January 10, 2017

MINUTES & PROCEEDINGS

SENATORS IN ATTENDANCE: Doering, Stallbaumer, Paulsen, Krejdl, Partridge, Nutter, Harris, Clark, Janicek, Reiper, Crocker, Parshall, Thompson, Hermosillo, Tomjack, Miller, Shultis.

Were in attendance.

SENATE EXECUTIVES: Speaker Lopez, Secretary Prososki

GOVERNMENT EXECUTIVES: President Flaugh, Vice President Kordonowy, Greg Christen, Ben Wagner, Jase Hueser, Asic Helberg, Carlie Prososki.

The regular meeting of the Associated Students of the University of Nebraska – Kearney was held on January 10, 2017 in the room 142 of the Nebraskan Student Union and was called to order at 5:30 pm; Quorum was present.

Guest Speakers: none.

Public Comment: none.

CABINET REPORTS:

PRESIDENT’S REPORT (President Flaugh): none.

VICE PRESIDENT’S REPORT (Vice President Kordonowy): Please apply for Mortar Board. We are partnering for Mortar Board for the True Blue game. It is February 9th. We will award t-shirts for the organization with the highest percentage of their members. Food will also be provided.

CHIEF OF STAFF (Greg): none.

ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF (Jase): none.

SECRETARY OF TREASURY (Ben): none.

SECRETARY OF COMMUNITY RELATIONS (Carlie): T-shirts designs will be voted on next Tuesday for the Big Event.

SECRETARY OF STUDENT AFFAIRS AND ORGANIZATION (Asic): none.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Selections and Constitutional Review (Senator Doering):

- Psychology club have meetings once a month and is open to all students on campus. They do community service events. They have around 40 members. Discussion: They are just renewing their constitution. Motion to vote by Doering seconded by Thompson. Vote passes.
• Keith Ebreith is a Supreme Court Justice. He is a freshman majoring in Chemistry education. He is involved with Thompson Scholar Learning Community, intramurals, and the Honors Program. He thinks this will be a great leadership opportunity. Discussion: He is a great candidate, has a high GPA, and fits the requirements. Motion to vote by Doering seconded by Reiper. Vote passes.

Rules and Ethics (Senator Hollibaugh): none.

Facilities and Campus Development (Thompson): none.

Student Programming Board (Senator Whalen): none.

Student Affairs and Public Relations (Senator Harris): Chats with the senators will be either January 31st or February 7th and will be right after meeting. We will have food as well as a raffle for students to engage with Student Government. The raffle prize will be gift cards.

Faculty Senate Committees: FSAA will meet soon.

SPEAKER’S REPORT: The beginning of this semester is busy with Chats with the Senators and Chats with the Chancellor. We are looking into options for Puppy Play Time in the Spring.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: none.

NEW BUSINESS: none.

ADVISORS’ REPORT:

Advisor Sharon Pelc
MLK Day is Monday, January 16th. If you do anything service related on that day put a note on the poster in the Union. There is a candle light vigil that night where Dr. Hinga will be speaking. With the new dining plan, you will have a lot more points to be able to eat at the places in the Union (Rustic Range, Subway, Starbucks, etc.). If you do not like the new meal plan, you can go back to the old plan by January 23rd. It is not all access anymore in the cafeterias. If we get money to renovate, then renovations will take place this summer. The dining service is open to feedback.

Advisor Tim Danube
March 1st and 2nd are Student Government elections. If you are returners, please consider reapplying. January 30th and 31st are the informational meetings about them. We still need to fill the positions of Election Commissioner and Secretary. Jim Wand is next Thursday the 19th. Tickets are free and available at the Welcome Desk.

Meeting adjourned at 6:07 p.m.