43 the following members who will cast a single vote to break a tie:

44
45 Andrew Peuchen
46 Wyatt Pracht

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48 **SECTION 5.** The Special Committee on Academic Competition team funding shall dissolve at the
49 completion of the 2016-2017 senate term.

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51 **SECTION 6.** The committee shall submit its funding report with recommendations to student senate by
52 Mar. 31st, 2017, for the benefit of the entire Student Senate.
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54 **SECTION 7.** This legislation shall take effect upon passage of Student Senate and signed by the
55 Student Body President.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE
UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING
ASSOCIATION STATUTES CONCERNING
THE BALANCE OF THE BOND SURPLUS
ACCOUNT**

BY: Privilege Fee Committee

WHEREAS, The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) is required to collect 125% of the value of the scheduled bond payments to cover unexpected changes in enrollment and still cover our obligations;

WHEREAS, The surplus revenue collected beyond the bond payments is deposited in the Bond Surplus Account;

WHEREAS, Bond Surplus Funds have been used on many projects to increase the quality of student life on this campus;

WHEREAS, The usage of Bond Surplus Funds require Student Senate approval;

WHEREAS, SGA has had significant say in the use of the funds historically; and

WHEREAS, It is crucial that a portion of these funds be set aside for future uses, as deemed necessary by future student government leaders.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Chapter 7, Section 7 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

30-07 *Use of Bond Surplus Funds*

30-0701 The Vice-President for Administration and Finance shall collaborate with the Student Body President, Speaker of the Senate, and Privilege Fee Chair to develop special project proposals.

30-0702 Once the Vice-President for Administration and Finance's proposals are complete, they shall be submitted for review to the Campus Privilege Fee Committee.

30-0703 The following shall be the criteria to judge whether the requested proposal should use student funds:

- A. Impact on Student Life
- B. Contribution to long range goals of Kansas State University
- C. Value to campus

30-0704 The Vice President for Administration and Finance shall provide a Bond Surplus proposal to the Privilege Fee Committee containing the following information:

- A. A justification of the fee and the benefits to the student body
- B. The request and justification for the level of its fee
- C. Any alternative methods of raising funds for proposal
- D. Any additional information requested by the Privilege Fee Committee

30-0705 The Campus Privilege Fee Committee shall review and approve any such proposals.

30-0706 ~~The total money allocated in a given year to a specific privilege fee entity through the use of bond surplus funds, may not be greater than 50% of the anticipated annual bond~~

~~surplus funds generated by that privilege fee entity. One year exceptions can be made in the case of specific allocations as approved by a majority vote of the Student Senate.~~
Allocations out of the Bond Surplus Account shall not reduce the balance of the account to less than 50% of the annual debt service for bonds supported by the campus privilege fees.

30-0707 Proposals shall then be submitted to Student Senate for review in the form of a resolution. Resolutions must pass by a majority vote and obtain signatures from the Student Body President; Privilege Fee Chair; Student Senate Speaker; Vice-President for Student Life; and Vice-President for Administration and Finance.

SECTION 2. These amendments shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the
7 Vietnamese Student Association;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Vietnamese Student Association is a multicultural organization on campus that aims
10 to promote and share the Vietnamese culture;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The Vietnamese Student Association is hosting its third annual Vietnamese Lunar New
13 Year's Festival, which helps spread Vietnamese culture on campus to students, faculty
14 and the community; and
1516 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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18 Project 1 – Vietnamese Lunar New Year's Festival; Feb. 4, 2017; Kansas State University
19 Grand Ballroom
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotions	\$200.00	\$200.00
Rent of Space	\$140.00	\$140.00
<u>LSE</u>	<u>\$1,003.69</u>	<u>\$1,003.69</u>
TOTAL	\$1,343.69	\$1,343.69

2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**28
29 **SECTION 1.** The Vietnamese Student Association shall be allocated \$1,343.69 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1194CW of the
33 Vietnamese Student Association.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the
7 Sexuality and Gender Alliance (SAGA);
89 **WHEREAS,** The Sexuality and Gender Alliance is an organization that promotes diversity and
10 awareness of LGBTQIA+ issues;
1112 **WHEREAS,** SAGA will be attending the annual Midwest, Bisexual, Lesbian, Gay, Transgender, and
13 Ally College Conference (MBLGTACC) at Navy Pier in Chicago Ill;
1415 **WHEREAS,** MBLGTACC offers students workshops, forums, panels, and educational opportunities to
16 expand their understanding of diversity and inclusion so that they might better address
17 issues within the LGBTQ community and every intersecting identity within that
18 community including race, ethnicity, and religious practice; and
1920 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2122 Project 1 – Travel; Feb. 16th-19th, 2017; Navy Pier, Chicago, Ill.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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28 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2930 **SECTION 1.** Sexuality and Gender Alliance shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3132 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0062CW of
34 Sexuality and Gender Alliance.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the
7 International Tuba and Euphonium Association (ITEA);
89 **WHEREAS,** ITEA would like to host a Norwegian musician, who will bring a new perspective on
10 what music means to different cultures;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Oystein Baadsvik, a world-renown soloist on tuba, will perform a concert in All Faiths
13 Chapel on Apr. 5th, 2017 at 7:30 PM and will be a master class for anyone to attend at
14 11:30 AM in Kirmser Hall on Apr. 5th, 2017;
1516 **WHEREAS,** Oystein Baadsvik is known for his master classes, performances and tuba clinics which
17 are frequently held in numerous universities throughout the United States;
1819 **WHEREAS,** All events will have free admission and open to the everyone; and
2021 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2223 Project 1 – Tuba Concert and Master Class; Apr. 5th, 2017; All Faiths Chapel & Kirmser
24 Hall.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>LSE</u>	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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29 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**30
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32 **SECTION 1.** The International Tuba and Euphonium Association shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the
33 event described.
3435 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0568FA of the
37 International Tuba and Euphonium Association.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the funding request from
7 American Choral Directors Association (ACDA);
89 **WHEREAS,** ACDA will be taking five members on Mar. 7th-12th to Minneapolis, Minn. to attend the
10 National ACDA Convention;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The National ACDA Convention provides learning experiences and networking through
13 educational lectures for the ambassadors that attend. Members that attend this conference
14 gain valuable information and tools to use in their future music classrooms, and they can
15 share this information with those that chose not to attend the conference.;
1617 **WHEREAS,** This conference includes both workshops, honor choirs, education labs, and concerts.
18 ACDA will gather valuable information pertaining to the field of music education to
19 bring back to the students at Kansas State University. The sessions offered at this
20 conference will be led by some of the top music educators in the country and members
21 will have to opportunity to network with other educators and students attending the
22 conference as well.
2324 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards their travel costs and conference registration.25
26 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2728 Project 1 – ACDA National Conference, March 7th-12th; Minneapolis, Minn.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	\$1,800.00	\$500.00
TOTAL	\$1,800.00	\$500.00

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33 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3435 **SECTION 1.** American Choral Directors Association (ACDA) shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event
36 described.
3738 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
39 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0071FA of the
40 ACDA.

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Alpha Kappa Psi Association (AKP);

WHEREAS, AKP will be taking 30 members Feb. 10th - 12th to Chicago Ill. for the Alpha Kappa Psi National Convention, Principles of Business Leadership Institutions (PBLI)- a conference intended to accelerate the student's business leadership skills;

WHEREAS, This will benefit the Kansas State University (K-State) student body as AKP is recognized as the premier developer of principled business leaders. Through this PBLI learning trip, they will be able to pass on their leadership to their peers, be a resource for their own endeavors and have a positive impact on the K-State Family;

WHEREAS, The sessions attended by students at the conference contain material that they will implement into K-State community in order to become better leaders on campus, as well as teach others how to become great leaders;

WHEREAS, The allocation will go towards registration, travel and lodging expenses; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – Alpha Kappa Psi National Convention; Chicago, Ill.; Feb. 10th-12th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Alpha Kappa Psi shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0044CC of Alpha Kappa Psi.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Institute
7 of Industrial Systems Engineers (IISE);
89 **WHEREAS,** IISE will be taking 30 members March 2nd- March 5th to Texas Tech University
10 (Lubbock, TX) for the Regional Institute of Industrial Systems Engineers conference, a
11 conference intended to make Kansas State University more present in the Industrial
12 Engineering community;
1314 **WHEREAS,** Students who will attend will bring back concepts gained from the workshops and panels
15 provided at the conference and present them to students who are unable to attend. By
16 attending the conference, K-State students are able to network with companies that don't
17 normally recruit at K-State. This helps the industrial engineering department to build
18 relationships with more companies which opens up more job opportunities for students;
1920 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by students at the conference contain material that they will
21 implement into K-State community by showing students different opportunities within
22 industrial engineering that can help them find their passion; and
2324 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2526 Project 1 – Regional ITSE; Lubbock, TX; Mar. 2nd – Mar. 5th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$2,700.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$2,700.00	\$1,000.00

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32 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3334 **SECTION 1.** Institute of Industrial Systems Engineer (IISE) shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event
35 described.
3637 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
38 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0546CC of IISE.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Student
7 Finance Association.
89 **WHEREAS,** Student Finance Association will be taking 20 students to the Berkshire Hathaway
10 Headquarters in Omaha, Neb. from Feb. 16th – 17th, 2017;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The students in attendance will be able to engage in a question and answer with Warren
13 Buffet about career, educational, and life advice. K-State is only one of two
14 undergraduate programs invited and will be able to bring back valuable advice to
15 approximately 75 Student Finance Members;
1617 **WHEREAS,** The group will participate in tours of the Berkshire Hathaway companies Oriental
18 Trading, Nebraska Furniture Mart, and Borsheims. This will allow the students to
19 network and bring back information about the companies to the students at K-State; and
2021 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:22
23 Project 1 – Berkshire Hathaway Headquarters Visit; Omaha, Neb.; Feb. 16th - 17th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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28 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**29
30 **SECTION 1.** The Student Finance Association shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.31
32 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1049CC of the
34 organization registered as the Student Finance Association.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of National
7 Association for Music Education;8
9 **WHEREAS,** National Association for Music Education will be taking 20 members to Kansas Music
10 Education Association (KMEA)'s In-Service Workshop at Century II Performing Arts &
11 Convention Center in Wichita, Kan.;12
13 **WHEREAS,** Students are provided with the opportunity to interact with professionals in the field and
14 attend clinics where they will learn valuable knowledge about music education advocacy,
15 lesson plans, composition, and research; and16
17 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:18
19 Project 1 – Travel; Feb. 23-25, 2017; Wichita, Kan.20
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
22 Item 1	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
23 TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

2425 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**26
27 **SECTION 1.** National Association for Music Education shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event
28 described.29
30 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
31 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0753CC of the
32 National Association for Music Education.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the allocations requests of the
7 various college councils or their respective Open House organizations;
89 **WHEREAS,** All colleges were given ample opportunity and notification of their ability to submit
10 requests for the 2017 Open House;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received seven requests for funding of the eight
13 possible requesting entities;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Open House budget is \$10,025.00 per year and is to be dispersed among all requests;
16 and
1718 **WHEREAS,** All funds must be used per the funding guidelines outlined in the statutes and have been
19 allocated accordingly.
2021 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2223 **SECTION 1.** The following organizations shall receive funding from the FY 2017 Open House budget:
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	<u>Recommendation</u>
College of Agriculture Ambassadors	\$800.00
SCASLA	\$146.00
Arts and Sciences Ambassadors	\$1,550.00
College of Business Student Advisory Council	\$1,947.00
College of Education Student Council	\$2,300.00
Steel Ring	\$1,600.00
College of Human Ecology College Council	\$1,682.00
TOTAL	\$10,025.00

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3536 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the respective accounts of each
38 organization listed in Section 1.
3940 **SECTION 3.** Any unspent funds shall automatically revert back to the Reserve for Contingencies
41 Account, NISACONRSV.
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1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/42**

**SUPPORT OF CHANGE TO UNIVERSITY
PRINCIPLES OF COMMUNITY**

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4 **BY:** Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach and Jack Ayres

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6 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) stated in Resolution
7 16/17/29 that KSU SGA “condemns any action or expression contributing to a
8 discriminatory or exclusive campus environment as well as any hateful speech”;
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10 **WHEREAS,** The mission of KSU SGA, as defined in the KSU SGA By-Laws, calls for “committed
11 advocacy through the assessment of university issues and proactive service for the
12 betterment of the campus community”;
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14 **WHEREAS,** The current University Principles of Community includes the following statement: “We
15 affirm the value of human diversity and inclusion for community.”; and
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17 **WHEREAS,** The President's Commission on Multicultural Affairs (PCMA) has made a
18 recommendation to modify it as follows: “We affirm the value of human diversity and
19 inclusion for community. The KSU Family stands united against all forms of
20 discrimination.”.
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22 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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24 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association supports the President’s
25 Commission on Multicultural Affairs’ recommended change to include a stance against
26 all forms of discrimination.
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28 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy
29 of this resolution shall be sent to Kansas State University President Richard Myers,
30 Provost and Senior Vice President April Mason, Interim Associate Provost for Diversity
31 Zelia Wiley, Dean of the Graduate School Carol Shanklin, Faculty Senate President
32 Andrew Bennett, University Support Staff Senate President Carol Marden, Graduate
33 Student Council President Tucker Jones and the K-State Collegian.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Pre-
7 Veterinary Medicine Club;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Pre-Veterinary Medicine Club will be traveling to the APVMA Pre-Veterinary
10 Symposium at North Carolina State University on Mar. 3rd – 5th, 2017;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Attendees will receive information directly from veterinarians and other animal
13 healthcare specialists that they can share with other members in the club;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Symposium's program will provide hands-on opportunities for the attendees that are
16 unavailable to most students; and
1718 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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20 Project 1 – Pre-Veterinary Medicine Club; APVMA Pre-Veterinary Symposium; Mar. 3rd
21 – 5th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** The Pre-Veterinary Medicine Club shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0890CC of the Pre-
33 Veterinary Medicine Club.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the funding request from
7 Minorities in Agriculture Natural Resources and Related Sciences (MANRRS);
89 **WHEREAS,** MANRRS be taking 10 members on Mar. 29th-Apr. 2nd to Pittsburgh, Pa. to attend the
10 32nd Annual Career Fair and Training Conference;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The Career Fair and Training Conference provides learning experiences and networking
13 through educational lectures for the ambassadors that attend. The expected outcome is
14 that the student delegation will be exposed to professional development through
15 leadership workshops. Students will also have the opportunity to network with leaders
16 from academic, corporate and governmental agencies of agriculture. The overreaching
17 goal is to prepare students to enter the workforce. The knowledge the students gain from
18 attending is transferable to those that are not;
1920 **WHEREAS,** MANRRS overarching mission is encouraging scholarly achievement, advancement and
21 excellence among its members. This conference gives Kansas State University students
22 an opportunity to enhance leadership, organizational and public speaking skills. They get
23 to practice these skills, receive and experience professional critique of scholarly work in a
24 “user friendly” environment;
2526 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards their travel costs and registration fees; and
2728 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2930 Project 1 – MANRRS, Mar. 29th-Apr. 2nd, Pittsburgh, Pa.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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3536 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3738 **SECTION 1.** Minorities in Agriculture Natural Resources and Related Sciences shall be allocated
39 \$1,000.00 for the event described.
4041 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
42 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account of NISA0718CW of
43 Minorities in Agriculture Natural Resources and Related Sciences.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of Alpha
7 Gamma Rho fraternity;8
9 **WHEREAS,** The Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity is a social-professional fraternity and is planning the
10 Alpha Gamma Rho Agricultural Symposium on Feb. 24th, 2017;11
12 **WHEREAS,** The Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity will be hosting four speakers from across the country
13 to speak on the topic of Consolidation, Trade and the Changing Landscape of Global
14 Agriculture with a Q&A session to follow each speaker;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The purpose of this event is to provide the students, faculty and alumni of Kansas State
17 University, and the community at large an opportunity to learn from a diverse panel of
18 experts about an important issue in the agricultural industry; and19
20 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested for this event are as follows:21
22 Project 1 – Alpha Gamma Rho Agricultural Symposium; Town Hall, Staley School of
23 Leadership Studies, Feb. 24th, 2017.24
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
LSE	\$1,450.00	\$1,450.00
TOTAL	\$1,450.00	\$1,450.00

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2829 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**30
31 **SECTION 1.** Alpha Gamma Rho shall be allocated \$1,450.00 for the event described.32
33 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
34 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account of NISA0041CW of Alpha
35 Gamma Rho fraternity.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

FEBRUARY 2, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 52 senators and 20 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Elliott

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Atchison
Senator Bogner
Senator Brown
Senator Elliot
Senator Gray
Senator Montague
Senator Renz

Intern Kallenberger
Intern Kelly
Intern Kinsey
Intern Medley
Intern O'Grady

OPEN PERIOD

Amy Button Renz – President, Alumni Association

- Was active in student government during college career
- Served as finance committee chair and senate operations chair
 - Ran (unsuccessfully) for student body president

- Chaired referendum for “Peters Recreation Complex”
 - Passed with 75% in favor
- Started all student programs on campus
- Provided over \$400,000 in scholarships this year
 - Has raised over 3 million dollars altogether
- Biggest project right now is increasing legislative advocacy
 - Want to partner more with student government to see what they can do to make a difference
- Want to work more with student services
- Want to provide more scholarships- \$500,000 is the goal

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Senator Pracht moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chair A. Peuchen moved to move commendations below Introduction to Legislation

Hand vote was conducted

2/3 majority vote to move commendations below Introduction to Legislation

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Senator Valdez moved to Approve to Appointments

Resolution 16/17/41 Approval of New Student Senator- Karl Wilhelm

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve Resolution 16/17/41 unanimously

Resolution 16/17/41 passed unanimously

Resolution 16/17/43 Approval of New Student Senator- Isaiah Solorzano

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve Resolution 16/17/41 unanimously

Resolution 16/17/44 Approval of New Student Senator- Joseph pepoon

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Senator Krotz moved to approve Resolution 16/17/44 unanimously

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Eberhardy

- Student Engagement visited HALO
- Goal is to have documentation of everything they have done so they can have better idea for outreach next year

Chair Jackson

- Senate Operations is not meeting this Monday
- Will meet right before next Thursday Senate meeting
- If you are at 1 ½ or more absences you will receive an email from Chair Jackson
- If you have more than 3 absences you will have to set up a trial time

Chair A. Peuchen

- University Allocations Committee will not be meeting due to Super Bowl

Chair J. Peuchen

- Privilege Fee Committee will not be meeting because of K-State vs. KU basketball game

Chair Orth

- College Allocations Committee will not be meeting due to the Super Bowl

Chair Crowder

- Governmental Relations Committee will not be meeting due to the Super Bowl

Chair Andres

- Primary elections are in two week on February 14 and 15
 - Remind everyone to know who is running and get information
 - Tabling in the Union will start next week

DIRECTOR REPORTS**Director Everett**

- This month is Black History Month
- Calendar of Events is posted where you find Senate agenda

Director Swartz

- Legislative review sessions are every other Friday
 - One is tomorrow (2-3-17) from 12-1pm in the Big 12 room

Director Baalman

- Mental Wellness Week
 - Need volunteers for Out of the Dark Walk

Director Munyanyi

- International and K-State community has differed viewpoints on the governmental ban of people from different countries to enter the U.S.
 - Letter was sent from General Meyers
 - False information was sent from the Collegian
 - Said students from other countries would be denied bail
 - Nothing on White House website states that
 - No travel advisory currently

- 63 students who were effected at K-State have been contacted regarding the situation
- Asked SGA to read the story of the international student who was written about in the Collegian
 - Hopes that when SGA reads the story; they listen to everything she said, wrote, and everything she is doing to contribute to the K-State family
 - Important to value diversity and international community at K-State
 - Spoke with International Student Center and was told to encourage everyone to maintain K-State atmosphere of inclusion
 - There was a rally yesterday (2-1-17) to support this current hardship

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Senator Holder moved to approve the Minor Allocations

Bill 16/17/69 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To The Harry Potter Alliance

Bill 16/17/69 was unanimously approved

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/35

Resolution Recommending Amendments to K.S.A. 75 Regarding Kansas Campus Carry Policy

Introduced by Director Swartz

Positive Debate:

- Director Swartz
- Vice President Kennedy
- Senator Krotz yielded speaking rights to guest:
Glen Buickerood
- Senator Pracht
- Senator Holder
- Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:

- Senator Flores yielded speaking rights to guest:
Derek Cox
- Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera yielded speaking rights to guest:
Evan Steckler
- Senator Reichenberger
- Senator Flores
- Senator Sabatini

Senator Pracht moved to end debate on Resolution 16/17/35
It was unanimously approved to end debate on Resolution 16/17/35
Resolution 16/17/35 passes by a vote of 38-18-0.

Bill 16/17/55 **Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association By- Laws Concerning Student
Senate Intern Committee Placement For The 2016-2017
Term**

Introduced by Intern Coordinator Kiehl

Positive Debate:

Intern Coordinator Kiehl

Negative Debate:

Senator Pracht moved we hold Bill 16/17/55 and Bill 16/17/56 for a bulk roll call vote
Unanimously approved to hold Bill 16/17/55 and Bill 16/17/56 for a bulk roll call vote
Resolution 16/17/55 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 55-0-0.

Bill 16/17/56 **Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association By- Laws Concerning Student
Senate Intern Voting Rights**

Introduced by Intern Coordinator Kiehl

Positive Debate:

Intern Coordinator Kiehl

Negative Debate:

Resolution 16/17/55 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 55-0-0.

Bill 16/17/57 **Creation Of The Student Senate Special Committee On
Academic Competition Team Funding**

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair A. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/57 passes by a vote of 55-0-0.

Bill 16/17/58 **Amendments To The Kansas State University Student**

**Governing Association Statutes Concerning The
Balance Of The Bond Surplus Account**

Introduced by Senator Martin

Positive Debate:

Senator Martin

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Chair J. Peuchen

A hand vote was conducted.

Bill 16/17/58 failed.

Chair J. Peuchen moved to refer Bill 16/17/58 back to the Privilege Fee Committee.

**Senator Pracht moved we hold Bills 16/17/59, 16/17/60, 16/17/61, 16/17/62, 16/17/63,
16/17/64, 16/17/65, 16/17/66, 16/17/67, 16/17/68**

Bill 16/17/59

**FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Vietnamese Student
Association**

Introduced by Senator McIntire

Positive Debate:

Senator McIntire

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/59 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 55-0-0.

Bill 16/17/60

**FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Sexuality And Gender
Alliance**

Introduced by Senator McIntire

Positive Debate:

Senator McIntire

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/60 passes by a bulk role call vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/62 **FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To International Tuba
And Euphonium Association**

Introduced by Senator McIntire

Positive Debate:

Senator McIntire

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/62 passes by a bulk role call vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/63 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation American Choral L
Directors Association**

Introduced by Senator McIntire

Positive Debate:

Senator McIntire

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/63 passes by a bulk role call vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/64 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation Alpha Kappa Psi**

Introduced by Intern Khoury

Positive Debate:

Intern Khoury

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/64 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/65 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation Institute Of Industrial
Systems Engineer**

Introduced by Intern Khoury

Positive Debate:

Intern Khoury

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/65 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/66 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Student Finance
Association**

Introduced by Chair Orth

Positive Debate:

Chair Orth

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/66 passes by a vote of 53-0-2.

Bill 16/17/67 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation National Association for
Music Education**

Introduced by Chair Orth

Positive Debate:

Chair Orth

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/67 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 55-0-0

Bill 16/17/68

FY 2017 Allocation Of Open House Funds

Introduced by Senator McIntire

Positive Debate:

Senator McIntire

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/68 passes by a vote of 53-0-2.

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/42

**Support Of Change To University Principles Of
Community**

Senator Valdez moved we consider Resolution 16/17/42

Resolution 16/17/42 is referred back to the Legislative Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/70

**FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Pre-Veterinary Medicine
Club**

Senator Valdez moved we consider Bill 16/17/42

Introduced by Senator Pracht

Bill 16/17/70 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee.

Bill 16/17/71

**FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Minorities In Agriculture
Natural Resources And Related Sciences**

Senator Sabatini moved we consider Bill 16/17/71

Introduced by Intern Mertens

Senator Sabatini moved the author be allowed to summarize

Bill 16/17/71 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee.

Bill 16/17/72

FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Alpha Gamma Rho

Senator Wilhelm moved we consider 16/17/42

Introduced by Senator Klahr

Senator Sabatini moved the author be allowed to summarize

Bill 16/17/72 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee.

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/37 Commendation To The Alpha Omega Chapter Of Alpha Kappa Psi

Chair A. Peuchen moved we consider Resolution 16/17/37

Introduced by Senator Kennedy

Chair A. Peuchen moved we approve this resolution

A voice vote was held to pass Resolution 16/17/37

Resolution 16/17/37 passed

Resolution 16/17/38 Commendation to Senator Moran

Chair J. Peuchen moved we consider Resolution 16/17/38

Introduced by Senator Krotz

Senator Mindrup moved we approve this resolution unanimously

Resolution 16/17/38 passed

Resolution 16/17/39 Commendation to Congresswoman Jenkins

Senator Valdez moved we consider Resolution 16/17/39

Introduced by Sarah Nederee

Resolution 16/17/39 is referred back to the Governmental Relations Committee

Resolution 16/17/40 Commendation to Congressmen Yoder

Senator Valdez moved we consider Resolution 16/17/40

Introduced by Sarah Niederee

Senator Holder moved the author be allowed to summarize

Senator Pracht moved we approve Resolution 16/17/40 unanimously

Resolution 16/17/40 is referred back to the Governmental Relations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- View report here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1172947/show>

Chair J. Peuchen

- Privilege fee committee to gather after senate

Speaker Ayres

- On the Spot improv group qualified for nationals and has a Go Fund Me page because they missed the deadline to apply for SGA funding.

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/58 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Resolution 16/17/42 is referred back to the Legislative Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/70 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/71 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/72 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Resolution 16/17/40 is referred back to the Governmental Relations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

Chair Jackson

- Statute changes next week to Health and Wellness Coalition

ROLL CALL

There were 54 senators and 20 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Pracht moved to adjourn until Thursday, February 9 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 10:26pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Dr. Zelia Wiley – Interim Vice Provost for Diversity
Kate Orndorff and Derek Gimson - Students in Hospitality Management

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/42	Support Of Change To University Principles Of Community
Bill 16/17/58	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
	Statutes Concerning The Balance Of The Bond Surplus Account
Bill 16/17/70	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Pre-Veterinary Medicine Club
Bill 16/17/71	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Minorities In Agriculture Natural Resources And
	Related Sciences
Bill 16/17/72	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Alpha Gamma Rho

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/45	Amendments To The Kansas State University Residence Hall Policies Regarding
	Political Campaigns (Public And University)

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. Please fill out the following survey on the makeup of SGA by Senate next week:
<https://goo.gl/forms/rPn91wXD6oFycCi22>
2. Please remember to vote in the primary elections next Tuesday (2/14) at noon – Wednesday (2/15) at 6pm.
<http://sgaelections.ksu.edu>
3. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>
4. Proxies:
 - McGee for Reichenberger
 - Fleming for Martin
 - Holder for Frankel
 - J. Peuchen for Kucera
 - Jackson for Alamo
 - P. Kennedy for Barnett
 - Heyen for Elliott
 - Wiese for May
 - Eidemiller for McIntire
 - Flores for Stevens
 - Valdez for Klein
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5. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
12	13	14 Primary elections start at noon.	15 Primary elections end at 6pm.	16 Senate – 7pm	17	18
19	20	21	22	23 Senate – 7pm	24	25

“Go as far as you can see; when you get there, you'll be able to see farther.” – J.P. Morgan

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 2-2-17:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1176493/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1178752/show>

- Discussed Resolution 16/17/42
- Discussed GR, counseling services move, climate survey, and upcoming JCOC legislation

University Allocations Committee:

No meeting

College Allocations Committee:

No meeting

Privilege Fee Committee:

No meeting

Senate Operations Committee:

No meeting

Governmental Relations Committee:

No meeting

Student Engagement Committee:

No meeting

Diversity Programming Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1172150/show>

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

DIRECTOR'S REPORTS FOR THE WEEK

Olivia Baalman, Health and Safety Director

- #Big12Together Sexual Assault Prevention Week
February 13-18th
- Mental Wellness Week April 3-8th
Out of the Darkness Suicide Prevention Walk April 8th
Share the link & sign up here: afsp.org/k-state
Email Olivia Baalman (oliviab2@ksu.edu) if you would like to get involved in planning Mental Wellness Week

RESOLUTION 16/17/42

**SUPPORT OF CHANGE TO UNIVERSITY
PRINCIPLES OF COMMUNITY**

BY: Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach and Jack Ayres

WHEREAS, Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) stated in Resolution 16/17/29 that KSU SGA “rebukes any action or expression contributing to a discriminatory or exclusive campus environment as well as any hateful speech, especially that which is founded on the basis of gender, ethnic origin, religion, race, disability or sexual orientation”;

WHEREAS, The mission of KSU SGA, as defined in the KSU SGA By-Laws, calls for “committed advocacy through the assessment of university issues and proactive service for the betterment of the campus community”;

WHEREAS, The current University Principles of Community includes the following statement: “We affirm the value of human diversity and inclusion for community”; and

WHEREAS, The President's Commission on Multicultural Affairs (PCMA) has made a recommendation to modify it as follows: “We affirm the value of human diversity and inclusion for community. The KSU community stands united against all forms of discrimination”.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association supports the President’s Commission on Multicultural Affairs’ recommended change to include a stance against all forms of discrimination.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Kansas State University President Richard Myers, Provost and Senior Vice President April Mason, Interim Associate Provost for Diversity Zelia Wiley, Dean of the Graduate School Carol Shanklin, Faculty Senate President Andrew Bennett, University Support Staff Senate President Carol Marden, Graduate Student Council President Tucker Jones and the K-State Collegian.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE**
3 **UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING**
4 **ASSOCIATION STATUTES CONCERNING**
5 **THE BALANCE OF THE BOND SURPLUS**
6 **ACCOUNT**

7 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee

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9 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) is required to
10 collect 125% of the value of the scheduled bond payments to cover unexpected changes
11 in enrollment and still cover our obligations;

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13 **WHEREAS,** The surplus revenue collected beyond the bond payments is deposited in the Bond
14 Surplus Account;

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16 **WHEREAS,** Bond Surplus Funds have been used on many projects to increase the quality of student
17 life on this campus;

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19 **WHEREAS,** The usage of Bond Surplus Funds require Student Senate approval;

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21 **WHEREAS,** SGA has had significant say in the use of the funds historically; and

22
23 **WHEREAS,** It is crucial that a portion of these funds be set aside for future uses, as deemed necessary
24 by future student government leaders.

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26 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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28 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 7, Section 7 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
29 Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

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31 **30-07** ***Use of Bond Surplus Funds***

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33 30-0701 The Vice-President for Administration and Finance shall collaborate with the Student
34 Body President, Speaker of the Senate, and Privilege Fee Chair to develop special project
35 proposals.

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37 30-0702 Once the Vice-President for Administration and Finance's proposals are complete, they
38 shall be submitted for review to the Campus Privilege Fee Committee.

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40 30-0703 The following shall be the criteria to judge whether the requested proposal should use
41 student funds:

- 42 A. Impact on Student Life
- 43 B. Contribution to long range goals of Kansas State University
- 44 C. Value to campus

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46 30-0704 The Vice President for Administration and Finance shall provide a Bond Surplus
47 proposal to the Privilege Fee Committee containing the following information:

- 48 A. A justification of the fee and the benefits to the student body
- 49 B. The request and justification for the level of its fee
- 50 C. Any alternative methods of raising funds for proposal
- 51 D. Any additional information requested by the Privilege Fee Committee

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53 30-0705 The Campus Privilege Fee Committee shall review and approve any such proposals.

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55 30-0706 ~~The total money allocated in a given year to a specific privilege fee entity through the use~~
56 ~~of bond surplus funds, may not be greater than 50% of the anticipated annual bond~~

~~surplus funds generated by that privilege fee entity. One year exceptions can be made in the case of specific allocations as approved by a majority vote of the Student Senate.~~
Allocations out of the Bond Surplus Account shall not reduce the balance of the account to less than 50% of the annual debt service for bonds supported by the campus privilege fees.

30-0707 Proposals shall then be submitted to Student Senate for review in the form of a resolution. Resolutions must pass by a majority vote and obtain signatures from the Student Body President; Privilege Fee Chair; Student Senate Speaker; Vice-President for Student Life; and Vice-President for Administration and Finance.

SECTION 2. These amendments shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Pre-
7 Veterinary Medicine Club;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Pre-Veterinary Medicine Club will be taking 4 students to the APVMA Pre-
10 Veterinary Symposium at North Carolina State University on Mar. 3rd – 5th, 2017;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Attendees will receive information directly from veterinarians and other animal
13 healthcare specialists that they can share with other members in the club;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Symposium's program will provide hands-on opportunities for the attendees that are
16 unavailable to most students; and
1718 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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20 Project 1 – Pre-Veterinary Medicine Club; APVMA Pre-Veterinary Symposium; Mar. 3rd
21 – 5th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$400.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$400.00

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2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** The Pre-Veterinary Medicine Club shall be allocated \$400.00 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0890CC of the Pre-
33 Veterinary Medicine Club.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the funding request from
7 Minorities in Agriculture Natural Resources and Related Sciences (MANRRS);
89 **WHEREAS,** MANRRS be taking 10 members on Mar. 29th-Apr. 2nd to Pittsburgh, Pa. to attend the
10 32nd Annual Career Fair and Training Conference;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The Career Fair and Training Conference provides learning experiences and networking
13 through educational lectures for the ambassadors that attend. The expected outcome is
14 that the student delegation will be exposed to professional development through
15 leadership workshops. Students will also have the opportunity to network with leaders
16 from academic, corporate and governmental agencies of agriculture. The overreaching
17 goal is to prepare students to enter the workforce. The knowledge the students gain from
18 attending is transferable to those that are not;
1920 **WHEREAS,** MANRRS overarching mission is encouraging scholarly achievement, advancement and
21 excellence among its members. This conference gives Kansas State University students
22 an opportunity to enhance leadership, organizational and public speaking skills. They get
23 to practice these skills, receive and experience professional critique of scholarly work in a
24 “user friendly” environment;
2526 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards their travel costs and registration fees; and
2728 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2930 Project 1 – MANRRS, Mar. 29th-Apr. 2nd, 2017; Pittsburgh, Pa.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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3536 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3738 **SECTION 1.** Minorities in Agriculture Natural Resources and Related Sciences shall be allocated
39 \$1,000.00 for the event described.
4041 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
42 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account of NISA0718CW of
43 Minorities in Agriculture Natural Resources and Related Sciences.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of Alpha
7 Gamma Rho fraternity;8
9 **WHEREAS,** The Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity is a social-professional fraternity and is planning the
10 Alpha Gamma Rho Agricultural Symposium on Feb. 24th, 2017;11
12 **WHEREAS,** The Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity will be hosting four speakers from across the country
13 to speak on the topic of Consolidation, Trade and the Changing Landscape of Global
14 Agriculture with a Q&A session to follow each speaker;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The purpose of this event is to provide the students, faculty and alumni of Kansas State
17 University, and the community at large an opportunity to learn from a diverse panel of
18 experts about an important issue in the agricultural industry; and19
20 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested for this event are as follows:21
22 Project 1 – Alpha Gamma Rho Agricultural Symposium; Town Hall, Staley School of
23 Leadership Studies, Feb. 24th, 2017.24
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
LSE	\$1,450.00	\$1,450.00
TOTAL	\$1,450.00	\$1,450.00

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2829 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**30
31 **SECTION 1.** Alpha Gamma Rho shall be allocated \$1,450.00 for the event described.32
33 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
34 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account of NISA0041CW of Alpha
35 Gamma Rho fraternity.

5 **BY:** Special Committee on Membership6
7 **WHEREAS,** Section 101 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA)
8 Constitution states, "The purpose of the KSU SGA shall be the establishment and
9 maintenance of student government, the enactment and enforcement of the just laws and
10 the promotion of such activities as are appropriate for the student body";11
12 **WHEREAS,** Residence halls house a substantial number of students who are statistically less likely to
13 speak with, vote for, and know their representatives in KSU SGA;14
15 **WHEREAS,** Current residence hall policies maintained by the Kansas State University Association of
16 Residence Halls (KSU ARH) place unnecessary, obsolete restrictions on university and
17 public political campaigns within residence halls;18
19 **WHEREAS,** Candidates are currently prohibited from campaigning with oral or written materials of
20 any form (posters, fliers, letters, etc.) in the residence halls; and21
22 **WHEREAS,** Campaign policy revisions to make the residence halls more accessible and open to
23 candidates would increase voter turnout and civic engagement in public and university
24 elections.25
26 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**27
28 **SECTION 1.** Kansas State University(KSU) Student Governing Association encourages KSU
29 Association of Residence Hall(ARH) to revise Section F of the ARH's residence hall
30 handbook to read as follows:31
32 Section. F. Political campaigns (public and university)33
34 2. Campaign materials will ~~not be allowed in common areas of residence halls~~
35 ~~or dining service areas except~~ on a resident's door or in a resident's room
36 with the permission of roommate(s), ~~or in a designated posting area~~. Any
37 damages caused by the posting of campaign material will be the
38 responsibility of the residents therein.39
40 5. ~~Before speaking with hall residents in any public area of the hall (other than~~
41 ~~at an HGB meeting), a candidate must receive prior permission from the~~
42 ~~floor president of the floor on which he/she wishes to speak. Campaigning~~
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45 ~~an HGB meeting) must receive prior permission from the individual HGB~~
46 ~~and its RLC or ARLC.~~47
48 6. Campaigning (whether verbal, oral or written in the form of posters, fliers,
49 letters, etc.) by a candidate and/or his/her representative(s) will not be
50 allowed in the dining service areas ~~or residence halls~~. The only exception
51 shall be items of personal clothing and buttons worn by an individual.52
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54 ~~lobby any area as~~ designated by the individual HGB ~~and its RLC or ARLC~~.

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SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, this resolution shall be sent to the Kansas State University Association of Residence Hall policy committee, Kansas State University Association of Residence Hall President Brandon Jansen, KSU ARH advisor Brooks Hetle, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Dr. Pat Bosco and Assistant Vice President of Student Affairs and Director of Housing and Dining Services Derek Jackson.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

FEBRUARY 9, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:01pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 48 senators and 19 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Reichenberger
Senator Martin
Senator Frankel
Senator Kucera
Senator Alamo
Senator Barnett
Senator Elliott
Senator May
Senator McIntire

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Gray
Senator Kennedy
Senator Klein (Partial)
Senator Solorzano
Senator Stevens

Intern Bolar
Intern DeMaranville
Intern Hopfinger
Intern Kelly
Intern Markel
Intern Meyer
Intern Penny (partial)

OPEN PERIOD

Dr. Zelia Wiley – Interim Vice Provost for Diversity

- Four core multicultural student groups
- President Meyers is focusing on our Principles of Community
- Read aloud item two in Resolution 16/17/42
 - Encouraged Senate to support Resolution 16/17/42 to support a diverse and inclusive environment
- Principles of Community can be found here: <http://www.k-state.edu/about/community.html>

Kate Orndorff - Students in Hospitality Management

- Goal is to let people know about the Hospitality Management Program
- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1175136/show>

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair A. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Please fill out the following survey on the makeup of SGA by Senate next week:
<https://goo.gl/forms/rPn91wXD6oFycCi22>
2. Please remember to vote in the primary elections next Tuesday (2/14) at noon – Wednesday (2/15) at 6pm. <http://sgaelections.ksu.edu>
3. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

There were none.

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Jackson

- Governmental Relations did not meet this week
- Will be doing trials, if you received an email please respond

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director Everett

- President Van Ranken and BSU President met with the Provost and talked about the Multicultural Student Center
- Organized four core groups to be on the planning committee for the MSC

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/42 Support Of Change To University Principles Of Community

Introduced by Chief of Staff DeLoach

Positive Debate:

Chief of Staff DeLoach

Negative Debate:

Intern W. Moore moved to pass Resolution 16/17/42 unanimously.
Seeing no objections, Resolution 16/17/42 passed unanimously.

**Bill 16/17/58 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association**

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair A. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/58 passes by a vote of 56-0-0.

Bill 16/17/70 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Pre-Veterinary Medicine Club

Introduced by Chair Orth

Positive Debate:

Chair Orth

Negative Debate:

Senator Sabatini moved that we hold Bills 16/17/70, 16/17/71, and 16/17/72 for bulk roll call.

Motion approved.

Bill 16/17/70 passed by a bulk roll call vote of 56-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/71 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Minorities In Agriculture
Natural Resources And Related Sciences**

Introduced by Intern Mertens

Positive Debate:

Intern Mertens

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/71 passed by a bulk roll call vote of 56-0-0.

Bill 16/17/72 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Alpha Gamma Rho

Introduced by Senator Klahr

Positive Debate:

Senator Klahr

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/72 passed by a bulk roll call vote of 55-0-1.

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

There was none.

COMMENDATIONS

There were none

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

**Resolution 16/17/45 Amendments To The Kansas State University Residence Hall
Policies Regarding Political Campaigns (Public And
University)**

Senator Weise moved we consider Resolution 16/17/45

Senator Sabatini moved the author be allowed to summarize
Motion approved.
Introduced by Senator Gutman

Referred back to Special Committee on Membership

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Doll

- Chimes junior honorary society
- Application can be found on OrgSync under Chimes Junior Honorary Society Page

Senator Holder

- Organized name tags so please put them back where they belong

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

Chair Jackson

- There will be a statutes change next week dealing with an organization wanting to change their constitution.

ROLL CALL

There were 49 senators and 18 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Weise moved to adjourn until Thursday, February 16 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 7:46pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

K-State Collegian Media Group

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

FINAL ACTION

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Political Campaigns (Public And University)

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/73 FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation To Rotaract Club
Bill 16/17/74 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To National Society Of Pershing Rifles

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/75 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association
Constitution Concerning The Responsibilities Of Student Government Officers
Bill 16/17/76 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
Laws Concerning The Responsibilities Of Student Government Officers
Bill 16/17/77 FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation American Choral Directors Association
Bill 16/17/78 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leaders
Bill 16/17/79 FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Kansas State Meat Science Association

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

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3. Proxies:
 - Flores for Comstock
 - Nordstrom for Frankel
 - Jackson for Alamo
 - Pracht for Kennedy
 - Orth for McIntire
 - Kucera for Holder
4. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
19	20 Mandatory Rules and Regulations meeting for General Election Candidates option 1 @ 4:00pm, Flint Hills Room	21 Mandatory Rules and Regulations meeting for General Election Candidates option 2 @ 4:00pm, Cottonwood Room Tuition and Fees Strategies Meeting, 6pm in OSAS	22	23 Senate, 7:00pm	24	25
26	27	28 Distinguished Young Alumni Keynote Address – 4:30 in SLS Town Hall	1	2 Senate, 7:00pm	3	4

“It is the mark of an educated mind to be able to entertain a thought without accepting it.” - Aristotle

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 2-9-17:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1184670/show>

Executive Committee:

No meeting

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1182205/show>

- Decisions were made to fund Edgerly-Franklin, American Choral Directors Association (ACDA), and National Society of Pershing Rifles, and the Rotaract Club.

College Allocations Committee:

Link:

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link (2/9): <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1180535/show>

- It was moved and seconded to refer Resolution 16/17/58 Amendments to the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning the Balance of the Bond Surplus Account to Student Senate Favorably. Motion passed 10-0-0.

Link (2/13): <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1184614/show>

- Presentation of KSDB Privilege Fees
 - See supporting documents at <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1029162>
- Questions and Debate of Recreational Services Privilege Fees
 - See supporting documents at <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1164803/show>

Senate Operations Committee:

Link:

Governmental Relations Committee:

No meeting

Student Engagement Committee:

No meeting

Diversity Programming Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

DIRECTOR'S REPORTS FOR THE WEEK

Directors – Remember to submit agenda items at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/239984>

5 **BY:** Special Committee on Membership6
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3 **BY:** University Allocations Committee4
5 **WHEREAS,** The Rotaract Club, the college division of Rotary Club, works to better local
6 communities and communities abroad;7
8 **WHEREAS,** Water scarcity affects hundreds of poverty countries and communities around the world
9 with lack of sanitation and safe water;10
11 **WHEREAS,** The Walk for Water is a national 5K sponsored by Water Missions International
12 dedicated to providing clean water to impoverished nations;13
14 **WHEREAS,** The Walk for Water simulates the three mile walk that many women and children walk
15 with buckets of water; and16
17 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:18
19 Project 1 - Walk for Water; Kansas State University Campus; Apr. 8th, 2017.20
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Equipment Retail	\$700.00	\$700.00
Promotion	\$150.00	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$850.00	\$700.00

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2526 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**27
28 **SECTION 1.** Rotaract Club shall be allocated \$700.00 for the event described.29
30 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
31 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0928CW of Rotaract
32 Club.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the National
7 Society of Pershing Rifles (NSPR);
89 **WHEREAS,** NSPR would like to travel to a national drill competition and National Society of
10 Pershing Rifles National Convention in Jacksonville, Fla.;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Attendance at this event provides an opportunity for Kansas State University (KSU) to
13 compete and establish itself against colleges from across the country and provides
14 individuals interested in NSPR an incentive to attend KSU;15 **WHEREAS,** Attendees will bring back more knowledge of the leadership based society, tips and tools
16 to improve drill routines and overall achievement of the society missions; and17 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
1819 Project 1 – National Drill Competition and National Society of Pershing Rifles National
20 Convention; Mar. 8th-13th, 2017; Jacksonville, Fla.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
22 TRAVEL	\$600.00	\$600.00
23 TOTAL	\$600.00	\$600.00

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25 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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28 **SECTION 1.** The National Society of Pershing Rifles shall be allocated \$600.00 for the event
29 described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0765CW of the
33 National Society of Pershing Rifles.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT**
3 **GOVERNING ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE**
4 **RESPONSIBILITIES OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT OFFICERS**

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6 **BY:** Jack Ayres and Stephen Kucera

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8 **WHEREAS,** The Speaker Pro Tempore has historically served as a voting member on the Faculty
9 Senate Committee – Faculty Affairs;

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11 **WHEREAS,** Voting rights for student representatives on Faculty Senate committees is up to the
12 discretion of the Faculty Senate and is discussed in the documents governing the Senate
13 and its associate committees;

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15 **WHEREAS,** The Faculty Affairs committee routinely discusses issues relating to faculty, improving
16 the quality of teaching and the most effective methods for collection of student feedback
17 on classroom instruction; and

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19 **WHEREAS,** It is important for the governing documents of the Kansas State University Student
20 Governing Association to reflect the expectations and time commitments of its officers.

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22 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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24 **SECTION 1.** Article V, Section 406 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
25 Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:

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27 406. Duties and Powers of the Student Body President.

28 A. Serve as Chief Executive of the KSU SGA.

29 B. Represent and protect the rights and interests of the student body.

30 C. Approve or veto Student Senate legislation. The power to veto shall extend to all bills
31 and resolutions passed by Student Senate except those bills and resolutions
32 dealing with purely internal affairs of Student Senate (approvals of appointments,
33 resolutions of impeachment or expulsion, standing rules, and resolutions
34 expressing the opinion of only the Student Senate). Within eight days after
35 passage, every bill or resolution requiring the approval of the Student Body
36 President shall be signed by the Speaker of the Student Senate and presented to
37 the Student Body President. If the Student Body President approves the bill or
38 resolution, the President shall sign it. If the Student Body President does not
39 approve the bill or resolution, the President shall return it, with a statement of
40 objections, to the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall cause the veto
41 message to be read at the next meeting of Student Senate. Whenever a veto
42 message is so read, the Student Senate shall have eight days to reconsider the
43 legislation and such action shall be deemed final. If two-thirds of the total
44 membership of Student Senate selected and qualified shall vote to pass the
45 legislation, it shall take effect, notwithstanding the Student Body President's
46 veto. If no written veto is transmitted to the Speaker of the Student Senate within
47 eight days after presentation to the Student Body President, the legislation shall
48 take effect as if the President had approved it.

49 D. Call and preside over meetings of the student body.

50 E. Call special meetings of Student Senate with at least 24-hour notice.

51 F. Serve on Faculty Senate and ~~on the~~ Faculty Senate Committee on University Planning
52 ~~with voting rights.~~

53 G. Request the written interpretation of Student Tribunal on any provision of this
54 Constitution, charter, law of the student body or Student Senate act.

- 55 H. Examine the records of the Secretary of Student Senate, any administrative office of
56 the KSU SGA and any committee at any time.
- 57 I. Appoint, with the approval of Student Senate, Cabinet members (as specified in Section
58 408) who shall be responsible to him/her for execution of their duties and subject
59 to removal from office by him/her.
- 60 J. Take care that all provisions of this Constitution and the laws of the Student Senate are
61 faithfully executed.
- 62 K. Delegate authority to Cabinet members, but accept all responsibilities for the
63 executive branch of the KSU SGA.

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65 **SECTION 2.** Article V, Section 407 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
66 Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
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- 68 407. Duties of the Student Body Vice President shall include but are not limited to the
69 following:
- 70 A. Serve as Chief Executive of the KSU SGA in the temporary or permanent absence of
71 the Student Body President due to resignation or inability to perform and
72 discharge the office of Student Body President.
- 73 B. Serve as the official representative of the student body in the absence or inability
74 of the Student Body President.
- 75 C. Serve as chair of the Educational Opportunity Fund Committee (unless otherwise
76 stated by the Student Body President).
- 77 D. Serve as chair of the Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee (unless
78 otherwise stated by the Student Body President).
- 79 E. Oversee and coordinate special projects and programs of the KSU SGA, as assigned
80 by the Student Body President.
- 81 F. Make at-large appointments to all university committees in consultation with the
82 Student Body President.
- 83 G. Assist the Student Body President in appointing Cabinet members.
- 84 H. Serve on Faculty Senate and ~~on the Academic Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate~~
85 ~~with voting rights.~~

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87 **SECTION 3.** Article V, Section 506 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
88 Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
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- 90 506. The Speaker of the Student Senate shall have the following duties and powers:
- 91 A. Chair Student Senate meetings.
- 92 B. Call all Student Senate meetings, except as limited in Section 406.E.
- 93 C. Vote in Student Senate meetings only in the event of a tie.
- 94 D. Appoint and remove *the Student Senate Secretary, Student Senate Parliamentarian,*
95 *Intern Coordinator and chairs of Student Senate standing committees and*
96 *legislatively chartered committees in consultation with the Speaker Pro Tempore*
97 *of the Student Senate.* The appointments shall be subject to the approval of
98 Student Senate.
- 99 E. Appoint and remove Student Senators on Student Senate committees, *in consultation*
100 *with the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate.*
- 101 F. Appoint and remove Student Senators on University committees. The appointments
102 shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- 103 G. The succession to the office of Speaker of the Student Senate in case of removal,
104 death, resignation, inability, temporary absence or permanent inability to serve
105 shall be set forth in the By-Laws.
- 106 H. Chair Executive Committee meetings.
- 107 I. Supervise the Student Senate Secretary. ~~J. Supervise and the Student Senate~~
108 ~~Parliamentarian.~~

- ~~JK.~~ Supervise the Intern Coordinator and related activities.
~~KL.~~ Verify and sign all passed legislation and present such legislation to the Student Body President within eight days of the legislation's passage.
~~LM.~~ Represent Student Senate on other committees as appointed.
~~MN.~~ Serve on University Committees when asked to represent Student Senate.
~~O.~~ ~~Inform the Senate Operations Standing Committee when Senators and Interns are in violation of the attendance requirement.~~
~~NP.~~ Serve on Faculty Senate ~~and a Faculty Senate standing committee with voting rights, and the Faculty Senate Executive Committee as a non-voting member.~~
~~Q.~~ ~~Organize activities to help in the orientation of newly elected Student Senators.~~

SECTION 4. Article V, Section 507 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:

507. Duties and Powers of the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate.

- A. ~~Serve as Speaker of the Student Senate in the absence or at the request of the Speaker.~~
Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the Speaker's absence or at Speaker's request.
B. *Coordinate the open period speakers for the Student Senate.*
C. *Assist the Speaker of the Student Senate in the appointment of the secretary, parliamentarian and chairpersons of the standing committees.*
~~DB.~~ Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.
E. *Oversee the College Caucus system.*
~~FC.~~ Chair such Standing Committees as may be provided in the By-Laws.
~~GD.~~ Plan and organize *at least one diversity presentation, speaker, or training session for KSU SGA in each semester.* ~~annual KSU SGA diversity training sessions.~~
H. *Organize activities to help in the orientation of newly elected Student Senators.*
I. *Serve on the Faculty Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate.*

SECTION 5. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT**
3 **GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE**
4 **RESPONSIBILITIES OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT OFFICERS**

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6 **BY:** Jack Ayres and Stephen Kucera

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8 **WHEREAS,** It is important for the governing documents of the Kansas State University Student
9 Governing Association to reflect the expectations and time commitments of its officers.

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11 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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13 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 3, Subsections A and B of the Kansas State University Student
14 Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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16 Section. 3. Duties and Powers of Student Senate Officers.

17 A. The Speaker of the Student Senate shall preside over all Student Senate
18 meetings and have the *duties enumerated in the KSU SGA*
19 *Constitution, Article V, Section 506.*~~power to excuse members.~~

20 B. *The Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate shall have the duties*
21 *enumerated in the KSU SGA Constitution, Article V, Section*
22 *507.*~~Duties of the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate shall~~
23 ~~include:~~

24 1. ~~Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the~~
25 ~~Speaker's absence or at Speaker's request.~~

26 2. ~~Coordinate the Student Senate open period speakers.~~

27 3. ~~Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.~~

28 4. ~~Oversee the College Caucus system.~~

29 5. ~~Plan and organize annual KSU SGA diversity training sessions.~~

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31 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate, signature of the Student
32 Body President, and after Bill 16/17/XX takes effect.
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4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the funding request from
7 American Choral Directors Association (ACDA);
89 **WHEREAS,** ACDA will be hosting Mr. Curtis Gulledge, a well-known professional singer and vocal
10 music director specializing in gospel music to host a master class and present: Spirituals
11 to Gospel: A Journey Through African America;
1213 **WHEREAS,** The ACDA hosting Mr. Curtis Gulledge will allow students and the local community to
14 gain valuable information and tools to use in their future music classrooms;
1516 **WHEREAS,** This event will allow an expansion in students' education of gospel and spiritual music,
17 as well as support the growth of cultural diversity on campus by providing the
18 opportunity to work with the United Black Voices Gospel Choir; and
1920 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:21
22 Project 2 – Master Class/Lecture Recital with Curtis Gulledge, March 14th and 15th,
23 2017; All Faith's Chapel.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
TOTAL	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00

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29 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**30
31 **SECTION 1.** American Choral Directors Association (ACDA) shall be allocated \$2,000.00 for the
32 event described.
3334 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
35 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0071FA of the
36 ACDA.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Edgerley-
7 Franklin Urban Leaders;
89 **WHEREAS,** Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leaders will be taking 17 members to Kansas City, Kan., for a
10 service trip from March 19th-24th, 2017;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Members will tour various non-profit organizations making an impacting their
13 communities and meeting with community leaders including CEOs, directors,
14 entrepreneurs and program founders to gain insight into their journeys of becoming
15 agents of change;
1617 **WHEREAS,** Members who attend will be participating in hands-on volunteering and community
18 engagement to exercise their new leadership skills;
1920 **WHEREAS,** This service trip will teach leadership and civil engagement skills to pass on to other
21 organizations; and
2223 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2425 Project 1 – Spring Break Service Trip; Kansas City, Kan.; March 19th-24th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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31 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3233 **SECTION 1.** Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leaders shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3435 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1291CW
37 of Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leaders.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Kansas
7 State Meat Science Association;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State Meat Science Association will be holding their Fourth Annual Student
10 BBQ Contest and Food Safety Workshop on Mar. 31st – Apr. 1st 2017;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The event will be held in conjunction with the University Open House with the food
13 safety workshop on Friday night in Weber Hall before the BBQ contest and on Saturday
14 on Weber Lawn; and
1516 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:17
18 Project 1 –Student BBQ Contest & Food Safety Workshop; Weber Hall & Lawn; Mar.
19 31st – Apr. 1st, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotions	\$400.00	\$300.00
Rent of Space	\$350.00	\$350.00
<u>Rent of Equipment</u>	<u>\$790.00</u>	<u>\$550.00</u>
TOTAL	\$1,540.00	\$1,200.00

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2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State Meat Science Association shall be allocated \$1,200.00 for the event
30 described.
3132 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0694CC of Kansas
34 State Meat Science Association.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

FEBRUARY 16, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 45 senators and 19 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Comstock
Senator Frankel
Senator Alamo
Senator Kennedy
Senator McIntire
Senator Holder

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Barnett
Senator Gray
Senator Lonker
Senator May
Senator Reichenberger
Senator Roman
Senator Solorzano

Intern Kallenberger
Intern Khoury
Intern Medley
Intern Mersmann
Intern M. Moore
Intern Struckle

OPEN PERIOD

K-State Collegian Media Group

- New Manhappenin' magazine
- Will be covering Student body president/vice president elections and Senate elections
- Have discontinued the Monday newspaper edition and run the paper from Tuesday-Friday

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. If you haven't already filled out the following survey on the makeup of SGA, please do so as soon as possible: <https://goo.gl/forms/rPn91wXD6oFycCi22>
2. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

There were none.

