

October 9th, 2017 Minutes

I. Call to order

President Sami Dada called to order the regular meeting of the NKU Student Government Association at 3:31 p.m. on October 9th, 2017 in Governance Room (SU 104).

II. Roll call

Secretary of Administration Ethan Losier conducted a roll call.

Executive Team Present: Hannah Edelen, Christina Muenchen, Ethan Losier, Taylor Gagne, Erica Bluford, and Sami Dada

Executive Members Absent:

Executive Members Excused:

Senators Present: Titillayo Akakpo, Roberto Amazendes, Jake Anderson, Trayonna Barnes, Evan Berkemeyer, Beth Carpenter, Madison Jones, Muhammud Khadaroo, Jarrett Lopez, Janiah Miller, Brenda Moran, Mizuho Niizeki, Onyi Okorie, Andrea Rothfuss, Nahawa Sesay, Jachelle Sologuren, Amber Townsend, Allison Vesgas, and Alexandria Voland

Senators Absent:

Senators Excused: Benjamin Bardgett, Presley Bryant, Luke Kues, Jeremy Sweet, and Adam Zarnowski

Justices Present: Christian Dichoso, Hunter Poindexter, and Benjamin Sanning, Lindsay Wright

Justices Absent:

Justices Excused: Haley Madden

Guests Present:

III. Pledge of Allegiance

IV. Reading of Minutes

A. President Sami Dada brought up last meeting's minutes to be approved. His motion was sub moved by Senator Anderson and Seconded by Okorie. There were none opposed.

V. Open Session

A. President Sami Dada entertained a motion to move New Business to the top of the agenda. This was sub moved by Senator Anderson and seconded by Senator Gagne. It was approved unanimously.

VI. New Business

- A. New Appointments were appointed to the Senate.
 - Questions were asked.
 - Discussion was held.
 - Motion was made by Senator Anderson to extend discussion time for two more minutes. It was seconded by Okorie.
 - A call to question was entertained by Secretary Losier. It was sub-moved by Senator Lopez and Senator Sweet. There were none opposed
- B. New Senators were sworn in by Chief Justice Poindexter
- C. A Resolution to Inform DACA Students of their Rights was presented by Senator Sologuren
 - Discussion was held about making the Resolution more inclusive for all of the DACA students and not having a singular focus on the Latino Students.
 - Chief of Staff Gagne discusses the next steps for this resolution.

VII. Executive Board Reports

- A. Secretary of Public Relations, Hannah Edelen
 - DACA Town hall is October 19th from 5 pm to 7 pm in SU 107A
 - Fill out your Polo Size!
 - Need a picture of the Big Pink Volleyball Team
 - Do we want a Pumpkin Bust Team?
 - i. The event is focused on pumpkins.
 - ii. 4 pm on the Science Lawn.
- B. Secretary of Student Involvement, Christina Muenchen.
 - Presidents Academy Presentation went well.
 - Still need Senators to be on my committee.
- C. Secretary of Administration, Ethan Losier
 - Happy Monday!
 - Name cards are being made.
 - Will update the website.
 - Will send out the Attendance Policy again for new people.
- D. Vice President, Erica Bluford
 - Welcome!
- E. President, Sami Dada
 - Welcome!
 - Congrats to Jachelle for presenting a Resolution.
 - Peyton Head is presenting at 5:30 today!

VIII. Committee Reports

- B. Student Rights Committee, Jachelle Sologuren
 - Be there on the 24th!
- C. University Improvements Committee, Evan Berkemeyer
 - Safety Walk is on the 30th.
- D. Academic Affairs Committee, Janiah Miller
 - Explained what the Town hall was and asked for questions.

IX. Ex-Officio Reports

- A. Chief of Staff, Taylor Gagne
 - If you have a committee meeting after meeting, make sure to stay for it.
- B. Chief Justice, Hunter Poindexter
 - Gave a Constitution and Bylaws Presentation.

X. Advisors Reports

- A. Head Advisor, Sarah Aikman
 - Welcome!
- B. Advisor, Bob Alston
 - Hi!
 - If you have any questions let me know!
- C. Advisor, Dannie Moore
 - Go to the Speaker tonight if you can!

XI. Liaison Reports

- A. Association of Campus Residents, President Dallas Simpson
- B. Northerner, Sam

XII. Old Business

XIII. Announcements

- A. APB Movie Night is coming up!
- B. On October 26th, there will be an event hosted by LGBTQ Programs and Service about Free Speech on campus.
- C. The Callahan Haunted House is coming up.
- D. NKU Socialist Students is hosting an event on the 24th at 7 pm.
- E. Work on the banners count as office hours.

XIV. Adjournment

Secretary of Administration Losier would like to entertain a motion to adjourn. Senator Miller sub moves and has a second from Senator Sologuren. Vote taken, none were opposed. Meeting is adjourned at 5:09 pm.

Minutes compiled by: Secretary of Administration Ethan Losier