



Student Government

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Wednesday November 4th, 2020

“As a Wildcat...I promise to fulfill my commitments and remain accountable to others.”

Chairperson: Drew Beecham

Vice-Chair: Taylor Williams

Roll Call:

1. Claire-Marie Hall -Present
2. Danica Moon -Present
3. Daniel Kuhnlein -Present
4. Dearon Dixon -*Absent*
5. Drew Beecham -Present
6. Evan Horvath -Present
7. JD Boyd -Present
8. Nunu Vorkpor -Present (*Non-voting*)
9. Rachael Snyder -*Absent*
10. Taylor Williams -Present
11. Trace Williams -Present
12. Zonya Myers -Present

Agenda Items:

- I. Call to Order @ 7:04 PM
- II. Roll Call
Guests Present: Senate Chair Maya Elias, Attorney General Kamryn Stewart,
Elections Commissioner Gabe Savage
- III. Orders of the Day:
 - 1) Discussion of the Emergency Clause regarding Spring Elections
 - i. Presented by Attorney General Kamryn Stewart
 - ii. Included in documentation governing Spring 2021 Elections similarly to Fall 2020 Elections due to ongoing COVID pandemic
 - iii. Includes provision for Elections Commissioner and Elections Board to make additional precautionary adjustments as necessary for matters that may not be adequately addressed in the Clause
 - iv. Amendments to Governing Codes will need to be made first for adoption of this Clause

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- v. Amend: “Spring” to “Spring 2021” throughout Emergency Clause document
 - 1. Motion: Taylor Williams
 - 2. 2nd Motion: JD Boyd
 - 3. Vote by Acclamation
 - a. Motion: JD Boyd
 - b. 2nd Motion: Danica Moon
 - 4. Approved by Acclamation
- vi. Amend: Emergency Clause to reflect all of the following changes to the Governing Codes by vote of acclamation
 - 1. Motion: JD Boyd
 - 2. 2nd Motion: Taylor Williams
 - 3. Approved by Acclamation
- vii. Amend: “each ticket who intends to run for office is verified” to “each ticket is verified” throughout Emergency Clause document by vote of acclamation
 - 1. Motion: Taylor Williams
 - 2. 2nd Motion: JD Boyd
 - 3. Approved by Acclamation
- viii. Amend “each person who intends to run for office is verified” to “each candidate is verified” by vote of acclamation
 - 1. Motion: JD Boyd
 - 2. 2nd Motion: Taylor Williams
 - 3. Approved by Acclamation
- ix. Approve Emergency Clause (as amended above)
 - 1. Motion: JD Boyd
 - 2. 2nd Motion: Taylor Williams
 - 3. Vote (8-0-2)

1. Abstain	2. Yes	3. Abstain	4. Yes
5. --	6. Yes	7. Yes	8. –
9. Yes	10. Yes	11. Yes	12. Yes

2) Discussion of potential Amendments to the Governing Codes

- i. Presented by Senate Chair Maya Elias
- ii. Discussed in last committee meeting: adjustment of number of Senate Seats (17 Undergraduate Senators-At-Large and 6 Graduate and Professional Senators-At-Large)
 - 1. Motion: Taylor Williams
 - 2. 2nd Motion: JD Boyd
 - 3. Vote (6-0-2)

1. Abstain	2. Yes	3. Abstain	4. –
5. --	6. Yes	7. Yes	8. –
9. --	10. Yes	11. Yes	12. Yes

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iii. Amend: Amendment 1 601.3 “by the Elections Commissioner ~~and~~
~~Attorney General~~”

1. Motion: JD Boyd
2. 2nd Motion: Danica Moon
3. Vote (6-0-2)
 1. Abstain 2. Yes 3. Abstain 4. –
 5. -- 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. –
 9. -- 10. Yes 11. Yes 12. Yes

iv. Amendment 1 (as amended above)