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Jackson

- Attendance confusion this year
- 2.5 absences, once you reach the 3rd absence you are sent to a trial to see if you are expelled from Senate
- Absences do not reset at semester
- If you are going to be gone you need to let your committee chair know and fill out an absence form on OrgSync
- One normal non academic absence per year
 - Can indicate this on the proxy form
- Academic reason is if you have an exam or professor is holding an exam review
- Greek events or organization meetings are unexcused

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1187079/show>

President Van Ranken

- Working group of Diversity 2025 committee has been doing very well
- Beginning to draft legislation to make the committee a standing committee so they can gather yearly to hear concerns
- Attended Kansas Board of Regents yesterday and discussed issues of higher education
 - Concealed Carry
 - Tuition and Fees
 - Much more
- Tuition and Fees strategy meeting this coming Tuesday 2/21 from 6-7:30pm in the OSAS conference room

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/45

Amendments To The Kansas State University Residence Hall Policies Regarding Political Campaigns (Public And University)

Introduced by Intern Markel

Positive Debate:

Intern Markel

Negative Debate:

Resolution 16/17/45 passed unanimously.

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Chair Valdez moved to consider the minor allocations

Bill 16/17/73

FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation To Rotaract Club Bill

16/17/74

FY 2017 Travel Allocation To National Society Of Pershing Rifles

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/75 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Responsibilities Of Student Government Officers

Chair J. Peuchen moved we consider Bill 16/17/75

Senator Sabatini moved to summarize Bill 16/17/75, Bill 16/17/76, Bill 16/17/77, Bill 16/17/78, and Bill 16/17/79

The above bills were approved to be summarized.

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Bill 16/17/75 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/76 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By- Laws Concerning The Responsibilities Of Student Government Officers

Chair Orth moved we consider Bill 16/17/76

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Bill 16/17/76 is referred back to Senate Operations

Bill 16/17/77 FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation American Choral Directors Association

Chair J. Peuchen moved we consider Bill 16/17/77

Introduced by Senator Klahr

Bill 16/17/77 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/78 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leaders

Senator Pepoon moved we consider Bill 16/17/78

Introduced by Intern Tuttle

Bill 16/17/78 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/79 FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Kansas State Meat Science Association

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved we consider Bill 16/17/79

Introduced by Chair Orth

Bill 16/17/79 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Doll

- If you are a sophomore with a 3.0 or above apply for Chimes Junior Honorary
- Applications closes tomorrow at 5pm

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/75 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/76 is referred back to Senate Operations

Bill 16/17/77 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/78 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/79 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

There were 48 senators and 19 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to adjourn until Thursday, February 23 at 7:00pm.

Motion passes. Adjourned at 7:50pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/46	Commendation To Michelle Ragan And Casey Bertelsman
Resolution 16/17/47	Commendation To The Kansas State University Black Student Union

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/48	Amendments To The Tuition And Fees Strategies Committee
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COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/73	FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation To Rotaract Club
Bill 16/17/74	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To National Society Of Pershing Rifles

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/75	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Responsibilities Of Student Government Officers
Bill 16/17/76	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Responsibilities Of Student Government Officers
Bill 16/17/77	FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation American Choral Directors Association
Bill 16/17/78	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leaders
Bill 16/17/79	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Kansas State Meat Science Association

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/80	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Public Relations Student Society of America
Bill 16/17/81	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Block and Bridle
Bill 16/17/82	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Biological and Agricultural Engineers

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/83	FY 2017 Allocation To International Tuba And Euphonium Association
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OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

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2. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>
3. Proxies:
 - Lowry for Lonker
 - Eidemiller for McIntire
 - Holder for Elliott
 - Pracht for Davis
4. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28 Distinguished Young Alumni Keynote Address – 4:30 in SLS Town Hall Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee Meeting – 6pm in OSAS	1	2 Senate, 7:00pm	3	4
5	6	7 General Election begins at noon! Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee Meeting – 6pm in OSAS	8 General Election ends at 6pm!	9 Senate, 7:00pm	10	11

“If you believe in yourself anything is possible.” – Miley Cyrus

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 2-16-17:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1190263/show>

Executive Committee:

Link:

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1188729/show>

- Decisions were made to fund the International Tuba and Euphonium Association (ITEA), and the Students for Environmental Action.

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1188738/show>

- PRESENTATIONS BY THE MILLING SCIENCE CLUB AND THE MEAT SCIENCE ASSOCIATION

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1190089/show>

- KSDB fielded further questions about their privilege fees. See supporting documentation here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1029162>
- Debated the Recreational Services Privilege Fees and will be authoring legislation that provides continuances to the Recreational Services Budget, Recreational Services Repair and Replacement Reserve, and the Recreational Complex Maintenance Reserve. The committee will also author increases to the Sports Club Activity Fee of \$6,000 for FY18, \$2,000 for FY19, and \$2,000 for FY20. See additional documentation here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1164803/show>
- SGA Privilege Fee Budget legislation will come to Senate next week.

Senate Operations Committee:

Link:

Governmental Relations Committee:

No meeting

Student Engagement Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1192302/show>

- To work on for the rest of the term:
 - By laws- give some more direction for the enumerated responsibilities of the student engagement chair.
 - Binder (fix the coherency issue) – this will be a guide for the next chair to follow.
 - Work sessions- to construct the binder.
 - Work with Intern Project

Diversity Programming Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

DIRECTOR'S REPORTS FOR THE WEEK

Directors – Remember to submit agenda items at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/239984>

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/46**

2 **COMMENDATION TO MICHELLE RAGAN**
3 **AND CASEY BERTELSMAN**

4 **BY:** College of Engineering Caucus

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6 **WHEREAS,** Two Kansas State University seniors in architectural engineering have been awarded
7 national scholarships from the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-
8 Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) organization;
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10 **WHEREAS,** Michelle Ragan has been selected to receive the Alwin B. Newton Scholarship;

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12 **WHEREAS,** Casey Bertelsman has been selected to receive the ASHRAE General Scholarship; and

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14 **WHEREAS,** Both scholarships were awarded for outstanding scholastic and leadership abilities,
15 character and potential service to the heating, ventilation, air-conditioning and
16 refrigeration profession.
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18 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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20 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and
21 congratulates Michelle Ragan and Casey Bertelsman for their outstanding academics,
22 leadership and character that resulted in the honor of receiving American Society of
23 Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) organization national
24 scholarships.
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26 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy
27 of this resolution be sent to Michelle Ragan, Casey Bertelsman, Raphael A. Yunk
28 Department Head of Architectural Engineering and Construction Science, Darren
29 Dawson Dean of the College of Engineering and President Richard B. Myers.
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RESOLUTION 16/17/47

**COMMENDATION TO THE KANSAS STATE
UNIVERSITY BLACK STUDENT UNION**

BY: Tendai Munyanyi, Stephen Kucera, Jonathan Peuchen, Caitlyn Dougherty, Anna Jackson, Andrew Peuchen, Jessica Van Ranken, Jordan Kiehl, Kaitlin Flores, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan Eberhardy, Andrew Crowder and Jack Ayres

WHEREAS, The Kansas State University's Black Student Union (KSU BSU) recently attended the 40th Annual Big 12 Black Student Government Conference at the University of Texas at Austin from Feb. 16th–19th, 2017;

WHEREAS, The KSU BSU was recognized as the most Outstanding Black Student Union in the Big 12 for the ninth time in the last 12 years;

WHEREAS, The KSU BSU Freshman Action Team was recognized as the Most Outstanding Freshman Action Team in the Big 12, winning the award for the third time; and

WHEREAS, Bryan Davis, president of the KSU BSU, was elected Chair of the Big 12 Council on Black Student Government.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) commends and congratulates Black Student Union (BSU) for being the most outstanding Black Student Union in the Big 12.

SECTION 2. KSU SGA commends and congratulates the KSU BSU Freshman Action Team for being the Most Outstanding Freshman Action Team in the Big 12.

SECTION 3. KSU SGA commends and congratulates Bryan Davis for being elected Chair of Big 12 Council on Black Student Government.

SECTION 4. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Coordinator of Multicultural Programs Brandon Clark, Kansas State University Black Student Union Advisor Bryon Williams, Kansas State University Black Student Union President Bryan Davis, Kansas State University Freshman Action Team President Alexis Cushshon, Interim Associate Provost for Diversity Zelia Wiley, Vice President of Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco and the Assistant Director of Diversity Mirta Chavez.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/48**

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE TUITION**
3 **AND FEES STRATEGIES COMMITTEE**

4 **BY:** Jack Ayres and Jessica Van Ranken

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6 **WHEREAS,** Matt Daly is no longer able to serve as the College of Agriculture representative on the
7 Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee
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9 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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11 **SECTION 1.** Will Moreland be approved as the College of Agriculture representative on the Tuition
12 and Fees Strategies Committee

3 **BY:** University Allocations Committee4
5 **WHEREAS,** The Rotaract Club, the college division of Rotary Club, works to better local
6 communities and communities abroad;7
8 **WHEREAS,** Water scarcity affects hundreds of poverty countries and communities around the world
9 with lack of sanitation and safe water;10
11 **WHEREAS,** The Walk for Water is a national 5K sponsored by Water Missions International
12 dedicated to providing clean water to impoverished nations;13
14 **WHEREAS,** The Walk for Water simulates the three mile walk that many women and children walk
15 with buckets of water; and16
17 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:18
19 Project 1 - Walk for Water; Kansas State University Campus; Apr. 8th, 2017.20
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Equipment Retail	\$700.00	\$700.00
Promotion	\$150.00	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$850.00	\$700.00

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2526 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**27
28 **SECTION 1.** Rotaract Club shall be allocated \$700.00 for the event described.29
30 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
31 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0928CW of Rotaract
32 Club.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the National
7 Society of Pershing Rifles (NSPR);
89 **WHEREAS,** NSPR would like to travel to a national drill competition and National Society of
10 Pershing Rifles National Convention in Jacksonville, Fla.;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Attendance at this event provides an opportunity for Kansas State University (KSU) to
13 compete and establish itself against colleges from across the country and provides
14 individuals interested in NSPR an incentive to attend KSU;15 **WHEREAS,** Attendees will bring back more knowledge of the leadership based society, tips and tools
16 to improve drill routines and overall achievement of the society missions; and17 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
1819 Project 1 – National Drill Competition and National Society of Pershing Rifles National
20 Convention; Mar. 8th-13th, 2017; Jacksonville, Fla.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
22 TRAVEL	\$600.00	\$600.00
23 TOTAL	\$600.00	\$600.00

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25 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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28 **SECTION 1.** The National Society of Pershing Rifles shall be allocated \$600.00 for the event
29 described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0765CW of the
33 National Society of Pershing Rifles.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT**
3 **GOVERNING ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE**
4 **RESPONSIBILITIES OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT OFFICERS**

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6 **BY:** Jack Ayres and Stephen Kucera

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8 **WHEREAS,** The Speaker Pro Tempore has historically served as a voting member on the Faculty
9 Senate Committee – Faculty Affairs;

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11 **WHEREAS,** Voting rights for student representatives on Faculty Senate committees is up to the
12 discretion of the Faculty Senate and is discussed in the documents governing the Senate
13 and its associate committees;

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15 **WHEREAS,** The Faculty Affairs committee routinely discusses issues relating to faculty, improving
16 the quality of teaching and the most effective methods for collection of student feedback
17 on classroom instruction; and

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19 **WHEREAS,** It is important for the governing documents of the Kansas State University Student
20 Governing Association to reflect the expectations and time commitments of its officers.

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22 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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24 **SECTION 1.** Article V, Section 406 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
25 Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:

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27 406. Duties and Powers of the Student Body President.

28 A. Serve as Chief Executive of the KSU SGA.

29 B. Represent and protect the rights and interests of the student body.

30 C. Approve or veto Student Senate legislation. The power to veto shall extend to all bills
31 and resolutions passed by Student Senate except those bills and resolutions
32 dealing with purely internal affairs of Student Senate (approvals of appointments,
33 resolutions of impeachment or expulsion, standing rules, and resolutions
34 expressing the opinion of only the Student Senate). Within eight days after
35 passage, every bill or resolution requiring the approval of the Student Body
36 President shall be signed by the Speaker of the Student Senate and presented to
37 the Student Body President. If the Student Body President approves the bill or
38 resolution, the President shall sign it. If the Student Body President does not
39 approve the bill or resolution, the President shall return it, with a statement of
40 objections, to the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall cause the veto
41 message to be read at the next meeting of Student Senate. Whenever a veto
42 message is so read, the Student Senate shall have eight days to reconsider the
43 legislation and such action shall be deemed final. If two-thirds of the total
44 membership of Student Senate selected and qualified shall vote to pass the
45 legislation, it shall take effect, notwithstanding the Student Body President's
46 veto. If no written veto is transmitted to the Speaker of the Student Senate within
47 eight days after presentation to the Student Body President, the legislation shall
48 take effect as if the President had approved it.

49 D. Call and preside over meetings of the student body.

50 E. Call special meetings of Student Senate with at least 24-hour notice.

51 F. Serve on Faculty Senate and ~~on the~~ Faculty Senate Committee on University Planning
52 ~~with voting rights.~~

53 G. Request the written interpretation of Student Tribunal on any provision of this
54 Constitution, charter, law of the student body or Student Senate act.

- 55 H. Examine the records of the Secretary of Student Senate, any administrative office of
56 the KSU SGA and any committee at any time.
- 57 I. Appoint, with the approval of Student Senate, Cabinet members (as specified in Section
58 408) who shall be responsible to him/her for execution of their duties and subject
59 to removal from office by him/her.
- 60 J. Take care that all provisions of this Constitution and the laws of the Student Senate are
61 faithfully executed.
- 62 K. Delegate authority to Cabinet members, but accept all responsibilities for the
63 executive branch of the KSU SGA.

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65 **SECTION 2.** Article V, Section 407 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
66 Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
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- 68 407. Duties of the Student Body Vice President shall include but are not limited to the
69 following:
- 70 A. Serve as Chief Executive of the KSU SGA in the temporary or permanent absence of
71 the Student Body President due to resignation or inability to perform and
72 discharge the office of Student Body President.
- 73 B. Serve as the official representative of the student body in the absence or inability
74 of the Student Body President.
- 75 C. Serve as chair of the Educational Opportunity Fund Committee (unless otherwise
76 stated by the Student Body President).
- 77 D. Serve as chair of the Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee (unless
78 otherwise stated by the Student Body President).
- 79 E. Oversee and coordinate special projects and programs of the KSU SGA, as assigned
80 by the Student Body President.
- 81 F. Make at-large appointments to all university committees in consultation with the
82 Student Body President.
- 83 G. Assist the Student Body President in appointing Cabinet members.
- 84 H. Serve on Faculty Senate and ~~on the Academic Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate~~
85 ~~with voting rights.~~

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87 **SECTION 3.** Article V, Section 506 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
88 Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
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- 90 506. The Speaker of the Student Senate shall have the following duties and powers:
- 91 A. Chair Student Senate meetings.
- 92 B. Call all Student Senate meetings, except as limited in Section 406.E.
- 93 C. Vote in Student Senate meetings only in the event of a tie.
- 94 D. Appoint and remove *the Student Senate Secretary, Student Senate Parliamentarian,*
95 *Intern Coordinator and chairs of Student Senate standing committees and*
96 *legislatively chartered committees in consultation with the Speaker Pro Tempore*
97 *of the Student Senate.* The appointments shall be subject to the approval of
98 Student Senate.
- 99 E. Appoint and remove Student Senators on Student Senate committees, *in consultation*
100 *with the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate.*
- 101 F. Appoint and remove Student Senators on University committees. The appointments
102 shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- 103 G. The succession to the office of Speaker of the Student Senate in case of removal,
104 death, resignation, inability, temporary absence or permanent inability to serve
105 shall be set forth in the By-Laws.
- 106 H. Chair Executive Committee meetings.
- 107 I. Supervise the Student Senate Secretary. ~~J. Supervise and the Student Senate~~
108 ~~Parliamentarian.~~

- ~~JK.~~ Supervise the Intern Coordinator and related activities.
~~KL.~~ Verify and sign all passed legislation and present such legislation to the Student Body President within eight days of the legislation's passage.
~~LM.~~ Represent Student Senate on other committees as appointed.
~~MN.~~ Serve on University Committees when asked to represent Student Senate.
~~O.~~ ~~Inform the Senate Operations Standing Committee when Senators and Interns are in violation of the attendance requirement.~~
~~NP.~~ Serve on Faculty Senate ~~and a Faculty Senate standing committee with voting rights,~~ and the Faculty Senate Executive Committee ~~as a non-voting member.~~
~~Q.~~ ~~Organize activities to help in the orientation of newly elected Student Senators.~~

SECTION 4. Article V, Section 507 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:

507. Duties and Powers of the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate.

- A. ~~Serve as Speaker of the Student Senate in the absence or at the request of the Speaker.~~
Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the Speaker's absence or at Speaker's request.
B. *Coordinate the open period speakers for the Student Senate.*
C. *Assist the Speaker of the Student Senate in the appointment of the secretary, Parliamentarian, Intern Coordinator and chairpersons of the standing committees.*
~~DB.~~ Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.
E. *Oversee the College Caucus system.*
~~FC.~~ Chair such Standing Committees as may be provided in the By-Laws.
~~GD.~~ Plan and organize *at least one diversity presentation, speaker, or training session for KSU SGA in each semester.* ~~annual KSU SGA diversity training sessions.~~
H. *Organize activities to help in the orientation of newly elected Student Senators.*
I. *Serve on the Faculty Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate.*

SECTION 5. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT**
3 **GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE**
4 **RESPONSIBILITIES OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT OFFICERS**
56 **BY:** Jack Ayres and Stephen Kucera
78 **WHEREAS,** It is important for the governing documents of the Kansas State University Student
9 Governing Association to reflect the expectations and time commitments of its officers.
1011 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1213 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 3, Subsections A and B of the Kansas State University Student
14 Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
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16 Section. 3. Duties and Powers of Student Senate Officers.

17 A. The Speaker of the Student Senate shall preside over all Student Senate
18 meetings and have the *duties enumerated in the KSU SGA*
19 *Constitution, Article V, Section 506.*~~power to excuse members.~~20 B. *The Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate shall have the duties*
21 *enumerated in the KSU SGA Constitution, Article V, Section*22 *507.*~~Duties of the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate shall~~
23 ~~include:~~24 1. ~~Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the~~
25 ~~Speaker's absence or at Speaker's request.~~26 2. ~~Coordinate the Student Senate open period speakers.~~27 3. ~~Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.~~28 4. ~~Oversee the College Caucus system.~~29 5. ~~Plan and organize annual KSU SGA diversity training sessions.~~
3031 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate, signature of the Student
32 Body President, and after Bill 16/17/75 takes effect.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the funding request from
7 American Choral Directors Association (ACDA);
89 **WHEREAS,** ACDA will be hosting Mr. Curtis Gulledge, a well-known professional singer and vocal
10 music director specializing in gospel music to host a master class and present: Spirituals
11 to Gospel: A Journey Through African America;
1213 **WHEREAS,** The ACDA hosting Mr. Curtis Gulledge will allow students and the local community to
14 gain valuable information and tools to use in their future music classrooms;
1516 **WHEREAS,** This event will allow an expansion in students' education of gospel and spiritual music,
17 as well as support the growth of cultural diversity on campus by providing the
18 opportunity to work with the United Black Voices Gospel Choir; and
1920 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2122 Project 2 – Master Class/Lecture Recital with Curtis Gulledge, March 14th and 15th,
23 2017; All Faith's Chapel.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
TOTAL	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00

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29 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**30
31 **SECTION 1.** American Choral Directors Association (ACDA) shall be allocated \$2,000.00 for the
32 event described.
3334 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
35 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0071FA of the
36 ACDA.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Edgerley-
7 Franklin Urban Leaders;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leaders will be taking 17 members to Kansas City, Kan., for a
10 service trip from March 19th-24th, 2017;11
12 **WHEREAS,** Members will tour various non-profit organizations making an impacting their
13 communities and meeting with community leaders including CEOs, directors,
14 entrepreneurs and program founders to gain insight into their journeys of becoming
15 agents of change;16
17 **WHEREAS,** Members who attend will be participating in hands-on volunteering and community
18 engagement to exercise their new leadership skills;19
20 **WHEREAS,** This service trip will teach leadership and civil engagement skills to pass on to other
21 organizations; and22
23 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:24
25 Project 1 – Spring Break Service Trip; Kansas City, Kan.; March 19th-24th, 2017.26
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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31 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**32
33 **SECTION 1.** Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leaders shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.34
35 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
36 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1291CW
37 of Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leaders.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Kansas
7 State Meat Science Association;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State Meat Science Association will be holding their Fourth Annual Student
10 BBQ Contest and Food Safety Workshop on Mar. 31st – Apr. 1st 2017;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The event will be held in conjunction with the University Open House with the food
13 safety workshop on Friday night in Weber Hall before the BBQ contest and on Saturday
14 on Weber Lawn; and
1516 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
1718 Project 1 –Student BBQ Contest & Food Safety Workshop; Weber Hall & Lawn; Mar.
19 31st – Apr. 1st, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotions	\$400.00	\$400.00
Rent of Space	\$350.00	\$350.00
Rent of Equipment	\$790.00	\$550.00
TOTAL	\$1,540.00	\$1,300.00

2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State Meat Science Association shall be allocated \$1,300.00 for the event
30 described.
3132 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0694CC of Kansas
34 State Meat Science Association.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Public
7 Relations Student Society of America (PRSSA);8
9 **WHEREAS,** PRSSA will be taking one member Mar. 30th- Apr. 2nd, 2017 to Seattle, Wash. for the
10 Public Relations Student Society of America National Assembly, a conference intended
11 to accelerate the student's leadership and professional development skills in the area of
12 Public Relations;13
14 **WHEREAS,** This will benefit the Kansas State University (K-State) student body as PRSSA members
15 will directly benefit by sending a representative to this conference and to give the chapter
16 a voice on the national level in the organization. Through this trip, the President will
17 learn how better to serve the chapter and bring back opportunities for the members of the
18 K-State PRSSA;19
20 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by the President will give information and leadership skills to bring
21 back to share with members. The President will act as a delegate and vote on national
22 council and bylaw changes;23
24 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards travel expenses; and25
26 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:27
28 Project 1 – Public Relations Student Society of America National Assembly; Seattle,
29 Wash.; Mar. 30th- Apr. 2nd, 2017.30
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
32 <u>Travel</u>	\$100.00	\$100.00
33 TOTAL	\$100.00	\$100.00

3435 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**36
37 **SECTION 1.** PRSSA shall be allocated \$100.00 for the event described.38
39 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
40 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0900CC of the
41 Public Relations Student Society of America.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Block and Bridle organization has requested funds to send
7 four members to the national Block and Bridle convention in Arlington, Va.;
89 **WHEREAS,** This convention will provide these members with the opportunity to listen to speakers
10 concerning related fields, participate in general sessions with organization members
11 across the nation, network and learn from industry leaders. Students will have the
12 opportunity to tour Washington D.C. and bring back the knowledge learned at this
13 convention to their organization; and
1415 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:16
17 Project 1 – National Block and Bridle Convention, Arlington, Va., Mar. 30th-Apr. 3rd,
18 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$400.00	\$400.00
TOTAL	\$400.00	\$400.00

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24 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**25
26 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Block and Bridle organization shall be allocated \$400.00 for
27 the event described.
2829 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
30 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0187CC of Kansas
31 State University Block and Bridle.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the
7 Biological and Agricultural Engineers;
89 **WHEREAS,** Biological and Agricultural Engineers will be taking 30 members on Mar. 10th, 2017 to
10 Lyons, Kan. for an industry tour of the Kan. Ethanol Plant;
1112 **WHEREAS,** This will benefit the students in attendance by allowing the students to see first hand
13 where they can apply their degree. Additionally, they will be able to network within the
14 company allowing them to develop relationships with professionals in their field;
1516 **WHEREAS,** The students in attendance will be able to bring back both the knowledge and experiences
17 gained by those in attendance to the rest of the organization; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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21 Project 1 – Biological and Agricultural Engineers Industry Tour; Lyons, Kan.; Mar. 10th,
22 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$150.00	\$150.00
TOTAL	\$150.00	\$150.00

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28 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2930 **SECTION 1.** Biological and Agricultural Engineers shall be allocated \$150.00 for the event described.
3132 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0181CC of the
34 Biological and Agricultural Engineers.

BY: University Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, The university allocations committee received and reviewed the request of the International Tuba and Euphonium Association (ITEA);

WHEREAS, ITEA will be taking 12 student members to the Great Plains Tuba and Euphonium Regional Conference at Iowa State University on May 3rd-5th, 2017;

WHEREAS, This conference will afford attendees the opportunity to attend concerts, master classes, clinics and network with professionals throughout the region and country;

WHEREAS, Tuba and Euphonium conferences and professionals are less common than for other instruments; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 2 – ITEA – Great Plains Tuba and Euphonium Regional Conference; Ames, Iowa; May 3rd-5th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. International Tuba and Euphonium Association (ITEA) shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0568FA of ITEA.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

FEBRUARY 23, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:01pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 49 senators and 21 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Lonker
Senator McIntire
Senator Elliott
Senator Bultongez
Senator Davis
Senator Eberhardy
Senator Kiehl
Senator McIntire

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Flores
Senator Gray
Senator J. Peuchen
Senator Renz
Senator Solorzano
Senator Wilhelm

Intern Aurand
Intern Hopfinger
Intern Kelly
Intern M. Moore

OPEN PERIOD

There were no open period speakers.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair A. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. If you haven't already filled out the following survey on the makeup of SGA, please do so as soon as possible: <https://goo.gl/forms/rPn91wXD6oFycCi22>
2. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/46

Commendation To Michelle Ragan And Casey Bertelsman

Senator Pracht moved to consider Resolution 16/17/46
Introduced by Senator Martin

Intern Kallenberger moved to pass Resolution 16/17/46 unanimously
Resolution 16/17/46 passed unanimously

Resolution 16/17/47

Commendation To The Kansas State University Black Student Union

Senator Holder moved to consider Resolution 16/17/47
Introduced by Director Munyanyi

oved to pass Resolution 16/17/47 unanimously
Resolution 16/17/47 passed unanimously

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/48

Amendments To The Tuition And Fees Strategies Committee

Senator Martin moved to consider Approval of Appointments
Introduced by President Van Ranken

Senator Valdez moved we approve Resolution 16/17/48 unanimously
Resolution 16/17/48 passed unanimously

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera on the Diversity Programming Committee

- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1192886/show>

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director Jewell

- Serves as the undergraduate representative on the Arts and Sciences Dean search committee
 - Closed interview process and will be bringing 3 candidates to campus
 - Current interim dean of Arts and Sciences at K-State will be presenting on Monday- open forum in Alumni Center from 1:30-2:45. All students welcome. 4:45-5:15 presentation and open forum for undergraduate and graduate students in Bluemont 21
 - Dr. Wayne Jones Jr. from the Chemistry department will be speaking and presenting at the same time as the above candidate
 - ON the 8th Dean of Arts and Sciences from Chattanooga will be presenting at the same times as the above candidates
- Will be presenting on the strategic vision for representing the College of Arts and Sciences

Director Munyanyi

- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1192931/show>

President Van Ranken

- Move of the counseling services department over to Lafene Health Center
 - Many years ago the English Department lost their space on campus so they are now scattered around in different locations.
 - Promise was made by President Wefald that they would eventually be housed in one building. Must honor the promise.
 - English Department will occupy the building by Spring 2018
 - \$300,000 worth of renovations and move to Lafene for Counseling Services
 - Various opinions from students as to if the privacy aspect in Lafene is substantial for everyone.

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Chair A. Peuchen moved to approve the minor allocations

Bill 16/17/73

FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation to Rotaract Club

Bill 16/17/74

FY 2017 Travel Allocation To National Society Of Pershing Rifles

The minor allocations were unanimously approved

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/75

Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Responsibilities Of Student Government Officers

Senator Martin moved to consider Bill 16/17/75

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved we hold Bill 16/17/75 and 16/17/76 for a bulk roll call vote.

Bill 16/17/75 passed by a bulk roll call vote of 52-0-0.

Bill 16/17/76

Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By- Laws Concerning The Responsibilities Of Student Government Officers

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/76 passed by a bulk roll call vote of 52-0-0.

Bill 16/17/77

FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation American Choral Directors Association

Introduced by Intern Khoury

Positive Debate:

Intern Khoury

Negative Debate:

Chair A. Peuchen moved we hold Bill 16/17/77-79 for a bulk roll call vote
Motion Passes

Bill 16/17/77 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 52-0-0

Bill 16/17/78 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Edgerley-Franklin Urban Leaders

Introduced by Intern Tuttle

Positive Debate:

Intern Tuttle

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/78 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 52-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/79 FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Kansas State Meat Science
Association**

Introduced by Chair Orth

Positive Debate:

Chair Orth

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/79 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 52-0-0.

INTRODUCTION TO MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Senator Valdez move we consider the Minor Allocations

Bill 16/17/80	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Public Relations Student Society of America
Bill 16/17/81	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Block and Bridle
Bill 16/17/82	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Biological and Agricultural Engineers

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/83

FY 2017 Allocation To International Tuba And Euphonium Association

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to consider Bill 16/17/83

Senator Sabatini moved the author be allowed to summarize

Motion passes.

Introduced by Intern Moore

Bill 16/17/78 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

OPEN PERIOD

Senator Frankel

- Member of Bill Snyder Leadership Legacy Program
- Low commitment- 4 or 5 requirements throughout the year
- Have to be graduating in 2018 to apply
- Applications are due tomorrow

Intern Kallenberger

- Wearing Red X's on hands to raise awareness on human trafficking campaign
- Last December National Defense Authorization act was passed
- Hasn't gained publicity recently, though it is a big problem in the U.S.
- Encouraged Senate to visit EndIt Campaign on Facebook for more information

Senator Pracht

- Town Hall in Leadership Studies AGR will put on their Spring Agriculture Symposium.

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Diversity 2025 meets Monday's from 4-5pm in the OSAS conference room
- All are welcome and encouraged to attend

Speaker Ayres

- Next Tuesday the 28th in Town Hall there will be Distinguished Young Alumni presentations.

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/78 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 49 senators and 21 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Holder moved to adjourn until Thursday, March 2 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 8:15pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/49 Commendation To Carlos Flores And Tiffany Carter

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/80	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Public Relations Student Society of America
Bill 16/17/81	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Block and Bridle
Bill 16/17/82	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Biological and Agricultural Engineers

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/83	FY 2017 Allocation To International Tuba And Euphonium Association
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INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/84	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Students For Environmental Action
Bill 16/17/85	FY 2017 Allocation Kansas State University Society Of Human Resource Management

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/86	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student Senate Interns
Bill 16/17/87	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Student Senate Intern Coordinator
Bill 16/17/88	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student Senate Intern Coordinator
Bill 16/17/89	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Student Senate Intern Coordinator
Bill 16/17/90	Continuance In The Recreational Services Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/91	Continuance In The Recreational Services Equipment Repair And Replacement Reserve Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/99	Continuance In The Recreational Complex Maintenance Reserve Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/92	Increase In The Sports Clubs Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/93	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Student Planning Association
Bill 16/17/94	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Professional Event Management Society
Bill 16/17/95	FY 2016 Travel Allocation To National Society Of Black Engineers
Bill 16/17/96	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Milling Science Club
Bill 16/17/97	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Biological And Agricultural Engineering Graduate Student Organization

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>
2. Proxies:
 - Valdez for Martin
 - Bartels for May
 - Kennedy for Pracht
 - Eidemiller for McIntire
3. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5	6	7 General Election begins at noon! Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee Meeting – 6pm in OSAS	8 General Election ends at 6pm!	9 Senate, 7:00pm	10	11
12	13	14 Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee Meeting – 6pm in OSAS	15	16 Senate, 7:00pm	17	18

“Today you are you! That is truer than true! There is no one alive who is you-er than you!” - Dr. Seuss

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 2-23-17:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1195434/show>

Executive Committee:

No meeting

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1194549/show>

- Decisions were made to fund the Students for Environmental Action

College Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1195559/show>

- PRESENTATIONS BY:
 - Wildcat Warriors
 - National Society of Black Engineers
 - SEAKM
 - KSU SHRM
 - Biological and Ag Engineering Graduate Student Organization
 - Professional Event Management Society

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1197003/show>

- Questions and Debate over KSDB Privilege Fee Funding. See supporting documentation here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1029162>
- It was moved and seconded that author legislation for the KSDB Operations Budget to receive a continuance for FY18. Motion Passed.
- It was moved and seconded that author legislation for KSDB Reserve and Replacement Account to receive a continuance for FY18. Motion Passed.

Senate Operations Committee:

Link:

Governmental Relations Committee:

No meeting

Student Engagement Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1194515/show>

- To work on for the rest of the term:
 - By laws- give some more direction for the enumerated responsibilities of the student engagement chair.
 - Binder (fix the coherency issue) – this will be a guide for the next chair to follow.
 - Work sessions- to construct the binder.
 - Work with Intern Project

Diversity Programming Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

DIRECTOR'S REPORTS FOR THE WEEK

Directors – Remember to submit agenda items at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/239984>

5 **BY:** Ryan Kelly, Jack Ayres, Wyatt Pracht, Dean Klahr, Sam Davis, Danielle Comstock,
6 Kyler Langvardt, and Karl Wilhelm
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8 **WHEREAS,** The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Agricultural Outlook Forum
9 Student Program exposes students to contemporary agribusiness, future trends, scientific
10 research, and agricultural policy in today's real world environment;
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12 **WHEREAS,** The USDA Agricultural Outlook Forum took place from February 23rd, 2017 to February
13 24th, 2017 in Washington D.C.,
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15 **WHEREAS,** Carlos Flores, senior in agricultural economics, and Tiffany Carter, graduate student in
16 agronomy, were two of 28 students selected from a national pool of Land-Grant Colleges
17 and Universities, Hispanic-Serving Institutions, and Non-Land-Grant Colleges of
18 Agriculture to represent their respective schools at the Forum;
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20 **WHEREAS,** These students were provided an opportunity to meet, exchange ideas, and discuss timely
21 issues at the forefront of America's agriculture with producers, policymakers, businesses,
22 government, and industry leaders;
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24 **WHEREAS,** The USDA Agricultural Outlook Forum equipped these students with the skills necessary
25 to diversify and educate present and future generations of K-State agriculture students.
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27 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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29 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates
30 Carlos Flores and Tiffany Carter for their acceptance to and participation in the USDA
31 Agricultural Outlook Forum.
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33 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, a copy of
34 this resolution shall be sent to Carlos Flores, Tiffany Carter, Dean of the College of
35 Agriculture and director of K-State Research and Extension John Floros, Interim
36 Associate Provost for Diversity Zelia Wiley, Interim Diversity Programs Office
37 Coordinator for the College of Agriculture Terri Blackmon, Associate Dean of the
38 College of Agriculture Don Boggs, Department Head of Agricultural Economics Allen
39 Featherstone, Agricultural Policy professor Barry Flinchbaugh, Graduate School Dean
40 Carol Shanklin, Vice President for Student life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, and
41 President Richard B. Myers.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Public
7 Relations Student Society of America (PRSSA);8
9 **WHEREAS,** PRSSA will be taking one member Mar. 30th- Apr. 2nd, 2017 to Seattle, Wash. for the
10 Public Relations Student Society of America National Assembly, a conference intended
11 to accelerate the student's leadership and professional development skills in the area of
12 Public Relations;13
14 **WHEREAS,** This will benefit the Kansas State University (K-State) student body as PRSSA members
15 will directly benefit by sending a representative to this conference and to give the chapter
16 a voice on the national level in the organization. Through this trip, the President will
17 learn how better to serve the chapter and bring back opportunities for the members of the
18 K-State PRSSA;19
20 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by the President will give information and leadership skills to bring
21 back to share with members. The President will act as a delegate and vote on national
22 council and bylaw changes;23
24 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards travel expenses; and25
26 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:27
28 Project 1 – Public Relations Student Society of America National Assembly; Seattle,
29 Wash.; Mar. 30th- Apr. 2nd, 2017.30
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$100.00	\$100.00
TOTAL	\$100.00	\$100.00

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3435 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**36
37 **SECTION 1.** PRSSA shall be allocated \$100.00 for the event described.38
39 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
40 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0900CC of the
41 Public Relations Student Society of America.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Block and Bridle organization has requested funds to send
7 four members to the national Block and Bridle convention in Arlington, Va.;8
9 **WHEREAS,** This convention will provide these members with the opportunity to listen to speakers
10 concerning related fields, participate in general sessions with organization members
11 across the nation, network and learn from industry leaders. Students will have the
12 opportunity to tour Washington D.C. and bring back the knowledge learned at this
13 convention to their organization; and14
15 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:16
17 Project 1 – National Block and Bridle Convention, Arlington, Va., Mar. 30th-Apr. 3rd,
18 2017.19
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
21 <u>Travel</u>	\$400.00	\$400.00
22 TOTAL	\$400.00	\$400.00

2324 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**25
26 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Block and Bridle organization shall be allocated \$400.00 for
27 the event described.28
29 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
30 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0187CC of Kansas
31 State University Block and Bridle.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the American
7 Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers;8
9 **WHEREAS,** PRSSA will be taking 30 members on March 10th to Lyons Kansas for an industry tour of
10 the Kansas Ethanol Plant;11
12 **WHEREAS,** This will benefit the students in attendance by allowing the students to see first hand
13 where they can apply their degree. Additionally, they will be able to network within the
14 company allowing them to develop relationships with professionals in their field;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The students in attendance will be able to bring back both the knowledge and experiences
17 had by those in attendance to the rest of the organization;18
19 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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21 Project 1 – Biological and Agricultural Engineers Industry Tour; Lyons Kansas; March
22 10th.23
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$150.00	\$150.00
TOTAL	\$150.00	\$150.00

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2728 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**29
30 **SECTION 1.** American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers shall be allocated \$150.00 for
31 the event described.32
33 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
34 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0090CC of the
35 American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The university allocations committee received and reviewed the request of the
7 International Tuba and Euphonium Association (ITEA);
89 **WHEREAS,** ITEA will be taking 12 student members to the Great Plains Tuba and Euphonium
10 Regional Conference at Iowa State University on May 3rd-5th, 2017;
1112 **WHEREAS,** This conference will afford attendees the opportunity to attend concerts, master classes,
13 clinics and network with professionals throughout the region and country;
1415 **WHEREAS,** Tuba and Euphonium conferences and professionals are less common than for other
16 instruments; and
1718 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
1920 Project 2 – ITEA – Great Plains Tuba and Euphonium Regional Conference; Ames,
21 Iowa; May 3rd-5th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
24 Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
25 TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** International Tuba and Euphonium Association (ITEA) shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for
30 the event described.
3132 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0568FA of ITEA.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Students for
7 Environmental Action;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Students for Environmental Action is a student organization on campus that raises
10 awareness for environmental issues and looks for ways to address said issues;11
12 **WHEREAS,** Seven members of the Students for Environmental Action will be attending the 2017 Fate
13 of the Earth Conference, during which students will be able to experience environmental
14 justice and discuss innovative ways to raise environmental awareness on campus; and15
16 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:17
18 Project 1 – Travel; Apr. 11th-14th, 2017; East Lansing, Mich.19
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$700.00	\$700.00
TOTAL	\$700.00	\$700.00

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2324 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**25
26 **SECTION 1.** Students for Environmental Action shall be allocated \$700.00 for the event described.27
28 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
29 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1077CW of Students
30 for Environmental Action.

5 **BY:** College Allocations Committee6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State chapter of the Society of Human Resource Management (SHRM) will
8 be attending the 2017 SHRM Student Case Competition and Career Summit in Tigard,
9 Ore. Students have spent months preparing for the case competition, where students have
10 improved their problem solving, teamwork and leadership skills;11
12 **WHEREAS,** Students will hear from keynote speakers and will have the opportunity to sit down with
13 local HR practitioners and engage with prospective employers. The conference will
14 enhance students' perspective on how to be a member of the HR community; and15
16 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:17
18 Project 1 – 2017 SHRM Student Case Competition and Career Summit, Tigard, Ore.
19 Mar. 30th – Apr. 2nd, 2017.20
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
22 Travel	\$600.00	\$600.00
23 TOTAL	\$600.00	\$600.00

2425 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**26
27 **SECTION 1.** SHRM shall be allocated \$600.00 for the event described.28
29 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
30 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0994CC of the
31 Kansas State University Society of Human Resource Management.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS**
4 **CONCERNING THE STUDENT SENATE INTERNS**5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Student Governing Association (SGA) Intern Program is a key component of
8 students who are interested in being involved with SGA learning the basic structure and
9 function of the SGA;10
11 **WHEREAS,** The current Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws limit the
12 yearly Senate Intern class to a minimum of 20 and a maximum of 25 students; and13
14 **WHEREAS,** We believe it would be beneficial to expand the size of future Intern classes to 35 Interns.15
16 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**17
18 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 10, sub-section A of the Kansas State University Student Governing
19 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:20
21 A. The Senate Intern Program shall consist of a maximum of ~~twenty-five~~ *thirty-five*
22 and a minimum of ~~sixteen~~ *twenty* Interns, each serving until the end of the current Senate
23 term. Interns shall be selected before the fourth occurrence of Student Senate of the fall
24 semester with their approval to be voted on by the fourth occurrence of Student Senate
25 through an application and interview process by a three-member panel consisting of the
26 Speaker of the Student Senate, Speaker pro tempore of Student Senate, and Student
27 Senate Intern Coordinator, and shall be approved by Student Senate. In the event of an
28 absence by any panel member from an interview, an alternate shall replace the absent
29 member. The alternate(s) shall be any of the following: KSU SGA Advisor, or any
30 member of KSU SGA as chosen by the Senate Intern Coordinator with approval from the
31 Speaker of Student Senate. Three members of the panel shall be present at all interviews.

- 32 1. Applicants whose applications are approved by a majority vote of the panel shall
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- 33 be interviewed by the panel. For pre-screening of the applications, a set of
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- 34 criteria shall be predetermined and all documented.
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- 35 2. Questions asked during interviews shall be documented. A predetermined set of
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- 36 questions shall be consistently asked to all interviewees, and all follow-up
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- 37 questions shall be related to the predetermined question. Any members affiliated
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- 38 with KSU SGA has the right to review this information. This information shall
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- 39 also be open to public review

40 B. Interns shall be non-voting members of Student Senate and shall be subject to
41 removal by the voting members of Student Senate for malfeasance, nonfeasance, or
42 misfeasance. Interns shall have the ability to make any motion. Interns may not sponsor
43 any legislation without a Senator co-sponsor. Interns shall have the same duties as
44 Student Senator as outlined in Article IV, Section 4 of the KSU SGA By-Laws.
45 Attendance policies shall be provided for in the Student Senate Standing Rules.46 C. Interns shall be assigned by the Senate Intern Coordinator to serve on Student
47 Senate standing committees as voting committee members48 D. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the Student Senate Intern program no more
49 than two weeks after the start of the intern program, a replacement may be chosen from
50 the most qualified unsuccessful candidates for Student Senate Intern at the discretion of
51 the three-member selection panel and approved by Student Senate. If a vacancy causes

the number of interns to fall below ~~12~~ 16 a review of the Intern Program and Senate Intern Coordinator should be encouraged by KSU SGA leadership.

SECTION 2. Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows

C. ~~Interns shall be assigned by the Senate Intern Coordinator to serve on Student Senate standing committees as voting committee members or to a Cabinet Member of the Executive Branch.~~ *The Intern Coordinators shall plan and coordinate a rotation schedule in which each Intern shall experience and learn about each branch of SGA.*

SECTION 3. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION**
4 **CONCERNING THE STUDENT SENATE INTERN COORDINATOR**

5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres

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7 **WHEREAS,** By expanding the Intern class to 35 students rather than 25 will increase the workload of
8 future Intern Coordinators; and
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10 **WHEREAS,** It would benefit not only the Intern Coordinator but also improve the experience of future
11 Interns to have a second Intern Coordinator.
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13 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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15 **SECTION 1.** Article V, Section 505, sub-section E of the Kansas State University Student Governing
16 Association Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
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18 E. *Two* Intern Coordinators, who shall be appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate,
19 and shall be subject to removal from office by him/her. The appointment shall be subject
20 to the approval of Student Senate.
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22 **SECTION 2.** Article V, Section 506, sub-section K of the Kansas State University Student Governing
23 Association Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
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25 K. Supervise the Intern Coordinators and related activities.
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27 **SECTION 3.** Article XIII of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution
28 is hereby amended to read as follows:
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30 1302. Expulsion of Members of the Legislative Branch. Student Senate, by resolution
31 adopted by two-thirds vote of the total membership of Student Senate selected and
32 qualified, may expel the Speaker of the Student Senate, the Speaker pro tempore of the
33 Student Senate, the Student Senate Intern Coordinators, any Student Senate Committee
34 Chair, any Student Senator or Student Senate Intern for misfeasance, malfeasance, or
35 nonfeasance (as specified in this Article) or violations of the Constitution, By-Laws,
36 Statutes or Student Senate Rules.
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38 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the
39 Student Body President.

5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres6
7 **WHEREAS,** Pending the amendment of the Student Governing Association By-Laws to allow for two
8 Intern Coordinators rather than one there shall now be four members on the senate panel
9 dealing with Intern selection.10
11 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**12
13 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 3, sub-section E of the Kansas State University Student Governing
14 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:15
16 E. Duties of the *two* Student Senate Intern Coordinator shall include:17
18 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 5, sub-section B of the Kansas State University Student Governing
19 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:20
21 B. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the office of Student Senator, an Interim
22 Student Senator who meets all eligibility requirements defined in the KSU SGA
23 Constitution shall be determined by the following means until a replacement Student
24 Senator, described in the provisions above, is sworn into office. The Interim Student
25 Senator will have full privileges as a Student Senator and must follow all guidelines
26 described for the office of Student Senator while maintaining the responsibilities of
27 Student Senate Intern.

- 28 1. A Student Senate Intern representing the respective college may be named to
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- 29 serve as the Interim Student Senator after recommendation of the Student Senate
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- 30 Intern Coordinators.
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- 31 2. If a Student Senate Intern is not recommended by the Student Senate Intern
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- 32 Coordinator, then the respective college caucus may name a student in the
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- 33 respective college to serve as the Interim Student Senator
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- 34 3. After a replacement Student Senator has been sworn into office by the means
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- 35 described in (A) above, the Interim Student Senator's privileges and
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- 36 responsibilities will revert back to those of Student Senate Intern.

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38 **SECTION 3.** Article IV, Section 10 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
39 Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:40
41 A. The Senate Intern Program shall consist of a maximum of twenty-five and a
42 minimum of sixteen Interns, each serving until the end of the current Senate
43 term. Interns shall be selected before the fourth occurrence of Student Senate of the fall
44 semester with their approval to be voted on by the fourth occurrence of Student Senate
45 through an application and interview process by a ~~three~~ *four*-member panel consisting of
46 the Speaker of the Student Senate, Speaker pro tempore of Student Senate, and *the*
47 Student Senate Intern Coordinators, and shall be approved by Student Senate. In the
48 event of an absence by any panel member from an interview, an alternate shall replace
49 the absent member. The alternate(s) shall be any of the following: KSU SGA Advisor, or
50 any member of KSU SGA as chosen by the Senate Intern Coordinators with approval
51 from the Speaker of Student Senate. ~~Three-Four~~ members of the panel shall be present at
52 all interviews.

1. Applicants whose applications are approved by a majority vote of the panel shall be interviewed by the panel. For pre-screening of the applications, a set of criteria shall be predetermined and all documented.
 2. Questions asked during interviews shall be documented. A predetermined set of questions shall be consistently asked to all interviewees, and all follow-up questions shall be related to the predetermined question. Any members affiliated with KSU SGA has the right to review this information. This information shall also be open to public review
- B. Interns shall be non-voting members of Student Senate and shall be subject to removal by the voting members of Student Senate for malfeasance, nonfeasance, or misfeasance. Interns shall have the ability to make any motion. Interns may not sponsor any legislation without a Senator co-sponsor. Interns shall have the same duties as Student Senator as outlined in Article IV, Section 4 of the KSU SGA By-Laws. Attendance policies shall be provided for in the Student Senate Standing Rules.
- C. Interns shall be assigned by the Senate Intern Coordinators to serve on Student Senate standing committees as voting committee members
- D. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the Student Senate Intern program no more than two weeks after the start of the intern program, a replacement may be chosen from the most qualified unsuccessful candidates for Student Senate Intern at the discretion of the three-member selection panel and approved by Student Senate. If a vacancy causes the number of interns to fall below 12 a review of the Intern Program and Senate Intern Coordinators should be encouraged by KSU SGA leadership.

SECTION 2. Article IV, Section 16, sub-section A of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

- A. Shall be composed of the following members:
1. The Chair shall be the Sustainability Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet.
 2. One Student Senator appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate.
 3. One Student Senate Intern appointed by the Student Senate Intern Coordinators in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
 4. Up to four students with at least one student representing a registered student organization with a focus on sustainability or green initiatives.
 5. A representative from the Office of the Provost.
 6. One faculty representative appointed by the Sustainability Director of the student body president's cabinet.

SECTION 3. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **STATUTES REGARDING THE STUDENT SENATE INTERN**
5 **COORDINATOR**

6 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres

7 **WHEREAS,** Pending passage of changes to the Student Governing Association By-Laws concerning
8 the number of Intern Coordinators there will now be more than one Intern Coordinator;
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10 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 53, of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is
13 hereby amended to read as follows:
14 Section. 53-0211 Attendance Policies

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16 A. The Student Senate Secretary shall call the roll at the beginning and end of each
17 Student Senate meeting immediately following the Pledge of Allegiance and at the
18 completion of the meeting agenda. Standing committee chairs and Student Senate
19 Interns shall be included in both such roll calls. Each roll call missed shall count as
20 one-half of an absence, unless the person is already excused for the meeting. No
21 one can receive more than one unexcused absence for each meeting of Student
22 Senate.

- 23 1. Student Senate Intern attendance requirements shall be set by the Intern
24 Coordinators upon the Interns' acceptance into the program.
25 2. The allowed absences set by the Intern Coordinators shall not require less
26 than one-half of all Student Senate meetings.
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28 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
29 body president.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of Recreational Services
7 during the scheduled three-year review cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Recreations Services department manages the Chester E. Peters Recreation Center,
10 Outdoor Rental Center, associated Outdoor Recreation areas including play fields, tennis,
11 basketball and sand volleyball courts and joint usage of the Ahearn recreation facility and
12 natatorium;13
14 **WHEREAS,** Recreational Services manages the program areas of intramurals, sport clubs,
15 fitness/wellness, challenge course, aquatics, climbing wall and the free time usage of the
16 Peters Recreation Complex;17
18 **WHEREAS,** There are currently 541 students employed by Recreational Services;19
20 **WHEREAS,** During the fiscal year 2016, there were 17,847 students who accessed the Rec/Pool at
21 least once;22
23 **WHEREAS,** The committee considered a cut that would reduce the balance of the Recreational
24 Services Student Fee account to a zero balance over the next three years in response to
25 the large allocations that were not fully spent; and26
27 **WHEREAS,** The committee decided to accept the director's proposal for a continuance as it would
28 allow him further flexibility if a more expensive year was to come.29
30 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**31
32 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
33 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
34 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.35
36 **RECREATIONAL SERVICES PRIVILEGE**
37 **FEE AGREEMENT**38
39 This agreement made this ____ day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
40 Governing Association Student Senate (KSU SGA), and Kansas State University Recreational Services
41 (DEPARTMENT).

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- 43 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the following
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- 44 levels for the following fiscal years: \$1,390,614 for July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018;
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- 45 \$1,390,614 for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019; \$1,390,614 for July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020.
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- 46 The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2020-2021 academic year.
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- 48 2. Of the funds allocated each fiscal year, \$25,000 shall be budgeted for the repair, replacement,
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- 49 and/or the purchasing of new equipment.
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- 51 3. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with
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- 52 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.
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- 54 4. Any breach of this agreement by DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by KSU

55 SGA and such review could result in the decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET.
56 The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not constitute a
57 waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
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- 59 5. Within 90 days of the end of the fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall submit
60 a written summary of BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair to be available for
61 review by KSU SGA.
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- 63 6. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at KSU is permitted with privilege
64 fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student body. (SGA
65 Constitution Article V Section 509 Letter C and Article XI Section 1105)
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- 67 a. Construction shall be defined as capital outlay costs to construct new or make additions
68 onto an existing building or facility.
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- 70 b. Renovation shall be defined as any capital outlay costs used to make modifications to
71 existing building or facilities. Examples of uses of these funds include major
72 replacements (more than \$30,000), building additions, facility betterments and
73 improvements which occur infrequently.
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- 75 7. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 77 8. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent that
78 each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such party
79 and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 81 9. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Director of
82 Recreational Services Steve Martini, Chair of the Recreational Services Council Trenton
83 Kennedy, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President
84 for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres,
85 Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

5 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of Recreational Services
8 during the scheduled three-year review cycle;
910 **WHEREAS,** This fund is currently used for building equipment repairs and replacements including
11 fitness equipment, building equipment and building furnishings at the Chester E. Peter
12 Recreation Complex that are not fixed or a major part or component of structure or
13 structural equipment; and
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee committee saw that this budget was being used prudently and
16 recommends that a continuance be allocated for fiscal years 2018-2020.
1718 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1920 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
21 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
22 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.
2324 **RECREATIONAL SERVICES EQUIPMENT REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT**
25 **RESERVE PRIVILEGE FEE BUDGET AGREEMENT**
2627 This agreement made on ____ day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
28 Governing Association (KSU SGA), and Kansas State University Recreational Services
29 (DEPARTMENT).
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- 31 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the
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- 32 following levels for the following fiscal years: \$10,500.00 for July 1, 2017 to June 30,
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- 33 2018; \$10,500.00 for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019; \$10,500.00 for July 1, 2019 to June
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- 34 30, 2020. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2020-2021 academic year.
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- 36 2. These monies shall only be expended for the repair and replacement of building
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- 37 equipment, fitness equipment, and building furnishings that are not part of normal
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- 38 maintenance. These funds shall not be utilized for the repair or replacement of fixed
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- 39 building property or for a major part or component of structure or structural equipment.
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- 41 3. Normal maintenance shall be defined as costs such as cleaning, adjustments and painting,
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- 42 which are incurred on a continuous basis to keep operational assets in usable condition.
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- 44 4. Any repair or replacement that exceeds \$30,000 must first be approved by the Privilege
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- 45 Fee Committee.
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- 47 5. If these monies are not spent during the fiscal year in which they are allocated, any
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- 48 remaining monies in the account shall carry over into the next fiscal year. The reserve
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- 49 account shall not exceed \$100,000.00. Once this limit is reached, any money budgeted to
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- 50 this account shall instead be allocated to the Debt Reduction and Emergency Allocation
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- 51 Account.
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- 53 6. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with the
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- 54 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.

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- 56 7. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by
- 57 KSU SGA and such review could result in the decrease or termination of funding of the
- 58 BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not
- 59 constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
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- 61 8. Within 90 days of the end of the fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall
- 62 submit a written summary of BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair to be
- 63 available for review by KSU SGA.
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- 65 9. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at KSU is permitted with
- 66 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
- 67 body. (SGA Constitution Article V Section 509 Letter C and Article XI Section 1105)
- 68
- 69 a. Construction shall be defined as capital outlay costs to construct new or make
- 70 additions onto an existing building or facility.
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- 72 b. Renovation shall be defined as any capital outlay costs used to make
- 73 modifications to existing building or facilities. Examples of uses of these funds
- 74 include major replacements (greater than \$30,000), building additions, facility
- 75 betterments and improvements which occur infrequently.
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- 77 10. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 79 11. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent
- 80 that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such
- 81 party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 83 12. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Director of
- 84 Recreational Services Steve Martini, Recreational Services Council Chair Trenton
- 85 Kennedy, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice
- 86 President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate
- 87 Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair
- 88 Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of Recreational Services
7 during the scheduled three-year review cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** During the Privilege Fee review of Recreational Services in 2011 the Privilege Fee
10 Committee established this fund using bond surplus money to ensure the long term
11 maintenance and upkeep of the Recreation Complex;12
13 **WHEREAS,** Many of the major pieces of equipment at the Recreation Complex are nearing the end of
14 their life expectancy, and continual funding will provide the means for responsibly
15 budgeting these expenses over several years;16
17 **WHEREAS,** The Recreational Complex Maintenance Reserve Account contains \$804,822. However,
18 the Recreation Complex has \$2,697,000 in upcoming maintenance projects due by 2020
19 for major equipment that has reached its life expectancy;20
21 **WHEREAS,** The committee considered placing a cap on the account or reducing our annual allocation.
22 However, the committee decided that this not be a good ideas with the amount of
23 upcoming maintenance projects coming due by 2020;24
25 **WHEREAS,** The committee recognized that the Bond Surplus Account is not a stable source of long-
26 term funding and recommends that this contract be added to the Campus Privilege Fee;
27 and28
29 **WHEREAS,** The committee recommends the continuance of this fund to ensure Rec Services has
30 adequate reserves in the event of a largescale replacement or emergency.31
32 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**33
34 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
35 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
36 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.37
38 **RECREATIONAL COMPLEX MAINTAINENCE RESERVE**
39 **PRIVILEGE FEE AGREEMENT**40
41 This agreement, made the ____ day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
42 Governing Association (KSU SGA), and Kansas State Recreational Services (DEPARTMENT).43 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the
44 following levels for the following fiscal years: \$200,000.00 for July 1, 2017 to June 30,
45 2018; \$200,000.00 for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019; \$200,000.00 for July 1, 2019 to
46 June 30, 2020. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2020-2021 academic year.47
48 2. Any use of these monies must receive approval from the Privilege Fee Committee.
49 During a time when the Privilege Fee Committee is not regularly scheduled to meet, use
50 of these monies may be approved through written consent of the Privilege Fee Chair and
51 Speaker of the Student Senate. A post completion financial review of expenditures will
52 be sent to the Privilege Fee Committee following any use of these funds. The only
53 acceptable uses of these funds are for the DEPARTMENT and are as follows:
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55 a. Major maintenance expenses incurred by the building including the repair and/or
56 replacement of fixed building property, a major part or component of structure,
57 structural equipment that are not part of normal maintenance and ordinary repairs
58 (as defined below) of the facility. This definition also includes the removal of a
59 major part or component of structure and the substitution of a new part or
60 component essentially of the same type and performance capabilities. Replacing
61 a revenue generator with a different one is not allowable through this definition.
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63 3. Normal maintenance and ordinary repairs shall be defined as costs such as cleaning,
64 adjustment and painting which are incurred on a continuous basis to keep operational
65 assets in usable condition. Ordinary repairs are outlays for parts, labor and related
66 supplies which are necessary to keep the asset in operational condition, but neither (a)
67 add materially to the value of the asset, nor (b) prolong its life appreciably.
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69 4. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with
70 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.
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72 5. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by
73 KSU SGA and such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the
74 BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not
75 constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
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77 6. Within 90 days after the end of the fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall
78 submit a written summary of expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair to be available for
79 review by KSU SGA.
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81 7. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at K-State is permitted with
82 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
83 body. (SGA Constitution Article V Section 509 Letter C and Article XI Section 1102)
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85 a. Construction shall be defined as capital outlay costs to construct new or make
86 additions onto an existing building or facility.
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88 b. Renovation shall be defined as any capital outlay costs used to make
89 modifications to existing building or facilities. Examples of uses of these funds
90 include major replacements (over \$30,000), building additions, facility
91 betterments and improvements which occur infrequently.
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93 8. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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95 9. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent
96 that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such
97 party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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99 10. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Director of
100 Recreational Services Steve Martini, Chair of the Recreational Services Council Trenton
101 Kennedy, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice
102 President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate
103 Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair
104 Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of Recreational Services
7 during the scheduled three-year review cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Sports Clubs activities add a great deal to the experience of student life and retention and
10 the Sports Clubs Privilege Fee helps reduce the cost that students involved with these
11 activities incur;12
13 **WHEREAS,** The Sports Club Allocation Committee allocates these funds – which over past years
14 have been exhausted, while only meeting a small percentage of intramural teams' funding
15 requests; and16
17 **WHEREAS,** The committee was presented a larger increase, but rejected it due to comparisons with
18 other student organization and academic competition teams that we fund.19
20 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**21
22 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
23 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
24 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.25
26 **SPORTS CLUB ACTIVITY FEE PRIVILEGE**
27 **FEE AGREEMENT**28
29 This agreement made this ____ day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
30 Governing Association (KSU SGA), and the Kansas State University Sports Clubs (DEPARTMENT).

