



Western Washington University Associated Students

Senate Meeting Minutes

May 16th, 2022, 5:00-6:30 PM

Attendees: Delfine DeFrank, Nely Vasquez

Senate Members: Brenner Barclay, Cambria Keely, Justin McGlone, Sofia Larrondo, Daniela Reyes, Ted Topper, Miriam Gold, Dylan Singh, River Johnson, Gustav Guenther, Pierce Bock, Carmela Lu, Cambria Keely, Jesus Resendiz-Eyler, Rahma Iqbal,

Guests: Ryan Morris, Marcus Gulie, Ariana Gant

Staff and Assistants: Delfine DeFrank, Nely Vasquez

Motions:

SEN-22-S-10	To approve the April 18th minutes
SEN-22-S-11	To approve the May 2nd minutes
SEN-22-S-12	To move the Canyon Lake Statement to an Action Item
SEN-22-S-13	To approve the Canyon Lake Statement
SEN-22-S-14	To table Action Items - Senate

Brenner Barclay, AS Senate President, called the meeting to order at 5:13 PM

I. CONSENT ITEMS

April 18th minutes

Motion by Justin McGlone

To approve the April 18th minutes

Second: Cambria Keely

Motion passed: 12-0-0

May 2nd minutes

Motion by Sofia Larrondo
To approve the May 2nd minutes
Pierce Bock
Motion passed: 12-0-0

II. REVISIONS TO THE AGENDA

III. PUBLIC FORUM

IV. INFORMATION ITEMS – GUESTS

a. PAC Accessibility Issues

- a. Gant has brought the issue of bathroom accessibility in the performing arts center
 - i. She brings up there are no close gender neutral and close handicap restrooms
 - ii. Gant then presents her presentation to the Senators, wanting their support in fixing these issues and how to gather some from the community
 - iii. Senator suggestions:
 - 1. Reach out to social media pages – Larrondo
 - 2. E.g @newwwuvoice on Instagram
 - 3. Reach to individual hall councils on campus - Topper
 - 4. Labeling and presenting in classrooms - Bock
 - 5. Asking Professors to share - McGlone
 - 6. Reaching out to the Sustainability, Equity, and Justice Fund to address the issues faster - Iqbal
 - 7. Bock has the contact information of the person who approves those grants
 - 8. Write into this in a resolution for the Student Senate and Executive Board to vote on and endorse, who can then present it to the Board of Trustees - Barclay

b. Canyon Lake Statement

- a. Krosby is advocating for the opening of the Canyon Lake Community Forest
 - i. He then reads the statement written for the intended parties to the

Senators

Motion by Sofia Larrondo

To move the Canyon Lake Statement to an Action Item

Second: Ted Topper

Motion passed: 12-0-0

V. ACTION ITEMS – GUESTS

a. Canyon Lake Statement

Motion by Justin McGlone

To approve the Canyon Lake Statement

Second: Ted Topper

Motion passed: 12-0-0

VI. PERSONELL ITEMS

VII. INFORMATION ITEMS – SENATE

VIII. ACTION ITEMS – SENATE

a. Quorum was not met, so the Senators could not vote

Motion by Justin McGlone

To table Action Items - Senate

Second: River Johnson

Motion passed: 12-0-0

IX. SENATE REPORTS

- a. Barclay announces there is a new Dean for the College of Environmental Science**
 - a. They also report the College of Woodring is still looking for a new Dean
 - b. McGlone is wondering if there is search for an interim Dean for the College of Science and Engineering
 - i. Barclay says there is a list of candidates

X. BOARD REPORTS

XI. OTHER BUSINESS

- a.** Barclay announces former Dean Brad Johnson of the College of Science and Engineering has been appointed as Provost
 - a. Barclay asks if the Senators want to invite him to a meeting
 - b. The Senators are in favor
- b.** DeFrank announces that the new AS Board offices will be finished by the end of May and they will leave their position at WWU on June 6th
 - a. Topper wonders who will take over their position
 - b. DeFrank says it will likely go back to Associate Director of Activities Casey Haden

Brenner Barclay, AS Senate President, adjourned the meeting at 6:32 PM