Senate Meeting Minutes August 5, 2011

Meeting called to order at 1:05PM

Roll Call:
Illes present
Haney present
Brown present
Ebanks present
Huffman present
Cavo present

Huffman: Approval July 21\textsuperscript{st} meetings
Second by Cavo
Agenda Aug 1\textsuperscript{st} meeting approved by Cavo

Open Forum:

Bastidas: Boca Raton focus group needs attention. Polls for past student opinions. Recently vetoed. Dealing with the issue and went to write senate bills. Ask students what they think about parking citations, technology fees, etc.

Sworn in procedure: Arielle Perkins
Arielle Perkins is appointed

President Maher is in class and no report

VP Report: Staff hiring process. By next week chief of staff and assistants will be hired. Tailgating will be talked with the Athletics Department by next week. I support 3 bills in the agenda. Voting on positions and topics.
Chief Justice report absent

Student Media report absent: UP, Homecoming, Owl Radio, Owl TV will be reported next week

Director Bishara absent, report given by Mike Burdman, Coordinator

Mike Burdman: Updating websites. Please contact Marketing Director, Maya from GAP for graphics, Bonfine taking place on Aug 25, any palettes laying around please let me know to burn. It is an SG funded event. Need volunteers. Weeks of Welcome is on the calendar. Please volunteer if you can.

Old Business: None

Vetoed Business: None

Tabled Business: None

New Business: SGSS-11-10 bill

Huffman: any opinions for this bill before approving. Seeing none.

Brown: Move to approve the bill.

2nd by Haney.

Roll call vote: Yes means approving the bill. No means not approving the bill.

Illes: Yes

Haney: Yes

Bland: Yes

Brown: yes

Cavo: Yes

5 yes and 0 no. Bill passes.

New Business: Student Senate 11-11

Brown: Important to approve the bill, biggest issue with students on traffic and parking, unfair citations, take it seriously. Speaker Bastidas thinks it is a good idea.

Towards the bottom. Are students going to listen what we are going to say.
Huffman: No guarantee that any policy can change. Students don’t want any traffic ticket. Consult with the administration for the high price ticket. Just voicing our opinion. Any question, concerns, opinions. Anyone motion to approve this bill?

Cavo: I approve the bill

2nd by Brown

Perkins: Yes

Illes: Yes

Haney: Yes

Brown: Yes

Cavo: Yes

Unanimous vote of 5. Bill passes

Moving on to bill SGSS 11-12.

Huffman: anyone would like to voice their opinion. Anyone to approve the bill?

Illes and Perkins moves the motion and 2nd.

Illes: Yes

Haney: Yes

Bland: Yes

Brown: Yes

Cavo: Yes

All yes. Bill approves

Senator Brown for open forum: Please have some focus group on your campus, highlight the problems and put forward some more legislation. Last year we didn’t had any legislation. The senate has the tool to help you out.

Bastidas: says thank you for the senate
Hoffman: Senator bown and cavo thank for writing the bills. If you want to come to the office to approve/disprove the bill, we’ll really appreciate. Minutes, agendas and bios bill be uploaded in the website.Any announcements?

Ebanks: Would like to invite the SG Open House, called Sugar Rush, more involvement for the freshman. No drive for frehman to let them come and get excited about the event. Even is on Aug 31, 4-8 at Live Oak Pavillion.

Brown: Freshman doing their tour, do they come in to the office? Have the marketing director have their posters out, good idea to bring in the freshman in the office and look around. We have to get them interested in SG.

No more announcements.

Next meeting either next week or the week after. I will make sure there will be no conflicts in classes. I encourage everyone to write more legislation.

Final Roll Call
Perkins present
Illes present
Haney present
Brown present
Cavo present
Huffman present

Huffman: Is there a motion to adjourn?
Cavo motion to adjourn.
Illes 2nds the motion

Student Senate adjourn at 1:28pm.