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- 32 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the
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- 33 following levels for the following fiscal years: \$65,000.00 for July 1, 2017 to June 30,
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- 34 2018; \$67,000.00 for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019; \$69,000.00 for July 1, 2019 to June
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- 35 30, 2020. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2020-2021 academic year.
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- 37 2. Any funds not spent at the end of the fiscal year shall revert to the Sports Club Reserve
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- 38 Account.
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- 40 a. Money in the Sports Club Reserve Account shall be only allocated to either those
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- 41 teams who have qualified and will be attending their national competition or to
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- 42 newly registered teams that are in need of start-up funding.
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- 44 b. A minimum of four percent of the total per year allocation shall remain in the
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- 45 Sports Club Reserve Account.
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- 47 3. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with the
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- 48 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.
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- 50 4. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by
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- 52 BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not
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- 53 constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
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- 55 5. Within 90 days of the end of the fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall
56 submit a written summary of BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair to be
57 available for review by KSU SGA.
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- 59 6. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at KSU is permitted with
60 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
61 body. (SGA Constitution Article V Section 509 Letter C and Article XI Section 1105)
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- 63 a. Construction shall be defined as capital outlay costs to construct new or make
64 additions onto an existing building or facility.
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- 66 b. Renovation shall be defined as any capital outlay costs used to make
67 modifications to existing building or facilities. Examples of uses of these funds
68 include major replacements (more than \$30,000), building additions, facility
69 betterments and improvements which occur infrequently.
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- 71 7. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 73 8. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent
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75 party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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82 Jonathan Peuchen.

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4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee

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6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Student
7 Planning Association (SPA);

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9 **WHEREAS,** SPA will be taking seven members from May 4th-9th, 2017 to attend the Student Planning
10 Association National Conference in New York, New York;

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12 **WHEREAS,** The SPA National Conference provides educational, networking, and professional
13 opportunities for those who attend. This event will promote the Kansas State University
14 Regional & Community Planning program in a professional setting. This conference
15 enables students to show off what the program has to offer to professionals throughout
16 the nation;

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18 **WHEREAS,** Five of the students in the group attending will be presenting work that they have been
19 doing individually or that Student Planning Association has done as a group. It will
20 provide the program exposure on a national level and attract potential employers to look
21 at Kansas State University and the planning program;

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23 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards their travel costs; and

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25 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

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27 Project 1 – Student Planning Association, May 4th-9th; New York, N.Y.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
28 Travel	\$1,000.00	\$700.00
29 TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$700.00

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32 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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34 **SECTION 1.** Student Planning Association shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.

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36 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1058CC of Student
38 Planning Association.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the
7 Professional Event Management Society (PEMS);
89 **WHEREAS,** PEMS will be taking 15 members to Wichita, Kan. to tour different event venues in the
10 area and perform community service;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The trip will give those who attend exposure to event venues and coordinators outside of
13 Manhattan, Kan. and the opportunity to network with industry professionals;
1415 **WHEREAS,** Members who do not attend will benefit from the experiences that are shared with them,
16 which could also be used to help formulate future event planning courses; and
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19 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2021 Project 1 –Professional Event Management Society; Wichita, Kan.; Apr. 8th-9th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
24 Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
25 TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** The Professional Event Management Society shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event
30 described.
3132 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1365CC of the
34 Professional Event Management Society.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Kansas
7 State University National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE);
89 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University NSBE will be sending 30 members to the National Society
10 of Black Engineers Convention at the Kansas City Convention Center in Kansas City,
11 MO from Mar 29th-Apr 2nd, 2017;
1213 **WHEREAS,** The traveling group members will be attending various competitions, seminars and
14 spotlights as well as interacting with other students and professionals from different
15 institutions;
1617 **WHEREAS,** The trip will allow traveling group members to network with others within their field and
18 bring back new information and tools to aid in their academic success; and
1920 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2122 Project 1 – Travel to Kansas City, Mo to attend the National Society of Black Engineers
23 National Convention from Mar 29th-Apr 2nd, 2017
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$3,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$3,000.00	\$1,000.00

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29 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3031 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University National Society of Black Engineers shall be allocated
32 \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3334 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
35 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0763CC of the
36 National Society of Black Engineers.

3 **BY:** College Allocation Committee4
5 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations committee received and reviewed the request of The Milling
6 Science Club;7
8 **WHEREAS,** Seventeen members will be traveling to the IAOM Conference in New Orleans;9
10 **WHEREAS,** The Conference will give students the opportunity to enhance and advance their careers
11 through comprehensive education programs;12
13 **WHEREAS,** Member will connect with industry peers at exciting networking events;14
15 **WHEREAS,** Members will develop relationships with vendors who offer new products in the industry;16
17 **WHEREAS,** Members will build networking connections for themselves and also with organizations
18 outside of the university for future support of the grain science department; and19
20 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:21
22 Travel Allocation– Milling Science Club; New Orleans, La.; April 10th-15th, 2017.23
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$500.00	\$500.00
Lodging	\$500.00	\$500.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2829 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**30
31 **SECTION 1.** The Milling Science Club shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.32
33 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
34 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0717CC of the
35 Milling Science Club.

5 **BY:** College Allocations Committee6
7 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the
8 Biological and Agricultural Engineering Graduate Student Organization (BAEGSO);
910 **WHEREAS,** BAEGSO will be taking 15 members Jul. 15th - Jul. 19th to Spokane, Wash. for the
11 Annual International ASABE Conference;
1213 **WHEREAS,** Attendance of this conference is necessary to complete the requirements for a graduate
14 degree and allows students to network, present research and develop professional skills;
1516 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by graduate students will provide them with the opportunity to
17 practice their presentation, communication and networking skills;
1819 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards travel expenses; and
2021 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2223 Project 1 – International ASABE Conference; Spokane, Wash.; July 15th - 19th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2829 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3031 **SECTION 1.** Biological and Agricultural Engineering Graduate Student Organization shall be
32 allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3334 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
35 funds shall be transferred from NISACPNRSV to the account NISA0181CC of the
36 Biological and Agricultural Engineering Graduate Student Organization.

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3 **BY:** Senate Operations Committee

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5 **WHEREAS,** Isaiah Solorzano, has missed three scheduled Senate Meetings;

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7 **WHEREAS,** Isaiah was notified of a trial on Monday Feb. 27th, 2017 for his absences and never
8 responded;

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10 **WHEREAS,** Isaiah failed to attend the trial; and

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12 **WHEREAS,** Senate Operations committee voted 10-0-0 in favor of expelling him.

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14 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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16 **SECTION 1.** Isaiah Solorzano be expelled from the position of Student Senator for the College of Arts
17 and Sciences.

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19 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this
20 shall go into effect.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

MARCH 2, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:02pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 48 senators and 24 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator May
Senator Pracht
Senator McIntire

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Alamo
Senator Gray
Senator Holder (Partial)
Chair Jackson
Senator McGee (Partial)
Senator Montague (Partial)
Senator Reichenberger
Senator Solorzano (Partial- Resigned)

Intern Bolar (Partial)
Intern Kallenberger (Partial)
Intern Khoury (Partial)

OPEN PERIOD

There were no open period speakers.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>

COMMENDATIONS

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to consider Resolution 16/17/49

Resolution 16/17/49 Commendation To Carlos Flores And Tiffany Carter

Introduced by Intern Kelly

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve Resolution 16/17/49 unanimously

Resolution 16/17/49 was approved unanimously

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

There were none.

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Intern Coordinator Kiehl

- Action plan is centered around community outreach and partnering with Leadership Studies for Cats for Inclusion
- “We have lots of friends. We’re pretty cool.” – Quote from Intern Mersmann on the intern classes ability to reach out to many groups.

Senator Sabatini

- Monday at 6pm there is a Presidential Debate
 - Comment questions on Facebook page to ask at Debate

Chair J. Peuchen

- Privilege Fee committee will be reviewing request of Hale Library and Wildcat Watch

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director Baalman

- April 12 suicide prevention walk
 - Goal is \$3,000
 - Facebook page is K-State Out of the Darkness walk
 - Have already raised \$2,040
 - Walk is free for students, there is an SGA team, register on the Facebook page
 - Afsp.org/k-state

President Van Ranken

- Speaker Ayres and President Van Ranken have expanded on TFSC
 - Will be reviewing college specific proposals and a campus wide proposal
- March 7, will hear from Arts and Sciences and Engineering
 - Arts and Sciences wants to add \$10 to their fee making it around \$22 total
 - Engineering wants to propose somewhere in between \$20-\$30

Advisor Harlan

- Five senate meetings left this year
- End of the year banquet will be April 6
 - Invitations will be submitted shortly
 - Will hand out annual awards and there will be an opportunity to nominate people within the next week
- Wednesday, March 15 at noon- representative from the budget office will give a presentation. Lunch will be provided. Educate yourself on the TFSC.

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Diversity 2025 was formed during upheaval of different civil rights issues happening in Missouri and conversations through leaders at KU
- President Hurtig and VP Tinker set up these Diversity 2025 conversations
- Committee has been working on a proposal that deals with the Multicultural Student Center building, needs based scholarships, and more.
 - Will soon be made visible to Senators to give feedback/support
- Transitions are soon going to happen, if you are considering running for a leadership position, attend one of the committee meetings and learn from the current point person in that area.
- Sent out a link for a SGA survey, interns had 80% participation rate, Senators need to participate more.
 - How are we doing when it comes to representing the whole student body and how can we improve?

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

There was none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/80 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Public Relations Student Society of America

Bill 16/17/81 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Block and Bridle

Bill 16/17/82 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Biological and Agricultural Engineers

Chair Orth moved to approve the minor allocations
Minor Allocations stand approved

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/83 FY 2017 Allocation To International Tuba And Euphonium Association

Introduced by Intern Moore

Positive Debate:

Intern Moore

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/84 passes by a vote of 52-0-0.

Bill 16/17/98 Expulsion of Student Senator

Introduced by Vice-Chair Wiese

Positive Debate:

Vice-Chair Wiese

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/98 passed by a vote of 53-0-0.

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/84 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Students For Environmental Action

Bill 16/17/84 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/85 FY 2017 Allocation Kansas State University Society Of Human Resource Management

Bill 16/17/85 is referred back to the College allocations Committee

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/86 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By- Laws Concerning The Student Senate Interns

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/86

Introduced by Intern Moore

Bill 16/17/86 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/87 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Student Senate Intern Coordinator

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/87

Introduced by Intern Markel

Bill 16/17/87 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/88 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By- Laws Concerning The Student Senate Intern Coordinator

Intern Garcia moved to consider Bill 16/17/88

Introduced by Intern Markel

Bill 16/17/88 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/89 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Student Senate Intern Coordinator

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/89

Introduced by Intern Markel

Bill 16/17/89 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/90 Continuance In The Recreational Services Privilege Fee

Chair Orth moved to consider Bill 16/17/90

Introduced by Senator Fleming

Bill 16/17/90 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/91 Continuance In The Recreational Services Equipment Repair And Replacement Reserve Privilege Fee

Senator Valdez moved to consider Bill 16/17/91

Introduced by Senator maples

Bill 16/17/91 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

**Bill 16/17/99 Continuance In The Recreational Complex Maintenance Reserve
Privilege Fee**

Senator Valdez moved to consider Bill 16/17/99

Introduced by Senator Grosdidier

Bill 16/17/99 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/92 Increase In The Sports Clubs Privilege Fee

Senator Wilhelm moved to consider Bill 16/17/92

Introduced by Senator Heyen

Bill 16/17/92 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/93 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Student Planning Association

Chair Orth moved to consider Bill 16/17/93

Introduced by Chair Orth

Bill 16/17/93 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/94 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Professional Event Management Society

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/94

Introduced by Intern Garcia

Bill 16/17/94 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/95 FY 2016 Travel Allocation To National Society Of Black Engineers

Senator Renz moved to consider Bill 16/17/95

Introduced by Intern Markel

Bill 16/17/95 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/96 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Milling Science Club

Senator Martin moved to consider Bill 16/17/96

Introduced by Senator Mindrup

Bill 16/17/96 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

**Bill 16/17/97 FY 2017 Travel Allocation Biological And Agricultural Engineering
Graduate Student Organization**

Chair J. Peuchen moved to consider Bill 16/17/97

Introduced by Senator Mindrup

Bill 16/17/97 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/98 Expulsion of Student Senator

Senator Valdez moved to consider Bill 16/17/98

Introduced by Vice-Chair Wiese

Bill 16/17/98 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to special order Bill 16/17/98 into final action

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera
Chair J. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

A hand vote was conducted to send Bill 16/17/98 into final action

Hand vote passed

SECOND OPEN PERIOD

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Reminded Senate to fill out survey if they haven't done so already

Chief of Staff DeLoach

- Blue Key is giving away \$10,000 in scholarships
- Applications are out now: ksu.edu/bluekey

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/84 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/85 is referred back to the College allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/86 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee
Bill 16/17/87 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee
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Bill 16/17/97 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 50 senators and 23 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Wiese moved to adjourn until Thursday, March 9 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 8:25pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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DIRECTORS' REPORTS

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

Discussing fee proposals

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

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FINAL ACTION

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Bill 16/17/89	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Student Senate Intern Coordinator
Bill 16/17/93	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Student Planning Association
Bill 16/17/94	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Professional Event Management Society
Bill 16/17/95	FY 2016 Travel Allocation To National Society Of Black Engineers
Bill 16/17/96	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Milling Science Club
Bill 16/17/97	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Biological And Agricultural Engineering Graduate Student Organization

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/100	FY 2017 Allocation To Pinky Promise K-State
Bill 16/17/101	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Structural Engineers Association Of Kansas And Missouri
Bill 16/17/102	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Paraguayan Student Organization
Bill 16/17/103	FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation To Indian Students Association

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/104	Continuance In The KSDB Operations Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/105	Continuance In The KSDB Reserve Privilege Fee

Bill 16/17/106	Creation Of The Student Governing Association Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/107	Change To Wellcat Ambassadors Constiution
Bill 16/17/108	FY 2017 On-Campus Allocaiton International Coordinating Council
Bill 16/17/109	FY 2017 Allocation To Rhetoric And Composition Society
Bill 16/17/110	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Asian American Student Union

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. The Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee needs your input! Take a look at the fee proposals and give us your thoughts: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1203106>
2. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>
3. Proxies:
 - Valdez for Martin
 - Crowder for Krotz
 - Sabatini for Atchison
 - Bultongez for Karimov
 - Flores for Comstock
 - Jackson for Alamo
4. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
12	13	14 Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee Meeting – 6pm in OSAS	15	16 Senate – 7pm	17	18
19 S B	20 P R	21 R E	22 I A	23 N K	24 G !	25

“Creativity is intelligence having fun.” – Albert Einstein

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 3-2-17:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1201392/show>

Executive Committee:

Link:

University Allocations Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1200269/show>

- Decisions were made to fund the Rhetoric Composition Society, the Paraguayan Student Organization, the Asian American Student Organization, Pinky Promise K-State, United Black Voices Gospel Choir, Indian Student Organization, and the International Coordinating Council.

College Allocations Committee:

Link:

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1203318/show>

- Presentation of K-State Libraries Privilege Fee Request
 - See supporting documents here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1201680>
- Presentation of Wildcat Watch Privilege Fee Request
 - See supporting documents here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1201686>
- All four contracts for Recreational Services will be held in committee until next week. (14-0-0)

Senate Operations Committee:

Link:

Governmental Relations Committee:

No meeting

Student Engagement Committee:

Link:

Diversity Programming Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

DIRECTOR'S REPORTS FOR THE WEEK

Directors – Remember to submit agenda items at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/239984>

RESOLUTION 16/17/50 APPROVAL OF NEW STUDENT SENATE PARLIAMENTARIAN

BY: Jack Ayres and Stephen Kucera

WHEREAS, Karl Wilhelm has chosen to resign the position of Student Senate Parliamentarian

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. Caitlyn Dougherty be approved as the Student Senate Parliamentarian.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Students for
7 Environmental Action;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Students for Environmental Action is a student organization on campus that raises
10 awareness for environmental issues and looks for ways to address said issues;11
12 **WHEREAS,** Seven members of the Students for Environmental Action will be attending the 2017 Fate
13 of the Earth Conference, during which students will be able to experience environmental
14 justice and discuss innovative ways to raise environmental awareness on campus; and15
16 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:17
18 Project 1 – Travel; Apr. 11th-14th, 2017; East Lansing, Mich.19
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$700.00	\$700.00
TOTAL	\$700.00	\$700.00

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2324 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**25
26 **SECTION 1.** Students for Environmental Action shall be allocated \$700.00 for the event described.27
28 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
29 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1077CW of Students
30 for Environmental Action.

5 **BY:** College Allocations Committee6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State chapter of the Society of Human Resource Management (SHRM) will
8 be attending the 2017 SHRM Student Case Competition and Career Summit in Tigard,
9 Ore. Students have spent months preparing for the case competition, where students have
10 improved their problem solving, teamwork and leadership skills;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Students will hear from keynote speakers and will have the opportunity to sit down with
13 local HR practitioners and engage with prospective employers. The conference will
14 enhance students' perspective on how to be a member of the HR community; and
1516 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
1718 Project 1 – 2017 SHRM Student Case Competition and Career Summit, Tigard, Ore.
19 Mar. 30th – Apr. 2nd, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$600.00	\$600.00
TOTAL	\$600.00	\$600.00

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2425 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2627 **SECTION 1.** SHRM shall be allocated \$600.00 for the event described.
2829 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
30 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0994CC of the
31 Kansas State University Society of Human Resource Management.

2 AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
3 STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS
4 CONCERNING THE SGA INTERNS5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jansen Penny, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Student Governing Association (SGA) Intern Program is a key component of
8 students who are interested in being involved with SGA learning the basic structure and
9 function of the SGA;10
11 **WHEREAS,** The current Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws limit the
12 yearly Senate Intern class to a minimum of 16 and a maximum of 25 students; and13
14 **WHEREAS,** We believe it would be beneficial to expand the size of future Intern classes to 35 Interns.15
16 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**17
18 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 10, sub-section A of the Kansas State University Student Governing
19 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:20
21 A. The ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Program shall consist of a maximum of ~~twenty-five~~
22 ~~thirty-five~~ and a minimum of ~~sixteen~~ ~~twenty~~ Interns, each serving until the end of the
23 current Senate term. Interns shall be selected before the fourth occurrence of Student
24 Senate of the fall semester with their approval to be voted on by the fourth occurrence of
25 Student Senate through an application and interview process by a three-member panel
26 consisting of the Speaker of the Student Senate, Speaker pro tempore of Student Senate,
27 and ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinator, and shall be approved by Student Senate. In
28 the event of an absence by any panel member from an interview, an alternate shall
29 replace the absent member. The alternate(s) shall be any of the following: KSU SGA
30 Advisor, or any member of KSU SGA as chosen by the ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinator
31 with approval from the Speaker of Student Senate. Three members of the panel shall be
32 present at all interviews.

- 33 1. Applicants whose applications are approved by a majority vote of the panel shall
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- 34 be interviewed by the panel. For pre-screening of the applications, a set of
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- 35 criteria shall be predetermined and all documented.
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- 36 2. Questions asked during interviews shall be documented. A predetermined set of
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- 37 questions shall be consistently asked to all interviewees, and all follow-up
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- 38 questions shall be related to the predetermined question. Any members affiliated
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- 39 with KSU SGA has the right to review this information. This information shall
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- 40 also be open to public review

41 B. Interns shall be non-voting members of Student Senate and shall be subject to
42 removal by the voting members of Student Senate for malfeasance, nonfeasance, or
43 misfeasance. Interns shall have the ability to make any motion. Interns may not sponsor
44 any legislation without a Senator co-sponsor. Interns shall have the same duties as
45 Student Senator as outlined in Article IV, Section 4 of the KSU SGA By-Laws.
46 Attendance policies shall be provided for in the Student Senate Standing Rules.47 C. Interns shall be assigned by the ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinator to serve on
48 Student Senate standing committees as voting committee members49 D. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern program no
50 more than two weeks after the start of the intern program, a replacement may be chosen
51 from the most qualified unsuccessful candidates for ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern at the
52 discretion of the ~~three~~ four-member selection panel and ~~approved by Student Senate~~. If a

vacancy causes the number of interns to fall below ~~12~~ 16 a review of the Intern Program and ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinator should be encouraged by KSU SGA leadership.

SECTION 2. Article IV, Section 10, sub-section C of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows

C. ~~Interns shall be assigned by the Senate Intern Coordinator to serve on Student Senate standing committees as voting committee members or to a Cabinet Member of the Executive Branch.~~ *The Intern Coordinators shall plan and coordinate a rotation schedule in which each Intern shall experience and learn about each branch of SGA.*

SECTION 3. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION**
4 **CONCERNING THE SGA INTERN COORDINATOR**

5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jansen Penny, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres

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7 **WHEREAS,** By expanding the Intern class to 35 students rather than 25 will increase the workload of
8 future Intern Coordinators; and
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10 **WHEREAS,** It would benefit not only the Intern Coordinator but also improve the experience of future
11 Interns to have a second Intern Coordinator.
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13 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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15 **SECTION 1.** Article V, Section 505, sub-section E of the Kansas State University Student Governing
16 Association Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
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18 E. *Two* Intern *Co*-Coordinators, who shall be appointed by the Speaker of the Student
19 Senate, and shall be subject to removal from office by him/her. The appointment shall be
20 subject to the approval of Student Senate.
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22 **SECTION 2.** Article V, Section 506, sub-section K of the Kansas State University Student Governing
23 Association Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
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25 K. Supervise the Intern *Co*-Coordinators and related activities.
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27 **SECTION 3.** Article XIII of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution
28 is hereby amended to read as follows:
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30 1302. Expulsion of Members of the Legislative Branch. Student Senate, by resolution
31 adopted by two-thirds vote of the total membership of Student Senate selected and
32 qualified, may expel the Speaker of the Student Senate, the Speaker pro tempore of the
33 Student Senate, the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators, any Student Senate
34 Committee Chair, any Student Senator or ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern for misfeasance,
35 malfeasance, or nonfeasance (as specified in this Article) or violations of the
36 Constitution, By-Laws, Statutes or Student Senate Rules.
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38 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the
39 Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE SGA INTERN COORDINATOR**5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jansen Penny, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres
67 **WHEREAS,** Pending the amendment of the Student Governing Association By-Laws to allow for two
8 Intern Coordinators rather than one there shall now be four members on the senate panel
9 dealing with Intern selection.
1011 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1213 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 3, sub-section E of the Kansas State University Student Governing
14 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
1516 E. Duties of the ~~two Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinator shall include:
1718 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 5, sub-section B of the Kansas State University Student Governing
19 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
2021 B. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the office of Student Senator, an Interim
22 Student Senator who meets all eligibility requirements defined in the KSU SGA
23 Constitution shall be determined by the following means until a replacement Student
24 Senator, described in the provisions above, is sworn into office. The Interim Student
25 Senator will have full privileges as a Student Senator and must follow all guidelines
26 described for the office of Student Senator while maintaining the responsibilities of
27 ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern.

- 28 1. A Student Senate Intern representing the respective college may be named to
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- 29 serve as the Interim Student Senator after recommendation of the
- ~~Student Senate~~
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- 30 SGA Intern Coordinators.
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- 31 2. If a
- ~~Student Senate~~
- SGA Intern is not recommended by the
- ~~Student Senate~~
- SGA
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- 32 Intern Coordinator, then the respective college caucus may name a student in the
-
- 33 respective college to serve as the Interim Student Senator
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- 34 3. After a replacement Student Senator has been sworn into office by the means
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- 35 described in (A) above, the Interim Student Senator's privileges and
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- 36 responsibilities will revert back to those of Student Senate Intern.
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38 **SECTION 3.** Article IV, Section 10 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
39 Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
4041 A. The ~~Senate Intern~~ SGA Program shall consist of a maximum of ~~twenty-five~~
42 ~~thirty-five~~ and a minimum of ~~sixteen~~ *twenty* Interns, each serving until the end of the
43 current Senate term. Interns shall be selected before the fourth occurrence of Student
44 Senate of the fall semester with their approval to be voted on by the fourth occurrence of
45 Student Senate through an application and interview process by a ~~three~~ *four*-member
46 panel consisting of the Speaker of the Student Senate, Speaker pro tempore of Student
47 Senate, and ~~the Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators, and shall be approved by
48 Student Senate. In the event of an absence by any panel member from an interview, an
49 alternate shall replace the absent member. The alternate(s) shall be any of the following:
50 KSU SGA Advisor, or any member of KSU SGA as chosen by the ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern
51 Coordinators with approval from the Speaker of Student Senate. ~~Three-Four~~ members of
52 the panel shall be present at all interviews.

1. Applicants whose applications are approved by a majority vote of the panel shall be interviewed by the panel. For pre-screening of the applications, a set of criteria shall be predetermined and all documented.
 2. Questions asked during interviews shall be documented. A predetermined set of questions shall be consistently asked to all interviewees, and all follow-up questions shall be related to the predetermined question. Any members affiliated with KSU SGA has the right to review this information. This information shall also be open to public review
- B. Interns shall be non-voting members of Student Senate and shall be subject to removal by the voting members of Student Senate for malfeasance, nonfeasance, or misfeasance. Interns shall have the ability to make any motion. Interns may not sponsor any legislation without a Senator co-sponsor. Interns shall have the same duties as Student Senator as outlined in Article IV, Section 4 of the KSU SGA By-Laws. Attendance policies shall be provided for in the Student Senate Standing Rules.
- C. Interns shall be assigned by the ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators to serve on Student Senate standing committees as voting committee members
- D. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the Student Senate Intern program no more than two weeks after the start of the intern program, a replacement may be chosen from the most qualified unsuccessful candidates for ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern at the discretion of the three-member selection panel and approved by Student Senate. If a vacancy causes the number of interns to fall below ~~12~~ 16 a review of the Intern Program and ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators should be encouraged by KSU SGA leadership.

SECTION 2. Article IV, Section 16, sub-section A of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

- A. Shall be composed of the following members:
1. The Chair shall be the Sustainability Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet.
 2. One Student Senator appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate.
 3. One ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern appointed by the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
 4. Up to four students with at least one student representing a registered student organization with a focus on sustainability or green initiatives.
 5. A representative from the Office of the Provost.
 6. One faculty representative appointed by the Sustainability Director of the student body president's cabinet.

SECTION 3. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **STATUTES REGARDING THE SGA INTERN COORDINATOR**

5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jansen Penny, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres

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7 **WHEREAS,** Pending passage of changes to the Student Governing Association By-Laws concerning
8 the number of Intern Coordinators there will now be more than one Intern Coordinator;
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10 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 53, of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is
13 hereby amended to read as follows:
14 Section. 53-0211 Attendance Policies

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16 A. The Student Senate Secretary shall call the roll at the beginning and end of each
17 Student Senate meeting immediately following the Pledge of Allegiance and at the
18 completion of the meeting agenda. Standing committee chairs and ~~Student Senate~~
19 ~~SGA~~ Interns shall be included in both such roll calls. Each roll call missed shall
20 count as one-half of an absence, unless the person is already excused for the
21 meeting. No one can receive more than one unexcused absence for each meeting of
22 Student Senate.

- 23 1. ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern attendance requirements shall be set by the
24 Intern Coordinators upon the Interns' acceptance into the program.
25 2. The allowed absences set by the Intern Coordinators shall not require less
26 than one-half of all Student Senate meetings.
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28 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
29 body president.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Student
7 Planning Association (SPA);
89 **WHEREAS,** SPA will be taking seven members from May 4th-9th, 2017 to attend the Student Planning
10 Association National Conference in New York, New York;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The SPA National Conference provides educational, networking, and professional
13 opportunities for those who attend. This event will promote the Kansas State University
14 Regional & Community Planning program in a professional setting. This conference
15 enables students to show off what the program has to offer to professionals throughout
16 the nation;
1718 **WHEREAS,** Five of the students in the group attending will be presenting work that they have been
19 doing individually or that Student Planning Association has done as a group. It will
20 provide the program exposure on a national level and attract potential employers to look
21 at Kansas State University and the planning program;
2223 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards their travel costs; and24 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2526
27 Project 1 – Student Planning Association, May 4th-9th; New York, N.Y.28
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$700.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$700.00

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32 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3334 **SECTION 1.** Student Planning Association shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3536 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1058CC of Student
38 Planning Association.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the
7 Professional Event Management Society (PEMS);
89 **WHEREAS,** PEMS will be taking 15 members to Wichita, Kan. to tour different event venues in the
10 area and perform community service;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The trip will give those who attend exposure to event venues and coordinators outside of
13 Manhattan, Kan. and the opportunity to network with industry professionals;
1415 **WHEREAS,** Members who do not attend will benefit from the experiences that are shared with them,
16 which could also be used to help formulate future event planning courses; and
1718
19 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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21 Project 1 –Professional Event Management Society; Wichita, Kan.; Apr. 8th-9th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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27 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** The Professional Event Management Society shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event
30 described.
3132 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1365CC of the
34 Professional Event Management Society.

4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Kansas
7 State University National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE);
89 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University NSBE will be sending 30 members to the National Society
10 of Black Engineers Convention at the Kansas City Convention Center in Kansas City,
11 MO from Mar 29th-Apr 2nd, 2017;
1213 **WHEREAS,** The traveling group members will be attending various competitions, seminars and
14 spotlights as well as interacting with other students and professionals from different
15 institutions;
1617 **WHEREAS,** The trip will allow traveling group members to network with others within their field and
18 bring back new information and tools to aid in their academic success; and
1920 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2122 Project 1 – Travel to Kansas City, Mo to attend the National Society of Black Engineers
23 National Convention from Mar 29th-Apr 2nd, 2017
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$3,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$3,000.00	\$1,000.00

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29 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**30
31 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University National Society of Black Engineers shall be allocated
32 \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3334 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
35 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0763CC of the
36 National Society of Black Engineers.

3 **BY:** College Allocation Committee4
5 **WHEREAS,** The College Allocations committee received and reviewed the request of The Milling
6 Science Club;7
8 **WHEREAS,** Seventeen members will be traveling to the IAOM Conference in New Orleans;9
10 **WHEREAS,** The Conference will give students the opportunity to enhance and advance their careers
11 through comprehensive education programs;12
13 **WHEREAS,** Member will connect with industry peers at exciting networking events;14
15 **WHEREAS,** Members will develop relationships with vendors who offer new products in the industry;16
17 **WHEREAS,** Members will build networking connections for themselves and also with organizations
18 outside of the university for future support of the grain science department; and19
20 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:21
22 Travel Allocation– Milling Science Club; New Orleans, La.; April 10th-15th, 2017.23
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$500.00	\$500.00
<u>Lodging</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>	<u>\$500.00</u>
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2829 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**30
31 **SECTION 1.** The Milling Science Club shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.32
33 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
34 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0717CC of the
35 Milling Science Club.

2 **FY 2017 TRAVEL ALLOCATION**
3 **BIOLOGICAL AND AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING**
4 **GRADUATE STUDENT ORGANIZATION**5 **BY:** College Allocations Committee6
7 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the
8 Biological and Agricultural Engineering Graduate Student Organization (BAEGSO);
910 **WHEREAS,** BAEGSO will be taking 15 members Jul. 15th - Jul. 19th to Spokane, Wash. for the
11 Annual International ASABE Conference;
1213 **WHEREAS,** Attendance of this conference is necessary to complete the requirements for a graduate
14 degree and allows students to network, present research and develop professional skills;
1516 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by graduate students will provide them with the opportunity to
17 practice their presentation, communication and networking skills;
1819 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards travel expenses; and
2021 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2223 Project 1 – International ASABE Conference; Spokane, Wash.; July 15th - 19th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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2829 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3031 **SECTION 1.** Biological and Agricultural Engineering Graduate Student Organization shall be
32 allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3334 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
35 funds shall be transferred from NISACPNRSV to the account NISA0181CC of the
36 Biological and Agricultural Engineering Graduate Student Organization.

3 **BY:** University Allocations Committee4
5 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Pinky
6 Promise K-State;7
8 **WHEREAS,** Pinky Promise K-State will be taking three members to the 2017 Pinky Promise
9 Women's Heart to Heart Conference in Atlanta, Ga. on Jul. 27th-31st, 2017;10
11 **WHEREAS,** This conference will provide attendees with opportunities to network with members from
12 all over the world, learn about being women in business, develop interpersonal skills and
13 develop a better relationship with God; and14
15 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:16
17 Project 1 – Women's Heart to Heart Conference; Atlanta, Ga; Jul. 27th-31st, 2017.18
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	\$400.00	\$300.00
TOTAL	\$400.00	\$300.00

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2223 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**24
25 **SECTION 1.** Pinky Promise K-State shall be allocated \$300.00 for the event described.26
27 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
28 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1310CW of Pinky
29 Promise K-State.

2 **STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS ASSOCIATION OF KANSAS AND MISSOURI**3
4 **BY:** College Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Structural
7 Engineers Association of Kansas and Missouri (SEAKM);8
9 **WHEREAS,** SEAKM will be taking five members Apr. 5th-8th to Denver, Colo. for the Structural
10 Engineering Institute Structures Congress- a conference intended to accelerate the
11 students' skills in the area of structural engineering;12
13 **WHEREAS,** This will benefit the Kansas State University student body as SEAKM is the premier
14 organization for structural engineers. Through this trip, those who attend will be able to
15 gather important knowledge and information and will be able to bring that knowledge
16 back to the entire organization;17
18 **WHEREAS,** The sessions attended by students at the conference contain material that they will
19 implement into their organization and themselves, to become more informed and adept in
20 structural engineering, as well as network with others within their major;21
22 **WHEREAS,** The allocation will go towards registration, travel and lodging expenses; and23
24 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:25
26 Project 1 – Structural Engineering Institute Structures Congress; Denver, Colo; Apr. 5th-
27 8th, 2017.28
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$500.00	\$500.00
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

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33 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**34
35 **SECTION 1.** SEAKM shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.36
37 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
38 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1036CC of the
39 Structural Engineers Association of Kansas and Missouri.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request from the
7 Kansas State University Paraguayan Student Organization;
89 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University (KSU) Paraguayan Student Organization is a group on campus
10 interested in giving KSU students the unique opportunity to learn more about Paraguay;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The organization will be hosting the Paraguayan Social where they will share their
13 culture, food and history with all KSU students;
1415 **WHEREAS,** This event will provide a platform where students can engage in informal Spanish
16 conversation as well as learn about the culture of Paraguay; and
1718 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
1920 Project 1 – The Paraguayan Social, Apr. 27th, 2017; Kansas State University Student
21 Union, Manhattan, Kan.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotion	\$145.00	\$145.00
TOTAL	\$145.00	\$145.00

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2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** Kansas State University Paraguayan Student Organization shall be allocated \$145.00 for
30 the event described.
3132 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0812CW of Kansas
34 State University Paraguayan Student Organization.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocation Committee received and reviewed the request of the Indian
7 Students Association;8
9 **WHEREAS,** The Indian Students Association will be hosting Holi – Festival of Colors on Apr. 15th,
10 2017;11
12 **WHEREAS,** The festival of Holi is observed as a festival of great social and religious significance.
13 Holi is an ancient Hindu religious festival which involves people painting themselves
14 with various colors and throwing colorful powder in the air to express freedom and to
15 color their everyday life;16
17 **WHEREAS,** Every year, the Indian Students Association at K-State organizes the Holi celebration on
18 campus and brings the K-State community together to celebrate the Indian culture and
19 makes it a festival for everyone, irrespective of their nationality, race, culture or religion;
20 and21
22 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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24 Project 1 – HOLI – Festival of Colors; Kansas State University Campus, Manhattan,
25 Kan.; Apr. 15th, 2017.26
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotion	\$300.00	\$300.00
<u>Rent of Space</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>
TOTAL	\$360.00	\$360.00

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32 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**33
34 **SECTION 1.** Indian Students Association shall be allocated \$360.00 for the event described.35
36 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0536CW of Indian
38 Students Association.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee

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6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of KSDB-FM during the
7 scheduled three-year review cycle;

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9 **WHEREAS,** KSDB, the student-run radio station, adds to the student life experience of K-State
10 students;

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12 **WHEREAS,** KSDB serves the K-State and Manhattan communities by providing local radio
13 broadcasting and news;

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15 **WHEREAS,** Through the process of reviewing the request, concerns were raised regarding the status
16 of the KSDB Student Board;

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18 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes require a student
19 board for agencies to receive funds from the Campus Privilege Fee; and

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21 **WHEREAS,** The committee felt it necessary to provide KSDB a one-year allocation to allow time for
22 a student advisory board to be created.

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25 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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27 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
28 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
29 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.

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31 **KSDB OPERATIONS BUDGET**
32 **PRIVILEGE FEE AGREEMENT**
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34 This agreement made this __th day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
35 Governing Association (KSU SGA) and KSDB-FM (KSDB).

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37 1. The annual KSDB Operations Privilege Fee Budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at
38 \$102,362 for fiscal year 2017-2018. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2018-
39 2019 academic year.
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41 2. These funds shall be allocated for KSDB general operations, student salaries, and a full
42 time manager position.
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44 3. An amount not exceeding 12% of these operating costs may be allocated during the
45 summer months in order to fulfill the 12-month contractual requirements of the Federal
46 Communications Commission.
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48 4. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with KSDB
49 regarding funding of budget and use of such funds.
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51 5. Any breach of this agreement by KSDB will result in automatic review by KSU SGA;
52 such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET. The

53 failure of KSU SGA to exercise any rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of
54 such rights in that instance or any other instance.
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56 6. Within 90 days of the end of each fiscal year, the Chief Operator of KSDB shall submit a
57 written summary of the BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for review by
58 KSU SGA.
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60 7. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at K-State is permitted with
61 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
62 body (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 509, Letter C, and Article XI Section
63 1104).
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65 8. This agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the state of Kansas.
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67 9. By signing this agreement, the representative of the respective parties hereby represent
68 that each is duly authorized by his or her part to execute the document on behalf of such
69 party that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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71 10. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon the execution of this agreement by the KSDB-FM
72 Chief Operator and Faculty Adviser Vern Wirka, Vice President for Student Life and
73 Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy
74 Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica
75 Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of KSDB-FM during the
7 scheduled three-year review cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** KSDB has the potential for large one-time unexpected expenditures;10
11 **WHEREAS,** KSDB should have reserve funds available in case of one-time unexpected expenditures;12
13 **WHEREAS,** Through the process of reviewing the request, concerns were raised regarding the status
14 of the KSDB Student Board;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes require a student
17 board for agencies to receive funds from the Campus Privilege Fee; and18
19 **WHEREAS,** The committee felt it necessary to provide KSDB a one-year allocation to allow time for
20 a student advisory board to be created.21
22 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**23
24 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
25 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
26 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.27
28 **KSDB RESERVE BUDGET**
29 **PRIVILEGE FEE AGREEMENT**30
31 This agreement made this __th day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
32 Governing Association (KSU SGA) and KSDB-FM (KSDB).

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- 34 1. The annual KSDB Reserve Privilege Fee Budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at
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- 35 \$4,000.00 for fiscal years 2017-2018. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2018-
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- 36 2019 academic year. These monies must be spent on large one-time expenditures.
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- 38 2. Any expenditure from this account must first be approved by a majority vote of the
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- 39 Privilege Fee Committee. During times when the Privilege Fee Committee is not
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- 40 regularly scheduled to meet, an expenditure may be approved by an absentee vote of the
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- 41 Privilege Fee Committee members. No expenditure will be approved unless it is clear that
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- 42 all other sources of funding have been exhausted.
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- 44 3. If these monies are not spent during the fiscal year in which they are allocated, any
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- 45 remaining monies in the account shall carry over into the next fiscal year. This reserve
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- 46 account shall not exceed \$40,000.00. Once this limit is reached, any money budgeted to
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- 47 this account shall instead be allocated to the KSDB Operations Budget.
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- 49 4. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with KSDB
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- 50 regarding funding of budget and use of such funds.
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- 52 5. Any breach of this agreement by KSDB will result in automatic review by KSU SGA;
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- 53 such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET. The
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- 54 failure of KSU SGA to exercise any rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of

55 such rights in that instance or any other instance.
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- 57 6. Within 90 days of the end of each fiscal year, the Adviser of KSDB shall submit a written
58 summary of the BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for review by KSU
59 SGA.
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- 61 7. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at K-State is permitted with
62 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
63 body (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 509, Letter C, and Article XI Section
64 1104).
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- 66 8. This agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 68 9. By signing this agreement, the representative of the respective parties hereby represent
69 that each is duly authorized by his or her part to execute the document on behalf of such
70 party that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 72 10. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon the execution of this agreement by the KSDB-FM
73 Chief Operator and Faculty Adviser Vern Wirka, Vice President for Student Life and
74 Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy
75 Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica
76 Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** “The students of Kansas State University, united in the belief that the goals of a
7 democratic community can be furthered only by the citizenship habits, attitudes, skills
8 and knowledge acquired through experience and that the degree of student development
9 is likely to parallel closely the extent of responsibility which students carry for their own
10 society,” formed the Kansas State University Student Governing Association;11
12 **WHEREAS,** Any person enrolled in at least one credit hour of class work at the main campus of
13 Kansas State University is a member of the KSU SGA;14
15 **WHEREAS,** The KSU SGA is responsible for representing the students of Kansas State University,
16 reviewing requests for tuition and fees, allocating funding to student organizations, and
17 numerous other tasks;18
19 **WHEREAS,** The KSU SGA has long been funded by the Campus Privilege Fee as a line item on the
20 Office of Student Activities and Services Budget Agreement;21
22 **WHEREAS,** To promote transparency in how student fee dollars are spent, it is logical for SGA to
23 receive their own Privilege Fee Budget Agreement;24
25 **WHEREAS,** The allocated amounts for FY2018 and FY 2019 constitute a decrease of the amount
26 allocated to the KSU SGA from the Office of Student Activities and Services Budget
27 agreement;28
29 **WHEREAS,** The Joint Committee on Officer Compensation studied, evaluated, and communicated
30 levels of compensation for student officers of the KSU SGA, recommending \$54,633 for
31 FY2018, \$56,941 for FY2019, and \$60,365 for FY2020, and their report was accepted by
32 the Student Senate for this contract; and33
34 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee also recommends that \$16,800 be allocated for the
35 programmatic focuses of the KSU SGA.36
37 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**38
39 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association approves the following
40 Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be included
41 in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.42
43 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BUDGET AGREEMENT**44
45 This agreement made this __th day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
46 Governing Association (SENATE) and the Student Governing Association (DEPARTMENT), and shall
47 supersede any previous agreement made by SENATE with the DEPARTMENT regarding funding of
48 budget and use of such funding.

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- 50 1. The annual Student Governing Association privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall
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- 51 be funded at the following levels for the following fiscal years: \$71,433 for July
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- 52 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018; \$73,741 for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019; and \$77,165
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- 53 for July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020. All uses of DEPARTMENT Privilege Fees
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- 54 must be in compliance with Chapter 30 of the Kansas State University Student

Governing Association Statues. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to academic year 2020-2021.

2. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by SENATE with DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.
3. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by SENATE and such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET. The failure of SENATE to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
4. Within 90 days after the end of the fiscal year, the SGA Treasurer shall submit a written summary of expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for review by SGA.
5. No construction or renovation of a building or facility at Kansas State University is permitted with privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student body. (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 510, Letter D and Article XI, Section 1105)
6. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
7. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
8. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the KSU SGA Treasurer Andrew Peuchen, SGA Advisor Heather Reed, SGA Advisor Bill Harlan, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, Attorney General Sarah Pride and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

3 **BY:** Anna Jackson4
5 **WHEREAS,** Student Health Advisory Committee no longer exists and the WellCat Ambassadors have
6 been serving in their role for the last several years.
78 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association should be kept up to date.
910 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**11
12 **SECTION 1.** Chapter three of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes title
13 shall read as Wellcat Ambassadors Constitution instead of Student Health Advisory
14 Committee By-Laws.
1516 **SECTION 2.** Chapter three of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association shall reads
17 as follows.18 **ARTICLE I NAME**

19 Section 1 The name of this organization shall be the WellCAT Ambassadors.

20 **ARTICLE II PURPOSE**21 Section 1 Mission: The WellCAT Ambassadors program is dedicated to preparing peer
22 educators to be knowledgeable, ethical, caring decision makers; to present accurate and
23 evidence- based health information to K-State students through presentations; to provide
24 campus leadership by serving as positive role models; to serve as a liaison between
25 campus and Lafene Student Health Center; and to aid students in making healthy
26 decisions to be successful while in college and throughout their adult life.27 Section 2 Adequate healthcare should be provided for the students of Kansas State
28 University during their enrollment at the university. The purpose of the organization is to:

- 29 a. advise the Lafene Student Health Center Director about the student healthcare
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- 30 needs and assist the Director in setting priorities aligned with student needs.
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- 31 b. support the staff of the Lafene Student Health Center in their development of
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- 32 adequate health services for the fee-paying clientele.
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- 33 c. promote healthcare and the services offered by Lafene Student Health Center.
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- 34 d. communicate and cooperate with the Student Governing Association and
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- 35 Wildcat Wellness Coalition regarding issues of campus healthcare.

36 **ARTICLE III MEMBERSHIP**

37 Section 1 Qualifications for Membership:

- 38 a. Good academic and disciplinary standing (minimum 2.75 cumulative GPA)
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- 39 b. Have at least two (2) remaining semesters left before graduating from Kansas
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- 40 State University
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- 41 c. Understand and believe in the mission of the WellCAT Ambassadors
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- 42 d. Submit application and interview
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- 43 e. Enroll in and complete EDCEP 311, Interaction and Guidance for the
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- 44 Paraprofessional, 0-3 elective credits

45 Section 2 Applications will be accepted only during specified periods in the fall and
46 spring semesters.47 Section 3 The WellCAT Ambassadors shall consist of at least 8 members. All Kansas
48 State University students are eligible to apply for organization membership. Each
49 member will serve a term equivalent to one (1) academic year.

50 Section 4 The expected duties of each member are to:

- 51 a. attend all bi-weekly meetings (every other week), with a maximum of two (2)
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- 52 absences per semester. If absences exceed two (2), the membership will be
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- 53 discontinued.
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- 54 b. be prompt and prepared for each meeting, having read through the minutes

- 55 from the previous meeting.
- 56 c. provide a minimum of five (5) hours of service to the WellCAT organization,
- 57 including a minimum of one (1) presentation, per semester. It will be each
- 58 member's responsibility to record service hours and presentations on OrgSync.
- 59 Failure to meet minimum requirements will result in the membership being
- 60 discontinued.
- 61 d. provide and promote a positive image for the WellCAT Ambassadors and
- 62 Lafene Student Health Center.
- 63 e. be knowledgeable of Lafene Student Health Center's mission, services, and
- 64 website.
- 65 f. be knowledgeable of the WellCAT Ambassadors' mission and website.
- 66 g. attend any additional trainings throughout the year.

67 Section 5 Additional non-office holding members will include:

- 68 a. the Director of Lafene Student Health Center.
- 69 b. at least one representative from the Health Promotion department at Lafene
- 70 Student Health Center.

71 ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

72 Section 1 The officers of the organization shall be the:

- 73 a. President
- 74 b. Vice President
- 75 c. Secretary
- 76 d. Treasurer
- 77 e. Event Coordinators (2)
- 78 f. Marketing Coordinators (2)

79 Section 2 Officers are elected by majority vote annually or as needed. Each elected

80 officer will serve a term equivalent to one (1) academic year. If unable to fulfill this

81 requirement, officer will be asked to step down from their position.

82 Section 3 Duties of Officers

- 83 a. President
- 84 1. Preside at organization meetings
- 85 2. Collaborate and maintain ongoing communication with WellCAT
- 86 advisors, including bi-weekly meetings with advisor (before group
- 87 meetings)
- 88 3. Create agenda for all meetings, with input from members and advisors
- 89 as needed
- 90 4. Provide motivation for the organization
- 91 5. Encourage all members to express opinions and base executive
- 92 decisions on member input
- 93 6. Represent the WellCAT Ambassadors at appropriate university and
- 94 community functions
- 95 7. Facilitate communication between all WellCAT officers
- 96 9 Ensure that the organization's mission is being upheld
- 97 b. Vice President
- 98 1. Preside at organization meetings in the absence of the President
- 99 2. Act as the organization's liaison to Lafene Student Health Center's
- 100 staff, the Student Body President, Student Governing Association (SGA),
- 101 and University administrators
- 102 3. Assist President and other officers as needed
- 103 4. Assist various committees by ensuring optimal communication is
- 104 occurring between committee members, advisors, and other members
- 105 5. Assist advisors with enforcing attendance requirements by tracking
- 106 meeting attendance and reporting members who have failed to meet
- 107 attendance requirements
- 108 c. Secretary

1. Record and maintain meeting minutes
2. Post meeting minutes to OrgSync and e-mail members and advisors within three (3) days of meeting
- d. Treasurer
 1. Maintain WellCAT financials, including checking account
 2. Work with advisor to prepare budget or supply requests
 3. Assist advisors and event coordinators with requests for event funding (i.e. SGA funds, etc.)
 4. Attend any pertinent fundraising meeting offered by the Office of Student Activities (OSAS)
 5. Keep financial records for all fundraising events, receipts, and disbursements
 6. Coordinate plans to implement two (2) fundraising efforts per year
- e. Event Coordinators (2)
 1. Solicit input from all members to determine overall plan for main event
 2. Take initiative to collaborate with other campus groups and/or community businesses in planning events
 3. Maintain Google Doc for event providing timeline for completion of preparations for events, assigned duties, event details, booth sign-up slots
 4. Meet with advisor(s) on a monthly basis and/or as designated by advisor
 5. Communicate with officers as needed
 6. Propose plan to SGA for necessary event funds
 7. Collaborate with Treasurer on all financial matters
 8. Collaborate with Marketing Coordinator to optimize event publicity
 9. Attend most, if not all, event-related activities
- f. Marketing Coordinators (2)
 1. Coordinate member efforts to enhance the WellCAT Ambassadors' visibility on campus
 2. Maintain organization's social media sites (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram) and utilize these to promote events, services, and/or information
 3. Assist with the developments of advertising efforts (i.e. displays, Collegian ads, flyers, chalking, social media, etc.)
 4. Collaborate with committees to promote events
 5. Contact community organizations and businesses to request in-kind donations (i.e. gift certificates) for events
 6. Update and maintain display boards as necessary
 7. Work with the Health Promotion department staff at Lafene Student Health Center to maintain the WellCAT webpage by providing updates as needed (including officer/member photos each fall semester)
 8. Attend the majority of WellCAT events to obtain photos
 9. Post photos to social media sites and e-mail to advisors

ARTICLE V MEETINGS

Section 1 Regular meetings shall be held bi-weekly during the academic year (every other week). Committees may meet outside of regular meeting times, at the discretion of the committee members.

ARTICLE VI MEMBERSHIP DUES

Section 1 Membership dues for new members shall be \$35.00, paid by the third (3rd) meeting of the semester in which they enrolled in EDCEP 311, and will cover one (1) academic year. This membership fee will include one (1) WellCAT Ambassadors polo shirt.

Section 2 Membership dues for returning members shall be \$20.00 annually, paid by the

163 third (3rd) meeting of the semester, and will cover one (1) academic year.
164 Section 3 Failure to pay annual membership dues will result in the member being
165 dropped from the organization.

166 ARTICLE VII AMENDMENTS, REVIEW AND REVISION

167 Section 1 Amendments to these bylaws shall be presented to the members and/or
168 advisors, in writing. Amendments require approval by a majority vote.

169 Section 2 These bylaws shall be reviewed by members and advisors on an annual basis.

170 Section 3 A current copy of the bylaws shall be posted to OrgSync and given to the
171 Director of Lafene Student Health Center.

172 Section 4 Any policy not covered in these bylaws shall be superseded by the K-State
173 Student Governing Association.

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175 **Section 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage of the student senate and signature of
176 the student body president.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the funding request from
7 International Coordinating Council (ICC);
89 **WHEREAS,** ICC's goal is to bring awareness to the Kansas State University (KSU) community about
10 cultural diversity and come together to promote fellowship and cultural understanding
11 among people of diverse nationalities;
1213 **WHEREAS,** The International Fashion Show allows students to show their traditional clothes from
14 their home countries on the runway;
1516 **WHEREAS,** The International Parade will allow students to carry their flag from the International
17 Student Center to Bosco Plaza to honor their countries and promote ICC International
18 Week;
1920 **WHEREAS,** The International Game Day is an event where students can participate in fun activities
21 like learning to write their names in a different language, henna art, playing traditional
22 games and many more;
2324 **WHEREAS,** The International Dance Lessons will allow students to learn and teach others dances
25 from different countries;
2627 **WHEREAS,** The International Talent Show is an event where students showcase their talents (singing,
28 dancing, playing an instrument etc.) from their home countries;
2930 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
3132 Project 1 – ICC, International Fashion Show, Union Ballroom, Apr. 2nd, 2017;

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Rent of Equipment	\$152.00	\$152.00
Promotion	\$180.00	\$180.00
TOTAL	\$332.00	\$332.00

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38 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
3940 Project 2 – ICC, International Parade, Bosco Student Plaza, Apr. 3rd, 2017;

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotion	\$180.00	\$180.00
TOTAL	\$180.00	\$180.00

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45 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
4647 Project 3—ICC, International Game Day, Bosco Student Plaza, Apr. 3rd, 2017;

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Rent of Equipment	\$86.00	\$86.00
Promotion	\$86.00	\$86.00
TOTAL	\$172.00	\$172.00

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53 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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Project 4—ICC, International Dance Lessons, Union Courtyard, Apr. 7th, 2017;

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Rent of Equipment	\$56.00	\$56.00
TOTAL	\$56.00	\$56.00

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 5 – ICC, International Talent Show, Forum Hall, Apr. 9th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotion	\$60.00	\$60.00
Rent of Equipment	\$152.00	\$152.00
TOTAL	\$212.00	\$212.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. ICC shall be allocated \$1046.00 for the events described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0560 of the International Coordinating Conference.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee

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 6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request for the
 7 Rhetoric and Composition Society;

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 9 **WHEREAS,** The Rhetoric and Composition Society will be hosting Dr. Stephanie Kerschbaum of the
 10 University of Delaware to present about her book, *Toward a New Rhetoric of Difference*;

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 12 **WHEREAS,** Undergraduates and English department graduate teaching assistants will attend the event
 13 and hear a message focusing on anti-racist and anti-ableist actions, which will enable
 14 students and teachers to cultivate an anti-racist, anti-ableist pedagogy; and

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 16 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

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 18 Project 1- Tutoring, Teaching, and Learning: Anti-racist and Anti-ableist Strategies; Apr.
 19 2nd-3rd, 2017; Leadership Studies Town Hall, Manhattan, Kan.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
LSE	\$1,750.00	\$1,750.00
TOTAL	\$1,750.00	\$1,750.00

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 25 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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 28 **SECTION 1.** The Rhetoric and Composition Society shall be allocated \$1,750.00 for the event
 29 described.

