



Student Government Senate
Texas State University

LBJ Teaching Theater– 7:00 PM
Sixty-Fourth Session
January 13, 2025

Student Government Senate Minutes

I. Call to Order at 7:00 by Chairman Brown

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. National Anthem

IV. Roll Call

Present

- 1) Vice President Pro Temp Abby Myers
- 2) Parliamentarian Pablo Avellaneda
- 3) Senator Dakota Autrey
- 4) Senator Patrick Awuah
- 5) Senator Aeric Bauer
- 6) Senator Joseph Crist
- 7) Senator Melenie Cardeno
- 8) Senator Carolena Estrada
- 9) Senator Madison Koop
- 10) Senator Alanze Leon
- 11) Senator Adam Long
- 12) Senator Kristian Maldonado
- 13) Senator Abigail Malinak
- 14) Senator Alexis Manzanares
- 15) Senator Samantha Regan
- 16) Senator Jacob Tagert
- 17) Senator Grace Tang
- 18) Senator Emma Vega
- 19) Senator Jordan Williams
- 20) Senator Rick Wilson

Absent

V. Orders of the Day

VI. Approval of Minutes

VII. Guest Speakers



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VIII. Public Forum

IX. Senate Leadership Reports

- A) Auxiliary affair Chair- Moving forward writing legislation
- B) Health and Safety Chair- Waiting for clarification to move forward with specific details with their new legislation
- C) Sustainability Chair- Had a meeting with the coordinator for the University Committee right before break about how the fee was absolved
- D) Transportation and Parking Chair- Working with UPD on new officer interviews
- E) Academic Affairs Chair- Working on new legislation

X. Vice President's Reports- Gave advice for upcoming semester

XI. Cabinet Reports

- A) Director of Freshman Council- Freshman Council will be carrying over some of the previous semester's members

XII. President's Report- Election filing opened today; The election board will be handling all the election related issues; April 11th will be the end of year banquet

XIII. Advisor's Report- The election board changes were made in the new constitution with the idea to remove conflict of interest; The university will be hosting a casino night next week

XIV. Old Business

A Resolution to Enhance Designated Free Speech Areas

- A) Parliamentarian Avellaneda motioned to table until January 27th, 2025
 - 1. Roll Call Vote; 17 Yes, 2 No (Vice President Pro Temp Myers, Senator Williams), 1 Abstention (Senator Vega due to lacking context)

A Resolution in Support of Establishing a President's List for Academic Honors

- B) Read by Vice President Pro-Temp Myers
- C) Senator Long wanted clarification about the measuring of the people who qualify
 - 1. Vice President Pro Temp Myers said works just like Dean's List
- D) Senator Tagert asked if this is completely separate from Dean's List
 - 1. Vice President Pro Temp Myers said it was



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- E) Director of Government Affairs asked what other schools participate in this and wanted to know what additional incentive would be included
 - 1. Vice President Pro Temp Myers listed a few for each question
- F) Roll call vote, pass unanimously

XV. New Business

XVI. Adjourned at 7:22 by Chairman Brown