

LBJ Teaching Theater– 7:00 PM  
Sixty-Fourth Session  
February 24, 2025

## **Student Government Senate Agenda**

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

### **II. Pledge of Allegiance**

### **III. National Anthem**

### **IV. Roll Call**

#### **Present**

- A) Vice President Pro Temp Abby Myers
- B) Parliamentarian Pablo Avellaneda
- C) Senator Dakota Autrey
- D) Senator Aeric Bauer
- E) Senator Joseph Crist
- F) Senator Melenie Cardeno
- G) Senator Carolena Estrada
- H) Senator Madison Koop
- I) Senator Alanze Leon
- J) Senator Adam Long
- K) Senator Abigail Malinak
- L) Senator Samantha Regan
- M) Senator Jacob Tagert
- N) Senator Drake Touve
- O) Senator Emma Vega
- P) Senator Jordan Williams
- Q) Senator Rick Wilson

#### **Absent**

- A) Senator Patrick Awuah
- B) Senator Alexis Manzanares
- C) Senator Noah Schlosz

### **V. Orders of the Day**

- A) Parliamentarian Avellaneda motioned to make all “Old Business” previously read
- B) Vice President Pro Temp Myers moved into Committee as a Whole

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C) Senator Vega made A Bill to be Entitled “Utilities Budget Proposal Allocation Increase for Environmental Service Fee Committee” emergency

1. Roll Call vote, passed unanimously

D) Senator Tagert motioned to excuse Senator Awuah’s absence

#### **VI. Approval of Minutes**

#### **VII. Guest Speakers**

A) Mrs. Villarreal: Chartwells, Director of Marketing and Guest Experience- Discussed her role within the Dining Department

B) Mr. Chua: Chartwells, Resident District Manager- Discussed his role withing the Dining Department

1. Senator Wilson asked about sustainability efforts within his department

2. Senator Long asked about the pending renovations at Harris Dining Hall

C) Mr. Jason Vlastaras: Director of Campus Recreation- Discussed his role as the Director

1. Different senators had group discussion giving feedback to potential designers

2. Senator Estrada asked about the weight room at Bobcat Village

3. Senator Autrey asked about expanding marketing for the pool at the rec

4. Senator Wilson asked about replacing the sound system

5. Senator Long asked about his role in maintaining Sewell Park

6. Senator Autrey asked about expanding the combat sports programs

7. Senator Wilson suggested adding to an alert system that lets students know when the rec is busy/slow

#### **VIII.Public Forum**

#### **IX. Parliamentary Avellaneda pointed out that Senator Tagert’s motion was unconstitutional**

A) Vice President Pro Temp Myers motioned to move to Committee as a Whole

1. Parliamentarian Avellaneda motioned to leave

B) Parliamentarian Avellaneda motioned to suspend the rules

1. Roll Call vote, Passed unanimously

2. Vice President Pro Temp Myers reinstated the rules

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- C) Voted on Senator Awuah’s absence
  - 1. Roll Call Vote; Passed with vote of 15-2 (Long, Vega)
- D) Senator Vega motioned to voice vote the rest of the night
  - 1. Roll Call Vote; Passed unanimously

**X. Senate Leadership Reports**

- A) Vice President Pro Temp Myers- Working on a transition process for the eventual incoming senate committees
- B) Parliamentarian Avellaneda- Advertised Bobcat Build
- C) Auxiliary Affair Chair- Presenting to Dr. Matera coming up
- D) Health and Safety Chair- In contact with Health Services
- E) Sustainability Chair- Met with the Environmental Service Fee Committee which led to her legislation
- F) Transportation and Parking Chair- Will be working with UPD on Wednesday
- G) Academic Affairs Chair- Working with Vice President Pro Temp Myers on the upcoming free speech week

**XI. Vice President’s Reports**

- A) Updated on upcoming schedule

**XII. Cabinet Reports**

- A) Director of Finance- STAR Grants are re-opened
- B) Director of Community Outreach- still in talks with organizations

**XIII. President’s Report**

- A) Advertised Bobcat Build
- B) Last week to file for elections

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**XIV. Advisor’s Report**

- A) Reminded everyone to file for re-election before the deadline

**XV. Old Business**

A Resolution Proposing Internet on Walkways

- A) Senator Vega wanted clarification on cost estimates
- B) Voice Vote, Passed

A Resolution Supporting Coursera

- A) Voice Vote, Passed

A Resolution Supporting Enhanced Internet Within Auditorium Lecture

- A) Voice Vote, Passed

**XVI. New Business**

A Bill to be Entitled “Utilities Budget Proposal Allocation Increase for Environmental Service Fee Committee”

- A) Read by Senator Vega
- B) Senator Autrey asked where the funds from this increase will be used
- C) Senator Touve added further information regarding the piece
- D) Senator Williams asked about how the survey information was collected
- E) Senator Wilson wanted clarification on current funding
- F) Senator Autrey asked why the price jump is so high
- G) Senator Tagert asked about the current utility fee
- H) Vice President Pro Temp Myers motioned to move to vote
- I) Voice Vote, Passed

**XVI. Adjourned at 8:32 by Chairman Brown**