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 31 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
 32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0920CW of the
 33 Rhetoric and Composition Society.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Asian
7 American Student Union;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Asian American Student Union is an organization that promotes diversity and
10 spreads Asian American culture;
1112 **WHEREAS,** 11 members of the Asian American Student Union will be attending the annual Midwest
13 Asian American Student Union spring conference;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Midwest Asian American Student Union spring conference is aimed to unite and
16 strengthen the Asian/Pacific Islander community's stance against all forms of oppression,
17 and to better strengthen their identities in a continuously evolving environment; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2021 Project 1 – Travel; Apr. 6th-9th, 2017; University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.
2223

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
24 <u>Travel</u>	<u>\$1,000.00</u>	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
25 TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** The Asian American Student Union shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0130CW of the
33 Asian American Student Union.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

MARCH 9, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 47 senators and 23 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Martin
Senator Krotz
Senator Atchison
Senator Karimov
Senator Comstock
Senator Alamo

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Barnett (Partial)
Senator Bultongez (Partial)
Senator Crowder (Partial)
Senator Doll (Partial)
Senator Heyen (Partial)
Senator Karimov
Senator McGee (Partial)
Senator Mindrup (Partial)
Senator Orth
Senator Pepoon
Senator Pracht (Partial)
Senator Reichenberger

Intern Kinsey
Intern Mertens (Partial)
Intern Meyer

OPEN PERIOD

WellCat Ambassadors

- Peer to peer group on campus that teaches about health and safety concerns, etc.
- Long term stress can cause depression
- Just because your stressed doesn't mean you're depressed
- Stress is a thought that your mind creates and then processes it into stress
- Can cause increased heart rate, acne, and other conditions
- Heavy course loads, unfamiliar climate, lack of sleep can cause stress
- Lafene offers online resources to combat stress

Robert Gamez - Director of Student Financial Assistance

- Speaking in regards to Needs Based Student Financial Assistance
- Needs based aid is critical for the future
- Average Household income for Pell Grant Students: \$40,000
- Average cost to attend K-State for one year \$17,502
- Scholarships
 - \$29,351,838

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Senator Holder moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee needs your input! Take a look at the fee proposals and give us your thoughts: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1203106>
2. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>

Advisor Harlan

- The banquet is April 6, please RSVP
- Please respond to the SGA Awards question as well

COMMENDATIONS

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/50

Approval of New Student Senate Parliamentarian (Caitlyn Dougherty)

Introduced by Speaker Ayres

Senator Gutman moved to approve Resolution 16/17/50 unanimously

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair J. Peuchen

- Recreation Services bills introduced last week are now in final action due to the Tornado Watch that postponed their meeting

Chair Jackson

- End of term is coming up- final day to turn in legislation is two weeks before the last meeting

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Vice President Kennedy

- Needs based scholarships we are at such a critical point with our cost of attendance that we are going to price ourselves out of our market at some point
- Deans take priorities from their colleges and then the foundation goes out on the road asking donors for their support
- If you want to be involved in the process of advocating for more needs based scholarship contact Vice President Kennedy

Chief of Staff DeLoach

- Tuesday there will be a health and Wellness meeting
 - A time and location email will be sent out soon from Director Hurtig

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1204708/show>

COLLEGE CAUCUS TIME

- Discussing fee proposals

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/84 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Students For Environmental Action

**Bill 16/17/85 FY 2017 Allocation Kansas State University Society Of Human
Resource Management**

Senator Valdez moved to approve the minor allocations

It was unanimous to approve the minor allocations

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/86

**Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association By- Laws Concerning The Student
Senate Interns**

Introduced by Intern Markel

Positive Debate:

Intern Markel
Vice President Kennedy
Intern Coordinator Kiehl

Negative Debate:

Senator Lowry

Senator Pracht

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to refer Bill 16/17/86 to the Executive Committee

Motion failed.

Bill 16/17/86 passes by a vote of 39-14-0.

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera
Vice Chair Niederee

Negative Debate:

Vice President Kennedy

Motion fails by a hand vote of 27-24.

Debate continues above.

Chair J. Peuchen moved to hold Bills 16/17/86-89 for bulk roll call

A hand vote was conducted

Hand vote failed

Bill 16/17/87

**Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Student**

Senate Intern Coordinator

Introduced by Intern Moore

Positive Debate:

Intern Moore
Intern Coordinator Kiehl
Vice President Kennedy

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Senator Doll presented an amendment to add a hierarchy

Senator McIntire moved to refer the bill back to the Executive Committee

Vote will be referred back to the executive committee.

Positive Debate:

Senator Doll
Director Munyanyi
Senator Langvardt

Negative Debate:

Senator Frankel
Intern Moore
Senator Montague
Intern O'Grady
Senator Barnett

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to call previous question

A hand vote was conducted on the amendment

Hand vote fails and amendment will not be considered.

Bill 16/17/88

**Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association By- Laws Concerning The Student
Senate Intern Coordinator**

Senator Frankel moved to send Bills 16/17/88-89 back to the Executive Committee

Motion passes.

Bill 16/17/89 **Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Student Senate
Intern Coordinator**

Senator Frankel moved to send Bills 16/17/88-89 back to the Executive Committee

Motion passes.

Bill 16/17/93 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation Student Planning Association**

Introduced by Senator Mindrup

Positive Debate:

Negative Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen moved to hold Bills 16/17/93-97 for bulk roll call

Bill 16/17/93 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 47-0-0.

Bill 16/17/94 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation Professional Event Management
Society**

Introduced by Senator Mindrup

Positive Debate:

Senator Mindrup

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/93 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 47-0-0.

Bill 16/17/95 **FY 2016 Travel Allocation To National Society Of Black
Engineers**

Introduced by Senator Mindrup

Positive Debate:

Senator Mindrup

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/93 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 47-0-0.

Bill 16/17/96 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation Milling Science Club**

Introduced by Senator Mindrup

Positive Debate:

Senator Mindrup

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/93 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 47-0-0.

Bill 16/17/97 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation Biological And Agricultural
Engineering Graduate Student Organization**

Introduced by Senator Mindrup

Positive Debate:

Senator Mindrup

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/93 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 47-0-0.

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved we consider the minor allocations.

Bill 16/17/100 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Pinky Promise K-State**

Referred to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/101 **FY 2017 Travel Allocation Structural Engineers Association
Of Kansas And Missouri**

Referred to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/102 **FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Paraguayan Student
Organization**

Referred to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/103 FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation To Indian Students Association

Referred to the University Allocations Committee

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/104 Continuance In The KSDB Operations Privilege Fee

Senator Valdez moved we consider Bill 16/17/104

Introduced by Senator Holder

Bill 16/17/104 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/105 Continuance In The KSDB Reserve Privilege Fee

Chair J. Peuchen moved we consider Bill 16/17/105

Introduced by Intern Penny

Bill 16/17/105 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/106 Creation Of The Student Governing Association Privilege Fee

Senator McIntire moved we consider Bill 16/17/106

Introduced by Chair J. Peuchen

Bill 16/17/106 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/107 Change To Wellcat Ambassadors Constitution

Senator Valdez moved we consider Bill 16/17/107

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Bill 16/17/107 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/108 FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation International Coordinating Council

Senator McIntire moved we consider Bill 16/17/108

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Bill 16/17/108 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/109 FY 2017 Allocation To Rhetoric And Composition Society

Senator Valdez moved we consider Bill 16/17/109

Introduced by Senator Langvardt

Bill 16/17/109 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/110 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Asian American Student Union

Senator Valdez moved we consider Bill 16/17/110

Introduced by Senator McIntire

Bill 16/17/110 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

SECOND OPEN PERIOD

Senator Kiehl

- If anyone has any suggestions for the Intern Coordinator legislation sent back to the Executive Committee- feel free to contact her.

Senator Barnett

- CARE Office is having free donuts and coffee in the Student Union from 9-11am across from Chick Fil A

Intern Kallenberger

- Tomorrow there is the K-State Proud Battle of Sexes concert in Forum Hall

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Introduced Stephen Caffera who will be assuming an Arts and Sciences Senate seat.

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Bill 16/17/87 was referred back to the University Allocations Committee

Bill 16/17/88 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/89 is referred back to the Executive Committee
Bill 16/17/100 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/101 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/102 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/103 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/104 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee
Bill 16/17/105 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee
Bill 16/17/106 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee
Bill 16/17/107 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee
Bill 16/17/108 is referred back to the College Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/109 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee
Bill 16/17/110 is referred back to the University Allocations Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

Chair Jackson

- Will be a statutes change about advisory boards and the requirements
- By laws change to the Senators Vacancies process, Senator absences policy, how to select after Speakers succession

ROLL CALL

There were 44 senators and 22 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator McIntire moved to adjourn until Thursday, March 9 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 10:25pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Taylor Stewart - Rotaract Club and Walk for Water

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/51 Commendation to Dr. Steven Stockham

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/52 Approval Of New Student Senator

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Bill 16/17/100	FY 2017 Allocation To Pinky Promise K-State
Bill 16/17/101	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Structural Engineers Association Of Kansas And Missouri
Bill 16/17/102	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Paraguayan Student Organization
Bill 16/17/103	FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation To Indian Students Association

FINAL ACTION

Bill 16/17/90	Continuance In The Recreational Services Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/91	Continuance In The Recreational Services Equipment Repair And Replacement Reserve Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/92	Increase In The Sports Clubs Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/99	Continuance In The Recreational Complex Maintenance Reserve Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/104	Continuance In The KSDB Operations Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/105	Continuance In The KSDB Reserve Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/106	Creation Of The Student Governing Association Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/108	FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation International Coordinating Council
Bill 16/17/109	FY 2017 Allocation To Rhetoric And Composition Society
Bill 16/17/110	FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Asian American Student Union

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/53	Acknowledgement And Remediation Of Policies Detrimental To The K-State Transgender Community
Resolution 16/17/54	Resolution Regarding The Counseling Services Move To The Basement Of Lafene Health Center
Bill 16/17/111	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Creation Of The Diversity And Inclusion Committee
Bill 16/17/112	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Governmental Relations Committee

Bill 16/17/113	Speaker Of The Student Senate Succession Process
Bill 16/17/114	Senator Absences Process
Bill 16/17/115	Senator Vacancies Process
Bill 16/17/116	Senator Vacancies Process
Bill 16/17/117	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student Engagement Committee
Bill 16/17/118	Amendment To The KSU SGA Constitution Regarding The Responsibilities Of The Speaker Pro Tempore
Bill 16/17/119	Amendment To KSU SGA By-Laws Regarding College Caucuses
Bill 16/17/120	Amendment To K-State Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Creation Of Designated Representatives
Bill 16/17/121	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning Open Meetings
Bill 16/17/122	Amendment To K-State Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Powers, Rights, And Responsibilities Of Student Senators
Bill 16/17/123	FY 2018 Request For Special Allocations For Academic Competition Teams
Bill 16/17/124	FY 2018 Academic Competition Teams Allocation

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. 2017-2018 SGA Judicial Branch - Judicial Board Member Positions application is now open! The form will close Sunday, April 2nd at 1:00pm. Email sarpride@ksu.edu with questions.
<https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/241760>
2. The Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee needs your input! Take a look at the fee proposals and give us your thoughts: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1203106>
3. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>
4. Proxies:
 - Grosdidier for Renz
 - Heyen for Furlong
 - Niederee for Holder
 - Kiehl for Elliott
 - Bogner for May
 - Wiese for Fleming
5. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
19 S B	20 P R	21 R E	22 I A	23 N K	24 G !	25
26	27	28 Tuition & Fees Strategies Committee – 6pm in OSAS	29	30	31 Open House	1 Open House

“The way get started is to quit talking and begin doing.” - Walt Disney

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 3-9-17:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1206114/show>

Executive Committee:

No meeting.

University Allocations Committee:

No meeting.

College Allocations Committee:

No meeting.

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1206958/show>

- Questions about K-State Libraries Privilege Fee Request
 - See supporting documents here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1201680>
- Questions about Wildcat Watch Privilege Fee Request
 - See supporting documents here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1201686>
- It was moved and seconded to refer Bill 16/17/90 Continuance in the Recreational Services Privilege Fee to Final Action Favorably. Seconded. Motion Passed 8-2-0.
- It was moved and seconded to refer Bill 16/17/91 Continuance in the Recreational Services Equipment Repair and Replacement Reserve Privilege Fee to Final Action Favorably. Seconded. Motion Passed 10-0-0.
- It was moved and seconded to refer Bill 16/17/99 Continuance in the Recreational Complex Maintenance Reserve Privilege Fee to Final Action Favorably. Seconded. Motion Passed 10-0-0.
- It was moved and seconded to refer Bill 16/17/92 Increase in the Sports Clubs Privilege Fee to Final Action Favorably. Seconded. Motion Passed 10-0-0.
- It was moved and seconded to refer Bill 16/17/104 Continuance in the KSDB Operations Privilege Fee to Final Action Favorably. Seconded. Motion Passes 10-0-0.
- It was moved and seconded to refer Bill 16/17/105 Continuance in the KSDB Reserve Privilege Fee to Final Action Favorably. Seconded. Motion Passes 10-0-0.
- It was moved and seconded to refer Bill 16/17/106 Creation of the Student Governing Association Privilege Fee to Final Action Favorably. Seconded. Motion Passes 10-0-0.

Senate Operations Committee:

Link:

Governmental Relations Committee:

No meeting

Student Engagement Committee:

Link:

Diversity Programming Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

DIRECTOR'S REPORTS FOR THE WEEK

Directors – Remember to submit agenda items at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/239984>

RESOLUTION 16/17/51

COMMENDATION TO DR. STEVEN STOCKHAM

BY: Brett Montague

WHEREAS, Dr. Steven Stockham was awarded the 2016 Association of American Veterinary Medical Colleges (AAVMC) Distinguished Teacher Award at the AAVMC's 2017 Annual Conference and Iverson Bell Symposium in Washington, D.C. on Mar. 12th, 2017;

WHEREAS, The AAVMC Distinguished Teacher Award is considered the most prestigious national teaching award in veterinary medicine;

WHEREAS, This award is presented to an educator whose sustained record of teaching excellence and ability, dedication, character and leadership has contributed significantly to the advancement of the profession;

WHEREAS, Dr. Stockham is professor emeritus of the Kansas State University CVM Department of Diagnostic Medicine and Pathobiology and has earned more than 30 teaching awards throughout a 36-year teaching career; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Stockham's teaching philosophy involved engaging and motivating students through "real life" clinical situations, allowing them to acquire clinical reasoning skills that lead to rewarding, lifelong professional careers.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and congratulates Dr. Steven Stockham for receiving the 2016 AAVMC Distinguished Teacher Award.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Professor Emeritus Steven Stockham, Dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine Tammy Beckham, Executive Associate Dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine Bonnie Rush, Associate Dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine for Academic Programs and Student Affairs Peggy Schmidt, Interim Department Head of Diagnostic Medicine and Pathobiology Derek Mosier, Vice President of Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco and President Richard B. Meyers

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/52**

APPROVAL OF NEW STUDENT SENATOR

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3 **BY:** Senate Operations Committee

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5 **WHEREAS,** Isaiah Solorzano was expelled from the position of Student Senator for the College of
6 Arts and Sciences; and

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8 **WHEREAS,** Stephen Caffera has the next highest vote total for the College of Arts and Sciences.

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10 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** Stephen Caffera be approved as a student senator for the College of Arts and Sciences.

3 **BY:** University Allocations Committee4
5 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of Pinky
6 Promise K-State;7
8 **WHEREAS,** Pinky Promise K-State will be taking three members to the 2017 Pinky Promise
9 Women's Heart to Heart Conference in Atlanta, Ga. on Jul. 27th-31st, 2017;10
11 **WHEREAS,** This conference will provide attendees with opportunities to network with members from
12 all over the world, learn about being women in business, develop interpersonal skills and
13 develop a better relationship with God; and14
15 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:16
17 Project 1 – Women's Heart to Heart Conference; Atlanta, Ga; Jul. 27th-31st, 2017.18
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
<u>Travel</u>	<u>\$400.00</u>	<u>\$300.00</u>
TOTAL	\$400.00	\$300.00

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2223 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**24
25 **SECTION 1.** Pinky Promise K-State shall be allocated \$300.00 for the event described.26
27 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
28 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1310CW of Pinky
29 Promise K-State.

STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS ASSOCIATION OF KANSAS AND MISSOURI

BY: College Allocations Committee

WHEREAS, College Allocations Committee received and reviewed the travel request of the Structural Engineers Association of Kansas and Missouri (SEAKM);

WHEREAS, SEAKM will be taking five members Apr. 5th-8th to Denver, Colo. for the Structural Engineering Institute Structures Congress- a conference intended to accelerate the students' skills in the area of structural engineering;

WHEREAS, This will benefit the Kansas State University student body as SEAKM is the premier organization for structural engineers. Through this trip, those who attend will be able to gather important knowledge and information and will be able to bring that knowledge back to the entire organization;

WHEREAS, The sessions attended by students at the conference contain material that they will implement into their organization and themselves, to become more informed and adept in structural engineering, as well as network with others within their major;

WHEREAS, The allocation will go towards registration, travel and lodging expenses; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 1 – Structural Engineering Institute Structures Congress; Denver, Colo; Apr. 5th-8th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$500.00	\$500.00
TOTAL	\$500.00	\$500.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. SEAKM shall be allocated \$500.00 for the event described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA1036CC of the Structural Engineers Association of Kansas and Missouri.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request from the
7 Kansas State University Paraguayan Student Organization;
89 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University (KSU) Paraguayan Student Organization is a group on campus
10 interested in giving KSU students the unique opportunity to learn more about Paraguay;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The organization will be hosting the Paraguayan Social where they will share their
13 culture, food and history with all KSU students;
1415 **WHEREAS,** This event will provide a platform where students can engage in informal Spanish
16 conversation as well as learn about the culture of Paraguay; and
1718 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
1920 Project 1 – The Paraguayan Social, Apr. 27th, 2017; Kansas State University Student
21 Union, Manhattan, Kan.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotion	\$145.00	\$145.00
TOTAL	\$145.00	\$145.00

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2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** Kansas State University Paraguayan Student Organization shall be allocated \$145.00 for
30 the event described.
3132 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
33 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0812CW of Kansas
34 State University Paraguayan Student Organization.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocation Committee received and reviewed the request of the Indian
7 Students Association;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Indian Students Association will be hosting Holi – Festival of Colors on Apr. 15th,
10 2017;
1112 **WHEREAS,** The festival of Holi is observed as a festival of great social and religious significance.
13 Holi is an ancient Hindu religious festival which involves people painting themselves
14 with various colors and throwing colorful powder in the air to express freedom and to
15 color their everyday life;
1617 **WHEREAS,** Every year, the Indian Students Association at K-State organizes the Holi celebration on
18 campus and brings the K-State community together to celebrate the Indian culture and
19 makes it a festival for everyone, irrespective of their nationality, race, culture or religion;
20 and
2122 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2324 Project 1 – HOLI – Festival of Colors; Kansas State University Campus, Manhattan,
25 Kan.; Apr. 15th, 2017.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotion	\$300.00	\$300.00
<u>Rent of Space</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>
TOTAL	\$360.00	\$360.00

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3132 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3334 **SECTION 1.** Indian Students Association shall be allocated \$360.00 for the event described.
3536 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
37 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0536CW of Indian
38 Students Association.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of Recreational Services
7 during the scheduled three-year review cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Recreations Services department manages the Chester E. Peters Recreation Center,
10 Outdoor Rental Center, associated Outdoor Recreation areas including play fields, tennis,
11 basketball and sand volleyball courts and joint usage of the Ahearn recreation facility and
12 natatorium;13
14 **WHEREAS,** Recreational Services manages the program areas of intramurals, sport clubs,
15 fitness/wellness, challenge course, aquatics, climbing wall and the free time usage of the
16 Peters Recreation Complex;17
18 **WHEREAS,** There are currently 541 students employed by Recreational Services;19
20 **WHEREAS,** During the fiscal year 2016, there were 17,847 students who accessed the Rec/Pool at
21 least once;22
23 **WHEREAS,** The committee considered a cut that would reduce the balance of the Recreational
24 Services Student Fee account to a zero balance over the next three years in response to
25 the large allocations that were not fully spent; and26
27 **WHEREAS,** The committee decided to accept the director's proposal for a continuance as it would
28 allow him further flexibility if a more expensive year was to come.29
30 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**31
32 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
33 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
34 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.35
36 **RECREATIONAL SERVICES PRIVILEGE**
37 **FEE AGREEMENT**
3839 This agreement made this ____ day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
40 Governing Association Student Senate (KSU SGA), and Kansas State University Recreational Services
41 (DEPARTMENT).

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- 43 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the following
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- 44 levels for the following fiscal years: \$1,390,614 for July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018;
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- 45 \$1,390,614 for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019; \$1,390,614 for July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020.
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- 46 The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2020-2021 academic year.
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- 48 2. Of the funds allocated each fiscal year, \$25,000 shall be budgeted for the repair, replacement,
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- 49 and/or the purchasing of new equipment.
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- 51 3. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with
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- 52 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.
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- 54 4. Any breach of this agreement by DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by KSU

55 SGA and such review could result in the decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET.
56 The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not constitute a
57 waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
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- 59 5. Within 90 days of the end of the fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall submit
60 a written summary of BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair to be available for
61 review by KSU SGA.
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- 63 6. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at KSU is permitted with privilege
64 fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student body. (SGA
65 Constitution Article V Section 509 Letter C and Article XI Section 1105)
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- 67 a. Construction shall be defined as capital outlay costs to construct new or make additions
68 onto an existing building or facility.
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- 70 b. Renovation shall be defined as any capital outlay costs used to make modifications to
71 existing building or facilities. Examples of uses of these funds include major
72 replacements (more than \$30,000), building additions, facility betterments and
73 improvements which occur infrequently.
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- 75 7. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 77 8. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent that
78 each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such party
79 and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 81 9. Bill 16/17/90 becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Director of
82 Recreational Services Steve Martini, Chair of the Recreational Services Council Trenton
83 Kennedy, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President
84 for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres,
85 Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

5 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of Recreational Services
8 during the scheduled three-year review cycle;
910 **WHEREAS,** This fund is currently used for building equipment repairs and replacements including
11 fitness equipment, building equipment and building furnishings at the Chester E. Peter
12 Recreation Complex that are not fixed or a major part or component of structure or
13 structural equipment; and
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee committee saw that this budget was being used prudently and
16 recommends that a continuance be allocated for fiscal years 2018-2020.
1718 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1920 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
21 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
22 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.
2324 **RECREATIONAL SERVICES EQUIPMENT REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT**
25 **RESERVE PRIVILEGE FEE BUDGET AGREEMENT**
2627 This agreement made on ____ day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
28 Governing Association (KSU SGA), and Kansas State University Recreational Services
29 (DEPARTMENT).
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- 31 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the
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- 32 following levels for the following fiscal years: \$10,500.00 for July 1, 2017 to June 30,
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- 33 2018; \$10,500.00 for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019; \$10,500.00 for July 1, 2019 to June
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- 34 30, 2020. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2020-2021 academic year.
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- 36 2. These monies shall only be expended for the repair and replacement of building
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- 37 equipment, fitness equipment, and building furnishings that are not part of normal
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- 38 maintenance. These funds shall not be utilized for the repair or replacement of fixed
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- 39 building property or for a major part or component of structure or structural equipment.
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- 41 3. Normal maintenance shall be defined as costs such as cleaning, adjustments and painting,
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- 42 which are incurred on a continuous basis to keep operational assets in usable condition.
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- 44 4. Any repair or replacement that exceeds \$30,000 must first be approved by the Privilege
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- 45 Fee Committee.
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- 47 5. If these monies are not spent during the fiscal year in which they are allocated, any
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- 48 remaining monies in the account shall carry over into the next fiscal year. The reserve
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- 49 account shall not exceed \$100,000.00. Once this limit is reached, any money budgeted to
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- 50 this account shall instead be allocated to the Debt Reduction and Emergency Allocation
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- 51 Account.
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- 53 6. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with the
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- 54 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.

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- 56 7. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by
- 57 KSU SGA and such review could result in the decrease or termination of funding of the
- 58 BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not
- 59 constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
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- 61 8. Within 90 days of the end of the fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall
- 62 submit a written summary of BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair to be
- 63 available for review by KSU SGA.
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- 65 9. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at KSU is permitted with
- 66 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
- 67 body. (SGA Constitution Article V Section 509 Letter C and Article XI Section 1105)
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- 69 a. Construction shall be defined as capital outlay costs to construct new or make
- 70 additions onto an existing building or facility.
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- 72 b. Renovation shall be defined as any capital outlay costs used to make
- 73 modifications to existing building or facilities. Examples of uses of these funds
- 74 include major replacements (greater than \$30,000), building additions, facility
- 75 betterments and improvements which occur infrequently.
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- 77 10. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 79 11. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent
- 80 that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such
- 81 party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 83 12. Bill 16/17/91 becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Director of
- 84 Recreational Services Steve Martini, Recreational Services Council Chair Trenton
- 85 Kennedy, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice
- 86 President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate
- 87 Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair
- 88 Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of Recreational Services
7 during the scheduled three-year review cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Sports Clubs activities add a great deal to the experience of student life and retention and
10 the Sports Clubs Privilege Fee helps reduce the cost that students involved with these
11 activities incur;12
13 **WHEREAS,** The Sports Club Allocation Committee allocates these funds – which over past years
14 have been exhausted, while only meeting a small percentage of intramural teams' funding
15 requests; and16
17 **WHEREAS,** The committee was presented a larger increase, but rejected it due to comparisons with
18 other student organization and academic competition teams that we fund.19
20 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**21
22 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
23 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
24 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.25
26 **SPORTS CLUB ACTIVITY FEE PRIVILEGE**
27 **FEE AGREEMENT**28
29 This agreement made this ____ day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
30 Governing Association (KSU SGA), and the Kansas State University Sports Clubs (DEPARTMENT).

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- 32 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the
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- 33 following levels for the following fiscal years: \$65,000.00 for July 1, 2017 to June 30,
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- 34 2018; \$67,000.00 for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019; \$69,000.00 for July 1, 2019 to June
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- 35 30, 2020. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2020-2021 academic year.
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- 37 2. Any funds not spent at the end of the fiscal year shall revert to the Sports Club Reserve
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- 38 Account.
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- 40 a. Money in the Sports Club Reserve Account shall be only allocated to either those
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- 41 teams who have qualified and will be attending their national competition or to
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- 42 newly registered teams that are in need of start-up funding.
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- 44 b. A minimum of four percent of the total per year allocation shall remain in the
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- 45 Sports Club Reserve Account.
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- 47 3. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with the
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- 48 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.
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- 50 4. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by
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- 51 KSU SGA and such review could result in the decrease or termination of funding of the
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- 52 BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not
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- 53 constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
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- 55 5. Within 90 days of the end of the fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall
56 submit a written summary of BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair to be
57 available for review by KSU SGA.
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- 59 6. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at KSU is permitted with
60 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
61 body. (SGA Constitution Article V Section 509 Letter C and Article XI Section 1105)
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- 63 a. Construction shall be defined as capital outlay costs to construct new or make
64 additions onto an existing building or facility.
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- 66 b. Renovation shall be defined as any capital outlay costs used to make
67 modifications to existing building or facilities. Examples of uses of these funds
68 include major replacements (more than \$30,000), building additions, facility
69 betterments and improvements which occur infrequently.
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- 71 7. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 73 8. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent
74 that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such
75 party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 77 9. Bill 16/17/92 becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Director of
78 Recreational Services Steve Martini, Chair of the Recreational Services Council Trenton
79 Kennedy, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice
80 President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate
81 Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair
82 Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of Recreational Services
7 during the scheduled three-year review cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** During the Privilege Fee review of Recreational Services in 2011 the Privilege Fee
10 Committee established this fund using bond surplus money to ensure the long term
11 maintenance and upkeep of the Recreation Complex;12
13 **WHEREAS,** Many of the major pieces of equipment at the Recreation Complex are nearing the end of
14 their life expectancy, and continual funding will provide the means for responsibly
15 budgeting these expenses over several years;16
17 **WHEREAS,** The Recreational Complex Maintenance Reserve Account contains \$804,822. However,
18 the Recreation Complex has \$2,697,000 in upcoming maintenance projects due by 2020
19 for major equipment that has reached its life expectancy;20
21 **WHEREAS,** The committee considered placing a cap on the account or reducing our annual allocation.
22 However, the committee decided that this not be a good ideas with the amount of
23 upcoming maintenance projects coming due by 2020;24
25 **WHEREAS,** The committee recognized that the Bond Surplus Account is not a stable source of long-
26 term funding and recommends that this contract be added to the Campus Privilege Fee;
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29 **WHEREAS,** The committee recommends the continuance of this fund to ensure Rec Services has
30 adequate reserves in the event of a largescale replacement or emergency.31
32 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**33
34 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
35 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
36 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.37
38 **RECREATIONAL COMPLEX MAINTAINENCE RESERVE**
39 **PRIVILEGE FEE AGREEMENT**40
41 This agreement, made the ____ day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
42 Governing Association (KSU SGA), and Kansas State Recreational Services (DEPARTMENT).43 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the
44 following levels for the following fiscal years: \$200,000.00 for July 1, 2017 to June 30,
45 2018; \$200,000.00 for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019; \$200,000.00 for July 1, 2019 to
46 June 30, 2020. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2020-2021 academic year.47
48 2. Any use of these monies must receive approval from the Privilege Fee Committee.
49 During a time when the Privilege Fee Committee is not regularly scheduled to meet, use
50 of these monies may be approved through written consent of the Privilege Fee Chair and
51 Speaker of the Student Senate. A post completion financial review of expenditures will
52 be sent to the Privilege Fee Committee following any use of these funds. The only
53 acceptable uses of these funds are for the DEPARTMENT and are as follows:
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a. Major maintenance expenses incurred by the building including the repair and/or replacement of fixed building property, a major part or component of structure, structural equipment that are not part of normal maintenance and ordinary repairs (as defined below) of the facility. This definition also includes the removal of a major part or component of structure and the substitution of a new part or component essentially of the same type and performance capabilities. Replacing a revenue generator with a different one is not allowable through this definition.

3. Normal maintenance and ordinary repairs shall be defined as costs such as cleaning, adjustment and painting which are incurred on a continuous basis to keep operational assets in usable condition. Ordinary repairs are outlays for parts, labor and related supplies which are necessary to keep the asset in operational condition, but neither (a) add materially to the value of the asset, nor (b) prolong its life appreciably.

4. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.

5. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by KSU SGA and such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.

6. Within 90 days after the end of the fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall submit a written summary of expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair to be available for review by KSU SGA.

7. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at K-State is permitted with privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student body. (SGA Constitution Article V Section 509 Letter C and Article XI Section 1102)

a. Construction shall be defined as capital outlay costs to construct new or make additions onto an existing building or facility.

b. Renovation shall be defined as any capital outlay costs used to make modifications to existing building or facilities. Examples of uses of these funds include major replacements (over \$30,000), building additions, facility betterments and improvements which occur infrequently.

8. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.

9. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.

10. Bill 16/17/99 becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Director of Recreational Services Steve Martini, Chair of the Recreational Services Council Trenton Kennedy, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee

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6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of KSDB-FM during the
7 scheduled three-year review cycle;

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9 **WHEREAS,** KSDB, the student-run radio station, adds to the student life experience of K-State
10 students;

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12 **WHEREAS,** KSDB serves the K-State and Manhattan communities by providing local radio
13 broadcasting and news;

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15 **WHEREAS,** Through the process of reviewing the request, concerns were raised regarding the status
16 of the KSDB Student Board;

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18 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes require a student
19 board for agencies to receive funds from the Campus Privilege Fee; and

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21 **WHEREAS,** The committee felt it necessary to provide KSDB a one-year allocation to allow time for
22 a student advisory board to be created.

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25 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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27 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
28 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
29 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.

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31 **KSDB OPERATIONS BUDGET**
32 **PRIVILEGE FEE AGREEMENT**
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34 This agreement made this __th day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
35 Governing Association (KSU SGA) and KSDB-FM (KSDB).

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37 1. The annual KSDB Operations Privilege Fee Budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at
38 \$102,362 for fiscal year 2017-2018. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2018-
39 2019 academic year.
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41 2. These funds shall be allocated for KSDB general operations, student salaries, and a full
42 time manager position.
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44 3. An amount not exceeding 12% of these operating costs may be allocated during the
45 summer months in order to fulfill the 12-month contractual requirements of the Federal
46 Communications Commission.
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48 4. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with KSDB
49 regarding funding of budget and use of such funds.
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51 5. Any breach of this agreement by KSDB will result in automatic review by KSU SGA;
52 such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET. The

53 failure of KSU SGA to exercise any rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of
54 such rights in that instance or any other instance.
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- 56 6. Within 90 days of the end of each fiscal year, the Chief Operator of KSDB shall submit a
57 written summary of the BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for review by
58 KSU SGA.
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- 60 7. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at K-State is permitted with
61 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
62 body (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 509, Letter C, and Article XI Section
63 1104).
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- 65 8. This agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the state of Kansas.
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- 67 9. By signing this agreement, the representative of the respective parties hereby represent
68 that each is duly authorized by his or her part to execute the document on behalf of such
69 party that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 71 10. Bill 16/17/104 becomes effective upon the execution of this agreement by the KSDB-FM
72 Chief Operator and Faculty Adviser Vern Wirka, Interim Director of the A.Q. Miller
73 School of Journalism and Mass Communications Jean Folkerts, Vice President for
74 Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President for Administration and
75 Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body
76 President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** The Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee received and reviewed the request of KSDB-FM during the
7 scheduled three-year review cycle;8
9 **WHEREAS,** KSDB has the potential for large one-time unexpected expenditures;10
11 **WHEREAS,** KSDB should have reserve funds available in case of one-time unexpected expenditures;12
13 **WHEREAS,** Through the process of reviewing the request, concerns were raised regarding the status
14 of the KSDB Student Board;15
16 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes require a student
17 board for agencies to receive funds from the Campus Privilege Fee; and18
19 **WHEREAS,** The committee felt it necessary to provide KSDB a one-year allocation to allow time for
20 a student advisory board to be created.21
22 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**23
24 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
25 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
26 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.27
28 **KSDB RESERVE BUDGET**
29 **PRIVILEGE FEE AGREEMENT**30
31 This agreement made this __th day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
32 Governing Association (KSU SGA) and KSDB-FM (KSDB).

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- 34 1. The annual KSDB Reserve Privilege Fee Budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at
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- 35 \$4,000.00 for fiscal years 2017-2018. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to the 2018-
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- 36 2019 academic year. These monies must be spent on large one-time expenditures.
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- 38 2. Any expenditure from this account must first be approved by a majority vote of the
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- 39 Privilege Fee Committee. During times when the Privilege Fee Committee is not
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- 40 regularly scheduled to meet, an expenditure may be approved by an absentee vote of the
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- 41 Privilege Fee Committee members. No expenditure will be approved unless it is clear that
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- 42 all other sources of funding have been exhausted.
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- 44 3. If these monies are not spent during the fiscal year in which they are allocated, any
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- 45 remaining monies in the account shall carry over into the next fiscal year. This reserve
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- 46 account shall not exceed \$40,000.00. Once this limit is reached, any money budgeted to
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- 47 this account shall instead be allocated to the KSDB Operations Budget.
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- 49 4. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with KSDB
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- 50 regarding funding of budget and use of such funds.
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- 52 5. Any breach of this agreement by KSDB will result in automatic review by KSU SGA;
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- 53 such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET. The
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- 54 failure of KSU SGA to exercise any rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of

55 such rights in that instance or any other instance.
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- 57 6. Within 90 days of the end of each fiscal year, the Adviser of KSDB shall submit a written
58 summary of the BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for review by KSU
59 SGA.
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- 61 7. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at K-State is permitted with
62 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
63 body (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 509, Letter C, and Article XI Section
64 1104).
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- 66 8. This agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 68 9. By signing this agreement, the representative of the respective parties hereby represent
69 that each is duly authorized by his or her part to execute the document on behalf of such
70 party that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 72 10. Bill 16/17/105 becomes effective upon the execution of this agreement by the KSDB-FM
73 Chief Operator and Faculty Adviser Vern Wirka, Interim Director of the A.Q. Miller
74 School of Journalism and Mass Communications Jean Folkerts, Vice President for
75 Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President for Administration and
76 Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body
77 President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** “The students of Kansas State University, united in the belief that the goals of a
7 democratic community can be furthered only by the citizenship habits, attitudes, skills
8 and knowledge acquired through experience and that the degree of student development
9 is likely to parallel closely the extent of responsibility which students carry for their own
10 society,” formed the Kansas State University Student Governing Association;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Any person enrolled in at least one credit hour of class work at the main campus of
13 Kansas State University is a member of the KSU SGA;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The KSU SGA is responsible for representing the students of Kansas State University,
16 reviewing requests for tuition and fees, allocating funding to student organizations, and
17 numerous other tasks;
1819 **WHEREAS,** The KSU SGA has long been funded by the Campus Privilege Fee as a line item on the
20 Office of Student Activities and Services Budget Agreement;
2122 **WHEREAS,** To promote transparency in how student fee dollars are spent, it is logical for SGA to
23 receive their own Privilege Fee Budget Agreement;
2425 **WHEREAS,** The allocated amounts for FY2018 and FY 2019 constitute a decrease of the amount
26 allocated to the KSU SGA from the Office of Student Activities and Services Budget
27 agreement;
2829 **WHEREAS,** The Joint Committee on Officer Compensation studied, evaluated, and communicated
30 levels of compensation for student officers of the KSU SGA, recommending \$54,633 for
31 FY2018, \$56,941 for FY2019, and \$60,365 for FY2020, and their report was accepted by
32 the Student Senate for this contract; and
3334 **WHEREAS,** The Privilege Fee Committee also recommends that \$16,800 be allocated for the
35 programmatic focuses of the KSU SGA.
3637 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3839 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association approves the following
40 Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be included
41 in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.
4243 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BUDGET AGREEMENT**
4445 This agreement made this __th day of March 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
46 Governing Association (SENATE) and the Student Governing Association (DEPARTMENT), and shall
47 supersede any previous agreement made by SENATE with the DEPARTMENT regarding funding of
48 budget and use of such funding.
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- 50 1. The annual Student Governing Association privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall
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- 51 be funded at the following levels for the following fiscal years: \$71,433 for July
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- 52 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018; \$73,741 for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019; and \$77,165
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- 53 for July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020. All uses of DEPARTMENT Privilege Fees
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- 54 must be in compliance with Chapter 30 of the Kansas State University Student

Governing Association Statutes. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to academic year 2020-2021.

2. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by SENATE with DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.
3. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by SENATE and such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET. The failure of SENATE to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
4. Within 90 days after the end of the fiscal year, the SGA Treasurer shall submit a written summary of expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for review by SGA.
5. No construction or renovation of a building or facility at Kansas State University is permitted with privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student body. (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 510, Letter D and Article XI, Section 1105)
6. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
7. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
8. Bill 16/17/106 becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the KSU SGA Treasurer Andrew Peuchen, SGA Advisor Heather Reed, SGA Advisor Bill Harlan, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, Attorney General Sarah Pride and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the funding request from
7 International Coordinating Council (ICC);
89 **WHEREAS,** ICC's goal is to bring awareness to the Kansas State University (KSU) community about
10 cultural diversity and come together to promote fellowship and cultural understanding
11 among people of diverse nationalities;
1213 **WHEREAS,** The International Fashion Show allows students to show their traditional clothes from
14 their home countries on the runway;
1516 **WHEREAS,** The International Parade will allow students to carry their flag from the International
17 Student Center to Bosco Plaza to honor their countries and promote ICC International
18 Week;
1920 **WHEREAS,** The International Game Day is an event where students can participate in fun activities
21 like learning to write their names in a different language, henna art, playing traditional
22 games and many more;
2324 **WHEREAS,** The International Dance Lessons will allow students to learn and teach others dances
25 from different countries;
2627 **WHEREAS,** The International Talent Show is an event where students showcase their talents (singing,
28 dancing, playing an instrument etc.) from their home countries;
2930 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
3132 Project 1 – ICC, International Fashion Show, Union Ballroom, Apr. 2nd, 2017;

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Rent of Equipment	\$152.00	\$152.00
Promotion	\$180.00	\$180.00
TOTAL	\$332.00	\$332.00

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38 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
3940 Project 2 – ICC, International Parade, Bosco Student Plaza, Apr. 3rd, 2017;

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotion	\$180.00	\$180.00
TOTAL	\$180.00	\$180.00

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45 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
4647 Project 3—ICC, International Game Day, Bosco Student Plaza, Apr. 3rd, 2017;

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Rent of Equipment	\$86.00	\$86.00
Promotion	\$86.00	\$86.00
TOTAL	\$172.00	\$172.00

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53 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
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Project 4—ICC, International Dance Lessons, Union Courtyard, Apr. 7th, 2017;

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Rent of Equipment	\$56.00	\$56.00
TOTAL	\$56.00	\$56.00

WHEREAS, The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

Project 5 – ICC, International Talent Show, Forum Hall, Apr. 9th, 2017.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Promotion	\$60.00	\$60.00
Rent of Equipment	\$152.00	\$152.00
TOTAL	\$212.00	\$212.00

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. ICC shall be allocated \$1046.00 for the events described.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0560 of the International Coordinating Conference.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee

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 6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request for the
 7 Rhetoric and Composition Society;

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 9 **WHEREAS,** The Rhetoric and Composition Society will be hosting Dr. Stephanie Kerschbaum of the
 10 University of Delaware to present about her book, *Toward a New Rhetoric of Difference*;

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 12 **WHEREAS,** Undergraduates and English department graduate teaching assistants will attend the event
 13 and hear a message focusing on anti-racist and anti-ableist actions, which will enable
 14 students and teachers to cultivate an anti-racist, anti-ableist pedagogy; and

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 16 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

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 18 Project 1- Tutoring, Teaching, and Learning: Anti-racist and Anti-ableist Strategies; Apr.
 19 2nd-3rd, 2017; Leadership Studies Town Hall, Manhattan, Kan.

	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
LSE	\$1,750.00	\$1,750.00
TOTAL	\$1,750.00	\$1,750.00

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 25 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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 28 **SECTION 1.** The Rhetoric and Composition Society shall be allocated \$1,750.00 for the event
 29 described.

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 31 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
 32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0920CWof the
 33 Rhetoric and Composition Society.

4 **BY:** University Allocations Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee received and reviewed the request of the Asian
7 American Student Union;
89 **WHEREAS,** The Asian American Student Union is an organization that promotes diversity and
10 spreads Asian American culture;
1112 **WHEREAS,** 11 members of the Asian American Student Union will be attending the annual Midwest
13 Asian American Student Union spring conference;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Midwest Asian American Student Union spring conference is aimed to unite and
16 strengthen the Asian/Pacific Islander community's stance against all forms of oppression,
17 and to better strengthen their identities in a continuously evolving environment; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** The funds requested by this group and the funding recommendation made are as follows:
2021 Project 1 – Travel; Apr. 6th-9th, 2017; University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.
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	<u>Request</u>	<u>Recommendation</u>
Travel	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00

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27 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** The Asian American Student Union shall be allocated \$1,000.00 for the event described.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
32 funds shall be transferred from NISACONRSV to the account NISA0130CW of the
33 Asian American Student Union.

5 **BY:** Ryan Kelly and Trent McGee

7 **WHEREAS,** Chapter 3010, Section 020 of Kansas State University's Policy and Procedures Manual
8 states, "Discrimination based on race, color, ethnic or national origin, sex, sexual
9 orientation, gender identity, religion, age, ancestry, disability, genetic information,
10 military status, or veteran status is prohibited";

12 **WHEREAS,** On May 13th, 2016, the "Dear Colleague" letter was released which states, "A school may
13 provide separate facilities on the basis of sex, but must allow transgender students access
14 to such facilities consistent with their gender identity";

16 **WHEREAS,** On Feb. 22nd, 2017, the Trump administration removed the regulations placing federal
17 protections on transgender student's access to facilities consistent with their gender
18 identity, stating, "This is an issue best solved at the state and local level";

20 **WHEREAS,** The National Task Force to End Sexual and Domestic Violence Against Women assigned
21 a coalition to analyze the effects of allowing transgender students a choice of bathroom
22 preference and stated, "Over 200 municipalities and 18 states have nondiscrimination
23 laws protecting transgender people's access to facilities consistent with the gender they
24 live every day. None of those jurisdictions have seen a rise in sexual violence or other
25 public safety issues due to nondiscrimination laws";

27 **WHEREAS,** A research article published on Jun. 2nd, 2015, *Intervenable factors associated with*
28 *suicide risk in transgender persons: a respondent driven sampling study*, found, "Social
29 support [and] reduced transphobia were associated with large relative and absolute
30 reductions in suicide risk. Lower self-reported transphobia was associated with a 66%
31 reduction in ideation, and an additional 76 % reduction in attempts among those with
32 ideation. This corresponds to potential prevention of 160 ideations per 1,000 trans
33 persons, and 200 attempts per 1,000 with ideation, based on a hypothetical reduction of
34 transphobia from current levels";

36 **WHEREAS,** Previous attempts by the Kansas Legislature to resolve this debate resulted in Senate Bill
37 513 and House Bill 2737 – entitled the "Student Physical Privacy Act" – which state,
38 "Student restrooms, locker rooms and showers that are designated for one sex shall be
39 used only by members of that sex";

41 **WHEREAS,** The "Student Physical Privacy Act" also awarded "an amount of \$2,500 for each instance
42 in which the aggrieved student encountered a person of the opposite sex while accessing
43 a public school or postsecondary educational institution student restroom, locker room or
44 shower room designated for use by the aggrieved student's sex";

46 **WHEREAS,** The state of California has banned state-funded travel to the state of Kansas in
47 accordance with a California state law which states, "California must take action to avoid
48 supporting or financing discrimination against lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender
49 people";

51 **WHEREAS,** House Bill 2123, introduced on Jan. 27th, 2017 and known as the "Kansas Act
52 Against Discrimination", would prevent discrimination "in relation to free and public
53 accommodations... by reason of race, religion, color, sex, disability, national origin or,
54 ancestry, sexual orientation or gender identity"; and

56 **WHEREAS,** Senate Resolution 1715, introduced on Feb. 15th, 2017, would encourage Kansas

public school boards to promote “awareness of and healthy attitudes about growth and development, body image, gender identity, gender expression, sexuality, sexual health, sexual orientation, dating, relationships and family, and should be designed to positively affect adolescent behavior.”

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) hereby supports and defends the KSU transgender community by standing with them in solidarity, by promoting just, lasting policies via governmental and administrative action and by demonstrating an unwavering dedication to educating the student body as to the issues plaguing these critically-important members of our KSU “family”.

SECTION 2. KSU SGA recommends and advocates for the Kansas Legislature to implement a transparent, standardized policy which bars discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity in employment, housing and public accommodations.

SECTION 3. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Sexuality and Gender Alliance President Holly Nelson, Gender Collective Officers Riley Katz and Sam Sharpe, Feminists Igniting Resistance and Empowerment President Chelsea Turner, Student Access Center Director Jason Maseberg-Tomlinson, LGBT Resource Center Coordinator Brandon Haddock, Faculty Senate President Andrew Bennett, University Support Staff President Carol Marden, Interim Associate Provost for Diversity Zelia Wiley, Vice President of Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life Director Ben Hopper, President Richard B. Myers, President of the Senate Senator Susan Wagle, Vice President of the Senate Senator Jeff Longbine, Senate Majority Leader Senator Jim Denning, Senate Assistant Majority Leader Senator Vicki Schmidt, Senate Majority Whip Senator Elaine Bowers, Senate Minority Leader Senator Anthony Hensley, Senate Assistant Minority Leader Senator Laura Kelly, Senate Minority Whip Senator Oletha Faust-Goudeau, Senate Agenda Chair Senator Marci Francisco, Senate Caucus Chair Senator Tom Hawk, Speaker of the House Representative Ron Ryckman, Speaker Pro Tem Representative Scott Schwab, House Majority Leader Representative Don Hineman, House Assistant Majority Leader Representative Tom Phillips, House Majority Whip Representative Kent Thompson, House Majority Caucus Chair Representative Susan Concannon, House Minority Leader Representative Jim Ward, House Assistant Minority Leader Representative Stan Frownfelter, House Minority Whip Representative Ed Trimmer, House Minority Caucus Chair Representative Barbara Ballard, House Minority Agenda Chair Representative Brandon Whipple, House Minority Policy Chair Representative Adam Lusker, Attorney General Derek Schmidt, Secretary of State Kris Kobach, Lt. Governor Jeff Colyer, M.D., and Governor Sam Brownback.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/54**

2 **RESOLUTION REGARDING THE COUNSELING SERVICES**
3 **MOVE TO THE BASEMENT OF LAFENE HEALTH CENTER**

4 **BY:** Stephen Kucera, Jessica Van Ranken, Jordan DeLoach, Kaitlin Flores and Jack Ayres

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6 **WHEREAS,** In Spring 2017, Counseling Services is scheduled to be moved into the basement of
7 Lafene Health Center based on a promise made by former Kansas State University (K-
8 State) President Jon Wefald to the English department so that the department could
9 occupy the entire building that is currently shared with Counseling Services;

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11 **WHEREAS,** The move will cause several challenges for Counseling Services as it continues to
12 destigmatize the issue of mental health and counseling in the campus community; and

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14 **WHEREAS,** Counseling Services needs the Kansas State University administration to help make the
15 move a success so it can best continue to serve K-State students.

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17 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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19 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) recommends to
20 university administration that the following resources and accommodations be made to
21 the Counseling Services as they prepare to move into the K-State building on Sunset: a)
22 designate parking spaces for Counseling Services clients and staff at the separate entrance
23 to Counseling Services in the south side of the building, b) provide clear signage for
24 Counseling Services at that south outside entrance and again at the corner of Sunset and
25 Platt, c) improve transportation routes from campus to include an ATA bus stop at the
26 Sunset Building near the front entrance to the building (the Health Center entrance) and
27 provide more frequent stops (every 15 minutes), and d) continue university efforts to
28 address the stigma of locating Counseling Services in a medical facility and honor the
29 diversity of offices housed in that building by giving it a more generic name than calling
30 the entire building "Lafene Health Center."

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32 **SECTION 2.** Upon Passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this
33 resolution shall be sent to President Richard B. Myers, Provost April Mason, Vice
34 President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Vice President of Student
35 Life and Dean of Student Pat Bosco, Assistant Vice-President of Student Life and
36 Director of Housing and Dining Services Derek Jackson, Director of Counseling Services
37 Dorinda Lambert, and Director of Lafene Health Center Jim Parker.

2 AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT
3 GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE
4 CREATION OF THE DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION COMMITTEE
56 **BY:** Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach, Jack Ayres
78 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student
9 Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws;
1011 **WHEREAS,** KSU SGA should strive to represent the interests and hear the concerns of the diverse
12 student body at KSU;
1314 **WHEREAS,** A committee comprised of individuals from a variety of diverse student organizations
15 would be able to advise KSU SGA on how best to represent and advocate for a wide
16 range of student interests; and
1718 **WHEREAS,** A committee should be formed to address issues of inclusion and inequity at KSU, it is
19 apparent that refinements to the KSU SGA By-Laws are in order.
2021 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2223 **SECTION 1.** Article III, Section 5 shall be renumbered to Section 6.
2425 **SECTION 2.** Article III, Section 5 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
26 Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
2728 Section. 5. *Diversity and Inclusion Advisory Committee.*29 A. *The charge of the committee shall be to act as a committee of oversight,*
30 *advisory and action on issues related to diversity and inclusion on*
31 *Kansas State University's campus.*32 B. *The committee shall be composed of the following voting student*
33 *organizations represented by the organization President or their*
34 *designee:*35 1. *The Student Body President who shall serve as chair.*36 2. *Black Student Union*37 3. *Hispanic American Leadership Organization*38 4. *Asian American Student Union*39 5. *Native American Student Association*40 6. *Sexuality and Gender Alliance*41 7. *Gender Collective*42 8. *International Coordinating Council*43 9. *American Ethnic Studies Student Association*44 10. *Feminists Igniting Resistance and Empowerment*45 11. *Veterans Student Organization*46 12. *Muslim Students Association*47 13. *A member representing disabled persons appointed by the Student*
48 *Access Center.*49 14. *The International Affairs Director and Multicultural Affairs Director*
50 *from the Student Body President's Cabinet shall serve as ex-officio*
51 *members.*52 15. *Other members as deemed necessary by the Student Body President.*

- 53 C. *In the absence of a representative from a student organization, the*
54 *Student Body President shall be able to appoint a representative*
55 *representing a similar diverse group.*
56 D. *A quorum of the committee shall be half of the sitting members plus one.*
57 *The Chair shall only vote in case of a tie. The Chair shall call meetings*
58 *of the committee.*

59 **SECTION 3.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student
60 Body President.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE
KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION
BY-LAWS CONCERNING
GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE**

BY: Jack Ayres and Andrew Crowder

WHEREAS, It is necessary to continuously review and update the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws; and

WHEREAS, The Governmental Relations Standing Committee (GRSC), historically, has not needed to meet on a regular basis to maintain the responsibilities outlined in the Student Governing Association By-Laws; and

WHEREAS, The GRSC's status as an active, standing committee is thereby not necessary; and

WHEREAS, There is a need to redefine the roles of the legislative committee on governmental relations.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Article IV, Section 9 of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

- J. ~~Governmental Relations Standing Committee shall promote student views on matters of student concern, and work to inform and educate students on matters of student concern within federal, state and local governments.~~
- 1. ~~Governmental Relations Standing Committee shall consist of at least 13 members and the Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair, who shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair.~~
- 2. ~~Membership.~~
 - a. ~~Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.~~
 - b. ~~Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in consultation with the Governmental Relations Committee Chair.~~
 - c. ~~Local Relations Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet, who shall be a voting member of the committee.~~
 - d. ~~State Relations Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet, who shall be a voting member of the committee.~~
 - e. ~~Two students at large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.~~
 - f. ~~Of the Student Senator and students at large, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the Governmental Relations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Governmental Relations Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be~~

- 55 responsible for the minutes of the committee.
- 56 g. ~~Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
- 57 ~~consultation with the Governmental Relations Standing~~
- 58 ~~Committee Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the~~
- 59 ~~committee.~~
- 60 3. ~~The committee shall:~~
- 61 a. ~~Be the Legislative Branch's Advocacy Team and shall insure~~
- 62 ~~effective and consistent representation of student concerns~~
- 63 ~~between the state legislature and Board of Regents.~~
- 64 b. ~~Work for the inclusion of student concerns within the University~~
- 65 ~~budget and lobby for those concerns when necessary.~~
- 66 c. ~~Deal with and make recommendations on the City University~~
- 67 ~~Projects Fund.~~
- 68 d. ~~Be responsible for the interaction between Student Senate and~~
- 69 ~~the Manhattan City Commission, Chamber of Commerce, county~~
- 70 ~~commission, state government, and the federal government on~~
- 71 ~~relevant community issues.~~
- 72 e. ~~During an election year, coordinate "Get Out the Vote" efforts~~
- 73 ~~and voter education efforts.~~
- 74 f. ~~Educate the student body on governmental issues that are~~
- 75 ~~pertinent to Kansas State University students.~~
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77 **SECTION 2.** Article IV of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

78 *Section. 17. Governmental Relations Committee shall promote student views on*

79 *matters of student concern, and work to inform and educate students on*

80 *matters of student concern within federal, state and local governments.*

- 81 A. *The Governmental Relations Committee shall be composed of the*
- 82 *following members:*
- 83 1. *The Governmental Relations Committee chair, appointed by the*
- 84 *Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker*
- 85 *pro tempore of the Student Senate and subject to the approval of*
- 86 *the Student Senate shall chair the committee and vote only in the*
- 87 *case of a tie.*
- 88 2. *Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student*
- 89 *Senate, in consultation with the Governmental Relations*
- 90 *Committee Chair.*
- 91 3. *Governmental Relations Director of the Student Body*
- 92 *President's Cabinet, who shall be a voting member of the*
- 93 *committee.*
- 94 4. *Students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in*
- 95 *consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall*
- 96 *have voting privileges on the committee.*
- 97 5. *Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee*
- 98 *shall elect a Vice Chair of the Governmental Relations*
- 99 *Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the*
- 100 *Governmental Relations Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall*
- 101 *chair meetings of the Governmental Relations Committee in the*
- 102 *absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of*
- 103 *the committee.*
- 104 6. *Student Senate Interns at the discretion of the Senate Intern*
- 105 *Coordinator in consultation with the Speaker of the Student*
- 106 *Senate who shall be non-voting member of the committee.*
- 107 B. *The committee shall meet as-needed or at the request of the Student*
- 108 *Body President and/or the Speaker of the Student Senate*

109 *C. The committee shall:*

- 110 1. *Write and review any legislation pertaining to governmental*
- 111 *affairs.*
- 112 2. *Coordinate with shared governance groups and make*
- 113 *recommendations on the City-University Projects Fund.*
- 114 3. *Educate the student body on governmental issues that are*
- 115 *pertinent to Kansas State University students.*
- 116 4. *During an election year, coordinate “Get Out the Vote” efforts*
- 117 *and voter education effort.*
- 118 5. *Work for the inclusion of student concerns within the University*
- 119 *budget and advocate for those concerns when necessary.*
- 120 6. *Provide input from the Legislative Branch and support*
- 121 *governmental relations efforts of all SGA lobbying efforts.*
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124 **SECTION 3.** Upon passage by the Student Senate, this Bill shall take effect in the 2017-2018 term.

