 **Student Government Association**

**Meeting Minutes 3/28/16**

I. **Call to order**

President Katherine Hahnel called to order the regular meeting of the NKU Student Government Association at 3:30 p.m. on March 21 2016 in Governance Room (SU 104).

II. **Roll call**

Secretary of Administration Amanda Rogers conducted a roll call.

Executive Board

Katherine Hahnel – President

~~Will Weber~~ – Vice President (excused)

Joey Yerace – Secretary of Student Involvement

Sami Dada – Secretary of Public Relations

Amanda Rogers – Secretary of Administration

Julia Steffen – Student Rights Committee Chair

Kaitlyn Schaefer – University Improvements Committee Chair

Donald Taylor – Academic Affairs Committee Chair

Joey Smith – Chief Justice

Patrick Reagan – Legislative Liaison

Senators:

Anderson, Ben

Applebee, Iain

Bartlett, Dasia

Blankenship, Brad

Britt, Chase

Case, Joseph

Cornes, Troy

Curtis, Cole

Davis, Miriam

Dailey, Isaac

Dieudone, Irakoze

Gagne, Taylor

~~Gross, Rodney~~ (unexcused)

Hepner, Becca

Hils, Maria

Jordan, Dominique

Mentrup, Cynthia

Miller, Christian

Poindexter, Hunter

Roberson, Preston

Smith, Maggie

Stevenson, Austin

Sutton, Spencer

Switzer, Alexis

Vincent, Emma

West, Jarrod

Winstel, Caroline

Justices:

Loiser, Ethan

McGinnis, Michael

Mettens, Walker

III. **Approval of Minutes**

1. Secretary Amanda Rogers announces the changes to the previous weeks minutes. Senator Taylor Gagne motions for approval, and Senator Donald Taylor seconds. Vote taken, and Unanimously passed.

IV. **Open Session**

1. Kelly Martin from Marketing, came in to speak about the new athletics logo, and the new overall university logo. She spoke about simplifying the brand. She also spoke about a short time crunch to make some final decisions, and that they made the decisions with the previously done survey as a corner tone.

V. **Executive Board Reports**

a.) Secretary of Public Relations, Sami Dada

1.) Everyone who is running please look at the rules for the election, just to be safe.

2.) There are still some tabling spots open, please sign up if you can.

b.) Secretary of Student Involvement, Joey Yerace

1.) Last Legacy Fund meeting will be in April, the date to be decided. This meeting will be for summer funding and the fund has $10,000 to disburse.

c.) Secretary of Administration, Amanda Rogers

1.) Good Luck to everyone in your races next week!

2.) Please send in some superlatives!

d.) Vice President, Will Weber

1.) Not Present

e.) President, Katherine Hahnel

1.) Good luck to everyone on your election races!

VI. **Committee Reports**

a.) Student Rights Committee, Julia Steffen

1. ) Congratulations to the Senators on their resolutions.

2.) Senator Dominique Jordan is working on a draft for a dining hall to-go box resolution, survey to come.

3.) Committee meeting afterwards in the corner!

b.) University Improvements Committee, Kaitlyn Schaefer

1.) The safety Walk is today get excited! It starts at 5:30!

2.) She will be giving out path assignments if you do not know after meeting.

3.) If there are any questions please ask!

c.) Academic Affairs Committee, Donald Taylor

1.) Short committee meeting the back corner!

VII. **Ex-Officio Reports**

a.) ACR Liaison Dana

1.) No Report

b.) VSA Liaison Holly

1.) The red shirts are for sale in the Veteran Affairs office.

c.) ISU Liaison Saud

1.) Not Present

d.) Legislative Liaison, Patrick Reagan

1.) Congratulations to Senator Blankenship and Diuedone for their resolutions!

2.) For resolutions April 5th is the last day to turn in a draft!

3.) Our last meeting is April 18th, the 25th is the first meeting of the new body.

e.) Chief Justice, Joseph Smith

1.) Everyone please remember to turn in their Itemized Expenditure Reports because if you do not have them in by tomorrow at 4:00pm then your name will be removed from the ballot.

2.) Please show up on Thursday at 10:00pm for election results.

VIII. **Advisors Reports**

a.) Head Advisor Sarah Aikman

1.) No Report

b.) Advisor Stephen Meier

1.) Good Luck to everyone.

c.) Advisor Dannie Moore

1.) No Report

IX. **New Business**

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a.) Senator Irakoze Diuedone has the second reading of his resolution. Senator Caroline Winstel calls to question, Senator Donald Taylor Second. Vote taken, and resolution unanimously passed.

b.) Senator Bradley Blankenship has the second reading of his resolution. Senator Emma Vincent asks a question about the quote in the third whereas. Senator Austin Stevenson calls to question, and Senator Donald Taylor seconds. Vote taken, (27-yes, 0-np, 1-abstention)

XI. **Announcements**

1. Dana Jetter announces that there will be a Dive-In in March run by ACR. It will be in the Recreation Center pool, and inflatables will be provided. The date is currently being amended.

XII. **Adjournment**

Motion to adjourn by Senator Taylor Gagne, seconded by Senator Becca Hepner; vote taken (27-yes, 0-no, 1-abstention). President Katherine Hahnel adjourned the meeting at 4:16 p.m.

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