1. Motion: JD Boyd
2. 2nd Motion: Taylor Williams
3. Vote (6-0-3)
 1. Abstain 2. Yes 3. Abstain 4. –
 5. – 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. –
 9. Abstain 10. Yes 11. Yes 12. Yes

v. Amendment 2

1. Motion: JD Boyd
2. 2nd Motion: Trace Williams
3. Vote (7-0-2)
 1. Abstain 2. Yes 3. Abstain 4. –
 5. – 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. –
 9. Yes 10. Yes 11. Yes 12. Yes

vi. Amendment 3

1. Motion: JD Boyd
2. 2nd Motion: Danica Moon
3. Vote (7-0-2)
 1. Abstain 2. Yes 3. Abstain 4. –
 5. – 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. –
 9. Yes 10. Yes 11. Yes 12. Yes

vii. Amendment 4

1. Motion: JD Boyd
2. 2nd Motion: Danica Moon
3. Vote (7-0-2)
 1. Abstain 2. Yes 3. Abstain 4. –
 5. – 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. –
 9. Yes 10. Yes 11. Yes 12. Yes

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viii. Amendment 5

1. Motion: JD Boyd
2. 2nd Motion: Taylor Williams
3. Vote (7-0-2)
 1. Abstain 2. Yes 3. Abstain 4. –
 5. -- 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. –
 9. Yes 10. Yes 11. Yes 12. Yes

ix. Amendment 6

1. Motion: JD Boyd
2. 2nd Motion: Taylor Williams
3. Vote (7-0-3)
 1. Abstain 2. Yes 3. Abstain 4. Abstain
 5. -- 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. –
 9. Yes 10. Yes 11. Yes 12. Yes

x. Amend: Amendment 7 615.3 “by the deadline set by the Elections Board,”
to “within 24 hours of the closing of the polls,”

1. Motion: Trace Williams
2. 2nd Motion: JD Boyd
3. Vote (8-0-2)
 1. Abstain 2. Yes 3. Abstain 4. Yes
 5. -- 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. –
 9. Yes 10. Yes 11. Yes 12. Yes

xi. Amendment 7 (as amended above)

1. Motion: JD Boyd
2. 2nd Motion: Taylor Williams
3. Vote (8-0-2)
 1. Abstain 2. Yes 3. Abstain 4. Yes
 5. -- 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. –
 9. Yes 10. Yes 11. Yes 12. Yes

3) Discussion of the Spring Election Timeline

- i. Presented by Gabe Savage
- ii. Motion: Taylor Williams
- iii. 2nd Motion: JD Boyd
- iv. Vote (8-0-2)
 1. Abstain 2. Yes 3. Abstain 4. Yes
 5. -- 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. –
 9. Yes 10. Yes 11. Yes 12. Yes

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- 4) Continue discussion on the Evaluation Process of SGA Active Members
 - i. Motion to Table: JD Boyd
 - ii. 2nd Motion: Taylor Williams
 - iii. Vote (8-0-2)

1. Abstain	2. Yes	3. Abstain	4. Yes
5. --	6. Yes	7. Yes	8. –
9. Yes	10. Yes	11. Yes	12. Yes

- 5) Update on the matters revolving around Postdoctoral Students
 - i. No updates on this matter yet, as conversation with program directors is moving slowly
 - ii. Our discussion will ensue in the near future whether we have heard adequately from the department or not

IV. Final Roll Call

V. Adjournment @ 8:19 PM

Final Roll Call

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| 1. Claire-Marie Hall | -Present |
| 2. Danica Moon | -Present |
| 3. Daniel Kuhnlein | -Present |
| 4. Dearon Dixon | -Present |
| 5. Drew Beecham | -Present |
| 6. Evan Horvath | -Present |
| 7. JD Boyd | -Present |
| 8. Nunu Vorkpor | -Present (<i>Non-voting</i>) |
| 9. Rachael Snyder | -Present |
| 10. Taylor Williams | -Present |
| 11. Trace Williams | -Present |
| 12. Zonya Myers | -Present |