3 **BY:** Anna Jackson4
5 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student
6 Governing Association By-Laws;7
8 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of the current KSU SGA By-Laws concerning the filling of vacancies it
9 isn't clear on how process should select a temporary Speaker after the Senate Operations
10 Chair.11
12 **WHEREAS,** Senate Operations Committee Chair oversees the filling of vacancies and expulsion of
13 Senators; and14
15 **WHEREAS,** The By-Laws should reflect what we have been doing.16
17 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**18
19 **SECTION 1.** Article four, Section six Succession shall be amended as follows.20 A .In the event of the temporary absence or inability of the Speaker of the Student Senate, the line
21 of succession shall be:

- 22 1. Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate.
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- 23 2. Student Senate Parliamentarian.
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- 24 3. Chair of Senate Operations Standing Committee.
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- 25 4. A Student Senator, elected by Student Senate, to be temporary chair as needed.
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- 26 a.
- Selection shall follow the following rules:*
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- 27 1.
- Nominations shall be taken from the floor.*
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- 28 2.
- The Nominees will be given two minutes to speak on why they want*
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- to fill the position.*
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- 30 3.
- Afterwards nominees will step out of the room and Senate will then*
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- vote, Speaker will be selected by majority vote.*

32 B. In the event of the resignation, removal from office or the permanent inability of the Speaker
33 of the Student Senate to discharge his or her duties as Speaker of the Student Senate, the Speaker
34 pro tempore of the Student Senate shall succeed to the office of Speaker. Student Senate shall
35 elect a new Speaker pro tempore at the second meeting thereafter.36
37 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this bill
38 shall go into effect.

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3 **BY:** Anna Jackson
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5 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University
6 Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws;
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8 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of the current KSU SGA By-Laws concerning the filling of
9 vacancies, it isn't clear on when absences should start for new senators;
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11 **WHEREAS,** Once senators are selected to fill a seat, their absences don't count against them
12 until they are sworn in; and
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14 **WHEREAS,** The By-Laws should reflect what we have been doing.
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16 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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18 **SECTION 1.** Article four, Section five, sub section B shall be amended as follows.
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20 B. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the office of Student Senator, an Interim Student Senator who
21 meets all eligibility requirements defined in the KSU SGA Constitution shall be determined by the
22 following means until a replacement Student Senator, described in the provisions above, is sworn into
23 office. The Interim Student Senator will have full privileges as a Student Senator and must follow all
24 guidelines described for the office of Student Senator while maintaining the responsibilities of Student
Senate Intern.

25 1. Student Senate Intern representing the respective college may be named to serve as the Interim
26 Student Senator after recommendation of the Student Senate Intern Coordinator.

27 2. If a Student Senate Intern is not recommended by the Student Senate Intern Coordinator, then
28 the respective college caucus may name a student in the respective college to serve as the Interim
29 Student Senator.

30 3. After a replacement Student Senator has been sworn into office by the means described in (A)
31 above, the Interim Student Senator's privileges and responsibilities will revert back to those of
32 Student Senate Intern.

33 C. Any Student Senator, Student Senate Committee Chair or Student Senate Intern with three unexcused
34 absences shall be subject to expulsion as provided in the Student Senate Standing Rules.

35 *D. Student Senators once selected but not sworn in to fill a Senate Seat have one regularly scheduled*
36 *meeting of their term to be sworn in. Exceptions may be made with a majority vote from Senate.*

37 ~~D.~~ E. Any Student Senator, Student Senate Intern or Student Senate officer who drops class hours below
38 the amount specified in the KSU SGA Constitution or any Student Senator whose cumulative grade point
39 average drops below the requirement specified in the KSU SGA Constitution will automatically be
40 considered for expulsion by Student Senate.
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42 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this bill
43 shall go into effect.

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3 **BY:** Anna Jackson
4

5 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University
6 Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws;
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8 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of the current KSU SGA By-Laws concerning the filling of
9 vacancies, the process is unclear;
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11 **WHEREAS,** Senate Operations Committee Chair oversees the filling of vacancies and
12 expulsion of Senators; and
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14 **WHEREAS,** The By-Laws should reflect the correct procedure for filling a vacant seat.
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16 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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18 **SECTION 1. Article four Section V sub section A** shall be amended as follows.

19 In the event that a vacancy occurs in the office of Student Senator, *the Senate Operations Chair*
20 *shall follow the following steps* to select a replacement Student Senator. *Students Senators*
21 *selected must who* meets all eligibility requirements defined in the KSU SGA Constitution ~~shall~~
22 ~~be determined by means of the following:~~

- 23 1. The vacancy shall be offered to unsuccessful candidates for the vacated seat, starting with
24 the unsuccessful candidate who received the highest vote total and proceeding down the
25 list. If after two business days an unsuccessful candidate does not respond to initial
26 communication, the next candidate on the list will be contacted until there are ties or no
27 remaining candidates.
- 28 2. Unsuccessful candidates that tied in vote totals will be contacted in bulk. If after two
29 business days only one candidate has expressed interest, that candidate will fill the vacant
30 seat. If more than one of these candidates is interested in the vacant seat within the period
31 of initial contact, each will present to the Senate Operations Standing Committee, which
32 will pick the candidate to fill the seat by a majority vote.
- 33 3. When the vacant seat cannot be filled with an unsuccessful candidate as prescribed
34 above, the appropriate college council or its designee shall appoint the replacement. The
35 council or designee has two weeks (14 calendar days) from the initial communication to
36 name a replacement. The name shall be sent to the chair of the Senate Operations
37 Standing Committee.
- 38 4. If the vacant seat cannot be filled by the above measures, the respective college caucus in
39 Student Senate will make a recommendation to the Senate Operations Standing
40 Committee. This replacement may include Student Senate Interns whose major is in the
41 respective college. In this case, the Student Senate Intern must resign from his or her
42 position as an intern.
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44 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President,
45 this bill shall go into effect.

3 **BY:** Anna Jackson

4
5 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University
6 Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws;

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8 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of the current KSU SGA By-Laws concerning the Senate
9 Operations Standing Committee it was evident that it is out of date and doesn't
10 reflect the current responsibilities of Senate Operations Standing Committee;

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12 **WHEREAS,** Senate Operations Standing committee doesn't interview the appointments
13 before writing legislation for their approval;

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15 **WHEREAS,** Senate Operations Standing Committee doesn't oversee the new senator
16 orientation; and

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18 **WHEREAS,** The By-Laws should reflect what Senate Operations Standing Committee has
19 been doing.

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21 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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23 **SECTION 1.** Article four, Section nine, Sub-Section I shall be amended as follows.

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25 I. Senate Operations Standing Committee shall have the responsibilities of overseeing KSU SGA Elections
26 (as prescribed in Article I), Student Senate Legislation, and initiation of impeachment or expulsion
27 consideration.

28 1. Senate Operations Standing Committee shall consist of nine voting members and the Senate
29 Operations Standing Committee Chair, who shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the
30 committee shall be a majority of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including
31 the Senate Operations Chair.

32 2. Membership.

33 a. Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of the Student
34 Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate who shall
35 chair the committee. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.

36 b. Student Senate Parliamentarian, who shall have voting privileges in the committee.

37 c. Six Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in consultation
38 with the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair. Of these members, the committee
39 shall elect a Vice Chair of the Senate Operations Standing Committee. This appointment
40 is subject to the approval of the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice
41 Chair shall chair the Senate Operations Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair
42 and shall be responsible for the minutes of the committee.

43 d. Two Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in consultation with
44 the present Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair, who shall have voting
45 privileges on the committee.

46 3. Senate Operations Standing Committee shall have the responsibilities of overseeing KSU SGA
47 Elections (as prescribed in Article I), Student Senate legislation, initiation of impeachment or
48 expulsion consideration, ~~new Senator orientation for Student Senators selected during the Senate~~
49 ~~term, and organizing a meeting with the college council presidents or officers at least once a~~
50 ~~semester.~~

51 4. Introduce resolutions of approval of appointments for all appointments of the Student Body
52 President, the Speaker of the Student Senate (with the exception of Standing Committee Chairs),
53 and the Attorney General that are subject to the approval of Student Senate. ~~Such appointments~~
54 ~~shall be submitted to the Senate Operations Standing Committee for interviews and authoring~~
55 ~~resolutions for introduction for Approvals of Appointments.~~

- 56 5. Responsible for determination of replacements for Student Senators whenever vacancies occur.
57 A resolution of Approval of Appointment of Student Senators shall be introduced by the Senate
58 Operations Standing Committee.
59 6. Oversee the editing of proposed Student Senate legislation.
60 a. All Legislation must be submitted three hours prior to the Senate Operations Standing
61 Committee being called to order, to be considered for the next Student Senate meeting
62 called by the Speaker of the Student Senate or Student Body President. Exceptions may
63 be made at the discretion of the Speaker of the Student Senate or Senate Operations
64 Standing Committee Chair.
65 b. Make grammatical corrections to proposed legislation. The Senate Operations Standing
66 Committee may also make minor changes in phrasing to clarify the intent of the sponsor
67 of the legislation; however, no other changes may be made without the sponsor's consent.
68 If the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair determines that the only items of
69 business before the Senate Operations Standing Committee are grammatical corrections
70 or minor changes, the Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair and Vice Chair or
71 their designees may make such corrections or minor changes on behalf of the committee.
72 c. Exceptions may be made at the discretion of the Speaker of the Student Senate or the
73 Senate Operations Standing Committee Chair.
74 7. Initiation of Impeachment or Expulsion Consideration.
75 a. Senate Operations Standing Committee *Chair or their designee* shall maintain a
76 running tally of all unexcused absences.
77 b. In the event a person has three unexcused absences, Senate Operations Standing
78 Committee *Chair or their designee* shall notify the person in question and conduct a
79 committee hearing on the person's possible impeachment or expulsion.
80 c. In the event that the Senate Operations Standing Committee has confirmed grounds for
81 impeachment or expulsion based on malfeasance, misfeasance or nonfeasance, they shall
82 present legislation to Student Senate.
83 ~~d. Senate Operations Standing Committee shall give a report to Student Senate detailing~~
84 ~~any impeachment or expulsion proceedings initiated by the committee, and shall update~~
85 ~~the Student Senate as to the progress of these proceedings.~~
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87 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this bill
88 shall go into effect.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE**
3 **UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE**
5 **STUDENT ENGAGEMENT COMMITTEE**6 **BY:** Student Engagement Committee7
8 **WHEREAS,** The Student Governing Association (SGA) Student Engagement Committee is an
9 important standing committee that is directly involved with various student groups on
10 campus;11
12 **WHEREAS,** The current Kansas State University SGA By-Laws contain old and out-of-date
13 responsibilities for the committee and its chair; and14
15 **WHEREAS,** We believe it would be beneficial to update the By-Laws to better reflect how the
16 committee looks currently so that future chairs and members have a better understanding
17 of their responsibilities.18
19 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**20
21 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section K of the Kansas State University Student Governing
22 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:23
24 K. The Student Engagement Standing Committee shall work to engage and promote
25 KSU SGA to the students, faculty, administration, and staff of Kansas State
26 University and the Manhattan community by educating them on the KSU SGA's
27 mission, processes and achievements. This committee is also charged with collecting
28 feedback from *non-academic* student groups on the work of KSU SGA as well as
29 campus and community issues.

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- 31 1. Student Engagement Standing Committee shall consist of a
- recommendation of*
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- 32 13 voting members and the Student Engagement Standing Committee Chair, who
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- 33 shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of
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- 34 the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the Student
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- 35 Engagement Standing Committee Chair.

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37 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section K of the Kansas State University Student Governing
38 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:39
40 2. Membership.

- 41 a. The Student Engagement Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of
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- 42 the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the
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- 43 Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be
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- 44 subject to the approval of Student Senate.
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- 46 b. Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in
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- 47 consultation with the Student Engagement Committee Chair.
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- 49 c. Two students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in
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- 50 consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have
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- 51 voting privileges on the committee.
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- 53 d. Of the Student Senators and students-at-large, the committee shall elect a
54 Vice Chair of the Student Engagement Standing Committee. This
55 appointment is subject to the approval of the Student Engagement
56 Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Student
57 Engagement Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall
58 be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
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- 60 e. ~~Director of Public Relations of the Student Body President's Cabinet~~
61 ~~who shall have a vote in committee.~~ *Director of Multicultural Affairs and*
62 *Director of International Student Affairs of the Student Body President's*
63 *Cabinet who shall serve as ex-officio, non-voting members.*
- 64
- 65 f. *Other members of the executive branch whose position deals with issues*
66 *related to the committee, who shall serve as ex-officio members.*
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- 68 g. Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in
69 consultation with the Student Engagement Committee *who shall serve as*
70 *non-voting members.* ~~have voting privileges on the committee.~~
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72 **SECTION 3.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section K of the Kansas State University Student Governing
73 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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- 75 ~~2.~~ **3.** The committee shall:
- 76 a. ~~Be responsible for maintaining and updating the KSU SGA brochure and~~
77 ~~social media accounts.~~
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- 79 b. ~~Be responsible for the organization and implementation of an~~
80 ~~Informative campaign regarding KSU SGA elections.~~
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- 82 e. ~~a. Increase awareness of university and KSU SGA events directly~~
83 ~~affecting students. Serve as an active line of communication from~~
84 ~~students to SGA and from SGA to students.~~
- 85
- 86 d. ~~Examine news articles from the Kansas State Collegian, the Manhattan~~
87 ~~Mercury, and other news sources. If errors are found, the committee will~~
88 ~~contact the appropriate editors.~~
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- 90 e. ~~Compile articles and news releases when needed by the Student Body~~
91 ~~President, the Speaker of the Student Senate, the Attorney General, and~~
92 ~~other members of the KSU SGA in consultation with one of the three~~
93 ~~heads of the branches of KSU SGA.~~
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- 95 f. ~~b. Coordinate KSU SGA social functions once a semester. Extend~~
96 ~~invitations to student groups for an open forum hosted by SGA once a~~
97 ~~semester to hear student concerns~~
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- 99 g. c. Continuously seek new avenues to promote KSU SGA to the Kansas
100 State University student body and the Manhattan community.
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- 102 h. d. Be ambassadors of the KSU SGA *by engaging with student groups at*
103 *their own meeting and events as an avenue to orchestrate more small scale*
104 *conversations.*
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i. e. Organize Student Senators and Interns to visit registered student organizations to ~~give presentations on current campus and student government issues, as well as~~ receive, evaluate, and respond to student feedback *regarding current campus and student government issues.*

f. *Each member of the committee will have a focus geared towards a particular group(s).*

j. g. ~~Provide a safe environment for students to voice concerns, evaluate ideas, and solve problems.~~ *Student engagement shall focus on outreach to specific university wide non-academic organizations.*

h. *Provide a safe environment for students to voice concerns, evaluate ideas and solve problems.*

SECTION 4. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENT TO THE KSU SGA CONSTITUTION**
3 **REGARDING THE RESPONSIBILITIES**
4 **OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

5 **BY:** Special Committee on Membership

6
7 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA)'s Special
8 Committee on Membership was tasked with looking at the current population of Student
9 Senate based on demographic information;

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11 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to document this information at the beginning of the term to be able to
12 accurately articulate the viewpoints absent from Student Senate; and

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14 **WHEREAS,** The responsibilities of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate center around
15 facilitating SGA senators and bolstering diverse representation and education within
16 Senate.

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18 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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20 **SECTION 1.** KSU SGA amends Article V, Section 507 of the its Constitution to read as follows:

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22 507. Duties and Powers of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate.

23
24 A. Serve as Speaker of the Student Senate in the absence or at the request of the
25 Speaker.

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27 B. Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.

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29 C. Chair such Standing Committees as may be provided in the By-Laws.

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31 D. Plan and organize annual KSU SGA diversity training sessions.

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33 *E. Administer the yearly KSU SGA Student Senate Demographic Representation Survey*
34 *during the first Student Senate meeting following their election to the position. A*
35 *summary of the results shall be shared with the Speaker of Student Senate and given*
36 *in a presentation to the Student Senate.*

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38 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the
39 Student Body President.
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4 **BY:** Special Committee on Membership5
6 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA)'s Special
7 Committee on Membership was tasked with looking at the current population of Student
8 Senate and finding alternative measures to guarantee representation of the student body;
910 **WHEREAS,** Upon review of previous KSU SGA literature, looking specifically into previous attempts
11 at liaison systems at KSU, SB 68/1/8 was originally passed to establish a system by
12 which a senator would "act as an informational link between Student Senate and the
13 organization to which he is a liaison" and is well-documented in doing so;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The KSU SGA College Caucus system is in place as "a means for senators elected by
16 each college to organize and communicate within the college by which they were
17 elected";
1819 **WHEREAS,** The KSU SGA By-Laws do not specify the duties of the College Caucus to include any
20 efforts focused on outreach to student organizations within each college;
2122 **WHEREAS,** Spreading the responsibilities for outreach between College Caucuses and the Student
23 Engagement Committee will provide more outlets for communication to students and
24 delegate responsibilities; and
2526 **WHEREAS,** The goal of creating liaisons is to designate a senator for organizations to come to with
27 concerns, for a better relationship with needed organizations, to create more leadership
28 opportunities for senators, and to ultimately create a withstanding link between student
29 organizations and KSU SGA.
3031 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
3233 **SECTION 1.** KSU SGA amends Article IV, Section 16 to read as follows:
3435 Section. ~~16~~17. College Caucuses

36 D. Duties of the College Caucus shall include:

- 37 1. Serving as a unified voice of its college on issues affecting its students;
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- ~~including proposed student fees from its college.~~
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- 39 2.
- Understanding student fee proposals and advocating for reasonable*
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- 40
- changes in student fees.*
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- ~~2.~~
3. Recommending a nominee to fill the student representative role for their
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- 42 college on the Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee. The
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- 43 recommendation for said committee shall be made and submitted to the
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- 44 Student Body President and Speaker of the Student Senate before the end
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- 45 of the fall semester. Student Body President and Speaker of the Student
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- 46 Senate shall have discretion over whether to accept or reject the
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- 47 recommendation.
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- ~~3.~~
4. Ratify the constitutional amendments on behalf of their college council if
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- 49 their college council has not voted on ratifying constitutional
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- 50 amendments within the time stated in the constitution after they have
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- 51 been passed by the Student Senate.
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- 52 a. Constitutional amendments shall require a two-thirds vote of the
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- 53 senators selected and qualified.
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- 54 5.
- Engaging in continual communication with the student organizations of*

55 *each college as to their concerns, the inner-workings of SGA, and how*
56 *SGA can further serve their respective purposes.*
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- 58 E. Duties of the Caucus Leader shall include:
59 1. Chairing meetings of the College Caucus.
60 2. Scheduling meetings of the College Caucus within its members, as well
61 as with Deans and leaders of the caucus' respective college.
62 3. Acting as a conduit of information between student senate leadership,
63 College Caucus, college council and dean's office.
64 4. *Coordinating outreach efforts and maintaining accountability among*
65 *college caucus members in performing their designated duties.*
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67 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the
68 Student Body President.

5 **BY:** Special Committee on Membership6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) seeks to
8 represent the diverse KSU community through passing legislation;
910 **WHEREAS,** An elections system invariably favors participation and election from particular
11 demographic groups;
1213 **WHEREAS,** Student Senate lacks adequate representation from several campus demographic groups;
1415 **WHEREAS,** Hearing about the concerns, ideas and events from all campus communities is important
16 for Student Senate;
1718 **WHEREAS,** Having a Designated Representative that community groups can identify with may help
19 those student groups to become more engaged in the KSU SGA process; and
2021 **WHEREAS,** Direct representation of a demographic group is more naturally equipped than an outsider
22 to represent the stories, experiences and opinions of that community
2324 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2526 **SECTION 1.** Sections 503 through 509 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
27 (KSU SGA) Constitution shall be amended to read as follows:
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29 503. Membership of Student Senate.

- 30 A. There shall be sixty elected members
- and a maximum of seven Designated*
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- 31
- Representatives*
- of Student Senate. There shall be at least one elected Student
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- 32 Senator from each college and the Graduate School. Apportionment of elected
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- 33 seats shall be made before each general election, based on the student head count
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- 34 in each main campus college and the Graduate School on the twentieth academic
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- 35 day of the spring semester.
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- 36 B. Two faculty/administrator members, one appointed by Faculty Senate and one
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- 37 appointed by the Vice President for Student Life.
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- 38 C. In the event a Student Senator is elected to the position of Speaker of the Student
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- 39 Senate, the newly elected Student Senate Speaker's Student Senate seat shall be
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- 40 declared vacant. In the event a Student Senator initiates a transfer from the main
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- 41 campus college or school the Student Senator represents, the Student Senator's
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- 42 Student Senate seat shall be declared vacant, except if the transfer is initiated less
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- 43 than 28 days before the general election.
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- 44 D. A Student Senator is duly elected for a term of one year from the main campus
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- 45 student body, as set forth in the By-Laws.
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- 46 E. Newly elected Student Senators shall officially take office five regular meetings
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- 47 following the general election.
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- 48 F. Student Senators shall be required to maintain 12 credit hours of undergraduate
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- 49 credit or six hours of graduate credit during the fall and spring semesters to be
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- 50 eligible to remain in office. Exceptions to the credit hour requirement shall only
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- 51 be granted after a hearing with the Senate Operations Standing Committee.

- 52 G. Student Senators must maintain a cumulative K-State grade point average of
53 2.000 if an undergraduate student or a cumulative K-State grade point average of
54 3.000 if a graduate student.
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56 ~~504.506.~~ The Speaker of the Student Senate shall have the following duties and powers:

- 57 A. Chair Student Senate meetings.
58 B. Call all Student Senate meetings, except as limited in Section 406.E.
59 C. Vote in Student Senate meetings only in the event of a tie.
60 D. Appoint and remove the Student Senate Secretary, Student Senate
61 Parliamentarian, Intern Coordinator and chairs of Student Senate standing
62 committees and legislatively chartered committees in consultation with the
63 Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate. The appointments shall be subject to
64 the approval of Student Senate.
65 E. Appoint and remove Student Senators on Student Senate committees, in
66 consultation with the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate.
67 F. Appoint and remove Student Senators on University committees. The
68 appointments shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
69 G. The succession to the office of Speaker of the Student Senate in case of removal,
70 death, resignation, inability, temporary absence or permanent inability to serve
71 shall be set forth in the By-Laws.
72 H. Chair Executive Committee meetings.
73 I. Supervise the Student Senate Secretary and the Student Senate Parliamentarian.
74 J. Supervise the Intern Coordinator and related activities.
75 K. Verify and sign all passed legislation and present such legislation to the Student
76 Body President within eight days of the legislation's passage.
77 L. Represent Student Senate on other committees as appointed.
78 M. Serve on University Committees when asked to represent Student Senate.
79 N. Serve on Faculty Senate and the Faculty Senate Executive Committee.
80 O. *Appoint a maximum of seven Designated Representatives by the first Friday in*
81 *September in coordination with the Speaker Pro Tempore of Student Senate.*
82 *The representatives should be appointed in consultation with the offices and*
83 *student organizations representing the communities that have need for*
84 *designated representation as indicated in the SGA Student Senator*
85 *Representation Survey and determined by the discretion of the Speaker of Student*
86 *Senate and the Speaker Pro Tempore of Student Senate.*
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88 ~~505.507.~~ Duties and Powers of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate.

- 89 A. Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the Speaker's
90 absence or at Speaker's request.
91 B. Coordinate the open period speakers for the Student Senate.
92 C. Assist the Speaker of the Student Senate in the appointment of the secretary,
93 Parliamentarian, Intern Coordinator and chairpersons of the standing
94 committees.
95 D. Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.
96 E. Oversee the College Caucus system.
97 F. Chair such Standing Committees as may be provided in the By-Laws.
98 G. Plan and organize at least one diversity presentation, speaker, or training session
99 for KSU SGA in each semester.
100 H. Organize activities to help in the orientation of newly elected Student Senators.
101 I. Serve on the Faculty Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate.
102 J. *Appoint a maximum of seven Designated Representatives by the first Friday in*
103 *September in coordination with the Speaker of Student Senate. The*
104 *representatives should be appointed in consultation with the offices and student*
105 *organizations representing the communities that have need for designated*

representation as indicated in the SGA Student Senator Representation Survey and determined by the discretion of the Speaker of Student Senate and the Speaker Pro Tempore of Student Senate.

~~506.505~~ The following shall be Officers of Student Senate:

- A. Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall be elected by Student Senate by a majority vote.
- B. The Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate, who shall be elected by the Student Senate by majority vote.
- C. Secretary of Student Senate, who shall be appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate and shall be subject to removal from office by him/her. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- D. Student Senate Parliamentarian, who shall be appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, and shall be subject to removal from office by him/her. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate. The Parliamentarian shall not hold any elected office in the Legislative Branch, except as outlined in the By-Laws.
- E. Intern Coordinator, who shall be appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, and shall be subject to removal from office by him/her. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.
- F. Standing committee chairs, as selected in the manner provided in the By-Laws.
- G. Such officers as Student Senate may deem necessary for the proper functioning of Student Senate.

~~507.504~~ Powers and Rights of Student Senators.

- A. A Student Senator may introduce to Student Senate any motion, bill, amendment, act or question he/she so desires. He/she may debate, vote for, against or abstain from voting on any issue brought before Student Senate.
- B. A Student Senator shall be granted access to files and records of any KSU SGA committee, administrative officer or Cabinet member, except those of the KSU SGA Attorney General.
- C. Faculty/Administrator members of Student Senate shall hold the same voting rights and responsibilities as Student Senators.
 - 1. Faculty/Administrator members will use personal discretion as whether to serve on the Student Senate standing committee of their choice.
 - 2. If a faculty/administrator member chooses to serve on a Student Senate standing committee, they shall serve with voting rights.
- D. A Student Senator shall not be punished outside of Student Senate for any speech or debate he/she makes in Student Senate.
- E. A Student Senator shall inform the Speaker of the Student Senate of any anticipated absence from a Student Senate meeting 24 hours prior to the meeting, unless an emergency situation arises. In the case of an emergency, the Speaker should be notified as soon as the Student Senator discovers he or she will be absent from the Senate meeting. The Speaker of the Student Senate will then determine if the absence is excused.
- F. A Student Senator may appoint another Student Senator as a proxy voter for a meeting providing that the absence has been excused by the Speaker of the Student Senate. A Student Senator may carry only one proxy.

508. *Duties and Powers of Designated Representatives*

- A. *The Designated Representatives shall attend the weekly Student Senate meeting and serve as full members, except for having no voting rights.*

- 158 B. *Once a semester, each Designated Representative shall make a report to Student*
159 *Senate about the issues and events in the community they were appointed to*
160 *represent.*
161 C. *The Designated Representative shall inform their community about student*
162 *government actions and opportunities to become involved with the student*
163 *government process.*
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165 ~~509.508.~~Duties and Powers of Student Senate.

- 166 A. Designate the time, place and manner of holding the election of Student Senators,
167 the Student Body President and Vice President, Union Governing Board, and the
168 Board of Student Publications. To provide for the transition from one election
169 date to another, the next general election shall be held on the old date, and the
170 terms of the officers elected may be shortened or lengthened to extend to the time
171 designated for the first election under the new date. However, the term of the
172 current Student Body President and those judicial boards appointed by the
173 Student Body President may be extended to the time designated for the first
174 election under the new date.
175 B. Enact, by majority vote, laws of the student body necessary to the well-being of
176 the student community. Laws providing for creation or change of all student fees
177 under Student Senate jurisdiction will require two-thirds majority vote of the
178 total of Student Senate selected and qualified.
179 C. Pass enabling legislation for the establishment or increase of any fee for which
180 the purpose is to finance the construction of or renovation of a building or facility
181 at Kansas State University only after the fee has been ratified by a binding
182 student referendum as provided for in Article XI.
183 D. Approve or disapprove appointments made by the Student Body President,
184 appointments to KSU SGA committee chairs, and appointments of Student
185 Senators to fill vacancies in Student Senate.
186 E. Overrule a veto of the Student Body President by a two-thirds majority vote of
187 the total membership of Student Senate selected and qualified.
188 F. Charter the councils of each college and the Graduate School.
189 G. Charter committees of Student Senate and grant, revoke or amend the charters of
190 these committees.
191 H. Define and establish the Student Conduct Code of the KSU SGA.
192 I. Undertake all reasonable investigations and/or hearings necessary and proper in
193 pursuance of its powers as enumerated in this section.
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195 ~~510.509.~~No member of the Legislative Branch shall concurrently hold offices within two or more
196 branches of the KSU SGA, unless specifically permitted within the KSU SGA
197 Constitution or By-Laws.
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199 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student
200 Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION**
4 **CONCERNING OPEN MEETINGS**5 **BY:** Special Committee on Membership6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Special Committee reviewed the survey showing the representation of different
8 groups in Student Senate;
910 **WHEREAS,** The Special Committee on Membership believes it is important to the mission of Student
11 Governing Association to be able to listen to and understand concerns of different student
12 groups on campus in regards to important issues;
1314 **WHEREAS,** There is currently no system in place for student groups to be able to come to Student
15 Senate and share their concerns and their opinions on issues facing our campus; and
1617 **WHEREAS,** The Special Committee on Membership believes that by having a facilitated open forum
18 where student groups can come to Student Senate to voice their concerns, Student Senate
19 will be able to more adequately serve their mission.
2021 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2223 **SECTION 1.** Article V, Section 502 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
24 constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
2526 502. ~~Open~~ Meetings
2728 *A. All meetings of Student Senate, Student Senate committees (standing or special),*
29 *and college councils shall be open. The only exception shall be when a successful*
30 *motion has been adopted to proceed into executive session. Executive session discussion*
31 *may include matters of discipline, impeachment, employment contracts, or attorney*
32 *consultations with no vote being taken.*
3334 *B. During the fall semester, one Student Senate meeting shall be designated and*
35 *advertised as an open forum publicized to the campus community so that the student*
36 *government representatives will have an opportunity to hear about the issues and*
37 *concerns facing the student body. The attire for this meeting will be casual and*
38 *invitations will be sent out by the Student Engagement Standing Committee.*
3940 **Section 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student
41 Body President.

5 **BY:** Special Committee on Membership
67 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State student body is composed of individuals from various different
8 backgrounds;
910 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) is elected to
11 represent the student body in entirety; and
1213 **WHEREAS,** In order for KSU SGA to be more effective leaders, we need to take the time to listen to
14 the students' voices and be aware of different perspectives on campus.
1516 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1718 **SECTION 1.** Section 504 of the KSU SGA Constitution shall be amended to read as follows:
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20 504. Powers and Rights of Student Senators.

21 A. A Student Senator may introduce to Student Senate any motion, bill, amendment,
22 act or question he/she so desires. He/she may debate, vote for, against or abstain
23 from voting on any issue brought before Student Senate.24 B. A Student Senator shall be granted access to files and records of any KSU SGA
25 committee, administrative officer or Cabinet member, except those of the KSU
26 SGA Attorney General.27 C. *Each senator will attend at least two diversity events of their senate term. The list*
28 *of eligible diversity events shall be provided by the Speaker Pro Tempore of the*
29 *Student Senate. An example of a recommended diversity event is Cats for*
30 *Inclusion.*31 *1. Failure to attend will be counted as an unexcused absence from the*
32 *Student Senate. Proof of attendance shall be given by the Student*
33 *Senator to the Secretary of the Student Senate.*34 ~~D.C.~~ Faculty/Administrator members of Student Senate shall hold the same voting
35 rights and responsibilities as Student Senators.36 1. Faculty/Administrator members will use personal discretion as whether to
37 serve on the Student Senate standing committee of their choice.38 2. If a faculty/administrator member chooses to serve on a Student Senate
39 standing committee, they shall serve with voting rights.40 ~~E.D.~~ A Student Senator shall not be punished outside of Student Senate for any speech
41 or debate he/she makes in Student Senate.42 ~~F.E.~~ A Student Senator shall inform the Speaker of the Student Senate of any
43 anticipated absence from a Student Senate meeting 24 hours prior to the meeting,
44 unless an emergency situation arises. In the case of an emergency, the Speaker
45 should be notified as soon as the Student Senator discovers he or she will be
46 absent from the Senate meeting. The Speaker of the Student Senate will then
47 determine if the absence is excused.48 ~~G.F.~~ A Student Senator may appoint another Student Senator as a proxy voter for a
49 meeting providing that the absence has been excused.
5051 **SECTION 2.** Section 507 of the KSU SGA Constitution shall be amended to read as follows:
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53 507. Duties and Powers of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate.

- A. Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the Speaker's absence or at Speaker's request.
- B. Coordinate the open period speakers for the Student Senate.
- C. Assist the Speaker of the Student Senate in the appointment of the secretary, Parliamentarian, Intern Coordinator and chairpersons of the standing committees.
- D. Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.
- E. Oversee the College Caucus system.
- F. Chair such Standing Committees as may be provided in the By-Laws.
- G. Plan and organize at least one diversity presentation, speaker, or training session for KSU SGA in each semester.
- H. Organize activities to help in the orientation of newly elected Student Senators.
- I. Serve on the Faculty Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate.
- J. *Shall compile a list of eligible diversity events for Student Senators to fulfill their requirement as described in Section 504 C. To identify diversity events, examples of groups to contact include the Office of Diversity; the School of Leadership Studies (SLS); American Ethnic Studies; Gender, Women, and Sexuality Studies (GWSS); and the International Students Scholars Services (ISSS). An example of a recommended diversity event is Cats for Inclusion. The list shall be shared with the Student Senate at least once a semester at the beginning of each semester.*

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this bill shall go into effect.

4 **BY:** Andrew Peuchen
56 **WHEREAS,** The needs of Academic Competition Teams are exceedingly greater than the \$60,000.00
7 disbursed to them through the Student Activity Fee Privilege Fee agreement;
89 **WHEREAS,** Academic Competition Teams consistently provide students with opportunities to put their
10 classwork into action, network with employers, and represent Kansas State University at national
11 and international competitions, making them a highly effective investment of student funds;
1213 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee heard an abundance of requests from Academic
14 Competition Teams that have a serious need for additional funding in order to continue their
15 legacies of success;
1617 **WHEREAS,** Chapter 21, Section 0102, Subsection C, Clause 1 (e) of the Kansas State University Student
18 Governing Association Statutes states that, "a Reserve for Contingencies Account shall be
19 available for special allocations by Student Senate...";
2021 **WHEREAS,** A \$30,000.00 special allocation will not overdraw the Reserve for Contingencies Account, which
22 has a balance exceeding \$130,000.00.
2324 **WHEREAS,** This total allocation amount of \$90,000 will still fall short of the original requested amount from
25 Academic Competition Teams for FY 2018, which totaled \$200,054.
2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2829 **SECTION 1.** Academic Competition Teams shall be specially allocated \$30,000.00 for FY 2018.
3031 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds
32 shall be transferred from the Reserve for Contingencies Account NISACONRSV to the Academic
33 Competition Teams Reserve Account NISAACRSV.

BY: Special Committee on Academic Competition Team Funding

WHEREAS, The university allocations committee received and reviewed the allocation requests of several academic competition teams;

WHEREAS, Academic competition teams develop the reputation of Kansas State University by competing at local, regional, national and international competitions;

WHEREAS, Academic competition teams yield invaluable hands-on experiences to students that are hard to replicate elsewhere;

WHEREAS, Students involved with academic competition teams have a significant advantage in their field of study when it comes to acquiring internships during their time at K-State and full-time employment following graduation;

WHEREAS, Chapter 35 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes states that \$45,000.00 shall be dispersed to academic competition teams on a yearly basis;

WHEREAS, The funds requested by these groups and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

	<u>Account</u>	<u>Requested</u>	<u>Recommended</u>
American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics	NISA0082AC	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 453.32
Baja SAE	NISA1000AC	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 3,181.21
ChemE Car	NISA0232AC	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,325.50
Concrete Canoe Team	NISA0317AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,590.60
Cyber Defense Club	NISA0334AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 198.83
Dairy Cattle Judging Team	NISA1373AC	\$ 10,500.00	\$ 1,230.07
Dairy Farm Evaluation Club	NISA1374AC	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 911.95
Food Product Development Team	NISA1376AC	\$ 11,485.00	\$ 2,723.64
Forage Bowl Team	NISA1377AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 227.03
Fountain Wars	NISA0433AC	\$ 1,250.00	\$ \$641.54
Graduate Students in Agriculture	NISA0005AC	\$ 11,803.00	\$ 3,386.13
Economics Case Study Team			
Intercollegiate Horse Judging Team	NISA1356AC	\$ 4,451.00	\$ 2,183.37
Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Team	NISA1378AC	\$ 17,500.00	\$ 5,461.07
Intercollegiate MAET	NISA1379AC	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 1,484.56
Intercollegiate Meat Judging Team	NISA1380AC	\$ 22,300.00	\$ 5,885.23
Kansas State Quiz Bowl	NISA0909AC	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 678.66
Kansas State University Crops Judging Team	NISA1372AC	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 1,346.71
Kansas State University Soil Judging Team	NISA1381AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,643.62
KSU Landscape Contracting Team	NISA1382AC	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,113.42
Robotics Competition Team	NISA0925AC	\$ 6,350.00	\$ 1,802.68
Meat Science Quiz Bowl Team	NISA1355AC	\$ 1,700.00	\$ 530.20
Mock Trial Club	NISA0725AC	\$ 23,575.00	\$ 2,929.36
Model United Nations	NISA0726AC	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 4,621.02
National Agri-Marketing Association	NISA0750AC	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 434.76
Powercat Motorsports	NISA0874AC	\$ 12,300.00	\$ 2,385.91
Quarter Scale Tractor Team	NISA0907AC	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 1,855.70
Speech Unlimited	NISA1022AC	\$ 11,840.00	\$ 6,277.58
Steel Bridge Team	NISA1033AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,590.60

57	Wildcat Rocketry Club	NISA1306AC	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 742.28
58	Wildcat Wind Power	NISA1215AC	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,113.42
59	TOTAL		\$200,054.00	\$ 45,000.00

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61 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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63 **SECTION 1.** The \$45,000.00 disbursed to academic competition teams shall be allocated as specified
64 above.

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66 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
67 funds shall be transferred from the Academic Competition Team Reserve Account
68 NISAACTRSV to the academic competition team accounts specified above.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

MARCH 16, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 45 senators and 12 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Elliott
Senator Fleming
Senator Furlong
Senator Holder
Senator May
Senator Renz
Senator Stevens

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Alamo (Partial)
Senator Breen (Partial)
Senator Brenneman
Senator Bultongez
Senator Comstock (Partial)
Senator Davis
Senator Gutman
Senator Johnson
Senator Kennedy (Partial)
Senator Klein (Partial)
Senator Maples (Partial)
Senator Pracht (Partial)
Senator Sabatini (Partial)
Senator Thomas

OPEN PERIOD

Taylor Stewart - Rotaract Club and Walk for Water

- Service club that does community service and international work
- Event in April “Walk for Water”
 - Fundraiser in April- 5k to raise money for Water Missions organizations
- Global water crisis that effects 2.4 billion people who do not have sanitary water
- Have been able to help over 3 million people
- April 15th at 10am in Bosco Student Plaza
 - Register at: www.booster.com/walkforwater2017
 - Last day to sign up is March 26
 - Can sign up the day of the event but you will not get a t shirt

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. 2017-2018 SGA Judicial Branch - Judicial Board Member Positions application is now open!

The form will close Sunday, April 2nd at 1:00pm. Email sarpride@ksu.edu with questions. <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/241760>

2. The Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee needs your input! Take a look at the fee proposals and give us your thoughts: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1203106>

3. We want your input on administrative efficiencies at K-State. Please fill out the following form to give your input! <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/243160>

COMMENDATIONS

Resolution 16/17/51 Commendation to Dr. Steven Stockham

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 16/17/52 Approval Of New Student Senator Stephen Caffera

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

There were none.

DIRECTOR REPORTS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

Senator McIntire moved to approve the minor allocations

Bill 16/17/100	FY 2017 Allocation To Pinky Promise K-State
Bill 16/17/101	FY 2017 Travel Allocation Structural Engineers Association Of Kansas And Missouri
Bill 16/17/102	FY 2017 On Campus Allocation To Paraguayan Student Organization
Bill 16/17/103	FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation To Indian Students Association

The minor Allocations were approved unanimously

FINAL ACTION

Senator Reichenberger moved to hold bills 16/17/91-106 for bulk roll call

Bill 16/17/90 **Continuance In The Recreational Services Privilege Fee**

Introduced by Chair J. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen (x2)
Vice President Kennedy
Vice Chair Niederee
Senator Lonker

Negative Debate:

Senator Martin
Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera
Chair Jackson
Senator Valdez
Senator Sabatini

Senator Kennedy proposed an amendment to Bill 16/17/90

Positive Debate:

Senator Kennedy

Negative Debate:

Senator McIntire

Senator Kennedy rescinded his amendment

Chair A. Peuchen rescinded his second

Chair J. Peuchen moved to refer Bill 16/17/90 to the Privilege Fee Committee

Senator Reichenberger moved to vote on the Bill 16/17/90

Positive Debate:

Senator Reichenberger

Negative Debate:

Senator Martin

Chair J. Peuchen rescinded his motion to send Bill 16/17/90 to the Privilege Fee Committee

Senator McIntire moved to remove this bill from bulk roll call and called for previous question

Motion passes.

Bill 17/17/90 passes by a vote of 38-12-1.

**Bill 16/17/91 Continuance In The Recreational Services Equipment Repair And
Replacement Reserve Privilege Fee**

Introduced by Senator Maples

Positive Debate:

Senator Maples

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/91 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 48-0-0.

Bill 16/17/92 Increase In The Sports Clubs Privilege Fee

Introduced by Senator Heyen

Positive Debate:

Senator Heyen
Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/92 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 48-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/99 Continuance In The Recreational Complex Maintenance Reserve
Privilege Fee**

Introduced by Senator Grosdidier

Positive Debate:

Senator Grosdidier

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/99 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 48-0-0.

Bill 16/17/104 Continuance In The KSDB Operations Privilege Fee

Introduced by Chair J. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/104 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 48-0-0.

Bill 16/17/105 Continuance In The KSDB Reserve Privilege Fee

Introduced by Senator Niederee

Positive Debate:

Senator Niederee

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/105 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 48-0-0.

Bill 16/17/106 Creation Of The Student Governing Association Privilege Fee

Introduced by Chair J. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/106 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 48-0-0.

Bill 16/17/108 FY 2017 On-Campus Allocation International Coordinating Council

Introduced by Intern M. Moore

Positive Debate:

Intern M. Moore

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/108 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 49-0-0.

Bill 16/17/109 FY 2017 Allocation To Rhetoric And Composition Society

Introduced by Senator Langvardt

Positive Debate:

Senator Langvardt

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/109 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 49-0-0.

Bill 16/17/110 FY 2017 Travel Allocation To Asian American Student Union

Introduced by Senator McIntire

Positive Debate:

Senator McIntire

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/110 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 49-0-0.

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/53 Acknowledgement And Remediation Of Policies Detrimental To The K-State Transgender Community

Senator McIntire moved to consider Resolution 16/17/53

Senator Sabatini moved that the authors for Resolutions and Bills 16/17/53-112 be allowed to summarize

Introduced by Intern Kelly

Resolution 16/17/53 is referred back to the Special Committee

Resolution 16/17/54 Resolution Regarding The Counseling Services Move To The Basement Of Lafene Health Center

Senator McIntire moved to consider Resolution 16/17/54

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Resolution 16/17/54 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/111 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By- Laws Concerning The Creation Of The Diversity And Inclusion Committee

Senator Krotz moved to consider Resolution 16/17/111

Introduced by President Van Ranken

Bill 16/17/111 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/112 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By- Laws Concerning Governmental Relations Committee

Senator Reichenberger moved to consider Resolution 16/17/112

Introduced by Intern Meyer

Bill 16/17/112 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/113 Speaker Of The Student Senate Succession Process

Senator Caferra moved to consider Resolution 16/17/113

Introduced by Anna Jackson

Bill 16/17/113 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/114 Senator Absences Process

Senator McIntire moved to consider Resolution 16/17/114

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Bill 16/17/114 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/115 Senator Vacancies Process

Senator McIntire moved to consider Resolution 16/17/115

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Bill 16/17/115 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/116 Senator Vacancies Process

Senator McIntire moved to consider Resolution 16/17/116

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Bill 16/17/116 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

**Bill 16/17/118 Amendment To The KSU SGA Constitution Regarding The
Responsibilities Of The Speaker Pro Tempore**

Senator Atchison moved to consider Resolution 16/17/118

Introduced by Intern Kelly

Bill 16/17/118 is referred back to the Executive Committee

**Bill 16/17/119 Amendment To KSU SGA By-Laws Regarding College
Caucuses**

Senator McIntire moved to consider Resolution 16/17/119

Introduced by Intern Kelly

Bill 16/17/119 is referred back to the Special Committee and Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/120 **Amendment To K-State Student Governing Association
Constitution Concerning The Creation Of Designated
Representatives**

Senator Wilhelm moved to consider Resolution 16/17/120

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Bill 16/17/120 is referred back to the Special Committee and Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/121 **Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association Constitution Concerning Open
Meetings**

Senator Wilhelm moved to consider Resolution 16/17/121

Introduced by Senator Valdez

Bill 16/17/121 is referred back to the Special Committee

Bill 16/17/122 **Amendment To K-State Student Governing Association
Constitution Concerning The Powers, Rights, And
Responsibilities Of Student Senators**

Senator McIntire moved to consider Resolution 16/17/122

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Bill 16/17/122 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/117 **Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association By- Laws Concerning The Student
Engagement Committee**

Senator Orth moved to consider Resolution 16/17/117

Introduced by Senator Nordstrom

Bill 16/17/177 is referred back to the Student Engagement Committee

Bill 16/17/123**FY 2018 Request For Special Allocations For Academic Competition Teams**

Senator Caferra moved to consider Resolution 16/17/123

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Bill 16/17/123 is referred back to the Executive Committee.

Bill 16/17/124**FY 2018 Academic Competition Teams Allocation**

Senator Wilhelm moved to consider Resolution 16/17/124

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Bill 16/17/124 is referred back to the Executive Committee

SECOND OPEN PERIOD**Advisor Harlan**

- If you have legislation that is amending the constitution, by laws or statutes, the last changes from January or February are not updated
 - Please be sure you are referencing the correct version
- Update on March Madness Bracket Challenge

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/53 is referred back to the Special Committee

Resolution 16/17/54 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/111 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/112 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/113 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/114 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/115 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/116 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/118 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/119 is referred back to the Special Committee and Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/121 is referred back to the Special Committee

Bill 16/17/123 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/124 is referred back to the Executive Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 37 senators and 12 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Orth moved to adjourn until Thursday, March 30 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.

Adjourned at 11:00pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

Dorinda Lambert - Director of K-State Counseling Services

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/53	Acknowledgement And Remediation Of Policies Detrimental To The K-State Transgender Community
Resolution 16/17/54	Resolution Regarding The Counseling Services Move To The Basement Of Lafene Health Center (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)
Bill 16/17/87	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Student Senate Intern Coordinator (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)
Bill 16/17/88	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student Senate Intern Coordinator (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)
Bill 16/17/89	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Student Senate Intern Coordinator (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)
Bill 16/17/111	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Creation Of The Diversity And Inclusion Committee (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)
Bill 16/17/112	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Governmental Relations Committee (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)
Bill 16/17/113	Speaker Of The Student Senate Succession Process
Bill 16/17/114	Senator Absences Process
Bill 16/17/115	Senator Vacancies Process
Bill 16/17/118	Amendment To The KSU SGA Constitution Regarding The Responsibilities Of The Speaker Pro Tempore (Favorably 6-0-0 from Exec)
Bill 16/17/119	Amendment To KSU SGA By-Laws Regarding College Caucuses (Favorably 6-0-0 from Exec)
Bill 16/17/122	Amendment To K-State Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Powers, Rights, And Responsibilities Of Student Senators (Favorably 5-1-0 from Exec)
Bill 16/17/123	FY 2018 Request For Special Allocations For Academic Competition Teams

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/55	Resolution Regarding Changes To The Career Center Offer Guidelines
Resolution 16/17/56	Resolution Regarding Needs-Based Scholarships
Resolution 16/17/57	Approval Of FY 2018 Student-Centered Tuition Enhancement
Bill 16/17/125	Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning Jurisdiction
Bill 16/17/126	Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning Jurisdiction
Bill 16/17/127	Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning Judicial Definitions
Bill 16/17/128	Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning SGA Code Of Conduct
Bill 16/17/129	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Student Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee
Bill 16/17/130	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Cabinet Responsibilities
Bill 16/17/131	Creation Of The Wildcat Watch Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/132	Creation Of The Wildcat Watch Equipment Reserve Privilege Fee
Bill 16/17/133	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Assessment Of Dues For Student Boards
Bill 16/17/134	Amendment To K-State Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning Speaking Privileges
Bill 16/17/135	Amendments To The K-State Student Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Diversity Programming Committee
Bill 16/17/136	Amendments To The K-State Student Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Diversity Programming Committee Review Process
Bill 16/17/137	Amendments To K-State Student Governing Association Constitution Regarding Diversity Training
Bill 16/17/138	Changes To The Kansas State Student Governing Association By-Laws Regarding Parliamentary Responsibilities
Bill 16/17/139	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student Senate Interns

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. Please take time to read over the following reports:
 - Elections Report - <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1216137/show>
 - Special Committee on Membership Report - <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1217019/show>
2. Please register to participate in the Out of the Darkness Walk next Saturday!
<https://afsp.donordrive.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=donorDrive.event&eventID=4375>
3. The Manhattan Area Chamber of Commerce is performing a community study with Market Street Services and they are looking for student input on different happenings in the community! They are hosting a community visioning session on **Wednesday, April 12th from 4:30pm-6pm at the Bluemont Hotel!** This is a very unique opportunity to provide student input on the future of the city. If you would like to attend, please fill out the following form: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/253759>
4. 2017-2018 SGA Judicial Branch - Judicial Board Member Positions application is now open! The form will close Sunday, April 2nd at 1:00pm. Email sarpride@ksu.edu with questions.
<https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/241760>
5. The Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee needs your input! Take a look at the fee proposals and give us your thoughts: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1203106>
6. Proxies:
 - Crowder for McGee
 - Wilhelm for Klahr
 - Krotz for Reichenberger
 - Pracht for Kennedy
7. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	3 Mental Wellness Week!	4 Mental Wellness Week!	5 Mental Wellness Week!	6 Mental Wellness Week! SGA Banquet @ 5:30pm Last Senate meeting of the 16-17 Term	7 Mental Wellness Week!	8 Mental Wellness Week!
9	10	11 TFSC @ 6pm	12	13 First Senate meeting of the 17-18 Term	14	15

"A leader takes people where they want to go. A great leader takes people where they don't necessarily want to go, but ought to be." – Rosalynn Carter

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 3-16-17:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1216768/show>

Executive Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1217036/show>

University Allocations Committee:

No meeting.

College Allocations Committee:

No meeting.

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1216828/show>

- Questions and debate of K-State Libraries Privilege Fee Request
 - See supporting documents here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1201680>
 - ***It was moved and seconded to author legislation to fund the K-State Libraries Operations Budget Privilege Fee at \$120,000 for FY18-20. Motion failed 0-12-0.***
- Questions debate of Wildcat Watch Privilege Fee Request
 - See supporting documents here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1201686>
 - It was moved and seconded to author legislation to fund the Wildcat Watch Operations Budget Privilege Fee at \$30,000 for FY18-20 and fund Wildcat Watch Reserve and Replacement Budget at \$100,000 for FY18, coming from the Emergency Allocation and Debt Reduction Account, and \$15,000 each year starting in FY19-20 from the Campus Privilege Fee. Motion passed 12-0-0.
- Questions and debate of Statute amendment not permitting the assessment of dues for membership on Student Boards
 - It was moved and seconded to author legislation of a statute amendment not permitting the assessment of dues for membership on student boards. Motion passed 12-0-0.

Senate Operations Committee:

Link:

Governmental Relations Committee:

No meeting

Student Engagement Committee:

Link:

Diversity Programming Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

DIRECTOR'S REPORTS FOR THE WEEK

Directors – Remember to submit agenda items at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/239984>

5 **BY:** Ryan Kelly and Trent McGee

7 **WHEREAS,** Chapter 3010, Section 020 of Kansas State University's Policy and Procedures Manual
8 states, "Discrimination based on race, color, ethnic or national origin, sex, sexual
9 orientation, gender identity, religion, age, ancestry, disability, genetic information,
10 military status, or veteran status is prohibited";

12 **WHEREAS,** On May 13th, 2016, the "Dear Colleague" letter was released which states, "A school may
13 provide separate facilities on the basis of sex, but must allow transgender students access
14 to such facilities consistent with their gender identity";

16 **WHEREAS,** On Feb. 22nd, 2017, the Trump administration removed the regulations which formally
17 placed federal protections on transgender student's access to facilities consistent with
18 their gender identity, stating, "This is an issue best solved at the state and local level";

20 **WHEREAS,** The National Task Force to End Sexual and Domestic Violence Against Women assigned
21 a coalition to analyze the effects of allowing transgender students a choice of bathroom
22 preference and stated, "Over 200 municipalities and 18 states have nondiscrimination
23 laws protecting transgender people's access to facilities consistent with the gender they
24 live every day. None of those jurisdictions have seen a rise in sexual violence or other
25 public safety issues due to nondiscrimination laws";

27 **WHEREAS,** A research article published on Jun. 2nd, 2015, *Intervenable factors associated with*
28 *suicide risk in transgender persons: a respondent driven sampling study*, found, "Social
29 support [and] reduced transphobia were associated with large relative and absolute
30 reductions in suicide risk. Lower self-reported transphobia was associated with a 66%
31 reduction in ideation, and an additional 76 % reduction in attempts among those with
32 ideation. This corresponds to potential prevention of 160 ideations per 1,000 trans
33 persons, and 200 attempts per 1,000 with ideation, based on a hypothetical reduction of
34 transphobia from current levels";

36 **WHEREAS,** Previous attempts by the Kansas Legislature to resolve this debate resulted in Senate Bill
37 513 and House Bill 2737 – entitled the "Student Physical Privacy Act" – which state,
38 "Student restrooms, locker rooms and showers that are designated for one sex shall be
39 used only by members of that sex";

41 **WHEREAS,** The "Student Physical Privacy Act" also awarded "an amount of \$2,500 for each instance
42 in which the aggrieved student encountered a person of the opposite sex while accessing
43 a public school or postsecondary educational institution student restroom, locker room or
44 shower room designated for use by the aggrieved student's sex";

46 **WHEREAS,** The state of California has banned state-funded travel to the state of Kansas in
47 accordance with a California state law which states, "California must take action to avoid
48 supporting or financing discrimination against lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender
49 people";

51 **WHEREAS,** House Bill 2123, introduced on Jan. 27th, 2017 and known as the "Kansas Act
52 Against Discrimination", would prevent discrimination "in relation to free and public
53 accommodations... by reason of race, religion, color, sex, disability, national origin or,
54 ancestry, sexual orientation or gender identity"; and

56 **WHEREAS,** Senate Resolution 1715, introduced on Feb. 15th, 2017, would encourage Kansas

public school boards to promote “awareness of and healthy attitudes about growth and development, body image, gender identity, gender expression, sexuality, sexual health, sexual orientation, dating, relationships and family, and should be designed to positively affect adolescent behavior.”

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) hereby supports and defends the KSU transgender community by standing with them in solidarity, by promoting just, lasting policies via governmental and administrative action and by demonstrating an unwavering dedication to educating the student body as to the issues plaguing these critically-important members of our KSU community.

SECTION 2. KSU SGA recommends and advocates for the Kansas Legislature to implement a transparent, standardized policy which bars discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity in employment, housing and public accommodations.

SECTION 3. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Sexuality and Gender Alliance President Holly Nelson, Gender Collective Officers Riley Katz and Sam Sharpe, Feminists Igniting Resistance and Empowerment President Chelsea Turner, Student Access Center Director Jason Maseberg-Tomlinson, LGBT Resource Center Coordinator Brandon Haddock, Faculty Senate President Andrew Bennett, University Support Staff President Carol Marden, Interim Associate Provost for Diversity Zelia Wiley, Vice President of Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life Director Ben Hopper, President Richard B. Myers, President of the Senate Senator Susan Wagle, Vice President of the Senate Senator Jeff Longbine, Senate Majority Leader Senator Jim Denning, Senate Assistant Majority Leader Senator Vicki Schmidt, Senate Majority Whip Senator Elaine Bowers, Senate Minority Leader Senator Anthony Hensley, Senate Assistant Minority Leader Senator Laura Kelly, Senate Minority Whip Senator Oletha Faust-Goudeau, Senate Agenda Chair Senator Marci Francisco, Senate Caucus Chair Senator Tom Hawk, Speaker of the House Representative Ron Ryckman, Speaker Pro Tem Representative Scott Schwab, House Majority Leader Representative Don Hineman, House Assistant Majority Leader Representative Tom Phillips, House Majority Whip Representative Kent Thompson, House Majority Caucus Chair Representative Susan Concannon, House Minority Leader Representative Jim Ward, House Assistant Minority Leader Representative Stan Frownfelter, House Minority Whip Representative Ed Trimmer, House Minority Caucus Chair Representative Barbara Ballard, House Minority Agenda Chair Representative Brandon Whipple, House Minority Policy Chair Representative Adam Lusker, Attorney General Derek Schmidt, Secretary of State Kris Kobach, Lt. Governor Jeff Colyer, M.D., Representative John Whitmer and Governor Sam Brownback.

1 **RESOLUTION 16/17/54**

2 **RESOLUTION REGARDING THE COUNSELING SERVICES**
3 **MOVE TO THE BASEMENT OF LAFENE HEALTH CENTER**

4 **BY:** Stephen Kucera, Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach, Kaitlin Flores,
5 Jack Ayres and Olivia Baalman
6

7 **WHEREAS,** In the spring semester of 2018, Counseling Services is scheduled to be moved into the
8 basement of Lafene Health Center based on a promise made by former Kansas State
9 University (K-State) President Jon Wefald to the English department so that the
10 department could occupy the entire building that is currently shared with Counseling
11 Services;
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13 **WHEREAS,** The move will cause several challenges for Counseling Services as it continues to
14 destigmatize the issue of mental health and counseling in the campus community; and
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16 **WHEREAS,** Counseling Services needs the Kansas State University administration to help make the
17 move a success so it can best continue to serve K-State students.
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19 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
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21 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) recommends to
22 university administration that the following resources and accommodations be made to
23 the Counseling Services as they prepare to move into the K-State building on Sunset:
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25 a. Designate parking spaces for Counseling Services clients and staff at the separate
26 entrance to Counseling Services in the south side of the building,
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28 b. Provide clear signage for Counseling Services at that south outside entrance and again
29 at the corner of Sunset and Platt,
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31 c. Improve transportation routes from campus to include an ATA bus stop at the Sunset
32 Building near the front entrance to the building (the Health Center entrance) and provide
33 more frequent stops (every 15 minutes), and
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35 d. Continue university efforts to address the stigma of locating Counseling Services in a
36 medical facility and honor the diversity of offices housed in that building by giving it a
37 more generic name rather than calling the entire building "Lafene Health Center."
38

39 **SECTION 2.** Upon Passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this
40 resolution shall be sent to President Richard B. Myers, Provost April Mason, Vice
41 President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Vice President of Student
42 Life and Dean of Student Pat Bosco, Assistant Vice-President of Student Life and
43 Director of Housing and Dining Services Derek Jackson, Director of Counseling Services
44 Dorinda Lambert, and Director of Lafene Health Center Jim Parker.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION**
4 **CONCERNING THE SGA INTERN COORDINATOR**

5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jansen Penny, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres

6
7 **WHEREAS,** By expanding the Intern class to 35 students rather than 25 will increase the workload of
8 future Intern Coordinators; and
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10 **WHEREAS,** It would benefit not only the Intern Coordinator but also improve the experience of future
11 Interns to have a second Intern Coordinator.
12

13 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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15 **SECTION 1.** Article V, Section 505, sub-section E of the Kansas State University Student Governing
16 Association Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
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18 E. *Two* Intern Coordinators, who shall be appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate,
19 and shall be subject to removal from office by him/her. The appointment shall be subject
20 to the approval of Student Senate.
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22 **SECTION 2.** Article V, Section 506, sub-section K of the Kansas State University Student Governing
23 Association Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
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25 K. Supervise the Intern Coordinators and related activities.
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27 **SECTION 3.** Article XIII of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution
28 is hereby amended to read as follows:
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30 1302. Expulsion of Members of the Legislative Branch. Student Senate, by resolution
31 adopted by two-thirds vote of the total membership of Student Senate selected and
32 qualified, may expel the Speaker of the Student Senate, the Speaker pro tempore of the
33 Student Senate, the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators, any Student Senate
34 Committee Chair, any Student Senator or ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern for misfeasance,
35 malfeasance, or nonfeasance (as specified in this Article) or violations of the
36 Constitution, By-Laws, Statutes or Student Senate Rules.
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38 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate, signature of the
39 Student Body President, and ratification by six out of the nine colleges.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE SGA INTERN COORDINATOR**5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jansen Penny, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres
67 **WHEREAS,** Pending the amendment of the Student Governing Association By-Laws to allow for two
8 Intern Coordinators rather than one there shall now be four members on the senate panel
9 dealing with Intern selection.
1011 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1213 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 3, sub-section E of the Kansas State University Student Governing
14 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
1516 E. Duties of the ~~two Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators shall include:
1718 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 5, sub-section B of the Kansas State University Student Governing
19 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
2021 B. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the office of Student Senator, an Interim
22 Student Senator who meets all eligibility requirements defined in the KSU SGA
23 Constitution shall be determined by the following means until a replacement Student
24 Senator, described in the provisions above, is sworn into office. The Interim Student
25 Senator will have full privileges as a Student Senator and must follow all guidelines
26 described for the office of Student Senator while maintaining the responsibilities of
27 ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern.

- 28 1. A Student Senate Intern representing the respective college may be named to
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- 29 serve as the Interim Student Senator after recommendation of the
- ~~Student Senate~~
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- 30 SGA Intern Coordinators.
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- 31 2. If a
- ~~Student Senate~~
- SGA Intern is not recommended by the
- ~~Student Senate~~
- SGA
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- 32 Intern Coordinator, then the respective college caucus may name a student in the
-
- 33 respective college to serve as the Interim Student Senator
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- 34 3. After a replacement Student Senator has been sworn into office by the means
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- 35 described in (A) above, the Interim Student Senator's privileges and
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- 36 responsibilities will revert back to those of Student Senate Intern.
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38 **SECTION 3.** Article IV, Section 10 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
39 Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
4041 A. The ~~Senate Intern~~ SGA Program shall consist of a maximum of ~~twenty-five~~
42 ~~thirty-five~~ and a minimum of ~~sixteen~~ *twenty* Interns, each serving until the end of the
43 current Senate term. Interns shall be selected before the fourth occurrence of Student
44 Senate of the fall semester with their approval to be voted on by the fourth occurrence of
45 Student Senate through an application and interview process by a ~~three~~ *four*-member
46 panel consisting of the Speaker of the Student Senate, Speaker pro tempore of Student
47 Senate, and ~~the Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators, and shall be approved by
48 Student Senate. In the event of an absence by any panel member from an interview, an
49 alternate shall replace the absent member. The alternate(s) shall be any of the following:
50 KSU SGA Advisor, or any member of KSU SGA as chosen by the ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern
51 Coordinators with approval from the Speaker of Student Senate. ~~Three-Four~~ members of
52 the panel shall be present at all interviews.

1. Applicants whose applications are approved by a majority vote of the panel shall be interviewed by the panel. For pre-screening of the applications, a set of criteria shall be predetermined and all documented.
 2. Questions asked during interviews shall be documented. A predetermined set of questions shall be consistently asked to all interviewees, and all follow-up questions shall be related to the predetermined question. Any members affiliated with KSU SGA has the right to review this information. This information shall also be open to public review
- B. Interns shall be non-voting members of Student Senate and shall be subject to removal by the voting members of Student Senate for malfeasance, nonfeasance, or misfeasance. Interns shall have the ability to make any motion. Interns may not sponsor any legislation without a Senator co-sponsor. Interns shall have the same duties as Student Senator as outlined in Article IV, Section 4 of the KSU SGA By-Laws. Attendance policies shall be provided for in the Student Senate Standing Rules.
- C. Interns shall be assigned by the ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators to serve on Student Senate standing committees as voting committee members
- D. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the Student Senate Intern program no more than two weeks after the start of the intern program, a replacement may be chosen from the most qualified unsuccessful candidates for ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern at the discretion of the three-member selection panel and approved by Student Senate. If a vacancy causes the number of interns to fall below ~~12~~ 16 a review of the Intern Program and ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators should be encouraged by KSU SGA leadership.

SECTION 2. Article IV, Section 16, sub-section A of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

- A. Shall be composed of the following members:
1. The Chair shall be the Sustainability Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet.
 2. One Student Senator appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate.
 3. One ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern appointed by the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
 4. Up to four students with at least one student representing a registered student organization with a focus on sustainability or green initiatives.
 5. A representative from the Office of the Provost.
 6. One faculty representative appointed by the Sustainability Director of the student body president's cabinet.

SECTION 3. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **STATUTES REGARDING THE SGA INTERN COORDINATOR**

5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jansen Penny, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres

6
7 **WHEREAS,** Pending passage of changes to the Student Governing Association By-Laws concerning
8 the number of Intern Coordinators there will now be more than one Intern Coordinator;
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10 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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12 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 53, of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is
13 hereby amended to read as follows:
14 Section. 53-0211 Attendance Policies

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16 A. The Student Senate Secretary shall call the roll at the beginning and end of each
17 Student Senate meeting immediately following the Pledge of Allegiance and at the
18 completion of the meeting agenda. Standing committee chairs and ~~Student Senate~~
19 *SGA* Interns shall be included in both such roll calls. Each roll call missed shall
20 count as one-half of an absence, unless the person is already excused for the
21 meeting. No one can receive more than one unexcused absence for each meeting of
22 Student Senate.
23 1. ~~Student Senate~~ *SGA* Intern attendance requirements shall be set by the
24 Intern Coordinators upon the Interns' acceptance into the program.
25 2. The allowed absences set by the Intern Coordinators shall not require less
26 than one-half of all Student Senate meetings.
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28 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student
29 body president.

2 AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT
3 GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE
4 CREATION OF THE DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION COMMITTEE
56 **BY:** Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach, and Jack Ayres
78 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student
9 Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws;
1011 **WHEREAS,** KSU SGA should strive to represent the interests and hear the concerns of the diverse
12 student body at KSU;
1314 **WHEREAS,** A committee comprised of individuals from a variety of diverse student organizations
15 would be able to advise KSU SGA on how best to represent and advocate for a wide
16 range of student interests; and
1718 **WHEREAS,** A committee should be formed to address issues of inclusion and inequity at KSU, it is
19 apparent that refinements to the KSU SGA By-Laws are in order.
2021 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2223 **SECTION 1.** Article III, Section 5 shall be renumbered to Section 6.
2425 **SECTION 2.** Article III, Section 5 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
26 Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
2728 Section. 5. *Diversity and Inclusion Advisory Committee.*29 A. *The charge of the committee shall be to act as a committee of oversight,*
30 *advisory and action on issues related to diversity and inclusion on*
31 *Kansas State University's campus.*32 B. *The committee shall be composed of the following voting student*
33 *organizations represented by the organization President or their*
34 *designee:*35 1. *The Student Body President who shall serve as chair.*36 2. *Black Student Union*37 3. *Hispanic American Leadership Organization*38 4. *Asian American Student Union*39 5. *Native American Student Association*40 6. *Sexuality and Gender Alliance*41 7. *Gender Collective*42 8. *International Coordinating Council*43 9. *American Ethnic Studies Student Association*44 10. *Feminists Igniting Resistance and Empowerment*45 11. *Veterans Student Organization*46 12. *Muslim Students Association*47 13. *A member representing disabled persons appointed by the Student*
48 *Access Center.*49 14. *The International Affairs Director and Multicultural Affairs Director*
50 *from the Student Body President's Cabinet shall serve as ex-officio*
51 *members.*52 15. *Other members as deemed necessary by the Student Body President.*

- 53 C. *In the absence of a representative from a student organization, the*
54 *Student Body President shall be able to appoint a representative*
55 *representing a similar diverse group.*
56 D. *A quorum of the committee shall be half of the sitting members plus one.*
57 *The Chair shall only vote in case of a tie. The Chair shall call meetings*
58 *of the committee.*

59 **SECTION 3.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student
60 Body President.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE
KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION
BY-LAWS CONCERNING
GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE**

BY: Jack Ayres and Andrew Crowder

WHEREAS, It is necessary to continuously review and update the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws; and

WHEREAS, The Governmental Relations Standing Committee (GRSC), historically, has not needed to meet on a regular basis to maintain the responsibilities outlined in the Student Governing Association By-Laws; and

WHEREAS, The GRSC's status as an active, standing committee is thereby not necessary; and

WHEREAS, There is a need to redefine the roles of the legislative committee on governmental relations.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Article IV, Section 9 of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

- J. ~~Governmental Relations Standing Committee shall promote student views on matters of student concern, and work to inform and educate students on matters of student concern within federal, state and local governments.~~
- 1. ~~Governmental Relations Standing Committee shall consist of at least 13 members and the Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair, who shall vote only to break a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee members then selected and qualified, not including the Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair.~~
- 2. ~~Membership:~~
 - a. ~~Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of Student Senate.~~
 - b. ~~Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in consultation with the Governmental Relations Committee Chair.~~
 - c. ~~Local Relations Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet, who shall be a voting member of the committee.~~
 - d. ~~State Relations Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet, who shall be a voting member of the committee.~~
 - e. ~~Two students at large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have voting privileges on the committee.~~
 - f. ~~Of the Student Senator and students at large, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the Governmental Relations Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the Governmental Relations Standing Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Governmental Relations Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be~~

- 55 responsible for the minutes of the committee.
56 g. ~~Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in~~
57 ~~consultation with the Governmental Relations Standing~~
58 ~~Committee Chair, who shall have voting privileges on the~~
59 ~~committee.~~
60 3. ~~The committee shall:~~
61 a. ~~Be the Legislative Branch's Advocacy Team and shall insure~~
62 ~~effective and consistent representation of student concerns~~
63 ~~between the state legislature and Board of Regents.~~
64 b. ~~Work for the inclusion of student concerns within the University~~
65 ~~budget and lobby for those concerns when necessary.~~
66 c. ~~Deal with and make recommendations on the City University~~
67 ~~Projects Fund.~~
68 d. ~~Be responsible for the interaction between Student Senate and~~
69 ~~the Manhattan City Commission, Chamber of Commerce, county~~
70 ~~commission, state government, and the federal government on~~
71 ~~relevant community issues.~~
72 e. ~~During an election year, coordinate "Get Out the Vote" efforts~~
73 ~~and voter education efforts.~~
74 f. ~~Educate the student body on governmental issues that are~~
75 ~~pertinent to Kansas State University students.~~
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77 **SECTION 2.** Article IV of the KSU SGA By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

78 *Section. 17. Governmental Relations Committee shall promote student views on*
79 *matters of student concern, and work to inform and educate students on*
80 *matters of student concern within federal, state and local governments.*

- 81 A. *The Governmental Relations Committee shall be composed of the*
82 *following members:*
83 1. *The Governmental Relations Committee chair, appointed by the*
84 *Speaker of the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker*
85 *pro tempore of the Student Senate and subject to the approval of*
86 *the Student Senate shall chair the committee and vote only in the*
87 *case of a tie.*
88 2. *Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student*
89 *Senate, in consultation with the Governmental Relations*
90 *Committee Chair.*
91 3. *Governmental Relations Director of the Student Body*
92 *President's Cabinet, who shall be a voting member of the*
93 *committee.*
94 4. *Students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in*
95 *consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall*
96 *have voting privileges on the committee.*
97 5. *Of the Student Senator and students-at-large, the committee*
98 *shall elect a Vice Chair of the Governmental Relations*
99 *Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the*
100 *Governmental Relations Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall*
101 *chair meetings of the Governmental Relations Committee in the*
102 *absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of*
103 *the committee.*
104 6. *Student Senate Interns at the discretion of the Senate Intern*
105 *Coordinator in consultation with the Speaker of the Student*
106 *Senate who shall be non-voting member of the committee.*
107 B. *The committee shall meet as-needed or at the request of the Student*
108 *Body President and/or the Speaker of the Student Senate*

109 *C. The committee shall:*

- 110 1. *Write and review any legislation pertaining to governmental*
111 *affairs.*
112 2. *Coordinate with shared governance groups and make*
113 *recommendations on the City-University Projects Fund.*
114 3. *Educate the student body on governmental issues that are*
115 *pertinent to Kansas State University students.*
116 4. *During an election year, coordinate “Get Out the Vote” efforts*
117 *and voter education effort.*
118 5. *Work for the inclusion of student concerns within the University*
119 *budget and advocate for those concerns when necessary.*
120 6. *Provide input from the Legislative Branch and support*
121 *governmental relations efforts of all SGA lobbying efforts.*
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124 **SECTION 3.** Upon passage by the Student Senate, this Bill shall take effect in the 2017-2018 term.

2 **CHANGES TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS**
4 **REGARDING SPEAKER OF THE STUDENT SENATE**
5 **SUCCESSION PROCESS**

6 **BY:** Anna Jackson

7
8 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student
9 Governing Association By-Laws; and

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11 **WHEREAS,** After evaluating the current KSU SGA By-Laws concerning the filling of vacancies it
12 isn't clear on how process should select a temporary Speaker of the Student Senate after
13 the Senate Operations Chair.
14

15 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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17 **SECTION 1.** Article four, Section six Succession shall be amended as follows.

18 A .In the event of the temporary absence or inability of the Speaker of the Student Senate, the line
19 of succession shall be:

- 20 1. Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate.
21 2. Student Senate Parliamentarian.
22 3. Chair of Senate Operations Standing Committee.
23 4. ~~A Student Senator, elected by Student Senate, to be temporary chair as needed.~~
24 *Privilege Fee Committee Chair*
25 *5. University Allocations Committee Chair*
26 *6. College Allocations Committee Chair*
27 *7. Student Engagement Committee Chair*
28 *8. Government Relations Committee Chair*
29 *9. Intern Coordinator*
30 *10. Secretary of the Student Senate*
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32 B. In the event of the resignation, removal from office or the permanent inability of the Speaker
33 of the Student Senate to discharge his or her duties as Speaker of the Student Senate, the Speaker
34 pro tempore of the Student Senate shall succeed to the office of Speaker. Student Senate shall
35 elect a new Speaker pro tempore at the second meeting thereafter.
36

37 *C. If during the first two meetings of the new term, the speaker of the student senate is sworn into*
38 *a position in another branch or unable to attend the meetings they may appoint a chairman pro*
39 *tem. The chairman pro tem may fill the role of the speaker for one or both of the first two*
40 *meetings until the new speaker is elected.*
41

42
43 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this bill
44 shall go into effect.

2 **CHANGES TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS**
4 **SENATOR ABSENCES PROCESS**

5 **BY:** Anna Jackson

6
7 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student Governing
8 Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws;
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10 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of the current KSU SGA By-Laws concerning the filling of vacancies, it isn't
11 clear on when absences should start for new senators; and
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13 **WHEREAS,** Once senators are selected to fill a seat, their absences don't count against them until they are
14 sworn in.
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16 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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18 **SECTION 1.** Article four, Section five, sub section B shall be amended as follows.

19 B. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the office of Student Senator, an Interim Student Senator who
20 meets all eligibility requirements defined in the KSU SGA Constitution shall be determined by the
21 following means until a replacement Student Senator, described in the provisions above, is sworn into
22 office. The Interim Student Senator will have full privileges as a Student Senator and must follow all
23 guidelines described for the office of Student Senator while maintaining the responsibilities of Student
24 Senate Intern.

25 1. Student Senate Intern representing the respective college may be named to serve as the Interim
26 Student Senator after recommendation of the Student Senate Intern Coordinator.

27 2. If a Student Senate Intern is not recommended by the Student Senate Intern Coordinator, then
28 the respective college caucus may name a student in the respective college to serve as the Interim
29 Student Senator.

30 3. After a replacement Student Senator has been sworn into office by the means described in (A)
31 above, the Interim Student Senator's privileges and responsibilities will revert back to those of
32 Student Senate Intern.

33 C. Any Student Senator, Student Senate Committee Chair or Student Senate Intern with three unexcused
34 absences shall be subject to expulsion as provided in the Student Senate Standing Rules.

35 *D. Student Senators once selected but not sworn in to fill a Senate Seat have one regularly scheduled*
36 *meeting of their term to be sworn in. Exceptions may be made by the Senate Operations Committee Chair.*

37 ~~D.~~ E. Any Student Senator, Student Senate Intern or Student Senate officer who drops class hours below
38 the amount specified in the KSU SGA Constitution or any Student Senator whose cumulative grade point
39 average drops below the requirement specified in the KSU SGA Constitution will automatically be
40 considered for expulsion by Student Senate.
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42 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this bill
43 shall go into effect.

2 **CHANGES TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS**
4 **REGARDING SENATOR VACANCIES PROCESS**

5 **BY:** Anna Jackson

6
7 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student Governing
8 Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws;
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10 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of the current KSU SGA By-Laws concerning the filling of vacancies, the
11 process is unclear;
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13 **WHEREAS,** Senate Operations Committee Chair oversees the filling of vacancies and expulsion of Senators;
14 and
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16 **WHEREAS,** The By-Laws should reflect the correct procedure for filling a vacant seat.
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18 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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20 **SECTION 1.** Article four Section V sub section A shall be amended as follows.

21 In the event that a vacancy occurs in the office of Student Senator, *the Senate Operations Chair shall follow the*
22 *following steps to* select a replacement Student Senator. *Students Senators selected must who meets* all eligibility
23 requirements defined in the KSU SGA Constitution ~~shall be determined by means of the following:~~

- 24 1. The vacancy shall be offered to unsuccessful candidates for the vacated seat, starting with the unsuccessful
25 candidate who received the highest vote total and proceeding down the list. If after two business days an
26 unsuccessful candidate does not respond to initial communication, the next candidate on the list will be
27 contacted until there are ties or no remaining candidates.
- 28 2. Unsuccessful candidates that tied in vote totals will be contacted in bulk. If after two business days only
29 one candidate has expressed interest, that candidate will fill the vacant seat. If more than one of these
30 candidates is interested in the vacant seat within the period of initial contact, each will present to the Senate
31 Operations Standing Committee, which will pick the candidate to fill the seat by a majority vote.
- 32 3. When the vacant seat cannot be filled with an unsuccessful candidate as prescribed above, the appropriate
33 college council or its designee shall appoint the replacement. The council or designee has two weeks (14
34 calendar days) from the initial communication to name a replacement. The name shall be sent to the chair
35 of the Senate Operations Standing Committee.
- 36 4. If the vacant seat cannot be filled by the above measures, the respective college caucus in Student Senate
37 will make a recommendation to the Senate Operations Standing Committee. This replacement may include
38 Student Senate Interns whose major is in the respective college. In this case, the Student Senate Intern must
39 resign from his or her position as an intern.
40

41 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this bill shall go
42 into effect.

2 **AMENDMENT TO THE KSU SGA CONSTITUTION**
3 **REGARDING THE RESPONSIBILITIES**
4 **OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

5 **BY:** Special Committee on Membership

6
7 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA)'s Special
8 Committee on Membership was tasked with looking at the current population of Student
9 Senate based on demographic information;

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11 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to document this information at the beginning of the term to be able to
12 accurately articulate the viewpoints absent from Student Senate; and

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14 **WHEREAS,** The responsibilities of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate center around
15 facilitating SGA senators and bolstering diverse representation and education within
16 Senate.

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18 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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20 **SECTION 1.** KSU SGA amends Article V, Section 507 of the its Constitution to read as follows:

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22 507. Duties and Powers of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate.

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24 A. Serve as Speaker of the Student Senate in the absence or at the request of the
25 Speaker.

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27 B. Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.

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29 C. Chair such Standing Committees as may be provided in the By-Laws.

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31 D. Plan and organize annual KSU SGA diversity training sessions.

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33 E. *Collect current data to analyze and interpret the demographic makeup of Student*
34 *Senate.*

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36 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate, signature of the Student
37 Body President and the ratification by six of the nine colleges.

4 **BY:** Special Committee on Membership5
6 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA)'s Special
7 Committee on Membership was tasked with looking at the current population of Student
8 Senate and finding alternative measures to guarantee representation of the student body;
910 **WHEREAS,** Upon review of previous KSU SGA literature, looking specifically into previous attempts
11 at liaison systems at KSU, SB 68/1/8 was originally passed to establish a system by
12 which a senator would "act as an informational link between Student Senate and the
13 organization to which he is a liaison" and is well-documented in doing so;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The KSU SGA College Caucus system is in place as "a means for senators elected by
16 each college to organize and communicate within the college by which they were
17 elected";
1819 **WHEREAS,** The KSU SGA By-Laws do not specify the duties of the College Caucus to include any
20 efforts focused on outreach to student organizations within each college;
2122 **WHEREAS,** Spreading the responsibilities for outreach between College Caucuses and the Student
23 Engagement Committee will provide more outlets for communication to students and
24 delegate responsibilities; and
2526 **WHEREAS,** The goal of creating liaisons is to designate a senator for organizations to come to with
27 concerns, for a better relationship with needed organizations, to create more leadership
28 opportunities for senators, and to ultimately create a withstanding link between student
29 organizations and KSU SGA.
3031 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**32
33 **SECTION 1.** KSU SGA amends Article IV, Section 16 to read as follows:
3435 Section. ~~16~~17. College Caucuses

36 D. Duties of the College Caucus shall include:

- 37 1. Serving as a unified voice of its college on issues affecting its students;
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- ~~including proposed student fees from its college.~~
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- 39 2.
- Understanding student fee proposals and promoting the student voice*
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- during the tuition and fees proposal process*
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- ~~2.~~
3. Recommending a nominee to fill the student representative role for their
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- 42 college on the Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee. The
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- 43 recommendation for said committee shall be made and submitted to the
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- 44 Student Body President and Speaker of the Student Senate before the end
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- 45 of the fall semester. Student Body President and Speaker of the Student
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- 46 Senate shall have discretion over whether to accept or reject the
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- 47 recommendation.
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- ~~3.~~
4. Ratify the constitutional amendments on behalf of their college council if
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- 49 their college council has not voted on ratifying constitutional
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- 50 amendments within the time stated in the constitution after they have
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- 51 been passed by the Student Senate.
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- 52 a. Constitutional amendments shall require a two-thirds vote of the
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- 53 senators selected and qualified.
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- 54 5.
- Engaging in continual communication with the student organizations of*

55 *each college as to their concerns, the inner-workings of SGA, and how*
56 *SGA can further serve their respective purposes.*
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- 58 E. Duties of the Caucus Leader shall include:
59 1. Chairing meetings of the College Caucus.
60 2. Scheduling meetings of the College Caucus within its members, as well
61 as with Deans and leaders of the caucus' respective college.
62 3. Acting as a conduit of information between student senate leadership,
63 College Caucus, college council and dean's office.
64 4. *Coordinating outreach efforts and maintaining accountability among*
65 *college caucus members in performing their designated duties.*
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67 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the
68 Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENT TO K-STATE STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
3 **CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE POWERS, RIGHTS, AND**
4 **RESPONSIBILITIES OF STUDENT SENATORS**5 **BY:** Special Committee on Membership6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State student body is composed of individuals from various different
8 backgrounds;
910 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) is elected to
11 represent the student body in entirety; and
1213 **WHEREAS,** In order for KSU SGA to be more effective leaders, we need to take the time to listen to
14 the students' voices and be aware of different perspectives on campus.
1516 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1718 **SECTION 1.** Section 504 of the KSU SGA Constitution shall be amended to read as follows:
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20 504. Powers, Rights and Responsibilities of Student Senators.

21 A. A Student Senator may introduce to Student Senate any motion, bill, amendment,
22 act or question he/she so desires. He/she may debate, vote for, against or abstain
23 from voting on any issue brought before Student Senate.24 B. A Student Senator shall be granted access to files and records of any KSU SGA
25 committee, administrative officer or Cabinet member, except those of the KSU
26 SGA Attorney General.27 C. *Each senator will attend at least two diversity events of their senate term. The list*
28 *of suggested diversity events shall be provided by the Speaker Pro Tempore of*
29 *the Student Senate.*30 1. *Approval for a diversity event to meet this requirement if the event is not*
31 *included on the list of suggested diversity events may be obtained at the*
32 *discretion of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate.*33 2. *Failure to attend and submit proof of attendance by the second Friday in*
34 *February will be counted as an unexcused absence(s) from the*
35 *Student Senate attendance. The Student Senator shall give proof of*
36 *attendance of a qualified diversity event to the Secretary of the Student*
37 *Senate.*38 3. *Exceptions to the diversity event attendance requirement shall only be*
39 *granted at the discretion of the chair of the Senate Operations Standing*
40 *Committee.*41 ~~D.~~ Faculty/Administrator members of Student Senate shall hold the same voting
42 rights and responsibilities as Student Senators.43 1. Faculty/Administrator members will use personal discretion as whether to
44 serve on the Student Senate standing committee of their choice.45 2. If a faculty/administrator member chooses to serve on a Student Senate
46 standing committee, they shall serve with voting rights.47 ~~E.~~ A Student Senator shall not be punished outside of Student Senate for any speech
48 or debate he/she makes in Student Senate.49 ~~F.~~ A Student Senator shall inform the Speaker of the Student Senate of any
50 anticipated absence from a Student Senate meeting 24 hours prior to the meeting,
51 unless an emergency situation arises. In the case of an emergency, the Speaker
52 should be notified as soon as the Student Senator discovers he or she will be
53 absent from the Senate meeting. The Speaker of the Student Senate will then
54 determine if the absence is excused.

55 G.F. A Student Senator may appoint another Student Senator as a proxy voter for a
56 meeting providing that the absence has been excused.
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58 **SECTION 2.** Section 507 of the KSU SGA Constitution shall be amended to read as follows:
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60 507. Duties and Powers of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate.

- 61 A. Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the Speaker's
62 absence or at Speaker's request.
- 63 B. Coordinate the open period speakers for the Student Senate.
- 64 C. Assist the Speaker of the Student Senate in the appointment of the secretary,
65 Parliamentarian, Intern Coordinator and chairpersons of the standing committees.
- 66 D. Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.
- 67 E. Oversee the College Caucus system.
- 68 F. Chair such Standing Committees as may be provided in the By-Laws.
- 69 G. Plan and organize at least one diversity presentation, speaker, or training session
70 for KSU SGA in each semester.
- 71 H. Organize activities to help in the orientation of newly elected Student Senators.
- 72 I. Serve on the Faculty Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate.
- 73 J. *Shall compile a list of suggested diversity events for Student Senators in*
74 *consultation with campus offices dealing with different aspects of diversity to*
75 *fulfill their requirement as described in Section 504 C. The list shall be shared*
76 *with the Student Senate at least once a semester at the beginning of each*
77 *semester.*

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79 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate, signature of the Student Body President and
80 ratification by six of the nine colleges, this bill shall go into effect.

4 **BY:** Andrew Peuchen

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6 **WHEREAS,** The needs of Academic Competition Teams are exceedingly greater than the \$60,000.00
7 disbursed to them through the Student Activity Fee Privilege Fee agreement;

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9 **WHEREAS,** Academic Competition Teams consistently provide students with opportunities to put their
10 classwork into action, network with employers, and represent Kansas State University at national
11 and international competitions, making them a highly effective investment of student funds;

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13 **WHEREAS,** The University Allocations Committee heard an abundance of requests from Academic
14 Competition Teams that have a serious need for additional funding in order to continue their
15 legacies of success;

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17 **WHEREAS,** Chapter 21, Section 0102, Subsection C, Clause 1 (e) of the Kansas State University Student
18 Governing Association Statutes states that, “a Reserve for Contingencies Account shall be
19 available for special allocations by Student Senate...”;

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21 **WHEREAS,** A \$30,000.00 special allocation will not overdraw the Reserve for Contingencies Account, which
22 has a balance exceeding \$130,000.00.

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24 **WHEREAS,** This total allocation amount of \$90,000.00 will still fall short of the original requested amount
25 from Academic Competition Teams for FY 2018, which totaled \$200,054.00.

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27 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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29 **SECTION 1.** Academic Competition Teams shall be specially allocated \$30,000.00 for FY 2018.

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31 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these funds
32 shall be transferred from the Reserve for Contingencies Account NISACONRSV to the Academic
33 Competition Teams Reserve Account NISAACRSV.

BY: Special Committee on Academic Competition Team Funding

WHEREAS, The university allocations committee received and reviewed the allocation requests of several academic competition teams;

WHEREAS, Academic competition teams develop the reputation of Kansas State University by competing at local, regional, national and international competitions;

WHEREAS, Academic competition teams yield invaluable hands-on experiences to students that are hard to replicate elsewhere;

WHEREAS, Students involved with academic competition teams have a significant advantage in their field of study when it comes to acquiring internships during their time at K-State and full-time employment following graduation;

WHEREAS, Chapter 35 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes states that \$60,000.00 shall be dispersed to academic competition teams on a yearly basis;

WHEREAS, The funds requested by these groups and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

	<u>Account</u>	<u>Requested</u>	<u>Recommended</u>
American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics	NISA0082AC	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 453.32
Baja SAE	NISA1000AC	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 3,181.21
ChemE Car	NISA0232AC	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,325.50
Concrete Canoe Team	NISA0317AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,590.60
Cyber Defense Club	NISA0334AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 198.83
Dairy Cattle Judging Team	NISA1373AC	\$ 10,500.00	\$ 1,230.07
Dairy Farm Evaluation Club	NISA1374AC	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 911.95
Food Product Development Team	NISA1376AC	\$ 11,485.00	\$ 2,723.64
Forage Bowl Team	NISA1377AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 227.03
Fountain Wars	NISA0433AC	\$ 1,250.00	\$ \$641.54
Graduate Students in Agriculture	NISA0005AC	\$ 11,803.00	\$ 3,386.13
Economics Case Study Team			
Intercollegiate Horse Judging Team	NISA1356AC	\$ 4,451.00	\$ 2,183.37
Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Team	NISA1378AC	\$ 17,500.00	\$ 5,461.07
Intercollegiate MAET	NISA1379AC	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 1,484.56
Intercollegiate Meat Judging Team	NISA1380AC	\$ 22,300.00	\$ 5,885.23
Kansas State Quiz Bowl	NISA0909AC	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 678.66
Kansas State University Crops Judging Team	NISA1372AC	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 1,346.71
Kansas State University Soil Judging Team	NISA1381AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,643.62
KSU Landscape Contracting Team	NISA1382AC	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,113.42
Robotics Competition Team	NISA0925AC	\$ 6,350.00	\$ 1,802.68
Meat Science Quiz Bowl Team	NISA1355AC	\$ 1,700.00	\$ 530.20
Mock Trial Club	NISA0725AC	\$ 23,575.00	\$ 2,929.36
Model United Nations	NISA0726AC	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 4,621.02
National Agri-Marketing Association	NISA0750AC	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 434.76
Powercat Motorsports	NISA0874AC	\$ 12,300.00	\$ 2,385.91
Quarter Scale Tractor Team	NISA0907AC	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 1,855.70
Speech Unlimited	NISA1022AC	\$ 11,840.00	\$ 6,277.58
Steel Bridge Team	NISA1033AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,590.60

57	Wildcat Rocketry Club	NISA1306AC	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 742.28
58	Wildcat Wind Power	NISA1215AC	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,113.42
59	TOTAL		\$200,054.00	\$ 60,000.00

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61 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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63 **SECTION 1.** The \$60,000.00 disbursed to academic competition teams shall be allocated as specified
64 above.

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66 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the student senate and signature of the student body president, these
67 funds shall be transferred from the Academic Competition Team Reserve Account
68 NISAACTRSV to the academic competition team accounts specified above.

BY: Special Committee on Academic Competition Team Funding

WHEREAS, The Special Committee on Academic Competition Team Funding received and reviewed the allocation requests of several academic competition teams;

WHEREAS, Academic competition teams develop the reputation of Kansas State University (KSU) by competing at local, regional, national and international competitions;

WHEREAS, Academic competition teams yield invaluable hands-on experiences to students that are hard to replicate elsewhere;

WHEREAS, Students involved with academic competition teams have a significant advantage in their field of study when it comes to acquiring internships during their time at KSU and full-time employment following graduation;

WHEREAS, Chapter 35 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes states that \$60,000.00 shall be dispersed to academic competition teams on a yearly basis;

WHEREAS, This bill has been updated to reflect a \$30,000.00 special allocation out of the reserves account (Bill 16/17/123) to supplement funding for Academic Competition Teams, resulting in an \$90,000.00 total recommendation; and

WHEREAS, The funds requested by these groups and the funding recommendation made are as follows:

	<u>Account</u>	<u>Requested</u>	<u>Recommended</u>
American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics	NISA0082AC	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 679.98
Baja SAE	NISA1000AC	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 4,771.81
ChemE Car	NISA0232AC	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,988.25
Concrete Canoe Team	NISA0317AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,385.91
Cyber Defense Club	NIAS0334AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 298.24
Dairy Cattle Judging Team	NISA1373AC	\$ 10,500.00	\$ 1,845.10
Dairy Farm Evaluation Club	NISA1374AC	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,367.92
Food Product Development Team	NISA1376AC	\$ 11,485.00	\$ 4,085.46
Forage Bowl Team	NISA1377AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 415.55
Fountain Wars	NISA0433AC	\$ 1,250.00	\$ 962.32
Graduate Students in Agriculture	NISA0005AC	\$ 11,803.00	\$ 5,079.19
Economics Case Study Team			
Intercollegiate Horse Judging Team	NISA1356AC	\$ 4,451.00	\$ 3,275.05
Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Team	NISA1378AC	\$ 17,500.00	\$ 8,191.61
Intercollegiate MAET	NISA1379AC	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 2,226.84
Intercollegiate Meat Judging Team	NISA1380AC	\$ 22,300.00	\$ 8,827.85
Kansas State Quiz Bowl	NISA0909AC	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,017.99
Kansas State University Crops Judging Team	NISA1372AC	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 2,020.07
Kansas State University Soil Judging Team	NISA1381AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,465.44
KSU Landscape Contracting Team	NISA1382AC	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,670.13
Robotics Competition Team	NISA0925AC	\$ 6,350.00	\$ 2,704.03
Meat Science Quiz Bowl Team	NISA1355AC	\$ 1,700.00	\$ 795.30
Mock Trial Club	NISA0725AC	\$ 23,575.00	\$ 4,394.04
Model United Nations	NISA0726AC	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 6,931.53
National Agri-Marketing Association	NISA0750AC	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 652.15

57	Powercat Motorsports	NISA0874AC	\$ 12,300.00	\$ 3,578.86
58	Quarter Scale Tractor Team	NISA0907AC	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 2,783.56
59	Speech Unlimited	NISA1022AC	\$ 11,840.00	\$ 9,416.37
60	Steel Bridge Team	NISA1033AC	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,385.91
61	Wildcat Rocketry Club	NISA1306AC	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,113.42
62	Wildcat Wind Power	NISA1215AC	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,670.13
63	TOTAL		\$200,054.00	\$ 90,000.00

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65 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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67 **SECTION 1.** The \$90,000.00 disbursed to academic competition teams shall be allocated as specified
68 above.

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70 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, these
71 funds shall be transferred from the Academic Competition Team Reserve Account
72 NISAACTRSV to the academic competition team accounts specified above.

4 **BY:** Jordan DeLoach, Andrew McKittrick, Olivia Baalman, Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton
5 Kennedy, and Jack Ayres
67 **WHEREAS,** Students are encountering career-related dilemmas earlier during their college years and
8 making important decisions about their future careers;
910 **WHEREAS,** Interest in recruiting student interns has especially increased as more organizations utilize
11 internships/co-ops/practicums as early opportunities to source future full-time employees;
1213 **WHEREAS,** Students are often presented with short periods in which to accept or reject offers for
14 these positions;
1516 **WHEREAS,** In order to have time to explore and accurately consider all options, adequate time is
17 required; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** It is the role of Kansas State University Career Center to help students establish realistic
20 expectations and make thoughtful career decisions.
2122 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
2324 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) recommends
25 and supports the inclusion of language clarifying guidelines for employment offers to
26 Kansas State students in Career Center policy.
2728 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a
29 copy of this resolution shall be sent to Vice President of Student Life and Dean of
30 Student Pat Bosco, Associate Vice President of Student Life Emily Lehning, and Career
31 Center Executive Director Kerri Keller.

3 **BY:** Stephen Kucera4
5 **WHEREAS,** The gap between total cost of attendance and the financial aid packages at the university
6 continues to increase, causing students to be responsible for a larger dollar amount of
7 their educational experiences than ever before;8
9 **WHEREAS,** Kansas State University(KSU) awarded \$29,351,838 in scholarship money in ____;10
11 **WHEREAS,** KSU students filing a FAFSA and with a household income under \$60,000 only received
12 17.91% of the scholarships awarded by the university;13
14 **WHEREAS,** For the current fiscal year, a student is considered to be Pell Grant eligible if they are a
15 dependent student with an average total household income of \$40,030 or an independent
16 student with an average total household income of \$17,502;17
18 **WHEREAS,** Other universities now offer scholarship programs that provide financial assistance or
19 complete tuition and fee coverage for needs-based or Pell grant recipient students; and20
21 **WHEREAS,** KSU has no university-wide Needs Based Scholarship program.22
23 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**24
25 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) recommends
26 that the K-State Foundation includes a Needs-Based Scholarship program in the list of
27 programs it encourages donors to contribute money toward.28
29 **SECTION 2.** KSU SGA encourages the college and university deans to consider submitting proposals
30 to the K-State Foundation regarding a Needs-Based Scholarship program for the
31 university.32
33 **SECTION 3.** This resolution shall be sent to President Richard B. Myers; Provost April Mason; K-
34 State Foundation President Greg Willems; Vice President for Administration and Finance
35 Cindy Bontrager; Vice President of Student Life and Dean of Student Pat Bosco; Interim
36 Associate Provost for Diversity Zelia Wiley; Dean of the College of Agriculture John
37 Floros; Dean of the College of Architecture, Planning and Design Tim de Noble; Interim
38 Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences Amit Chakrabarti; Dean of the College of
39 Business Administration Kevin Gwinner; Dean of the College of Education Debbie
40 Mercer; Dean of the College of Engineering Darren Dawson; Dean of the Graduate
41 School Carol Shanklin; Dean of the College of Human Ecology John Buckwalter; Dean
42 of the College of Veterinary Medicine Tammy Beckham; Dean of Global Campus Sue
43 Maes; CEO and Dean of the Polytechnic Campus Verna Fitzsimmons; and Interim CEO
44 and Dean of K-State Olathe Ralph Richardson.45
46 **SECTION 4.** This resolution shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the
47 Student Body President.

RESOLUTION 16/17/57**APPROVAL OF FY 2018 STUDENT-CENTERED TUITION ENHANCEMENT**

BY: Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach, Kelli Holder, Matt Mindrup, Victor Valdez, Sarah Niederee, Will Orth, Megan Heyen, Connor Swanson, Chase Bouse, Matthew Bryan, Emma DeMaranville

WHEREAS, The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee (SCTE) is charged with the responsibility of evaluating SCTE proposals;

WHEREAS, The SCTE Fund provides funding for programs that enhance student experiences at K-State and seed money for the creation and implementation of new programs and initiatives;

WHEREAS, The SCTE budget available for FY 2018 totals \$716,000.00;

WHEREAS, Excess funds totaling \$417,214.35 are available in the SCTE Reserve for additional SCTE allocations;

WHEREAS, The SCTE Committee considered 16 proposals for FY 2018;

WHEREAS, All groups were provided ample opportunity to submit requests for FY 2018;

WHEREAS, The SCTE proposals have been reviewed thoroughly and four were considered under priority funding status for FY 2018; and

WHEREAS, The following organizations have met all the guidelines established by the Kansas State University Student Governing Association.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) supports the following priority expenditure recommendations for FY 2017 Student-Centered Tuition Enhancement (SCTE) monies.

SECTION 2. The priority funded proposal titled “K-State TV: Wildcat Watch Program Funding” (Wildcat Watch) is currently being reviewed by the privilege fee committee and upon the passage of a contract and funding by that committee, all monies allocated to Wildcat Watch for FY 2018 shall be withheld and moved into the SCTE Reserve.

Priority Funding Proposals	Allocated FY 2016	Requested FY 2017	Allocated FY 2017
1. Scholars Assisting Scholars	\$ 43,629.75	\$ 51,475.00	\$ 38,782.00
2. Developing Scholars Program	\$ 70,875.00	\$ 80,000.00	\$ 63,000.00
3. K-State TV: Wildcat Watch Program Funding	\$ 22,927.00	\$ 26,000.00	\$ 21,400.00
4. Sustaining and Developing the K-State Writing Center	\$ 23,850.00	\$ 44,182.00	\$ 21,200.00
5. Green Action Fund	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 32,939.00
Subtotal	\$206,281.75	\$246,657.00	\$177,321.00

SECTION 3. The KSU SGA supports the following expenditure recommendations for FY 2017 SCTE monies.

Repeat Proposals	Allocated FY 2016	Requested FY 2017	Allocated FY 2017
6. K-State 360	\$ 57,540.00	\$ 62,000.00	\$ 62,000.00
7. Academic Coaching Program	\$ 126,653.00	\$ 126,653.00	\$ 126,653.00
Subtotal	\$ 184,193.00	\$ 188,653.00	\$ 188,653.00

	Allocated FY 2016	Requested FY 2017	Allocated FY 2017
New Proposals			
8. University Wide Mentoring Platform	\$ 0.00	\$ 56,000.00	\$ 45,000.00
9. The FEED K-State Initiative	\$ 0.00	\$118,000.00	\$ 114,000.00
10. College Math in Arabic	\$ 0.00	\$14,000.00	\$ 14,000.00
11. Peer Advocates for Mental Wellness and Success (PAWS)	\$ 0.00	\$ 47,700.00	\$ 47,700.00
12. Study Abroad Planning Program Scholarship	\$ 0.00	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 40,000.00
13. Accounting Success Academy	\$ 0.00	\$ 36,000.00	\$ 0.00
14. International Student Recruitment Ambassadors	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 0.00
15. Business Peer Mentoring Program	\$ 0.00	\$ 22,230.00	\$ 0.00
16. Launch A Business	\$ 0.00	\$ 63,500.00	\$ 0.00
TOTAL (all proposals)	\$	\$842,740.00	\$626,674.00

SECTION 4. Any unspent funds shall automatically revert back to the SCTE Reserve Account at the end of FY 2018.

SECTION 5. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to University President Richard Myers, Provost and Senior Vice President April Mason, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco and Student Governing Association Advisor Heather Reed.

4 **BY:** Sarah Pride, Haley Hannaman, Bailey Hamilton, Peter Moyer, Alex Reed, Heidee
5 Prosser, CJ Hall, Chase Derusseau and Luke Sells

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7 **WHEREAS,** The Affirmative Action Office is now The Office of Institutional Equity;

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9 **WHEREAS,** The Policy Prohibiting Sexual Harassment, the Policy Prohibiting Racial and/or Ethnic
10 Harassment, and the Policy Prohibiting Sexual Violence are now referred to collectively
11 as The Policy Prohibiting Discrimination, Harassment, Sexual Violence, and Stalking,
12 and Procedure for Reviewing Complaints (PPM 3010);

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14 **WHEREAS,** All complaints under PPM 3010 are now reviewed through the Office of Institutional
15 Equity;

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17 **WHEREAS,** The following language accurately reflects how complaints are currently handled and
18 should be documented within the SGA By-Laws; and

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20 **WHEREAS,** The following language has been reviewed by the SGA Judicial Branch, KSU General
21 Counsel, Office of Student Life, Office of Institutional Equity, and other relevant campus
22 partners.

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24 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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26 **SECTION 1.** Article V. Section 2. Be amended to read as follows:

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28 A. Generally, University jurisdiction to adjudicate complaints and to impose sanctions
29 under this code shall be limited to misconduct that occurs on University *property, at*
30 *University-sponsored activities, premises,* or behavior which intentionally or
31 recklessly interferes with the operation of the University or with University-
32 sponsored activities, including, but not limited to, studying, teaching, research,
33 University administration, fire, police, or emergency services.

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35 ~~B. Allegations of misconduct believed to constitute discrimination, including harassment~~
36 ~~as described and defined in the “Policy Prohibiting Sexual Harassment,” and “Policy~~
37 ~~Prohibiting Racial and/or Ethnic Harassment” should be referred to the Affirmative~~
38 ~~Action Office or the Office of Student Life. Allegations of assault covered under the~~
39 ~~“Policy Prohibiting Sexual Violence” should be referred to the Office of Student Life.~~

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41 B. *Reported allegations of misconduct alleged to constitute discrimination under the*
42 *“Policy Prohibiting Discrimination, Harassment, Sexual Violence, and Stalking, and*
43 *Procedure for Reviewing Complaints” (“PPM 3010”)—including, for example,*
44 *discriminatory harassment and sexual violence, stalking, dating violence, and*
45 *domestic violence—are reviewed under PPM 3010. Therefore, any such allegations*
46 *of misconduct shall be referred to the Office of Institutional Equity and shall be*
47 *reviewed and addressed under PPM 3010, and not under the Code unless the below*
48 *applies.*

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50 C. *Reported allegations of misconduct alleged to violate the Threat Management Policy*
51 *(“PPM 3015”) are reviewed under PPM 3015. Therefore, any such allegations of*
52 *misconduct shall be referred through PPM 3015 and shall be reviewed and*
53 *addressed under PPM 3015, and not under the Code unless the below applies.*

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- 55 *D. Conduct that violates this Code may also constitute a breach of a university*
- 56 *resident's housing contract. Decisions made through a housing contract hearings*
- 57 *and related proceedings may be made separately from decisions under this Code.*
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- 59 *E. Reported allegations of misconduct alleged to violate the K-State Honor Pledge shall*
- 60 *be reviewed and addressed under the Honor and Integrity System, and not under the*
- 61 *Code.*
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- 63 *F. Reported allegations of misconduct regarding employee or student employee*
- 64 *behavior, in the context of their employment, shall be reviewed and addressed*
- 65 *through university employment policies and procedures, and not under the Code.*
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- 67 *G. Reported allegations of misconduct by students enrolled in classes primarily at K-*
- 68 *State Polytechnic's campus shall be subject to the provisions of the K-State*
- 69 *Polytechnic Student Code of Conduct.*
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- 71 *H. Reported allegations of misconduct by students enrolled in classes primarily at K-*
- 72 *State Olathe campus shall be subject to the provisions of this Code.*
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74 **SECTION 2.** This Bill shall take effect August 1, 2017 upon passage by the Student Senate and the

75 signature of the Student Body President.

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4 **BY:** Sarah Pride, Haley Hannaman, Bailey Hamilton, Peter Moyer, Heidee Prosser, CJ Hall,
5 Luke Sells and Chase Derusseau

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7 **WHEREAS,** The Judicial Branch does not adjudicate complaints while they are being investigated by
8 The Office of Institutional Equity and/or The Threat Management Policy;
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10 **WHEREAS,** It is federally mandated that all complaints of sexual violence must be reported to The
11 Office of Institutional Equity;
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13 **WHEREAS,** It is university policy to assess immediate threats to the university community through
14 The Threat Management Policy;
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16 **WHEREAS,** A potential violation of the Code of Conduct may have occurred in a complaint referred
17 to The Office of Institutional Equity and/or The Threat Management Policy;
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19 **WHEREAS,** The timeline for The Office of Institutional Equity and/or The Threat Management Policy
20 process can exceed the timeline for the Code of Conduct process;
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22 **WHEREAS,** Students should have the opportunity to have all aspects of their complaint heard through
23 the appropriate processes; and
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25 **WHEREAS,** The following language has been reviewed by the SGA Judicial Branch, KSU General
26 Counsel, Office of Student Life, Office of Institutional Equity, and other relevant campus
27 partners.
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29 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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31 **SECTION 1.** Article V. Section 2. B. be amended to read as follows:
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33 B. Reported allegations of misconduct alleged to constitute discrimination under the
34 “Policy Prohibiting Discrimination, Harassment, Sexual Violence, and Stalking, and
35 Procedure for Reviewing Complaints” (“PPM 3010”)—including, for example,
36 discriminatory harassment and sexual violence, stalking, dating violence and domestic
37 violence—are reviewed under PPM 3010. Therefore, any such allegations of misconduct
38 shall be referred to the Office of Institutional Equity and shall be reviewed and addressed
39 under PPM 3010 and not under the Code unless the below applies.
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42 1. *In the event any allegations made or referred to the Office of Institutional Equity*
43 *under PPM 3010 are determined to not fall within the PPM 3010 policy, those*
44 *misconduct allegations may nonetheless be subject to the Code if the allegations*
45 *constitute a potential violation of the Code. If such allegations exist, the review*
46 *process under PPM 3010 shall proceed first until it is concluded. Once that process*
47 *is concluded, the separate misconduct allegations that constitute a potential violation*
48 *of the Code may proceed for review under the Code, provided the complainant has*
49 *filed or files a complaint under the Code within the applicable time limits. Any*
50 *relevant factual findings from the PPM 3010 review process may be used in the*
51 *subsequent review process under the Code. During the PPM 3010 review process, all*
52 *time periods to file complaints or other deadlines under the Code shall pause unless*
53 *they have already expired; and, any time remaining to file complaints or other*

54 *deadlines under the Code shall continue to run immediately upon completion of the*
55 *PPM 3010 review process.*
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58 **SECTION 2.** Article V. Section 2. C. be amended to read as follows:
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60 C. Reported allegations of misconduct alleged to violate the Threat Management Policy
61 (“PPM 3015”) are reviewed under PPM 3015. Therefore, any such allegations of
62 misconduct shall be referred through PPM 3015 and shall be reviewed and addressed
63 under PPM 3015 and not under the Code unless the below applies.
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65 *1. In the event any allegations made or referred under PPM 3015 are determined to*
66 *not fall within the PPM 3015 policy, those misconduct allegations may nonetheless*
67 *be subject to the Code if the allegations constitute a potential violation of the Code. If*
68 *such allegations exist, the review process under PPM 3015 shall proceed first until it*
69 *is concluded. Once that process is concluded, the separate misconduct allegations*
70 *that constitute a potential violation of the Code may proceed for review under the*
71 *Code, provided the complainant has filed or files a complaint under the Code within*
72 *the applicable time limits. Any relevant factual findings from the PPM 3015 review*
73 *process may be used in the subsequent review process under the Code. During the*
74 *PPM 30105 review process, all time periods to file complaints or other deadlines*
75 *under the Code shall pause unless they have already expired; and, any time*
76 *remaining to file complaints or other deadlines under the Code shall continue to run*
77 *immediately upon completion of the PPM 3015 review process.*
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79 **SECTION 3.** This Bill shall take effect August 1, 2017 upon passage by the Student Senate and the
80 signature of the Student Body President.

4 **BY:** Sarah Pride, Haley Hannaman, Bailey Hamilton, Peter Moyer, Heidee Prosser, CJ Hall,
5 Luke Sells, and Chase Derusseau
67 **WHEREAS,** Wefald is not currently defined as a Residence Hall;
89 **WHEREAS,** What was previously referred to as Strong Complex is now referred to as Strong
10 Community;
1112 **WHEREAS,** University property is currently used in university policies;
1314 **WHEREAS,** The current definition of university-sponsored activity does not reflect current university
15 practice; and
1617 **WHEREAS,** The following language has been reviewed by the SGA Judicial Branch, KSU General
18 Counsel, Office of Student Life, KSU Housing, and other relevant campus partners.
1920 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2122 **SECTION 1.** Article V. Section 1. GG. be amended to read as follows:
2324 GG. “Residence Hall” is defined as Boyd, Putnam, Van Zile, Moore, Haymaker, Ford,
25 West, Smurthwaite, Goodnow, ~~and~~ Marlatt *and Wefald*.
2627 **SECTION 2.** Article V. Section 1. LL. be amended to read as follows:
2829 LL. “Strong ~~Community Complex~~” is defined as the area containing Boyd, Putnam
30 and Van Zile residence halls. These three halls will be considered a single unit
31 for judicial proceedings.
3233 **SECTION 3.** Article V. Section 1. OO. be amended to read as follows:
3435 OO. “University ~~property premises~~” includes all land, buildings, facilities, and other
36 property owned, used, or controlled by the University.
3738 **SECTION 4.** Article V. Section 1. PP. be amended to read as follows:
3940 PP. “University-sponsored activity” means any activity, on or off campus, that is
41 University-authorized and *substantially organized and/or* supervised by a
42 *University faculty/staff member(s) within the context of that faculty/staff*
43 *member’s University employment.* ~~or organization advisor, or for which students~~
44 ~~receive academic credit from the University.~~
4546 **SECTION 5.** This Bill shall take effect August 1, 2017 upon passage by the Student Senate and the
47 signature of the Student Body President.
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4 **BY:** Sarah Pride, Haley Hannaman, Bailey Hamilton, Heidee Prosser, Luke Sells, Peter
5 Moyer, CJ Hall, and Chase Derusseau

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7 **WHEREAS,** The SGA Code of Conduct has not been reviewed for seven years;

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9 **WHEREAS,** The SGA Code of Conduct should reference university policies;

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11 **WHEREAS,** The jurisdiction for individual items is not necessary because jurisdiction is defined in
12 Article V Section 2 of the KSU SGA By-Laws;

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14 **WHEREAS,** The SGA Code of Conduct should be easy for students to understand; and

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16 **WHEREAS,** The following language has been reviewed by the SGA Judicial Branch, KSU General
17 Counsel, Office of Student Life, Office of Institutional Equity, KSU Housing, and other
18 relevant campus partners.

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20 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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22 **SECTION 1.** Article V. Section 3. Be amended to read as follows:

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24 *Neither this nor any other university policy is violated by actions that amount to expression*
25 *protected by the state or federal constitutions or by related principles of academic freedom.*

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27 A. The following described *conduct is prohibited by this Code and subject to sanctions by the*
28 *University: behaviors constitute misconduct in which disciplinary sanctions will be imposed.*

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30 1. Acts of dishonesty, including but not limited to the following:

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32 a. Furnishing false information to any University official, faculty/staff member, or office.

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34 b. Forgery, alteration, or misuse of any University document, record, or instrument of
35 identification.

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37 c. Tampering with the election of any organization or student governing body.

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39 2. Disruption or obstruction of teaching, research, administration, disciplinary proceedings, or
40 other University-sponsored activities ~~including its public service functions on or off~~
41 ~~campus, or other authorized non-University activities.~~

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43 3. *Conduct directed towards another person(s) that is intended to and does substantially*
44 *interfere with another's educational or employment opportunity, peaceful enjoyment of*
45 *residence, or physical security. Conduct that threatens or endangers the mental or physical*
46 *health or safety of any person, including, but not limited to, physical abuse, verbal abuse,*
47 *threats, intimidation, harassment, and coercion.*

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49 4. Attempted or actual theft of, ~~or damage to~~ property.

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51 5. *Intentional damage to property or vandalism.*

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53 6. ~~5-~~Hazing, which is defined as an act which endangers the mental or physical health or safety
54 of a student, or which destroys or removes public or private property for the purpose of

initiation, admission into, affiliation with, or as a condition for continued membership in a group or organization. Consent by the person hazed shall be no defense to the hazing.

7. ~~6.~~ Telephone or Internet harassment, which shall include: (KSA 21-6206)

a. *Making calls containing or making or transmitting any comment, request, suggestion, proposal, image or text which is lewd or obscene remarks.*

b. *Making or transmitting calls, whether or not conversation ensues, or any comment, request, suggestion, proposal, image or text with intent to substantially interfere with another person's educational or employment opportunity, peaceful enjoyment of residence, or physical security. Transmission of comments, requests, suggestions, proposal, images, or texts may include any transmission utilizing electronic means, including but not limited to sending text, picture, video, or audio messages over social media websites, social media applications, instant messenger or chat services, message boards or any other electronic format.*

~~a. Making calls containing lewd or obscene remarks.~~

~~b. Making calls intended to harass or harm whether or not conversation ensues.~~

~~c. Making the telephone ring repeatedly with intent to harass or harm.~~

~~d. Making repeated calls in which conversation ensues solely to harass or harm.~~

~~e. Sending text, picture or video messages with intent to harass or harm.~~

~~f. Sending text, picture, video, or audio messages over electronic forums, including, but not limited to, social media websites, instant messenger or chat services, message boards or any other electronic format with intent to harass or harm~~

8.7. Failure to comply with directions of University faculty, staff, or law enforcement officers acting in performance of their duties or failure to identify oneself to these persons when requested to do so.

9.8. Unauthorized possession, duplication or use of keys, or other devices that provide access to any University premises or services.

~~10.9.~~ Unauthorized presence in or use of University premises, facilities, or property.

~~10. Violation of University policies, rules, or regulations.~~

~~11. Violation of federal, state or local law.~~

~~11. 13. Unlawful Use, possession or distribution of alcoholic beverages in an unlawful manner or otherwise in violation of a university policy. or violation of the University's Alcohol and Cereal Malt Beverage Policy.~~

12. ~~Unauthorized distribution, Use, or possession, distribution of a controlled substance in an unlawful manner or otherwise in violation of a university policy. (as described in Chapter 65, Article 41 of Kansas Statutes Annotated on University premises) on University premises or at University-sponsored activities.~~

13. ~~14.~~ Possession or use of firearms, explosives, weapons, or dangerous chemicals on University premises or at a University-sponsored activity or any other violation in violation of the University's Weapons Policy.
14. ~~15.~~ Intentionally initiating or causing to be initiated, any false report, warning or threat of fire, explosion or other emergency. ~~on University premises or at a University-sponsored activity.~~
15. ~~16.~~ Participation in a campus demonstration which unreasonably disrupts the normal operations of the University ~~and included but not limited to the following:~~
- a. infringes on the rights of others ~~members of the University community;~~
 - b. inciting others to disrupt scheduled and/or normal activities ~~within any campus building or area;~~
 - c. intentional obstruction which unreasonably interferes with freedom of movement, either pedestrian or vehicular, ~~on campus;~~
 - d. *inciting another person to breach the peace.*
16. ~~17.~~ Intentionally interfering with the freedom of expression of others. ~~on University premises or at a University-sponsored activity.~~
17. ~~18.~~ Conduct that is disorderly, lewd, or *obscene-indecent*; breach of peace; or *inciting* aiding, abetting or procuring another person to breach the peace ~~on University premises or at University-sponsored activities.~~
18. ~~19.~~ Any violation of the stated "KSU Information Technology Usage Policies."
19. ~~20.~~ Abuse of the SGA Judicial Program, including but not limited to:
- a. Falsification, distortion, or misrepresentation of information.
 - b. Disruption or interference with the orderly conduct of a judicial proceeding.
 - c. Knowingly initiating a complaint without cause.
 - d. Attempting to discourage an individual's proper participation in, or use of, the judicial system.
 - e. Attempting to influence the impartiality of a member of a judicial board prior to, or during the course of, the judicial proceeding.
 - f. Verbal, written, phone, or physical harassment, and/or intimidation of a member of a judicial board.
 - g. Failure to comply with the sanction(s) imposed under this Code.
 - h. Influencing or attempting to influence another person to commit an abuse of the judicial program.
20. ~~21.~~ Any illegal or unauthorized taking, selling, or distribution of class notes.

162 21. *Violation of University policies, rules, or regulations.*

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164 22. *Violation of federal, state or local law that causes a substantial disruption to university*
165 *operations.*

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167 **SECTION 2.** This Bill shall take effect August 1, 2017 upon passage by the Student Senate and the
168 signature of the Student Body President.
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**AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES
CONCERNING THE STUDENT-CENTERED
TUITION ENHANCEMENTS COMMITTEE**

BY: Trenton Kennedy and Jack Ayres

WHEREAS, It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes;

WHEREAS, The 2016-2017 Student Centered Tuition Enhancements committee found value in 2 proposals that necessitated they be considered “priority funding groups”; and

WHEREAS, After evaluation of Chapter 26 of the KSU SGA Statutes concerning the Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee, it is apparent that refinements are in order.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Chapter 26 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Chapter 26:
Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements**

26-0106 Priority Funding Groups

- A. Developing Scholars Program
- ~~B. Career and Employment Services~~
- ~~C. Global Education Initiative Scholarship~~
- ~~D. B. K-State TV: Wildcat Watch~~
- ~~E. Campus Crisis/Crisis Support Coordinator~~
- F.C. Scholars Assisting Scholars (SAS) Tutoring
- D. *K-State Writing Center*
- E. *Green Action Fund*

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this Bill shall go into effect.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT**
3 **GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS**
4 **CONCERNING CABINET RESPONSIBILITIES**5 **BY:** Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach and Jack Ayres6
7 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student
8 Governing Association By-Laws; and
910 **WHEREAS,** Many Cabinet responsibilities now considered commonplace are not reflected in the By-
11 Laws.
1213 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1415 **SECTION 1.** Article III, Section 3 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
16 Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
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18 Section. 3. The Student Body President's Cabinet shall consist of the following officers:

19 A. The Chief of Staff, whose duties shall include:

- 20 1. Coordinate the activities of Cabinet.
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- 21 2. Serve as advisor to Cabinet members.
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- 22 3. Conduct communication between Cabinet members and the Student
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- 23 Body President and between Cabinet members and Student Senate.
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- 24 4. Chair Cabinet Meetings.
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- 25 5. Give directors' reports for Cabinet members unable to attend Student
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- 26 Senate meetings, as necessary.
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- 27 6.
- Assist the Student Body President and Vice President in appointing*
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- Cabinet members.*
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- 29 7.
- Serve on the Faculty Senate Committee for Professional Staff Affairs.*
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- 30 8.
- Coordinate transitions between incoming and outgoing Cabinets.*

31 B. The Public Relations Director, who shall foster public relations and enhance the
32 distribution of information for the Executive branch.

- 33 1. Attend Student Senate meetings.
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- 34 2.
- Maintain the social media presence of the Executive Branch.*
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- 35 3.
- Facilitate and coordinate all marketing and communications efforts for*
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- the Executive Branch.*
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- 37 4.
- Oversee the flow of information between the Executive Branch, KSU*
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- SGA, the student body, and the K-State and Manhattan communities.*
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- ~~2. Serve on the Student Engagement Standing Committee.~~

40 C. The College of Technology and Aviation Student Body President (or designee)
41 shall be an ex officio member during the duration of the Student Body
42 President's term of office and shall represent the interests and concerns of the
43 College of Technology and Aviation in Salina.44 D. The International Affairs Director, who shall represent the interests and concerns
45 of international students.

- 46 1. Serve as the KSU SGA Liaison to the Office of International Programs.
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- 47 2. Attend International Coordinating Council Meetings.

48 E. The Multicultural Affairs Director, who shall represent the interests and concerns
49 of multicultural students.

1. Represent the Student Body President's Cabinet on the Diversity Programming Committee.
 2. Serve on the University President's Commission on Multicultural Affairs.
 3. Meet regularly with student leaders of multicultural organizations.
- F. The State Relations Director, who shall represent the interests and concerns of the KSU SGA to state governments.
1. Attend monthly Board of Regents Meetings with the Student Body President.
 2. Assist in coordination of State Higher Education Day.
 3. Assist in coordination of Big XII on the Hill Day.
 4. Serve on Governmental Relations ~~Standing~~ Committee.
 5. *Attend State Relations Committee Meetings.*
 6. *Coordinate the Legislative Ambassadors program.*
- G. The Local Relations Director, who shall represent the interests and concerns of the KSU SGA to local governments.
1. Provide updates to the Student Body President and Student Senate concerning the City Commission.
 2. Serve on Governmental Relations ~~Standing~~ Committee.
- H. The Technology Coordinator, who shall promote improved technology resources and represent students on matters of technology.
1. Serve on Faculty Senate Committee on Technology.
 2. Serve as KSU SGA Liaison to the Vice Provost for Information Technology Services.
 3. *Chair the Student Technology Committee.*
 4. *Serve on KSIS Steering Committee.*
 5. *Serve on K-State Online Advisory Council.*
- I. The Student Director of Sustainability, who shall represent the interests and concerns of students regarding sustainability.
- ~~1. Serve on the Student Sustainability Coalition.~~
 1. *Chair the Green Action Fund Committee.*
 2. Serve as KSU SGA Liaison to the K-State Director of Sustainability.
 3. *Serve on Campus Recycling Advisory Committee.*
- J. The Academic Affairs Director, who shall represent KSU SGA with regards to the academic affairs of the university as they affect students.
1. *Serve as the KSU SGA representative to initiatives relating to open textbooks.*
 2. *Represent the interests of students in discussions related to the faculty-student relationship..*
 3. *Serve as the KSU SGA representative to the University Advising Committee.*
- K. The Health and Safety Director, who shall represent the interests and concerns of students on topics relating to health, mental wellness and general safety both on and off-campus.
1. *Serve as the KSU SGA representative to the Crisis Management Committee.*
 2. *Serve as the KSU SGA representative to the P.A.W.S. Advisory Board.*

97 ~~J~~*L* The Graduate Student Council President (or designee), who shall represent the
98 interests and concerns of graduate students.
99 ~~K~~*M* Such other appointed officers as determined by the Student Body President.
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101 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate, signature of the Student
102 Body President.

4 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch is the only media-oriented group on campus to offer full-range video
7 services to K-State Students, organizations and events at no charge;
89 **WHEREAS,** Students from any discipline can join Wildcat Watch to experience video production in a
10 professional setting that is not categorized as news or sports;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch directly benefits the entire student body because video has become a
13 highly sought after service that is not categorized as news or sports;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Student Centered Tuition Enhancements (SCTE) Committee committed to funding
16 Wildcat Watch for the past 12 years, demonstrating students' longstanding support for
17 the agency;
1819 **WHEREAS,** Due to their long tenure on SCTE, Wildcat Watch has been placed on priority funding
20 and needs a permanent funding source to prevent scheduled cuts; and
2122 **WHEREAS,** This Privilege Fee contract provides a \$7,073 increase from their FY17 budget and
23 enables them to continue their operations which include live events, the K-State Today
24 Video Series, Studio Performances, and many other video services.
2526 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**27
28 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association approves the following
29 Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be included
30 in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.
3132 **WILDCAT WATCH OPERATIONS BUDGET AGREEMENT**33
34 This agreement made this __th day of April 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
35 Governing Association (SENATE) and Wildcat Watch (DEPARTMENT), and shall supersede any
36 previous agreement made by SENATE with the DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budget and use of
37 such funding.
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- 39 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the
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- 40 following levels for the following fiscal years: \$30,000 for Fiscal Year 2018; \$30,000 for
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- 41 Fiscal Year 2019; \$30,000 for Fiscal Year 2020. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to
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- 42 the 2020-2021 academic year.
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- 44 2. If these monies are not spent during the fiscal year in which they are allocated, any
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- 45 remaining monies in the account shall carry over into the next fiscal year.
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- 47 3. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by SENATE with
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- 48 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.
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- 50 4. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by
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- 51 SENATE and such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the
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- 52 BUDGET. The failure of SENATE to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not
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- 53 constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
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- 55 5. Within 90 days after the end of the fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall
56 submit a written summary of expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for review by SGA.
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- 58 6. No construction or renovation of a building or facility at Kansas State University is
59 permitted with privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote
60 of the student body. (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 510, Letter D and Article
61 XI, Section 1105)
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- 63 7. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 65 8. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent
66 that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such
67 party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 69 9. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Wildcat Watch
70 Advisor Tyler Traxson, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco,
71 Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student
72 Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair
73 Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch is the only media-oriented group on campus to offer full-range video
7 services to K-State Students, organizations and events at no charge;
89 **WHEREAS,** Students from any discipline can join Wildcat Watch to experience video production in a
10 professional setting that is not categorized as news or sports;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch directly benefits the entire student body because video has become a
13 highly sought after service that is not categorized as news or sports;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Student Centered Tuition Enhancements (SCTE) Committee committed to funding
16 Wildcat Watch for the past 12 years, demonstrating students' longstanding support for
17 the agency;
1819 **WHEREAS,** Due to their long tenure on SCTE, Wildcat Watch has been placed on priority funding
20 and needs a permanent funding source to prevent scheduled cuts;
2122 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch has the potential for large one-time equipment expenditures; and
2324 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch should have reserve funds available in case of one-time equipment
25 expenditures.
2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**28
29 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
30 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
31 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.
3233 **WILDCAT WATCH EQUIPMENT RESERVE BUDGET**
34 **PRIVILEGE FEE AGREEMENT**
3536 This agreement made this __th day of April 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
37 Governing Association (KSU SGA) and Wildcat Watch (DEPARTMENT), and shall supersede any
38 previous agreement made by SENATE with the DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budget and use of
39 such funding.
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- 41 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at \$130,000
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- 42 for Fiscal Year 2018. All uses of DEPARTMENT Privilege Fees must be in compliance
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- 43 with Chapter 30 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statues.
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- 44 The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to academic year 2020-2021.
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- 46 a. This funding amount shall be allocated in the following manner: \$100,000 in Fiscal
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- 47 Year 2018, \$15,000 in Fiscal Year 2019, and \$15,000 in Fiscal Year 2020.
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- 49 3. If these monies are not spent during the fiscal year in which they are allocated, any
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- 50 remaining monies in the account shall carry over into the next fiscal year.
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- 52 4. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with
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- 53 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budget and use of such funds.
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- 55 5. Any breach of this agreement by DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by
56 KSU SGA; such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the
57 BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any rights in any instance shall not
58 constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or any other instance.
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- 60 6. Within 90 days of the end of each fiscal year, the Adviser of DEPARTMENT shall
61 submit a written summary of the BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for
62 review by KSU SGA.
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- 64 7. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at K-State is permitted with
65 privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student
66 body (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 509, Letter C, and Article XI Section
67 1104).
68
- 69 8. This agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 71 9. By signing this agreement, the representative of the respective parties hereby represent
72 that each is duly authorized by his or her part to execute the document on behalf of such
73 party that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 75 10. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon the execution of this agreement by the Wildcat
76 Watch Advisor Tyler Traxon, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat
77 Bosco, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the
78 Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege
79 Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES**
4 **CONCERNING THE ASSESSMENT OF DUES FOR**
5 **STUDENT BOARDS**

6 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee

7
8 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association requires all agencies
9 receiving funding from privilege fees to have and utilize an advisor board to make
10 recommendations to the agency; and

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12 **WHEREAS,** The membership of these student boards should be free and open to all students,
13 regardless of financial status.

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15 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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17 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 30, Section 8 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
18 Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

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20 **30-08** ***Creation and Utilization of Student Boards for Privilege Fees***

21 30-0801 All agencies receiving funding from privilege fees shall have and utilize an advisory ~~and~~
22 or governing board to make recommendations to the agency. These boards shall consist
23 of a student majority, ~~and shall~~ meet at least once a semester *and not assess dues for*
24 *membership.*

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26 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student
27 Body President.

1 **BILL 16/17/134** **AMENDMENT TO K-STATE STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
2 **CONSTITUTION CONCERNING SPEAKING PRIVILEGES**
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4 **BY:** Stephen Kucera and Jack Ayres
5

6 **WHEREAS,** Student organizations bring unique perspectives and a diversity of issues to the K-State
7 student body; and
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9 **WHEREAS,** Student organizations should be able to share concerns or thoughts regarding a particular
10 piece of legislation or action being discussed by the Kansas State University Student
11 Governing Association (KSU SGA).
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13 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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15 **SECTION 1.** A new Section 509 shall be added to the KSU SGA Constitution as follows and the
16 current Section 509 shall be renumbered as Section 510 as shown below:
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18 509. *Any President of a Student Organization shall have the right to be recognized on*
19 *the floor of Student Senate and debate, but not vote. The President of a Student*
20 *Organization may also designate a person to be given their speaking rights.*

21 510~~509~~. No member of the Legislative Branch shall concurrently hold offices within two
22 or more branches of the KSU SGA, unless specifically permitted within the KSU
23 SGA Constitution or By-Laws.
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25 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this
26 Bill shall go into effect.

5 BY: Diversity Programming Committee

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7 WHEREAS, The Diversity Programming Committee analyzed ways to improve its processes; and8
9 WHEREAS, The committee identified areas of improvements to the section governing its process in
10 the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes.11
12 BE IT ENACTED THAT:13
14 SECTION 1. The KSU SGA Statutes 24-01 [Procedures for the Diversity Programming Committee
15 (DPC)] shall be amended to read as follows:16
17 24-0101 The Diversity Programming Committee shall consist of 14 voting
18 members as provided for in Article IV, Section 14 of the Kansas State
19 University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws.20 24-0102 Committee members shall be selected not later than the first Friday in
21 September.22 24-0103 ~~Each semester,~~ Each quarter, the committee shall solicit proposals for
23 large-scale, student-centered, diversity enhancing projects. Included in
24 the cover letter attached to the application shall be the purpose and intent
25 of DPC, the due date for project proposals, and the criteria for
26 consideration in the allocation of DPC funds.27 24-0104 ~~Each semester,~~ The DPC Chair and Office of Student Activities and
28 Services ~~accountant~~ events coordinator ~~must~~ shall help student
29 organizations with any ~~host~~ a DPC budget request questions upon
30 request from a ~~training session~~ for student organizations.31 24-0105 DPC proposals shall be due to the Office of Student Activities and
32 Services by 4:00 p.m. on the first Friday of September for projects falling
33 between November 1st and the last day of the fall semester, the last
34 Friday of October for projects falling between the first day of spring
35 semester and March 15th, the last Friday of January for projects falling
36 between March 16th and the last day of spring semester and the Friday
37 before Spring Break for projects falling between the first day of fall
38 semester and October 31st, should the funding base continue to be
39 supplied.40 ~~24-0106 DPC funds will be divided over four quarters.~~41 24-01067 The committee shall *concurrently consider all applications with events*
42 *scheduled in the same quarter, regardless of early submissions, and shall*
43 *make a decision concerning whether or not to fund the proposals within*
44 *four weeks of the respective due date.*45 ~~24-0108 Proposals received after the September, October, January, and March due~~
46 ~~dates will be considered for funding the following quarter.~~47 24-01079 The committee may not grant the same organization funding for more
48 than two projects per fiscal year.49 24-010840 The Chair of DPC will present a report to Student Senate regarding the
50 status of DPC funding allocations and projects ~~twice~~ *once* each semester,
51 ensuring that each term's Senate body receives ~~four~~ *two* updates during
52 its tenure.53
54 SECTION 2. The KSU SGA Statutes 24-0201 shall be amended to read as follows:

24-0201 Use of DPC funds is limited to the following purposes:

- A. Projects sponsored primarily by student organizations in good standing with the university and registered with the Office for Student Activities and Services (OSAS) and are eligible to receive funding from the Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA).
- B. Projects *with educational value that are* intended to dissuade prejudice and discrimination based on race, ethnicity, religion, gender, disability, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, geographic location, or age.
- C. Requests for allocations of \$3,000.00 or more.
- D. Projects held on campus and hosted primarily for Kansas State University students, with priority extended to projects held on campus; no traveling or conference expenditures will be funded.
- E. Projects free and open to all Kansas State University students.

SECTION 3. This bill shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE K-STATE STUDENT GOVERNING**
3 **ASSOCIATION STATUTES REGARDING THE DIVERSITY**
4 **PROGRAMMING COMMITTEE REVIEW PROCESS**

5 **BY:** Stephen Kucera

6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Diversity Programming Committee is the only allocations committee that does not
8 require organizations to present their proposal at meetings of the committee;
9

10 **WHEREAS,** Numerous questions arise during the review of allocations applications that sometimes
11 lead committee members to speculate the intent of the organization and details of the
12 event; and
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14 **WHEREAS,** An in-person presentation in addition to the online submission of the budget request form
15 will give students learning English another medium to communicate their plans and
16 vision for their event.
17

18 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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20 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association 24-0205 be amended to read
21 as follows:
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23 24-0205 DPC shall seek proposals for funding from all student organizations on
24 campus and *may submit questions to the applicants for clarification. A*
25 *representative from the requesting organization shall be required to*
26 *attend a committee meeting to present regarding their request.* ~~conduct~~
27 ~~meetings at which applicants may verbalize their requests and field any~~
28 ~~questions from the committee.~~
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30 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student
31 Body President.

**BILL 16/17/137 AMENDMENTS TO K-STATE STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION
CONSTITUTION REGARDING DIVERSITY TRAINING**

BY: Stephen Kucera, Tendai Munyani, Carlos Flores, Victor Valdez and Ryan Kelly

WHEREAS, Diversity training is important to equip and empower Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) representatives to engage the wide array of students and issues at KSU;

WHEREAS, Identifying diversity training presenters was previously an enumerated responsibility of the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate; and

WHEREAS, Poor prior execution of a stated responsibility does not mean that the stated responsibility should be removed as an expectation of a leader.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Section 507 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution shall be amended to read as follows:

507. Duties and Powers of the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate.
- A. Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the Speaker's absence or at Speaker's request.
 - B. Coordinate the open period speakers for the Student Senate.
 - C. Assist the Speaker of the Student Senate in the appointment of the secretary, Parliamentarian, Intern Coordinator and chairpersons of the standing committees.
 - D. Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.
 - E. Oversee the College Caucus system.
 - F. Chair such Standing Committees as may be provided in the By-Laws.
 - G. Plan and organize at least one diversity ~~presentation, speaker, or~~ training session for KSU SGA ~~in each semester~~. *The Speaker Pro Tempore shall contact campus offices dealing with different aspects of diversity to identify a speaker or presenter for the training session.*
 - H. Organize activities to help in the orientation of newly elected Student Senators.
 - I. Serve on the Faculty Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate.

SECTION 2. Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this bill shall go into effect.

2 **CHANGES TO THE KANSAS**
3 **STATE STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
4 **BY-LAWS REGARDING**
5 **PARLIAMENTARIAN RESPONSIBILITIES**

6 **BY:** Anna Jackson

7
8 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student
9 Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws;

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11 **WHEREAS,** After evaluating the current KSU SGA By-Laws concerning the Parliamentarians
12 responsibilities it was evident that it is out of date and doesn't reflect the current
13 responsibilities of the Parliamentarian;

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15 **WHEREAS,** Parliamentarian doesn't make the changes recorded in the Senate Operations Standing
16 Committee; and

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18 **WHEREAS,** The By-Laws should reflect what the Parliamentarian is currently doing.

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20 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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22 **SECTION 1.** Article IV Section 3 Subsection D shall be amended to read as follows;

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24 D. Duties of the office of Student Senate Parliamentarian shall include:

- 25 1. Serve as interpreter of rules at Student Senate meetings, when requested by the Speaker
26 of the Student Senate, using Robert's Rules of Order: Newly Revised.
27 2. Coordinate work on the bound legislation with the Student Senate Secretary.
28 ~~3. Make all changes to legislation recorded during the Senate Operations Standing~~
29 ~~Committee meeting and forward corrected legislation to the Speaker of the Student~~
30 ~~Senate.~~
31 3. 4. Assist the Speaker of the Student Senate in setting the agenda.
32 4. 5. Record corrections to legislation during Student Senate meetings and give those
33 corrections to the Student Senate Secretary.
34 5. 6. Shall not be a Student Senator.

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36 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the
37 Student Body President.

2 AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS
3 STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION
4 BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE SGA INTERN COORDINATOR5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jansen Penny, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres
67 **WHEREAS,** Pending the amendment of the Student Governing Association By-Laws to allow for two
8 Intern Coordinators rather than one there shall now be four members on the senate panel
9 dealing with Intern selection.10
11 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1213 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 3, sub-section E of the Kansas State University Student Governing
14 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
1516 E. Duties of the ~~two Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators shall include:17 1. Advertise the Student Senate Intern program and review the applications
18 of candidates. Select students to participate in the program in conjunction with the other
19 members of Student Senate Intern Program interview panel. Intern selection is subject to
20 Student Senate approval.21 ~~2. Coordinate a program centered around a knowledge and experience~~
22 ~~based curriculum that equips and encourages interns to remained involved in KSU and~~
23 ~~KSU SGA after the completion of the program~~24 2. *Coordinate a rotation schedule between the Student Senate standing*
25 *committees, as well as a visit to a cabinet meeting and a judicial mock hearing or*
26 *equitable activity to educate interns on each of the SGA branches.*27 3. *Conduct a mid-program evaluation survey to gauge intern interest and*
28 *topics within SGA to understand the topics SGA interns are unclear on.*29 4. *Create a personalized experience for the Interns that equips and*
30 *encourages interns to remained involved in KSU and KSU SGA after the completion of*
31 *the program.*
3233 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 5, sub-section B of the Kansas State University Student Governing
34 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
3536 B. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the office of Student Senator, an Interim
37 Student Senator who meets all eligibility requirements defined in the KSU SGA
38 Constitution shall be determined by the following means until a replacement Student
39 Senator, described in the provisions above, is sworn into office. The Interim Student
40 Senator will have full privileges as a Student Senator and must follow all guidelines
41 described for the office of Student Senator while maintaining the responsibilities of
42 ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern.43 1. A SGA Intern representing the respective college may be named to serve as the
44 Interim Student Senator after recommendation of the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern
45 Coordinators.46 2. If a ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern is not recommended by the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA
47 Intern Coordinator, then the respective college caucus may name a student in the
48 respective college to serve as the Interim Student Senator.49 3. After a replacement SGA Intern has been sworn into office by the means
50 described in (A) above, the Interim Student Senator's privileges and
51 responsibilities will revert back to those of Student Senate Intern.52 **SECTION 3.** Article IV, Section 10 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
53 Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

A. The ~~Senate Intern~~ SGA Program shall consist of a maximum of thirty-five and a minimum of twenty Interns, each serving until the end of the current Senate term. Interns shall be selected before the fourth occurrence of Student Senate of the fall semester with their approval to be voted on by the fourth occurrence of Student Senate through an application and interview process by a ~~three~~ five-member panel consisting of ~~the Speaker of the Student Senate, Speaker pro tempore of Student Senate, and Student Senate Intern Coordinator, the Student Body President, the Speaker of the Student Senate, the Attorney General and the SGA Intern Coordinators~~ and shall be approved by Student Senate. In the event of an absence by any panel member from an interview, an alternate shall replace the absent member. The alternate(s) shall be any of the following: KSU SGA Advisor, or any member of KSU SGA as chosen by the ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators with approval from the Speaker of Student Senate. ~~Three-Five~~ members of the panel shall be present at all interviews.

1. Applicants whose applications are approved by a majority vote of the panel shall be interviewed by the panel. For pre-screening of the applications, a set of criteria shall be predetermined and all documented.
2. Questions asked during interviews shall be documented. A predetermined set of questions shall be consistently asked to all interviewees, and all follow-up questions shall be related to the predetermined question. Any members affiliated with KSU SGA has the right to review this information. This information shall also be open to public review.

B. Interns shall be non-voting members of Student Senate and shall be subject to removal by the voting members of Student Senate for malfeasance, nonfeasance, or misfeasance. Interns shall have the ability to make any motion. Interns may not sponsor any legislation without a Senator co-sponsor. Interns shall have the same duties as Student Senator as outlined in Article IV, Section 4 of the KSU SGA By-Laws. Attendance policies shall be provided for in the Student Senate Standing Rules.

C. Interns shall be assigned by the ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators to serve on Student Senate standing committees as voting committee members.

D. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the Student Senate Intern program no more than two weeks after the start of the intern program, a replacement may be chosen from the most qualified unsuccessful candidates for ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern at the discretion of the three-member selection panel and approved by Student Senate. If a vacancy causes the number of interns to fall below 16 a review of the Intern Program and ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators should be encouraged by KSU SGA leadership.

SECTION 2. Article IV, Section 16, sub-section A of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

- A. Shall be composed of the following members:
1. The Chair shall be the Sustainability Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet.
 2. One Student Senator appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate.
 3. One ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern appointed by the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
 4. Up to four students with at least one student representing a registered student organization with a focus on sustainability or green initiatives.
 5. A representative from the Office of the Provost.
 6. One faculty representative appointed by the Sustainability Director of the student body president's cabinet.

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SECTION 3. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the Student Body President.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

MARCH 30, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 52 senators and 17 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Kennedy
Senator Klahr
Senator McGee
Senator Reichenberger

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Bultongez
Senator Lonker
Senator May
Senator Montague
Senator Orth (Partial)
Senator Pepoon (Partial)
Senator Sabatini (Partial)

OPEN PERIOD

Dorinda Lambert - Director of K-State Counseling Services

- Spoke about counseling services proposed move to the Lafene Health Center or “Sunset Complex”
- There was a promise made by President Wefald that the English department would be permitted to occupy the entirety of the English and Counseling Services building.
- Plans to potentially move in January 2018
- Please view handout here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1221148/show>.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair A. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Please take time to read over the following reports:

Elections Report - <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1216137/show>

Special Committee on Membership Report -
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1217019/show>

2. Please register to participate in the Out of the Darkness Walk next Saturday!

<https://afsp.donordrive.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=donorDrive.event&eventID=4375>

3. The Manhattan Area Chamber of Commerce is performing a community study with Market Street Services and they are looking for student input on different happenings in the community! They are hosting a community visioning session on **Wednesday, April 12th from 4:30pm-6pm at the Bluemont Hotel!** This is a very unique opportunity to provide student input on the future of the city. If you would like to attend, please fill out the following form: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/253759>

4. 2017-2018 SGA Judicial Branch - Judicial Board Member Positions application is now open!

The form will close Sunday, April 2nd at 1:00pm. Email sarpride@ksu.edu with questions. <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/241760>

5. The Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee needs your input! Take a look at the fee proposals and give us your thoughts: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1203106>

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

There were none.

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chair Jackson

- Senate Operations will meet next week to see if any further legislation comes in to play

Chair J. Peuchen

- Privilege Fee Committee passed out Walk's registration
- K-State Libraries funding presented to the Privilege fee committee
 - Voted to not increase the Hale Libraries funding to increase their building hours
 - Felt that the request does not fall in line with health and wellness initiatives on campus
 - If there was issues to access to equipment they encourages the Libraries and Student Union to potentially share hardware
- Based on legislation passed out of committee, Privilege Fee will have a continuance.

Chair Flores and Chair Valdez

- Special Committee on Senate Membership
- Objective of committee is to see what obligations students have to become active members of Senate
- Wanted committee to be made up of diversity around campus
 - Contacted multicultural groups around campus and found little interest
- Helped pass resolution that would reduce barriers to entry within the Residence Halls to easily campaign within the residence halls

Chair Eberhardy

- Student Engagement Committee legislation on by laws will be held in committee for another week to discuss more on the open forum section

Elections Commissioner Andres

- View 2017 Elections Report here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1216137/show>

DIRECTOR REPORTS**Director Munyanyi**

- Presented video welcoming International Students to K-State
- Has done work on getting different religious food items in the residence halls

Director Baalman

- Spoke about upcoming Mental Wellness Week

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- View PowerPoint here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1218039/show>

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION**Resolution 16/17/53****Acknowledgement And Remediation Of Policies Detrimental To The K-State Transgender Community**

Introduced by Intern Kelly

Positive Debate:

Intern Kelly

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera yielded his speaking rights to guest Holly Nelson

Senator Barnett yielded her speaking rights to guest Riley Katz

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to pass Resolution 16/17/53 unanimously
Resolution 16/17/53 passes unanimously

Resolution 16/17/54

Resolution Regarding The Counseling Services Move To The Basement Of Lafene Health Center (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Senator Barnett moved to pass Resolution 16/17/54 unanimously
Resolution 16/17/54 passes unanimously

Bill 16/17/87

Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Student Senate Intern Coordinator (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)

Introduced by Intern Moore

Positive Debate:

Intern Moore

Intern Coordinator Kiehl

Negative Debate:

Senator McIntire moved to hold Bills 16/17/87-89 for bulk roll call
Motion passes unanimously

Bill 16/17/87 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 45-5-0.

Bill 16/17/88

Amendments To The Kansas State University Student

**Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student
Senate Intern Coordinator (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)**

Introduced by Intern Moore

Positive Debate:

Intern Moore
Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/88 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 45-5-0.

**Bill 16/17/89 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Student Senate
Intern Coordinator (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)**

Introduced by Intern Moore

Positive Debate:

Intern Moore

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/89 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 45-5-0.

**Bill 16/17/111 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Creation Of
The Diversity And Inclusion Committee (Favorably 7-0-0 from
Exec)**

Introduced by President Van Ranken

Positive Debate:

President Van Ranken

Negative Debate:

Senator Lowry moved to hold Bills 16/17/111-115 for bulk roll call

Bill 16/17/111 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 49-0-0

**Bill 16/17/112 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Governmental
Relations Committee (Favorably 7-0-0 from Exec)**

Introduced by Chair Crowder

Positive Debate:

Chair Crowder

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/112 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 49-0-0

Bill 16/17/113

Speaker Of The Student Senate Succession Process

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Positive Debate:

Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/113 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 49-0-0

Bill 16/17/114

Senator Absences Process

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Positive Debate:

Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/114 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 49-0-0

Bill 16/17/115

Senator Vacancies Process

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Positive Debate:

Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/115 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 49-0-0

Bill 16/17/118

Amendment To The KSU SGA Constitution Regarding The Responsibilities Of The Speaker Pro Tempore (Favorably 6-0-0 from Exec)

Introduced by Chair Valdez

Positive Debate:

Chair Valdez

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to hold Bills 16/17/118-119 for a bulk roll call vote
Bill 16/17/118 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 50-0-0

Bill 16/17/119

Amendment To KSU SGA By-Laws Regarding College Caucuses (Favorably 6-0-0 from Exec)

Introduced by Intern Kelly

Positive Debate:

Intern Kelly

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/119 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 50-0-0

Bill 16/17/122

Amendment To K-State Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning The Powers, Rights, And Responsibilities Of Student Senators (Favorably 5-1-0 from Exec)

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera
Senator Thomas
Senator Alamo
Senator Valdez
Chair Eberhardy

Negative Debate:

Senator Crotz
Senator Mindrup

Director Munyanyi
Senator Karimov
Senator McIntire

Chair Jackson entered an amendment

Positive Debate:

Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:

Amendment passes by a vote of 45-4-0.

Bill 16/17/122 dies by a vote of 19-31-0.

**Bill 16/17/123 FY 2018 Request For Special Allocations For Academic
Competition Teams**

Introduced by Chair A. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair A. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/123 passes by a vote of 49-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/124 FY 2018 Academic Competition Teams Allocation
Original Legislation Authors' amendment conditional on the
passage of Bill 16/17/123**

Introduced by Senator Pracht

Positive Debate:

Senator Pracht

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/124 passes by a vote of 49-0-0.

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Senator Wiese moved that all speakers be allowed to summarize

Motion Passes

Resolution 16/17/55 Resolution Regarding Changes To The Career Center Offer Guidelines

Intern Kallenberger moved we consider Resolution 16/17/55
Introduced by Chief of Staff DeLoach

Resolution 16/17/55 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Resolution 16/17/56 Resolution Regarding Needs-Based Scholarships

Intern Kallenberger moved we consider Resolution 16/17/56
Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Resolution 16/17/56 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Resolution 16/17/57 Approval Of FY 2018 Student-Centered Tuition Enhancement

Senator Wilhelm moved we consider Resolution 16/17/57
Introduced by Vice President Kennedy

Resolution 16/17/57 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/125 Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning Jurisdiction

Senator Wilhelm moved we consider Bill 16/17/57
Introduced by Attorney General Pride

Bill 16/17/125 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/126 Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning Jurisdiction

Intern Kallenberger moved we consider Bill 16/17/126
Introduced by Attorney General Pride

Bill 16/17/126 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/127 Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning Judicial Definitions

Senator Wilhelm moved we consider Bill 16/17/127
Introduced by Attorney General Pride

Bill 16/17/127 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/128 **Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning SGA Code Of Conduct**

Intern Pittman moved we consider Bill 16/17/128
Introduced by Attorney General Pride

Bill 16/17/128 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee

Bill 16/17/129 **Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Student Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee**

Senator Pracht moved we consider Bill 16/17/129
Introduced by Vice President Kennedy

Bill 16/17/129 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/130 **Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Cabinet Responsibilities**

Intern Kallenberger moved we consider Bill 16/17/130
Introduced by Chief of Staff DeLoach

Bill 16/17/130 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/131 **Creation Of The Wildcat Watch Privilege Fee**

Senator Wilhelm moved we consider Bill 16/17/131
Introduced by Senator Fleming

Bill 16/17/131 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/132 **Creation Of The Wildcat Watch Equipment Reserve Privilege Fee**

Intern Kallenberger moved we consider Bill 16/17/132
Introduced by Chair J. Peuchen

Bill 16/17/132 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/133 **Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Assessment**

Of Dues For Student Boards

Intern Meyer moved we consider Bill 16/17/133
Introduced by Senator Martin

Bill 16/17/133 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/134 Amendment To K-State Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning Speaking Privileges

Senator Wilhelm moved we consider Bill 16/17/134
Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Bill 16/17/134 is referred back to the Privilege Fee Committee

Bill 16/17/135 Amendments To The K-State Student Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Diversity Programming Committee

Senator Pracht moved we consider Bill 16/17/135
Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Bill 16/17/135 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/136 Amendments To The K-State Student Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Diversity Programming Committee Review Process

Senator Caferra moved we consider Bill 16/17/136
Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Bill 16/17/136 is referred back to the Diversity Programming Committee

Bill 16/17/137 Amendments To K-State Student Governing Association Constitution Regarding Diversity Training

Senator Pracht moved we consider Bill 16/17/137
Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Bill 16/17/137 is referred back to the Senate Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/138 Changes To The Kansas State Student Governing Association By-Laws Regarding Parliamentary Responsibilities

Senator Wilhelm moved we consider Bill 16/17/138
Introduced by Chair Jackson

Bill 16/17/138 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/139**Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student
Senate Interns**

Intern Kallenberger moved we consider Bill 16/17/139
Introduced by Intern Moore

Bill 16/17/139 is referred back to the Executive Committee

SECOND OPEN PERIOD**Chair J. Peuchen**

- Wildcat watch clarification
 - Their request came in as one request and the committee chose to split it out
 - They cut their operations by a specified amount

Advisor Harlan

- Senator McGee is doing his Comp Exams tomorrow
 - Send him a good luck message

Senator Nordstrom

- Arts and Sciences ambassador has a diversity event coming up

Vice President Kennedy

- Legislative Review session is tomorrow at noon in the Hemisphere Room

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

Resolution 16/17/55 is referred back to the Executive Committee
Resolution 16/17/56 is referred back to the Executive Committee
Resolution 16/17/57 is referred back to the Executive Committee
Bill 16/17/125 is referred back to the Executive Committee
Bill 16/17/126 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee
Bill 16/17/127 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee
Bill 16/17/128 is referred back to the Senate Operations Committee
Bill 16/17/129 is referred back to the Executive Committee
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Bill 16/17/135 is referred back to the Executive Committee

Bill 16/17/136 is referred back to the Diversity Programming Committee
Bill 16/17/137 is referred back to the Senate Executive Committee
Bill 16/17/138 is referred back to the Executive Committee
Bill 16/17/139 is referred back to the Executive Committee

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

There were 42 senators and 17 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Valdez moved to adjourn until Thursday, April 6 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 10:55 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/55	Resolution Regarding Changes To The Career Center Offer Guidelines
Resolution 16/17/56	Resolution Regarding Needs-Based Scholarships
Bill 16/17/117	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student Engagement Committee
Bill 16/17/125	Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning Jurisdiction
Bill 16/17/126	Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning Jurisdiction
Bill 16/17/127	Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning Judicial Definitions
Bill 16/17/128	Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning SGA Code Of Conduct
Bill 16/17/130	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Cabinet Responsibilities
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Bill 16/17/133	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Assessment Of Dues For Student Boards
Resolution 16/17/57	Approval Of FY 2018 Student-Centered Tuition Enhancement
Bill 16/17/129	Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Student Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee
Bill 16/17/134	Amendment To K-State Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning Speaking Privileges
Bill 16/17/135	Amendments To The K-State Student Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Diversity Programming Committee
Bill 16/17/136	Amendments To The K-State Student Governing Association Statutes Regarding The Diversity Programming Committee Review Process
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INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. Please register to participate in the Out of the Darkness Walk this Saturday!
<https://afsp.donordrive.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=donorDrive.event&eventID=4375>
2. The Manhattan Area Chamber of Commerce is performing a community study with Market Street Services and they are looking for student input on different happenings in the community! They are hosting a community visioning session on **Wednesday, April 12th from 4:30pm-6pm at the Bluemont Hotel!** This is a very unique opportunity to provide student input on the future of the city. If you would like to attend, please fill out the following form: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/253759>
3. The application for the 2017-2018 SGA Chief of Staff is now live and will be **open until Friday, April 14th, at 5:00pm**. Included in the application is a description of the position and its responsibilities. It can be found at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/253757>

We will be hosting an **informational session next Tuesday, April 11th, at 5pm** in the Office of Student Activities and Services (OSAS) conference room on the first floor of the Union. This will be an opportunity to learn about the position and our goals for it in the coming year and for Q&A. Contact Jack (jmayres@ksu.edu) or Olivia (oliviab@ksu.edu) with questions.

4. Since SGA provided 100% of the funding (over one million dollars from our reserves) to renovate the Little Theater, SGA has the opportunity to recommend a name for the space. We have been given a list of options by the Union Governing Board and they are all included in the survey on OrgSync.
Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/255828> Please **fill out the following survey by 5pm this Friday (4/7)**.
5. Proxies:
 - Krotz for Karimov
 - Comstock for Langvardt
 - McGee for Reichenberger
 - Holder for Elliott
6. Upcoming Events Calendar:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9	10	11 Chief of Staff Informational Session @ 5pm in OSAS TFSC @ 6pm	12	13 First Senate meeting of the 17-18 Term Speaker Nominations	14	15
16	17	18 TFSC @ 6pm	19	20 Speaker Elections Speaker Pro Temp Nominations and Elections	21	22

COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR THE WEEK

Student Senate Meeting 3-30-17:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1221425/show>

Executive Committee:

Link:

University Allocations Committee:

No meeting.

College Allocations Committee:

No meeting.

Privilege Fee Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1221881/show>

- Questions about Wildcat Watch Privilege Fee Request
 - See supporting documents here: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1201686>
- It was moved and seconded to refer Bill 16/17/131 Creation of the Wildcat Watch Privilege Fee to Final Action Favorably. Seconded. Motion Passed 9-0-0.
- It was moved and seconded to refer Bill 16/17/132 Creation of the Wildcat Watch Equipment Reserve Privilege Fee to Final Action Favorably. Seconded. Motion Passed 9-0-0.
- It was moved and seconded to refer Bill 16/17/133 Amendments to the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning the Assessment of Dues for Student Boards to Final Action Favorably. Seconded. Motion Passed 9-0-0.

Senate Operations Committee:

Link:

Governmental Relations Committee:

No meeting

Student Engagement Committee:

Link:

Diversity Programming Committee:

Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1086210>

Tuition and Fees Strategies Committee:

- Visit the following link for all things TFSC including minutes, handouts, and recordings:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/files/1119546>

DIRECTOR'S REPORTS FOR THE WEEK

Directors – Remember to submit agenda items at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/239984>

4 **BY:** Jordan DeLoach, Andrew McKittrick, Olivia Baalman, Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton
5 Kennedy, and Jack Ayres
67 **WHEREAS,** Students are encountering career-related dilemmas earlier during their college years and
8 making important decisions about their future careers;
910 **WHEREAS,** Interest in recruiting student interns has especially increased as more organizations utilize
11 internships/co-ops/practicums as early opportunities to source future full-time employees;
1213 **WHEREAS,** Students are often presented with short periods in which to accept or reject offers for
14 these positions;
1516 **WHEREAS,** In order to have time to explore and accurately consider all options, adequate time is
17 required; and
1819 **WHEREAS,** It is the role of Kansas State University Career Center to help students establish realistic
20 expectations and make thoughtful career decisions.
2122 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**
2324 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA)
25 supports the inclusion of language clarifying guidelines for employment offers to Kansas
26 State students in Career Center policy.
2728 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a
29 copy of this resolution shall be sent to Vice President of Student Life and Dean of
30 Students Pat Bosco, Associate Vice President of Student Life Emily Lehning, and Career
31 Center Executive Director Kerri Keller.

3 **BY:** Stephen Kucera4
5 **WHEREAS,** The gap between total cost of attendance and the financial aid packages at the university
6 continues to increase, causing students to be responsible for a larger dollar amount of
7 their educational experiences than ever before;8
9 **WHEREAS,** KSU students filing a FAFSA and with a household income under \$60,000 only received
10 17.91% of the \$29,351,838 in scholarships awarded by the university;11
12 **WHEREAS,** For the current fiscal year, a student is considered to be Pell Grant eligible if they are a
13 dependent student with an average total household income of \$40,030 or an independent
14 student with an average total household income of \$17,502;15
16 **WHEREAS,** Other universities now offer scholarship programs that provide financial assistance or
17 complete tuition and fee coverage for needs-based or Pell grant recipient students; and18
19 **WHEREAS,** KSU has no university-wide Needs Based Scholarship program.20
21 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**22
23 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) recommends
24 that the K-State Foundation includes a Needs-Based Scholarship program in the list of
25 programs it encourages donors to contribute money toward.26
27 **SECTION 2.** KSU SGA encourages the college and university deans to consider submitting proposals
28 to the K-State Foundation regarding a Needs-Based Scholarship program for the
29 university.30
31 **SECTION 3.** This resolution shall be sent to President Richard B. Myers; Provost April Mason; K-
32 State Foundation President Greg Willems; Vice President for Administration and Finance
33 Cindy Bontrager; Vice President of Student Life and Dean of Student Pat Bosco; Interim
34 Associate Provost for Diversity Zelia Wiley; Dean of the College of Agriculture John
35 Floros; Dean of the College of Architecture, Planning and Design Tim de Noble; Interim
36 Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences Amit Chakrabarti; Dean of the College of
37 Business Administration Kevin Gwinner; Dean of the College of Education Debbie
38 Mercer; Dean of the College of Engineering Darren Dawson; Dean of the Graduate
39 School Carol Shanklin; Dean of the College of Human Ecology John Buckwalter; Dean
40 of the College of Veterinary Medicine Tammy Beckham; Dean of Global Campus Sue
41 Maes; CEO and Dean of the Polytechnic Campus Verna Fitzsimmons; Vice President of
42 Communications and Marketing and Acting Vice President for Human Capital Services
43 Jeffrey Morris; Assistant Vice President for Student Life, Director of Student Financial
44 Assistance, Director of Admissions Larry Moeder and Interim CEO and Dean of K-State
45 Olathe Ralph Richardson.46
47 **SECTION 4.** This resolution shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the
48 Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS**
4 **CONCERNING THE STUDENT ENGAGEMENT**
5 **COMMITTEE**

6 **BY:** Student Engagement Committee

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8 **WHEREAS,** The Student Governing Association (SGA) Student Engagement Committee is an
9 important standing committee that is directly involved with various student groups on
10 campus;

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12 **WHEREAS,** The current Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws has old
13 and out of date responsibilities for the committee and its chair; and

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15 **WHEREAS,** We believe it would be beneficial to update the By-Laws to better reflect how the
16 committee looks currently so that future chairs and members have a better understanding
17 of their responsibilities.

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19 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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21 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section K of the Kansas State University Student Governing
22 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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24 K. The Student Engagement Standing Committee shall work to engage and promote
25 KSU SGA to the students, faculty, administration, and staff of Kansas State
26 University and the Manhattan community by educating them on the KSU SGA's
27 mission, processes and achievements. This committee is also charged with collecting
28 feedback from *non-college specific* student groups on the work of KSU SGA as well
29 as campus and community issues.

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31 1. Student Engagement Standing Committee shall consist of 13 voting members and
32 the Student Engagement Standing Committee Chair, who shall vote only to break
33 a tie. A quorum of the committee shall be a majority of the committee members
34 then selected and qualified, not including the Student Engagement Standing
35 Committee Chair.

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37 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 9, sub-section K of the Kansas State University Student Governing
38 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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40 2. Membership.

- 41 a. The Student Engagement Committee Chair, appointed by the Speaker of
42 the Student Senate in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore of the
43 Student Senate who shall chair the committee. The appointment shall be
44 subject to the approval of Student Senate.
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46 b. Student Senators, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, in
47 consultation with the Student Engagement Committee Chair.
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49 c. Two students-at-large, appointed by the Chair of the committee in
50 consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate, who shall have
51 voting privileges on the committee.

- d. Of the Student Senators and students-at-large, the committee shall elect a Vice Chair of the Student Engagement Standing Committee. This appointment is subject to the approval of the Student Engagement Committee Chair. The Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Student Engagement Standing Committee in the absence of the Chair and shall be responsible for the minutes of the committee.
- e. ~~Director of Public Relations of the Student Body President's Cabinet who shall have a vote in committee. The International Affairs Director and the Multicultural Affairs Director of the Student Body President's Cabinet who shall serve as ex-officio, non-voting members.~~
- f. *At the Student Body President and Chief of Staff's discretion in consultation with the Student Engagement Committee Chair, other members of the executive branch whose position deals with issues related to the committee who shall serve as ex-officio members.*
- g. Student Senate Interns, appointed by the Intern Coordinator in consultation with the Student Engagement Committee *who shall serve as non-voting members.* ~~have voting privileges on the committee.~~

SECTION 3. Article IV, Section 9, sub-section K of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

2. 3. The committee shall:

- a. ~~Be responsible for maintaining and updating the KSU SGA brochure and social media accounts.~~
- b. ~~Be responsible for the organization and implementation of an Informative campaign regarding KSU SGA elections.~~
- c. ~~a. Increase awareness of university and KSU SGA events directly affecting students. Serve as an active line of communication from students to SGA and from SGA to students.~~
- d. ~~Examine news articles from the Kansas State Collegian, the Manhattan Mercury, and other news sources. If errors are found, the committee will contact the appropriate editors.~~
- e. ~~Compile articles and news releases when needed by the Student Body President, the Speaker of the Student Senate, the Attorney General, and other members of the KSU SGA in consultation with one of the three heads of the branches of KSU SGA.~~
- f. ~~b. Coordinate KSU SGA social functions once a semester. Extend invitations to student groups to come speak at senate or engage in small-scale conversations with the Student Engagement Standing Committee.~~
- g. c. Continuously seek new avenues to promote KSU SGA to the Kansas State University student body and the Manhattan community.

- 104 h. *d. Be ambassadors of the KSU SGA by engaging with student groups at*
105 *their own meeting and events as an avenue to orchestrate more small*
106 *scale conversations.*
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- 108 i. *e. Organize Student Senators and Interns to visit registered student*
109 *organizations to give presentations on current campus and student*
110 *government issues, as well as receive, evaluate, and respond to student*
111 *feedback regarding current campus and student government issues*
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- 113 j. *f. Each member of the committee will have a focus geared towards a*
114 *particular group(s)*
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- 116 k. *g. Provide a safe environment for students to voice concerns, evaluate*
117 *ideas, and solve problems. Student Engagement shall focus on outreach*
118 *to university-wide non-college specific student groups.*
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- 120 h. *Provide a safe environment for students to voice concerns, evaluate*
121 *ideas, and solve problems.*
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125 **SECTION 4.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the
126 Student Body President.

4 **BY:** Sarah Pride, Haley Hannaman, Bailey Hamilton, Peter Moyer, Alex Reed, Heidee
5 Prosser, CJ Hall, Chase Derusseau and Luke Sells

6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Affirmative Action Office is now The Office of Institutional Equity;

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9 **WHEREAS,** The Policy Prohibiting Sexual Harassment, the Policy Prohibiting Racial and/or Ethnic
10 Harassment, and the Policy Prohibiting Sexual Violence are now referred to collectively
11 as The Policy Prohibiting Discrimination, Harassment, Sexual Violence, and Stalking,
12 and Procedure for Reviewing Complaints (PPM 3010);

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14 **WHEREAS,** All complaints under PPM 3010 are now reviewed through the Office of Institutional
15 Equity;

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17 **WHEREAS,** The following language accurately reflects how complaints are currently handled and
18 should be documented within the SGA By-Laws; and

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20 **WHEREAS,** The following language has been reviewed by the SGA Judicial Branch, KSU General
21 Counsel, Office of Student Life, Office of Institutional Equity, and other relevant campus
22 partners.

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24 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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26 **SECTION 1.** Article V. Section 2. Be amended to read as follows:

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28 A. Generally, University jurisdiction to adjudicate complaints and to impose sanctions
29 under this code shall be limited to misconduct that occurs on University *property, at*
30 *University-sponsored activities, premises,* or behavior which intentionally or
31 recklessly interferes with the operation of the University or with University-
32 sponsored activities, including, but not limited to, studying, teaching, research,
33 University administration, fire, police, or emergency services.

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35 ~~B. Allegations of misconduct believed to constitute discrimination, including harassment~~
36 ~~as described and defined in the “Policy Prohibiting Sexual Harassment,” and “Policy~~
37 ~~Prohibiting Racial and/or Ethnic Harassment” should be referred to the Affirmative~~
38 ~~Action Office or the Office of Student Life. Allegations of assault covered under the~~
39 ~~“Policy Prohibiting Sexual Violence” should be referred to the Office of Student Life.~~

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41 B. *Reported allegations of misconduct alleged to constitute discrimination under the*
42 *“Policy Prohibiting Discrimination, Harassment, Sexual Violence, and Stalking, and*
43 *Procedure for Reviewing Complaints” (“PPM 3010”)—including, for example,*
44 *discriminatory harassment and sexual violence, stalking, dating violence, and*
45 *domestic violence—are reviewed under PPM 3010. Therefore, any such allegations*
46 *of misconduct shall be referred to the Office of Institutional Equity and shall be*
47 *reviewed and addressed under PPM 3010, and not under the Code unless the below*
48 *applies.*

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50 C. *Reported allegations of misconduct alleged to violate the Threat Management Policy*
51 *(“PPM 3015”) are reviewed under PPM 3015. Therefore, any such allegations of*
52 *misconduct shall be referred through PPM 3015 and shall be reviewed and*
53 *addressed under PPM 3015, and not under the Code unless the below applies.*

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- D. Conduct that violates this Code may also constitute a breach of a university resident's housing contract. Decisions made through a housing contract hearings and related proceedings may be made separately from decisions under this Code.*
 - E. Reported allegations of misconduct alleged to violate the K-State Honor Pledge shall be reviewed and addressed under the Honor and Integrity System, and not under the Code.*
 - F. Reported allegations of misconduct regarding employee or student employee behavior, in the context of their employment, shall be reviewed and addressed through university employment policies and procedures, and not under the Code.*
 - G. Reported allegations of misconduct by students enrolled in classes primarily at K-State Polytechnic's campus shall be subject to the provisions of the K-State Polytechnic Student Code of Conduct.*
 - H. Reported allegations of misconduct by students enrolled in classes primarily at K-State Olathe campus shall be subject to the provisions of this Code.*

74 **SECTION 2.** This Bill shall take effect August 1, 2017 upon passage by the Student Senate and the
75 signature of the Student Body President.
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4 **BY:** Sarah Pride, Haley Hannaman, Bailey Hamilton, Peter Moyer, Heidee Prosser, CJ Hall,
5 Luke Sells and Chase Derusseau

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7 **WHEREAS,** The Judicial Branch does not adjudicate complaints while they are being investigated by
8 The Office of Institutional Equity and/or The Threat Management Policy;
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10 **WHEREAS,** It is federally mandated that all complaints of sexual violence must be reported to The
11 Office of Institutional Equity;
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13 **WHEREAS,** It is university policy to assess immediate threats to the university community through
14 The Threat Management Policy;
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16 **WHEREAS,** A potential violation of the Code of Conduct may have occurred in a complaint referred
17 to The Office of Institutional Equity and/or The Threat Management Policy;
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19 **WHEREAS,** The timeline for The Office of Institutional Equity and/or The Threat Management Policy
20 process can exceed the timeline for the Code of Conduct process;
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22 **WHEREAS,** Students should have the opportunity to have all aspects of their complaint heard through
23 the appropriate processes; and
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25 **WHEREAS,** The following language has been reviewed by the SGA Judicial Branch, KSU General
26 Counsel, Office of Student Life, Office of Institutional Equity, and other relevant campus
27 partners.
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29 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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31 **SECTION 1.** Article V. Section 2. B. be amended to read as follows:
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33 B. Reported allegations of misconduct alleged to constitute discrimination under the
34 “Policy Prohibiting Discrimination, Harassment, Sexual Violence, and Stalking, and
35 Procedure for Reviewing Complaints” (“PPM 3010”)—including, for example,
36 discriminatory harassment and sexual violence, stalking, dating violence and domestic
37 violence—are reviewed under PPM 3010. Therefore, any such allegations of misconduct
38 shall be referred to the Office of Institutional Equity and shall be reviewed and addressed
39 under PPM 3010 and not under the Code unless the below applies.
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42 1. *In the event any allegations made or referred to the Office of Institutional Equity*
43 *under PPM 3010 are determined to not fall within the PPM 3010 policy, those*
44 *misconduct allegations may nonetheless be subject to the Code if the allegations*
45 *constitute a potential violation of the Code. If such allegations exist, the review*
46 *process under PPM 3010 shall proceed first until it is concluded. Once that process*
47 *is concluded, the separate misconduct allegations that constitute a potential violation*
48 *of the Code may proceed for review under the Code, provided the complainant has*
49 *filed or files a complaint under the Code within the applicable time limits. Any*
50 *relevant factual findings from the PPM 3010 review process may be used in the*
51 *subsequent review process under the Code. During the PPM 3010 review process, all*
52 *time periods to file complaints or other deadlines under the Code shall pause unless*
53 *they have already expired; and, any time remaining to file complaints or other*

54 *deadlines under the Code shall continue to run immediately upon completion of the*
55 *PPM 3010 review process.*
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58 **SECTION 2.** Article V. Section 2. C. be amended to read as follows:
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60 C. Reported allegations of misconduct alleged to violate the Threat Management Policy
61 (“PPM 3015”) are reviewed under PPM 3015. Therefore, any such allegations of
62 misconduct shall be referred through PPM 3015 and shall be reviewed and addressed
63 under PPM 3015 and not under the Code unless the below applies.
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65 1. *In the event any allegations made or referred under PPM 3015 are determined to*
66 *not fall within the PPM 3015 policy, those misconduct allegations may nonetheless*
67 *be subject to the Code if the allegations constitute a potential violation of the Code. If*
68 *such allegations exist, the review process under PPM 3015 shall proceed first until it*
69 *is concluded. Once that process is concluded, the separate misconduct allegations*
70 *that constitute a potential violation of the Code may proceed for review under the*
71 *Code, provided the complainant has filed or files a complaint under the Code within*
72 *the applicable time limits. Any relevant factual findings from the PPM 3015 review*
73 *process may be used in the subsequent review process under the Code. During the*
74 *PPM 30105 review process, all time periods to file complaints or other deadlines*
75 *under the Code shall pause unless they have already expired; and, any time*
76 *remaining to file complaints or other deadlines under the Code shall continue to run*
77 *immediately upon completion of the PPM 3015 review process.*
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79 **SECTION 3.** This Bill shall take effect August 1, 2017 upon passage by the Student Senate and the
80 signature of the Student Body President.

4 **BY:** Sarah Pride, Haley Hannaman, Bailey Hamilton, Peter Moyer, Heidee Prosser, CJ Hall,
5 Luke Sells, and Chase Derusseau
67 **WHEREAS,** Wefald is not currently defined as a Residence Hall;
89 **WHEREAS,** What was previously referred to as Strong Complex is now referred to as Strong
10 Community;
1112 **WHEREAS,** University property is currently used in university policies;
1314 **WHEREAS,** The current definition of university-sponsored activity does not reflect current university
15 practice; and
1617 **WHEREAS,** The following language has been reviewed by the SGA Judicial Branch, KSU General
18 Counsel, Office of Student Life, KSU Housing, and other relevant campus partners.
1920 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2122 **SECTION 1.** Article V. Section 1. GG. be amended to read as follows:
2324 GG. “Residence Hall” is defined as Boyd, Putnam, Van Zile, Moore, Haymaker, Ford,
25 West, Smurthwaite, Goodnow, ~~and~~ Marlatt *and Wefald*.
2627 **SECTION 2.** Article V. Section 1. LL. be amended to read as follows:
2829 LL. “Strong ~~Community Complex~~” is defined as the area containing Boyd, Putnam
30 and Van Zile residence halls. These three halls will be considered a single unit
31 for judicial proceedings.
3233 **SECTION 3.** Article V. Section 1. OO. be amended to read as follows:
3435 OO. “University ~~property premises~~” includes all land, buildings, facilities, and other
36 property owned, used, or controlled by the University.
3738 **SECTION 4.** Article V. Section 1. PP. be amended to read as follows:
3940 PP. “University-sponsored activity” means any activity, on or off campus, that is
41 University-authorized and *substantially organized and/or* supervised by a
42 *University faculty/staff member(s) within the context of that faculty/staff*
43 *member’s University employment.* ~~or organization advisor, or for which students~~
44 ~~receive academic credit from the University.~~
4546 **SECTION 5.** This Bill shall take effect August 1, 2017 upon passage by the Student Senate and the
47 signature of the Student Body President.
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4 **BY:** Sarah Pride, Haley Hannaman, Bailey Hamilton, Heidee Prosser, Luke Sells, Peter
5 Moyer, CJ Hall, and Chase Derusseau

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7 **WHEREAS,** The SGA Code of Conduct has not been reviewed for seven years;

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9 **WHEREAS,** The SGA Code of Conduct should reference university policies;

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11 **WHEREAS,** The jurisdiction for individual items is not necessary because jurisdiction is defined in
12 Article V Section 2 of the KSU SGA By-Laws;

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14 **WHEREAS,** The SGA Code of Conduct should be easy for students to understand; and

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16 **WHEREAS,** The following language has been reviewed by the SGA Judicial Branch, KSU General
17 Counsel, Office of Student Life, Office of Institutional Equity, KSU Housing, and other
18 relevant campus partners.

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20 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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22 **SECTION 1.** Article V. Section 3. Be amended to read as follows:

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24 *Neither this nor any other university policy is violated by actions that amount to expression*
25 *protected by the state or federal constitutions or by related principles of academic freedom.*

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27 A. The following described *conduct is prohibited by this Code and subject to sanctions by the*
28 *University: ~~behaviors constitute misconduct in which disciplinary sanctions will be imposed.~~*

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30 1. Acts of dishonesty, including but not limited to the following:

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32 a. Furnishing false information to any University official, faculty/staff member, or office.

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34 b. Forgery, alteration, or misuse of any University document, record, or instrument of
35 identification.

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37 c. Tampering with the election of any organization or student governing body.

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39 2. Disruption or obstruction of teaching, research, administration, disciplinary proceedings, or
40 other University-sponsored activities ~~including its public service functions on or off~~
41 ~~campus, or other authorized non-University activities.~~

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43 3. *Conduct directed towards another person(s) that is intended to and does substantially*
44 *interfere with another's educational or employment opportunity, peaceful enjoyment of*
45 *residence, or physical security. ~~Conduct that threatens or endangers the mental or physical~~*
46 *~~health or safety of any person, including, but not limited to, physical abuse, verbal abuse,~~*
47 *~~threats, intimidation, harassment, and coercion.~~*

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49 4. Attempted or actual theft of, ~~or damage to~~ property.

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51 5. *Intentional damage to property or vandalism.*

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53 6. ~~5-~~Hazing, which is defined as an act which endangers the mental or physical health or safety
54 of a student, or which destroys or removes public or private property for the purpose of

initiation, admission into, affiliation with, or as a condition for continued membership in a group or organization. Consent by the person hazed shall be no defense to the hazing.

7. ~~6.~~ Telephone or Internet harassment, which shall include: (KSA 21-6206)

a. *Making calls containing or making or transmitting any comment, request, suggestion, proposal, image or text which is lewd or obscene remarks.*

b. *Making or transmitting calls, whether or not conversation ensues, or any comment, request, suggestion, proposal, image or text with intent to substantially interfere with another person's educational or employment opportunity, peaceful enjoyment of residence, or physical security. Transmission of comments, requests, suggestions, proposal, images, or texts may include any transmission utilizing electronic means, including but not limited to sending text, picture, video, or audio messages over social media websites, social media applications, instant messenger or chat services, message boards or any other electronic format.*

~~a. Making calls containing lewd or obscene remarks.~~

~~b. Making calls intended to harass or harm whether or not conversation ensues.~~

~~c. Making the telephone ring repeatedly with intent to harass or harm.~~

~~d. Making repeated calls in which conversation ensues solely to harass or harm.~~

~~e. Sending text, picture or video messages with intent to harass or harm.~~

~~f. Sending text, picture, video, or audio messages over electronic forums, including, but not limited to, social media websites, instant messenger or chat services, message boards or any other electronic format with intent to harass or harm~~

8.7. Failure to comply with directions of University faculty, staff, or law enforcement officers acting in performance of their duties or failure to identify oneself to these persons when requested to do so.

9.8. Unauthorized possession, duplication or use of keys, or other devices that provide access to any University property or services.

~~10.9.~~ Unauthorized presence in or use of University premises, facilities, or property.

~~10. Violation of University policies, rules, or regulations.~~

~~11. Violation of federal, state or local law.~~

~~11. 13. Unlawful Use, possession or distribution of alcoholic beverages in an unlawful manner or otherwise in violation of a university policy. or violation of the University's Alcohol and Cereal Malt Beverage Policy.~~

12. ~~Unauthorized distribution, Use, or possession, distribution of a controlled substance in an unlawful manner or otherwise in violation of a university policy. (as described in Chapter 65, Article 41 of Kansas Statutes Annotated on University premises) on University premises or at University-sponsored activities.~~

13. ~~14.~~ Possession or use of firearms, explosives, weapons, or dangerous chemicals on University premises or at a University-sponsored activity or any other violation in violation of the University's Weapons Policy.
14. ~~15.~~ Intentionally initiating or causing to be initiated, any false report, warning or threat of fire, explosion or other emergency. ~~on University premises or at a University-sponsored activity.~~
15. ~~16.~~ Participation in a campus demonstration which unreasonably disrupts the normal operations of the University ~~and included but not limited to the following:~~
- a. infringes on the rights of others ~~members of the University community;~~
 - b. inciting others to disrupt scheduled and/or normal activities ~~within any campus building or area;~~
 - c. intentional obstruction which unreasonably interferes with freedom of movement, either pedestrian or vehicular, ~~on campus;~~
 - d. *inciting another person to breach the peace.*
16. ~~17.~~ Intentionally interfering with the freedom of expression of others. ~~on University premises or at a University-sponsored activity.~~
17. ~~18.~~ Conduct that is disorderly, lewd, or *obscene-indecent*; breach of peace; or *inciting* aiding, abetting or procuring another person to breach the peace ~~on University premises or at University-sponsored activities.~~
18. ~~19.~~ Any violation of the stated "KSU Information Technology Usage Policies."
19. ~~20.~~ Abuse of the SGA Judicial Program, including but not limited to:
- a. Falsification, distortion, or misrepresentation of information.
 - b. Disruption or interference with the orderly conduct of a judicial proceeding.
 - c. Knowingly initiating a complaint without cause.
 - d. Attempting to discourage an individual's proper participation in, or use of, the judicial system.
 - e. Attempting to influence the impartiality of a member of a judicial board prior to, or during the course of, the judicial proceeding.
 - f. Verbal, written, phone, or physical harassment, and/or intimidation of a member of a judicial board.
 - g. Failure to comply with the sanction(s) imposed under this Code.
 - h. Influencing or attempting to influence another person to commit an abuse of the judicial program.
20. ~~21.~~ Any illegal or unauthorized taking, selling, or distribution of class notes.

162 *21. Violation of University policies, rules, or regulations.*

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164 *22. Violation of federal, state or local law that causes a substantial disruption to university*
165 *operations.*

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167 **SECTION 2.** This Bill shall take effect August 1, 2017 upon passage by the Student Senate and the
168 signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT**
3 **GOVERNING ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS**
4 **CONCERNING CABINET RESPONSIBILITIES**5 **BY:** Jessica Van Ranken, Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach and Jack Ayres6
7 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student
8 Governing Association By-Laws; and
910 **WHEREAS,** Many Cabinet responsibilities now considered commonplace are not reflected in the By-
11 Laws.
1213 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1415 **SECTION 1.** Article III, Section 3 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
16 Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
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18 Section. 3. The Student Body President's Cabinet shall consist of the following officers:

19 A. The Chief of Staff, whose duties shall include:

- 20 1. Coordinate the activities of Cabinet.
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- 21 2. Serve as advisor to Cabinet members.
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- 22 3. Conduct communication between Cabinet members and the Student
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- 23 Body President and between Cabinet members and Student Senate.
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- 24 4. Chair Cabinet Meetings.
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- 25 5. Give directors' reports for Cabinet members unable to attend Student
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- 26 Senate meetings, as necessary.
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- 27 6.
- Assist the Student Body President and Vice President in appointing*
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- Cabinet members.*
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- 29 7.
- Serve on the Faculty Senate Committee for Professional Staff Affairs.*
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- 30 8.
- Coordinate transitions between incoming and outgoing Cabinets.*

31 B. The Public Relations Director, who shall foster public relations and enhance the
32 distribution of information for the Executive branch.

- 33 1. Attend Student Senate meetings.
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- 34 2.
- Maintain the social media presence of the Executive Branch.*
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- 35 3.
- Facilitate and coordinate all marketing and communications efforts for*
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- the Executive Branch.*
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- 37 4.
- Oversee the flow of information between the Executive Branch, KSU*
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- SGA, the student body, and the K-State and Manhattan communities.*
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- ~~2. Serve on the Student Engagement Standing Committee.~~

40 C. The College of Technology and Aviation Student Body President (or designee)
41 shall be an ex officio member during the duration of the Student Body
42 President's term of office and shall represent the interests and concerns of the
43 College of Technology and Aviation in Salina.44 D. The International Affairs Director, who shall represent the interests and concerns
45 of international students.

- 46 1. Serve as the KSU SGA Liaison to the Office of International Programs.
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- 47 2. Attend International Coordinating Council Meetings.

48 E. The Multicultural Affairs Director, who shall represent the interests and concerns
49 of multicultural students.

1. Represent the Student Body President's Cabinet on the Diversity Programming Committee.
 2. Serve on the University President's Commission on Multicultural Affairs.
 3. Meet regularly with student leaders of multicultural organizations.
- F. The State Relations Director, who shall represent the interests and concerns of the KSU SGA to state governments.
1. Attend monthly Board of Regents Meetings with the Student Body President.
 2. Assist in coordination of State Higher Education Day.
 3. Assist in coordination of Big XII on the Hill Day.
 4. Serve on Governmental Relations ~~Standing~~ Committee.
 5. *Attend State Relations Committee Meetings.*
 6. *Coordinate the Legislative Ambassadors program.*
- G. The Local Relations Director, who shall represent the interests and concerns of the KSU SGA to local governments.
1. Provide updates to the Student Body President and Student Senate concerning the City Commission.
 2. Serve on Governmental Relations ~~Standing~~ Committee.
- H. The Technology Coordinator, who shall promote improved technology resources and represent students on matters of technology.
1. Serve on Faculty Senate Committee on Technology.
 2. Serve as KSU SGA Liaison to the Vice Provost for Information Technology Services.
 3. *Chair the Student Technology Committee.*
 4. *Serve on KSIS Steering Committee.*
 5. *Serve on K-State Online Advisory Council.*
- I. The Student Director of Sustainability, who shall represent the interests and concerns of students regarding sustainability.
- ~~1. Serve on the Student Sustainability Coalition.~~
 1. *Chair the Green Action Fund Committee.*
 2. Serve as KSU SGA Liaison to the K-State Director of Sustainability.
 3. *Serve on Campus Recycling Advisory Committee.*
- J. The Academic Affairs Director, who shall represent KSU SGA with regards to the academic affairs of the university as they affect students.
1. *Serve as the KSU SGA representative to initiatives relating to open textbooks.*
 2. *Represent the interests of students in discussions related to the faculty-student relationship..*
 3. *Serve as the KSU SGA representative to the University Advising Committee.*
- K. The Health and Safety Director, who shall represent the interests and concerns of students on topics relating to health, mental wellness and general safety both on and off-campus.
1. *Serve as the KSU SGA representative to the Crisis Management Committee.*
 2. *Serve as the KSU SGA representative to the P.A.W.S. Advisory Board.*

97 ~~J~~*L* The Graduate Student Council President (or designee), who shall represent the
98 interests and concerns of graduate students.
99 ~~K~~*M* Such other appointed officers as determined by the Student Body President.
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101 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate, signature of the Student
102 Body President.

4 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch is the only media-oriented group on campus to offer full-range video
7 services to K-State Students, organizations and events at no charge;
89 **WHEREAS,** Students from any discipline can join Wildcat Watch to experience video production in a
10 professional setting that is not categorized as news or sports;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch directly benefits the entire student body because video has become a
13 highly sought after service that is not categorized as news or sports;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Student Centered Tuition Enhancements (SCTE) Committee committed to funding
16 Wildcat Watch for the past 12 years, demonstrating students' longstanding support for
17 the agency;
1819 **WHEREAS,** Due to their long tenure on SCTE, Wildcat Watch has been placed on priority funding
20 and needs a permanent funding source to prevent scheduled cuts; and
2122 **WHEREAS,** This Privilege Fee contract provides a \$7,073 increase from their FY17 budget and
23 enables them to continue their operations which include live events, the K-State Today
24 Video Series, Studio Performances, and many other video services.
2526 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
2728 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association approves the following
29 Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be included
30 in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.
3132 **WILDCAT WATCH OPERATIONS BUDGET AGREEMENT**
3334 This agreement made this __th day of April 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
35 Governing Association (SENATE) and Wildcat Watch (DEPARTMENT), and shall supersede any
36 previous agreement made by SENATE with the DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budget and use of
37 such funding.
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- 39 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at the
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- 40 following levels for the following fiscal years: \$30,000 for Fiscal Year 2018; \$30,000 for
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- 41 Fiscal Year 2019; \$30,000 for Fiscal Year 2020. The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to
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- 42 the 2020-2021 academic year.
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- 44 2. If these monies are not spent during the fiscal year in which they are allocated, any
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- 45 remaining monies in the account shall carry over into the next fiscal year.
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- 47 3. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by SENATE with
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- 48 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budgets and use of such funding.
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- 50 4. Any breach of this agreement by the DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by
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- 51 SENATE and such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the
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- 52 BUDGET. The failure of SENATE to exercise any of its rights in any instance shall not
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- 53 constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or in any other instance.
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- 55 5. Within 90 days after the end of the fiscal year, the Director of the DEPARTMENT shall
56 submit a written summary of expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for review by SGA.
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- 58 6. No construction or renovation of a building or facility at Kansas State University is
59 permitted with privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote
60 of the student body. (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 510, Letter D and Article
61 XI, Section 1105)
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- 63 7. The agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
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- 65 8. By signing this agreement, the representatives of the respective parties hereby represent
66 that each is duly authorized by his or her party to execute this document on behalf of such
67 party and that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
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- 69 9. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon execution of this agreement by the Wildcat Watch
70 Advisor Tyler Traxson, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco,
71 Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student
72 Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair
73 Jonathan Peuchen.

4 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee5
6 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch is the only media-oriented group on campus to offer full-range video
7 services to K-State Students, organizations and events at no charge;
89 **WHEREAS,** Students from any discipline can join Wildcat Watch to experience video production in a
10 professional setting that is not categorized as news or sports;
1112 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch directly benefits the entire student body because video has become a
13 highly sought after service that is not categorized as news or sports;
1415 **WHEREAS,** The Student Centered Tuition Enhancements (SCTE) Committee committed to funding
16 Wildcat Watch for the past 12 years, demonstrating students' longstanding support for
17 the agency;
1819 **WHEREAS,** Due to their long tenure on SCTE, Wildcat Watch has been placed on priority funding
20 and needs a permanent funding source to prevent scheduled cuts;
2122 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch has the potential for large one-time equipment expenditures; and
2324 **WHEREAS,** Wildcat Watch should have reserve funds available in case of one-time equipment
25 expenditures.
2627 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**28
29 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) approves the
30 following Privilege Fee Budget Agreement. This privilege fee budget agreement shall be
31 included in and/or replace the appropriate chapter of the KSU SGA Statutes.
3233 **WILDCAT WATCH EQUIPMENT RESERVE BUDGET**
34 **PRIVILEGE FEE AGREEMENT**
3536 This agreement made this __th day of April 2017, between the Kansas State University Student
37 Governing Association (KSU SGA) and Wildcat Watch (DEPARTMENT), and shall supersede any
38 previous agreement made by SENATE with the DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budget and use of
39 such funding.
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- 41 1. The annual DEPARTMENT privilege fee budget (BUDGET) shall be funded at \$130,000
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- 42 for Fiscal Year 2018. All uses of DEPARTMENT Privilege Fees must be in compliance
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- 43 with Chapter 30 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statues.
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- 44 The BUDGET will be reviewed prior to academic year 2020-2021.
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- 46 a. This funding amount shall be allocated in the following manner: \$100,000 in Fiscal
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- 47 Year 2018, \$15,000 in Fiscal Year 2019, and \$15,000 in Fiscal Year 2020.
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- 49 3. If these monies are not spent during the fiscal year in which they are allocated, any
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- 50 remaining monies in the account shall carry over into the next fiscal year.
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- 52 4. This agreement supersedes any previous agreement made by KSU SGA with
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- 53 DEPARTMENT regarding funding of budget and use of such funds.
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5. Any breach of this agreement by DEPARTMENT will result in automatic review by KSU SGA; such review could result in decrease or termination of funding of the BUDGET. The failure of KSU SGA to exercise any rights in any instance shall not constitute a waiver of such rights in that instance or any other instance.
6. Within 90 days of the end of each fiscal year, the Adviser of DEPARTMENT shall submit a written summary of the BUDGET expenditures to the Privilege Fee Chair for review by KSU SGA.
7. No construction of or renovation of a building or facility at K-State is permitted with privilege fees unless the fee was established by a binding referendum vote of the student body (KSU SGA Constitution Article V, Section 509, Letter C, and Article XI Section 1104).
8. This agreement shall be governed by and subject to the laws of the State of Kansas.
9. By signing this agreement, the representative of the respective parties hereby represent that each is duly authorized by his or her part to execute the document on behalf of such party that the party agrees to be bound by the provisions of the agreement.
10. Bill 16/17/XX becomes effective upon the execution of this agreement by the Wildcat Watch Advisor Tyler Traxon, Vice President for Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Speaker of the Student Senate Jack Ayres, Student Body President Jessica Van Ranken, and Privilege Fee Chair Jonathan Peuchen.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES**
4 **CONCERNING THE ASSESSMENT OF DUES FOR**
5 **STUDENT BOARDS**

6 **BY:** Privilege Fee Committee

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8 **WHEREAS,** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association requires all agencies
9 receiving funding from privilege fees to have and utilize an advisor board to make
10 recommendations to the agency; and

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12 **WHEREAS,** The membership of these student boards should be free and open to all students,
13 regardless of financial status.

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15 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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17 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 30, Section 8 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association
18 Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

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20 **30-08** ***Creation and Utilization of Student Boards for Privilege Fees***

21 30-0801 All agencies receiving funding from privilege fees shall have and utilize an advisory ~~and~~
22 or governing board to make recommendations to the agency. These boards shall consist
23 of a student majority, ~~and shall~~ meet at least once a semester *and not assess dues for*
24 *membership.*

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26 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student
27 Body President.

RESOLUTION 16/17/57**APPROVAL OF FY 2018 STUDENT-CENTERED TUITION ENHANCEMENT**

BY: Trenton Kennedy, Jordan DeLoach, Kelli Holder, Matt Mindrup, Victor Valdez, Sarah Niederee, Will Orth, Megan Heyen, Connor Swanson, Chase Bouse, Matthew Bryan, Emma DeMaranville

WHEREAS, The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee (SCTE) is charged with the responsibility of evaluating SCTE proposals;

WHEREAS, The SCTE Fund provides funding for programs that enhance student experiences at K-State and seed money for the creation and implementation of new programs and initiatives;

WHEREAS, The SCTE budget available for FY 2018 totals \$716,000.00;

WHEREAS, Excess funds totaling \$417,214.35 are available in the SCTE Reserve for additional SCTE allocations;

WHEREAS, The SCTE Committee considered 16 proposals for FY 2018;

WHEREAS, All groups were provided ample opportunity to submit requests for FY 2018;

WHEREAS, The SCTE proposals have been reviewed thoroughly and four were considered under priority funding status for FY 2018; and

WHEREAS, The following organizations have met all the guidelines established by the Kansas State University Student Governing Association.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1. The Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) supports the following priority expenditure recommendations for FY 2017 Student-Centered Tuition Enhancement (SCTE) monies.

Priority Funding Proposals	Allocated FY 2017	Requested FY 2018	Allocated FY 2018
1. Scholars Assisting Scholars	\$ 43,629.75	\$ 51,475.00	\$ 38,782.00
2. Developing Scholars Program	\$ 70,875.00	\$ 80,000.00	\$ 63,000.00
3. Sustaining and Developing the K-State Writing Center	\$ 23,850.00	\$ 44,182.00	\$ 21,200.00
4. Green Action Fund	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 32,939.00
5. K-State TV: Wildcat Watch Program Funding	\$ 22,927.00	\$ 26,000.00	\$ 0.00
Subtotal	\$206,281.75	\$246,657.00	\$155,921.00

SECTION 2. The KSU SGA supports the following expenditure recommendations for FY 2017 SCTE monies.

Repeat Proposals	Allocated FY 2016	Requested FY 2017	Allocated FY 2017
6. K-State 360	\$ 57,540.00	\$ 62,000.00	\$ 62,000.00
7. Academic Coaching Program	\$ 126,653.00	\$ 126,653.00	\$ 126,653.00
Subtotal	\$ 184,193.00	\$ 188,653.00	\$ 188,653.00

New Proposals	Allocated FY 2017	Requested FY 2018	Allocated FY 2018
8. University Wide Mentoring Platform	\$ 0.00	\$ 56,000.00	\$ 45,000.00
9. The FEED K-State Initiative	\$ 0.00	\$118,000.00	\$ 114,000.00
10. College Math in Arabic	\$ 0.00	\$14,000.00	\$ 14,000.00

57	11. Peer Advocates for Mental Wellness and Success (PAWS)	\$	0.00	\$ 47,700.00	\$ 47,700.00
58	12. Study Abroad Planning Program Scholarship	\$	0.00	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 40,000.00
59	13. Accounting Success Academy	\$	0.00	\$ 36,000.00	\$ 0.00
60	14. International Student Recruitment Ambassadors	\$	0.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 0.00
61	15. Business Peer Mentoring Program	\$	0.00	\$ 22,230.00	\$ 0.00
62	16. Launch A Business	\$	0.00	\$ 63,500.00	\$ 0.00
63	TOTAL (all proposals)	\$		\$842,740.00	\$605,274.00

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65 **SECTION 3.** Any unspent funds shall automatically revert back to the SCTE Reserve Account at the end of FY
66 2018.

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68 **SECTION 4.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy of this
69 resolution shall be sent to University President Richard Myers, Provost and Senior Vice President
70 April Mason, Vice President for Administration and Finance Cindy Bontrager, Vice President for
71 Student Life and Dean of Students Pat Bosco and Student Governing Association Advisor
72 Heather Reed.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY**
3 **STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION STATUTES**
4 **CONCERNING THE STUDENT-CENTERED**
5 **TUITION ENHANCEMENTS COMMITTEE**

6 **BY:** Trenton Kennedy and Jack Ayres

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8 **WHEREAS,** It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student
9 Governing Association Statutes;

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11 **WHEREAS,** The 2016-2017 Student Centered Tuition Enhancements committee found value in 2
12 proposals that necessitated they be considered “priority funding groups”; and

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14 **WHEREAS,** After evaluation of Chapter 26 of the KSU SGA Statutes concerning the Student-
15 Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee, it is apparent that refinements are in order.

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17 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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19 **SECTION 1.** Chapter 26 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes is
20 hereby amended to read as follows:

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22 **Chapter 26:**
23 **Student-Centered Tuition Enhancements**

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25 26-0106 Priority Funding Groups

- 26 A. Developing Scholars Program
27 ~~B. Career and Employment Services~~
28 ~~C. Global Education Initiative Scholarship~~
29 ~~D. K-State TV: Wildcat Watch~~
30 ~~E. Campus Crisis/Crisis Support Coordinator~~
31 F.B. Scholars Assisting Scholars (SAS) Tutoring
32 C. *K-State Writing Center*
33 D. *Green Action Fund*
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35 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this
36 Bill shall go into effect.

1 **BILL 16/17/134** **AMENDMENT TO K-STATE STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
2 **CONSTITUTION CONCERNING SPEAKING PRIVILEGES**
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4 **BY:** Stephen Kucera and Jack Ayres
5

6 **WHEREAS,** Student organizations bring unique perspectives on a diversity of issues to the K-State
7 student body; and
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9 **WHEREAS,** Student organizations should be able to share concerns or thoughts regarding a particular
10 piece of legislation or action being discussed by the Kansas State University Student
11 Governing Association (KSU SGA).
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13 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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15 **SECTION 1.** A new Section 509 shall be added to the KSU SGA Constitution as follows and the
16 current Section 509 shall be renumbered as Section 510 as shown below:
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18 509. *Any President of a Student Organization shall have the right to be recognized on*
19 *the floor of Student Senate and debate, but not vote. The President of a Student*
20 *Organization may also designate a person to be given their speaking rights.*

21 510~~509~~. No member of the Legislative Branch shall concurrently hold offices within two
22 or more branches of the KSU SGA, unless specifically permitted within the KSU
23 SGA Constitution or By-Laws.
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25 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this
26 Bill shall go into effect.

5 **BY:** Diversity Programming Committee6
7 **WHEREAS,** The Diversity Programming Committee analyzed ways to improve its processes; and8
9 **WHEREAS,** The committee identified areas of improvements to the section governing its process in
10 the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes.11
12 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**13
14 **SECTION 1.** The KSU SGA Statutes 24-01 [Procedures for the Diversity Programming Committee
15 (DPC)] shall be amended to read as follows:16
17 24-0101 The Diversity Programming Committee shall consist of 14 voting
18 members as provided for in Article IV, Section 14 of the Kansas State
19 University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws.20 24-0102 Committee members shall be selected not later than the first Friday in
21 September.22 24-0103 ~~Each semester,~~ Each quarter, the committee shall solicit proposals for
23 large-scale, student-centered, diversity enhancing projects. Included in
24 the cover letter attached to the application shall be the purpose and intent
25 of DPC, the due date for project proposals, and the criteria for
26 consideration in the allocation of DPC funds.27 24-0104 ~~Each semester,~~ The DPC Chair and Office of Student Activities and
28 Services ~~accountant~~ events coordinator ~~must~~ shall help student
29 organizations with any ~~host~~ a DPC budget request questions upon
30 request from a ~~training session~~ for student organizations.31 24-0105 DPC proposals shall be due to the Office of Student Activities and
32 Services by 4:00 p.m. on the first Friday of September for projects falling
33 between November 1st and the last day of the fall semester, the last
34 Friday of October for projects falling between the first day of spring
35 semester and March 15th, the last Friday of January for projects falling
36 between March 16th and the last day of spring semester and the Friday
37 before Spring Break for projects falling between the first day of fall
38 semester and October 31st, should the funding base continue to be
39 supplied.40 ~~24-0106 DPC funds will be divided over four quarters.~~41 24-01067 The committee shall *concurrently consider all applications with events*
42 *scheduled in the same quarter, regardless of early submissions, and shall*
43 *make a decision concerning whether or not to fund the proposals within*
44 *four weeks of the respective due date.*45 ~~24-0108 Proposals received after the September, October, January, and March due~~
46 ~~dates will be considered for funding the following quarter.~~47 24-01079 The committee may not grant the same organization funding for more
48 than two projects per fiscal year.49 24-010840 The Chair of DPC will present a report to Student Senate regarding the
50 status of DPC funding allocations and projects ~~twice~~ *once* each semester,
51 ensuring that each term's Senate body receives ~~four~~ *two* updates during
52 its tenure.53
54 **SECTION 2.** The KSU SGA Statutes 24-0201 shall be amended to read as follows:

- 24-0201 Use of DPC funds is limited to the following purposes:
- A. Projects sponsored primarily by student organizations in good standing with the university and registered with the Office for Student Activities and Services (OSAS) and are eligible to receive funding from the Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA).
 - B. Projects *with educational value that are* intended to dissuade prejudice and discrimination based on race, ethnicity, religion, gender, disability, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, geographic location, or age.
 - C. Requests for allocations of \$3,000.00 or more.
 - D. Projects held on campus and hosted primarily for Kansas State University students, with priority extended to projects held on campus; no traveling or conference expenditures will be funded.
 - E. Projects free and open to all Kansas State University students.

SECTION 3. This bill shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President.

2 **AMENDMENTS TO THE K-STATE STUDENT GOVERNING**
3 **ASSOCIATION STATUTES REGARDING THE DIVERSITY**
4 **PROGRAMMING COMMITTEE REVIEW PROCESS**

5 **BY:** Stephen Kucera

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7 **WHEREAS,** The Diversity Programming Committee is the only allocations committee that does not
8 require organizations to present their proposal at meetings of the committee;
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10 **WHEREAS,** Numerous questions arise during the review of allocations applications that sometimes
11 lead committee members to speculate the intent of the organization and details of the
12 event; and
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14 **WHEREAS,** An in-person presentation in addition to the online submission of the budget request form
15 will give students learning English another medium to communicate their plans and
16 vision for their event.
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18 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**

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20 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association 24-0205 be amended to read
21 as follows:
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23 24-0205 DPC shall seek proposals for funding from all student organizations on
24 campus and *may submit questions to the applicants for clarification. A*
25 *representative from the requesting organization shall be required to*
26 *attend a committee meeting to present regarding their request.* ~~conduct~~
27 ~~meetings at which applicants may verbalize their requests and field any~~
28 ~~questions from the committee.~~
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30 **SECTION 2.** This bill shall take effect upon passage of the Student Senate and signature of the Student
31 Body President.

1 **BILL 16/17/137** **AMENDMENTS TO K-STATE STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION**
2 **CONSTITUTION REGARDING DIVERSITY TRAINING**
3

4 **BY:** Stephen Kucera, Tendai Munyanyi, Carlos Flores, Victor Valdez, Kelli Holder and Ryan
5 Kelly
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7 **WHEREAS,** Diversity training is important to equip and empower Kansas State University Student
8 Governing Association (KSU SGA) representatives to engage the wide array of students
9 and issues at KSU;
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11 **WHEREAS,** Identifying diversity training presenters was previously an enumerated responsibility of
12 the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate; and
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14 **WHEREAS,** Poor prior execution of a stated responsibility does not mean that the stated responsibility
15 should be removed as an expectation of a leader.
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17 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
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19 **SECTION 1.** Section 507 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association Constitution
20 shall be amended to read as follows:
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- 22 507. Duties and Powers of the Speaker pro tempore of the Student Senate.
- 23 A. Assume the duties of the Speaker of the Student Senate upon the Speaker's
24 absence or at Speaker's request.
 - 25 B. Coordinate the open period speakers for the Student Senate.
 - 26 C. Assist the Speaker of the Student Senate in the appointment of the secretary,
27 Parliamentarian, Intern Coordinator and chairpersons of the standing
28 committees.
 - 29 D. Assist in the coordination of committee appointments.
 - 30 E. Oversee the College Caucus system.
 - 31 F. Chair such Standing Committees as may be provided in the By-Laws.
 - 32 G. Plan and organize at least one diversity ~~presentation, speaker, or~~ training session
33 for KSU SGA ~~in each semester~~.
 - 34 H. Organize activities to help in the orientation of newly elected Student Senators.
 - 35 I. Serve on the Faculty Affairs Committee of Faculty Senate.
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37 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, this bill
38 shall go into effect.

**BILL 16/17/138 CHANGES TO THE KANSAS STATE STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION
BY-LAWS REGARDING
PARLIAMENTARIAN RESPONSIBILITIES**

BY: Anna Jackson

WHEREAS, It is necessary to continually review and update the Kansas State University Student Governing Association (KSU SGA) By-Laws;

WHEREAS, After evaluating the current KSU SGA By-Laws concerning the Parliamentarians responsibilities it was evident that it is out of date and doesn't reflect the current responsibilities of the Parliamentarian;

WHEREAS, Parliamentarian doesn't make the changes recorded in the Senate Operations Standing Committee; and

WHEREAS, The By-Laws should reflect what the Parliamentarian is currently doing.

BE IT ENACTED THAT:

SECTION 1. Article IV Section 3 Subsection D shall be amended to read as follows;

D. Duties of the office of Student Senate Parliamentarian shall include:

1. Serve as interpreter of rules at Student Senate meetings, when requested by the Speaker of the Student Senate, using Robert's Rules of Order: Newly Revised.
2. Coordinate work on the bound legislation with the Student Senate Secretary.
- ~~3. Make all changes to legislation recorded during the Senate Operations Standing Committee meeting and forward corrected legislation to the Speaker of the Student Senate.~~
3. 4. Assist the Speaker of the Student Senate in setting the agenda.
4. 5. Record corrections to legislation during Student Senate meetings and give those corrections to the Student Senate Secretary.
5. ~~6.~~ Shall not be a Student Senator.

SECTION 2. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the Student Body President.

2 AMENDMENTS TO THE KANSAS
3 STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION
4 BY-LAWS CONCERNING THE SGA INTERN COORDINATOR5 **BY:** William Moore, Hannah Markel, Jansen Penny, Jordan Kiehl and Jack Ayres
67 **WHEREAS,** Pending the amendment of the Student Governing Association By-Laws to allow for two
8 Intern Coordinators rather than one there shall now be four members on the senate panel
9 dealing with Intern selection.10
11 **BE IT ENACTED THAT:**
1213 **SECTION 1.** Article IV, Section 3, sub-section E of the Kansas State University Student Governing
14 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
1516 E. Duties of the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators shall include:17 1. Advertise the Student Senate Intern program and review the applications
18 of candidates. Select students to participate in the program in conjunction with the other
19 members of Student Senate Intern Program interview panel. Intern selection is subject to
20 Student Senate approval.21 ~~2. Coordinate a program centered around a knowledge and experience~~
22 ~~based curriculum that equips and encourages interns to remained involved in KSU and~~
23 ~~KSU SGA after the completion of the program~~24 2. *Coordinate a rotation schedule between the Student Senate standing*
25 *committees, as well as a visit to a cabinet meeting and a judicial mock hearing or*
26 *equitable activity to educate interns on each of the SGA branches.*27 3. *Conduct a mid-program evaluation survey to gauge intern interest and*
28 *topics within SGA to understand the topics SGA interns are unclear on.*29 4. *Create a personalized experience for the Interns that equips and*
30 *encourages interns to remained involved in KSU and KSU SGA after the completion of*
31 *the program.*
3233 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 5, sub-section B of the Kansas State University Student Governing
34 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
3536 B. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the office of Student Senator, an Interim
37 Student Senator who meets all eligibility requirements defined in the KSU SGA
38 Constitution shall be determined by the following means until a replacement Student
39 Senator, described in the provisions above, is sworn into office. The Interim Student
40 Senator will have full privileges as a Student Senator and must follow all guidelines
41 described for the office of Student Senator while maintaining the responsibilities of
42 ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern.43 1. A SGA Intern representing the respective college may be named to serve as the
44 Interim Student Senator after recommendation of the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern
45 Coordinators.46 2. If a ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern is not recommended by the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA
47 Intern Coordinator, then the respective college caucus may name a student in the
48 respective college to serve as the Interim Student Senator.49 3. After a replacement SGA Intern has been sworn into office by the means
50 described in (A) above, the Interim Student Senator's privileges and
51 responsibilities will revert back to those of Student Senate Intern.52 **SECTION 3.** Article IV, Section 10 of the Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-
53 Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:

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55 A. The ~~Senate Intern~~ SGA Program shall consist of a maximum of thirty-five and a
56 minimum of twenty Interns, each serving until the end of the current Senate term. Interns
57 shall be selected before the fourth occurrence of Student Senate of the fall semester with
58 their approval to be voted on by the fourth occurrence of Student Senate through an
59 application and interview process by a ~~three~~ five-member panel consisting of ~~the Speaker~~
60 ~~of the Student Senate, Speaker pro tempore of Student Senate, and Student Senate Intern~~
61 ~~Coordinator, the Student Body President, the Speaker of the Student Senate, the Attorney~~
62 ~~General and the SGA Intern Coordinators~~ and shall be approved by Student Senate. In
63 the event of an absence by any panel member from an interview, an alternate shall
64 replace the absent member. The alternate(s) shall be any of the following: KSU SGA
65 Advisor, or any member of KSU SGA as chosen by the ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators
66 with approval from the Speaker of Student Senate. ~~Three-Five~~ members of the panel
67 shall be present at all interviews.

- 68 1. Applicants whose applications are approved by a majority vote of the panel shall
69 be interviewed by the panel. For pre-screening of the applications, a set of
70 criteria shall be predetermined and all documented.
71 2. Questions asked during interviews shall be documented. A predetermined set of
72 questions shall be consistently asked to all interviewees, and all follow-up
73 questions shall be related to the predetermined question. Any members affiliated
74 with KSU SGA has the right to review this information. This information shall
75 also be open to public review.

76 B. Interns shall be non-voting members of Student Senate and shall be subject to
77 removal by the voting members of Student Senate for malfeasance, nonfeasance, or
78 misfeasance. Interns shall have the ability to make any motion. Interns may not sponsor
79 any legislation without a Senator co-sponsor. Interns shall have the same duties as
80 Student Senator as outlined in Article IV, Section 4 of the KSU SGA By-Laws.
81 Attendance policies shall be provided for in the Student Senate Standing Rules.

82 C. Interns shall be assigned by the ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators to serve on
83 Student Senate standing committees as voting committee members.

84 D. In the event that a vacancy occurs in the Student Senate Intern program no more
85 than two weeks after the start of the intern program, a replacement may be chosen from
86 the most qualified unsuccessful candidates for ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern at the
87 discretion of the three-member selection panel and approved by Student Senate. If a
88 vacancy causes the number of interns to fall below 16 a review of the Intern Program and
89 ~~Senate~~ SGA Intern Coordinators should be encouraged by KSU SGA leadership.

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91 **SECTION 2.** Article IV, Section 16, sub-section A of the Kansas State University Student Governing
92 Association By-Laws is hereby amended to read as follows:
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- 94 A. Shall be composed of the following members:
95 1. The Chair shall be the Sustainability Director of the Student Body President's
96 Cabinet.
97 2. One Student Senator appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate.
98 3. One ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern appointed by the ~~Student Senate~~ SGA Intern
99 Coordinators in consultation with the Speaker of the Student Senate.
100 4. Up to four students with at least one student representing a registered student
101 organization with a focus on sustainability or green initiatives.
102 5. A representative from the Office of the Provost.
103 6. One faculty representative appointed by the Sustainability Director of the student
104 body president's cabinet.

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SECTION 3. This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Student Senate and the signature of the Student Body President.



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

APRIL 6, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:18pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 41 senators and 17 interns present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Elliott
Senator Karimov
Senator Langvardt
Senator Reichenberger

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Alamo (partial)
Senator Atchison (partial)
Senator Bartels (partial)
Senator Bogner
Senator Breen (partial)
Senator Brenneman
Senator Bultongez
Senator Comstock
Senator Doll (partial)
Senator Eidemiller
Senator Furlong
Senator Grosdidier
Senator Gutman (partial)
Senator Johnson
Senator Lonker (partial)
Senator Lowry
Senator May
Senator McGee (partial)
Senator Mindrup

Senator Orth
Senator Renz
Senator Sabatini (partial)
Senator Stevens
Senator Wiese (partial)

Intern Bolar
Intern DeMaranville
Intern Hopfinger (partial)
Intern Kallenberger (partial)
Intern Khoury
Intern Kinsey
Intern Markel (partial)
Intern Medley (partial)
Intern Mertens
Intern O'Grady
Intern Struckle
Intern Works (partial)

OPEN PERIOD

The Collegian

- The Collegian came to speak to Senate about a new section of their website. Try it out here: <http://www.kstatecollegian.com/contact/submit-club-news/>

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Please register to participate in the Out of the Darkness Walk this Saturday!
<https://afsp.donordrive.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=donorDrive.event&eventID=4375>
2. The Manhattan Area Chamber of Commerce is performing a community study with Market Street Services and they are looking for student input on different happenings in the community! They are hosting a community visioning session on **Wednesday, April 12th from 4:30pm-6pm at the Bluemont Hotel!** This is a very unique opportunity to provide student input on the future of the city. If you would like to attend, please fill out the following form: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/253759>
3. The application for the 2017-2018 SGA Chief of Staff is now live and will be **open until Friday, April 14th, at 5:00pm.** Included in the application is a description of the position and its responsibilities. It can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/253757>

We will be hosting an **informational session next Tuesday, April 11th, at 5pm** in the Office of Student Activities and Services (OSAS) conference room on the first floor of the Union. This will be an opportunity to learn about the position and our goals for it in the coming year and for Q&A. Contact Jack (jmayres@ksu.edu) or Olivia (oliviab@ksu.edu) with questions.

4. Since SGA provided 100% of the funding (over one million dollars from our reserves) to renovate the Little Theater, SGA has the opportunity to recommend a name for the space. We have been given a list of options by the Union Governing Board and they are all included in the survey on OrgSync.
Link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/255828> Please **fill out the following survey by 5pm this Friday (4/7).**

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

There were none.

GENERAL ORDERS

There were none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

There were none.

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Director Baalman

- Mental Wellness Week is this week
- Director Baalman thanked those who have helped with the week
- Out of the Darkness Walk is this Saturday
- Attended City Commission meeting and received a proclamation
- Anticipates another Mental Wellness Week in the fall

Director Munyanyi

- International Week is this week
- African night is on April 28
 - Sponsored by DPC funding
 - Director Munyanyi will be performing African moves

President Van Ranken

- TFC will still be meeting to talk through tuition and fees proposals

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

- Served with the Special Committee on Membership
- Encouraged next year's Senate to discuss open forum concepts
 - Currently back in Special Committee on Membership
- Student Union Survey

- Gave a break for Senate to cast their votes on their top 3 favorite names for the renovated, currently named, “Little Theater”.

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

Resolution 16/17/55 Resolution Regarding Changes To The Career Center Offer Guidelines

Introduced by Chief of Staff DeLoach

Positive Debate:

Chief of Staff DeLoach

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to pass Resolution 16/17/55 unanimously
Resolution 16/17/55 passes unanimously by a voice vote.

Resolution 16/17/56 Resolution Regarding Needs-Based Scholarships

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Resolution 16/17/56 passes unanimously.

Bill 16/17/117 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student Engagement Committee

Introduced by Senator Nordstrom

Positive Debate:

Senator Nordstrom

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/117 passes by a vote of 45-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/125 Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning
Jurisdiction**

Introduced by Attorney General Pride
Chair Valdez moved to hold Bill 16/17/125-128 for bulk roll call
Motion passes.

Positive Debate:

Attorney General Pride

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/125 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 43-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/126 Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning
Jurisdiction**

Introduced by Attorney General Pride

Positive Debate:

Attorney General Pride

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/126 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 43-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/127 Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning Judicial
Definitions**

Introduced by Attorney General Pride

Positive Debate:

Attorney General Pride

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/127 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 43-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/128 Amendment To The KSU SGA By-Laws Concerning SGA
Code Of Conduct**

Introduced by Attorney General Pride

Positive Debate:

Attorney General Pride

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/128 passes by a bulk roll call vote of 43-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/130 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Cabinet
Responsibilities**

Introduced by Chief of Staff DeLoach

Positive Debate:

Chief of Staff DeLoach

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/130 passes by a vote of 43-0-0.

Bill 16/17/131 Creation Of The Wildcat Watch Privilege Fee

Introduced by Senator Fleming
Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera moved to hold Bill 16/17/131 for bulk roll call
Motion passes

Positive Debate:

Senator Fleming

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/131 passes by a vote of 44-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/132 Creation Of The Wildcat Watch Equipment Reserve Privilege
Fee**

Introduced by Chair J. Peuchen

Positive Debate:

Chair J. Peuchen

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/132 passes by a vote of 44-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/133 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Assessment**

Of Dues For Student Boards

Introduced by Senator Martin

Positive Debate:

Senator Martin

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/133 passes by a vote of 44-0-0.

Resolution 16/17/57 Approval Of FY 2018 Student-Centered Tuition Enhancement

Introduced by Vice President Kennedy

Positive Debate:

Vice President Kennedy

Negative Debate:

Resolution 16/17/57 passes unanimously.

Bill 16/17/129 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association Statutes Concerning The Student Centered Tuition Enhancements Committee

Introduced by Vice President Kennedy

Positive Debate:

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/129 passes by a vote of 45-0-0.

Bill 16/17/134 Amendment To K-State Student Governing Association Constitution Concerning Speaking Privileges

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/134 passes by a vote of 46-0-0.

Bill 16/17/135

**Amendments To The K-State Student Governing Association
Statutes Regarding The Diversity Programming Committee**

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Senator Frankel moved to hold Bill 16/17/135-137 for bulk roll call

Motion passes

Speaker Ayres moved to take Bill 16/17/135 out of bulk roll call to give a chance for
negative debate

Motion passes

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera (x2)

Negative Debate:

Advisor Harlan
President Van Ranken

Amendment submitted to change wording

Positive Debate:

Senator Alamo

Negative Debate:

A hand vote was conducted for the amendment

Amendment passes

Bill 16/17/135 passes by a vote of 46-0-0.

Bill 16/17/136

**Amendments To The K-State Student Governing Association
Statutes Regarding The Diversity Programming Committee
Review Process**

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Negative Debate:

Senator McGee

Bill 16/17/136 passes by a vote of 21-24-0.

**Bill 16/17/137 Amendments To K-State Student Governing Association
Constitution Regarding Diversity Training**

Introduced by Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera

Positive Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore Kucera
Director Munyanyi

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/137 passes by a vote of 39-7-0.

**Bill 16/17/138 Changes To The Kansas State Student Governing Association
By-Laws Regarding Parliamentarian Responsibilities**

Introduced by Chair Jackson

Positive Debate:

Chair Jackson

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/138 passes by a vote of 46-0-0.

**Bill 16/17/139 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student
Governing Association By-Laws Concerning The Student
Senate Interns**

Introduced by Intern M. Moore

Positive Debate:

Intern M. Moore

Negative Debate:

Bill 16/17/139 passes by a vote of 46-0-0.

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

SECOND OPEN PERIOD

Senator Holder

- Spoke about Washing for Wishes on behalf of Chi Omega Sorority
- Come by for a car wash

Intern Kallenberger

- Theta Xi and ADPi are having their annual fish fry tomorrow to benefit Habitat for Humanity

Senator Alamo

- April 22 Social Work Program will be at HyVee to get donations for Food Pantry

Senator Barnett

- It is sexual assault awareness month

Senior Speeches**REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION**

There was none.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 33 senators and 14 interns present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Barnett moved to adjourn until Thursday, April 13 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 10:57pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

APRIL 13, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Speaker Ayres called the meeting to order at 7:03pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Speaker Ayres led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 43 senators present for roll.

Excused Absences:

Senator Martin
Senator Mertens
Senator Meyer
Senator Mindrup

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Bogner
Senator Breen
Senator Doll (Partial)
Senator Eberhardy
Senator Eidemiller
Senator Gutman
Senator Hopfinger
Senator May
Senator Ogren
Senator A. Peuchen

OPEN PERIOD

Emma Barnett – CARE Office

- Center for Advocacy Response and Education
- Make housing accommodations, reach out to professors in times of interpersonal trauma
- Located in Holton Hall 206

- April is sexual assault awareness month

Trent McGee – K-State 360

- Spoke on K-State 360 App

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Senator Kallenberger moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The application for the 2017-2018 SGA Chief of Staff is now live and will be **open until Friday, April 14th, at 5:00pm**. Included in the application is a description of the position and its responsibilities. It can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/253757>
Contact Jack (jmayres@ksu.edu) or Olivia (oliviab@ksu.edu) with questions.
2. The application for the 2017-2018 SGA Treasurer is now live and will be **due Thursday, April 20, at 5 p.m.** Interviews will occur prior to cabinet/committee chair interviews on Sunday afternoon allowing applicants to know if they have received the position of treasurer before the other interviews. Included in the application is a description of the position and its responsibilities. It can be found at the following link:
<https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/256888>
3. Applications for Cabinet and Committee Chairs will be coming out soon and will be **due Friday, April 21st 2017, no later than 11:59 P.M.** Interviews for both will take place on the afternoon of Sunday, April 23rd, 2017.

We will be hosting two informational sessions to learn about Cabinet positions and provide an opportunity for Q&A. The informational sessions will be held at the following times:

- **Tuesday, April 18th, 2017 at 5:15pm** in the Office of Student Activities and Services (OSAS) Conference Room
- **Thursday, April 20th, 2017 at 6pm** in the Office of Student Activities and Services (OSAS) Conference Room

INSTALLATION OF STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT AND STUDENT BODY VICE PRESIDENT

INSTALLATION OF THE 2017-2018 STUDENT SENATE

COMMENDATIONS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

There were none.

GENERAL ORDERS

Nominations for Speaker of the Student Senate

- Senator Valdez nominated Senator J. Peuchen
- Senator J. Peuchen accepted the nomination and is running unopposed

COMMITTEE REPORTS

There were none.

DIRECTOR REPORTS

Student Body President Ayres

- Applications open for Chief of Staff and Treasurers
- Updated on Tuition and Fees Strategy Committee
 - Did not recommend Arts and Sciences fee increase
 - Failed 1-9-0

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

FINAL ACTION

There was none.

INTRODUCTION OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

There were none.

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 17/18/01 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Cabinet Positions

Introduced by President Ayres

Bill 17/18/01 is referred to the Executive Committee

SECOND OPEN PERIOD

Advisor Harlan

- Advised new senators that he is here to help them with their transition into Senate

Senator Valdez

- Sign up for Acacias third annual color run on April 30th at 10am
- Email him for a link or sign up on Facebook

Senator Holder

- Check out the K-State snap story @snapkstate

Senator Doll

- Sigma Kappetizers is on April 23 from 5-8pm

Senator Jackson

- You get two and a half absences for the entire year
- Contact her with any questions

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

There was none.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were 45 senators present for roll.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Valdez moved to adjourn until Thursday, April 20 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at 8:16.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary



KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT GOVERNING ASSOCIATION

STUDENT SENATE
MEETING MINUTES
MARCH 20, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Interim Speaker Wilhelm called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Interim Speaker Wilhelm led the pledge.

ROLL CALL

There were 48 senators.

Excused Absences:

Senator McIntire
Senator Buickrood
Senator Holder

Unexcused Absences:

Senator Breen
Senator Buickrood
Senator Eberhardy
Senator Eidemiller
Senator Gutman
Senator Ho
Senator Holder
Senator Kiehl (Partial)
Senator May
Senator McIntire
Senator Nordstrom
Senator Ogren
Senator Rostampour
Senator Valdez (Partial)

OPEN PERIOD

Coach Bill Snyder

- Spoke on Leadership
- Thanked Senate for their hard work and dedication to making this University so

great

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair J. Peuchen moved to approve the minutes. Minutes stand approved.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. If you would like to participate in and contribute to SGA's official response to the Multicultural Center Planning Group survey, please see Jack Ayres after the meeting in the Big 12 Room.
2. The application for Legislative Executive Committee positions (Committee Chairs, Secretary, Parliamentarian) is due Friday, April 21st at 11:59pm and can be found at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/257830> Please contact Bill Harlan (bharlan@ksu.edu) with any questions!
3. The application for Cabinet positions is due Friday, April 21st at 11:59pm and can be found at the following link: <https://orgsync.com/83329/forms/253758> Please contact Jack Ayres (jmayres@ksu.edu) or Olivia Baalman (oliviab2@ksu.edu)

COMMENDATIONS

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Resolution 17/18/01 Approval of Chief of Staff

Senator Valdez moved to consider Resolution 17/18/01

GENERAL ORDERS

Speaker of the Student Senate Elections

Senate Mindrup moved to approve Senator J. Peuchen as Speaker
Motion was approved unanimously

Nominations for Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate

Nominations included:

Tendai Munyanyi

Ryan Kelly

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Positive Debate:

Senator Mindrup

Senator McDermott

Negative Debate:

Ryan Kelly

Positive Debate:

Marshall
Senator Martin
Senator Moore

Negative Debate:

Speaker Pro Tempore of the Student Senate Elections

A ballot vote was cast by all senators and proxies
Tendai Munyanyi was selected by a vote of 24-21.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

There were none.

DIRECTOR REPORTS

President Ayres

- Update on TFSC
 - Passed College of Business fee but failed College of Human Ecology Fee
- Addressed issue of President Myers being encouraged to not consider Student Recommendation of Dismissal of Human Ecology Fee

Advisor Harlan

- Encouraged Senators to pursue leadership roles
- No one is too young or inexperienced to gain a leadership role

APPROVAL OF MINOR ALLOCATIONS

FINAL ACTION

Bill 17/18/01 Amendments To The Kansas State University Student Governing Association By-Laws Concerning Cabinet Positions

Introduced by President Ayres

Positive Debate:

Speaker Ayres

Negative Debate:

Bill 17/18/01 passes by a vote of 46-0-0.

SECOND OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

There were none.

ROLL CALL

There were senators present for roll call.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Niederee moved to adjourn until Thursday, April 27 at 7:00pm. Motion passes.
Adjourned at pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kaitlin Flores, Student Senate Secretary