Student Senate
September 28th, 2016
River Valley Room
6:00 pm

Minutes

Members
John Opland
Nicolas Hanson
Jonathan Schlitz
Chris Petschen
Eric Souvannasac
Eric Gefroh
**Matthew Adamson
Daniel Frank
Conrad Kranz
**Kaleb Dschaak
Michael Kelsch
**John Bjorklund
Taylor Bovee
Layton Ericson
Hannah Carlson
Tucker Haffner
**Brett Johnson
**Jake Wahlin
**Nicholas Young
Laurie Freid

Non-Voting Members
Brandon Beyer
Blake Andert
Cole Bachmeier
Ben Grounds
Jake Eischens
Erik Hanson
Nate Schroeder
Abigail Christiansen
Cassie Gerhardt

Visitors
Journey Goinjes
Pee Maga
Peter Johnson
Todd Feland
Sol Jensen

* Arrived after call to order
** Absent
*** Left before adjournment
**** Excused Absence

CALL TO ORDER

V.P. Andert called the 9/28/2016 meeting of the UND Student Senate to order at 6:04 PM.

APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA

MOTION

Senator Opland moved to approve the consent agenda without objection.

VOTE

(00:00:29) MOTION APPROVED
GUEST SPEAKERS

(00:00:56) Todd Feland, the city administrator, Presented about the .75% sales tax increase. Voting is on November 8th. It is for infrastructure. Should bring in $7.75 million a year. Will Sunset in 2067.

REPORTS

A. Executive

(00:29:00) President Beyer talked about invites for President Kennedy’s Initiation as President. Pancakes with President, new event coming up. Sunday Mornings at 10:30-12, once a month will occur.

(00:30:52) VP Andert: There was four applications received for the open off campus position. No senate meeting next week. Architects will be in town to meet about the reconstruction of the Union.

(00:33:29) Treasurer Eischens: No report.

(00:33:37) Cole Bachmeier, Chief of Staff, Name tags will be here soon.

(00:34:00) Ben Grounds, VP Chief of Staff, No report.

(00:34:15) Erik Hanson, GAC, Trying to find ways for people to get out and vote. There is currently a new way to vote in your current address in ND. Must sign affidavit.

(00:35:50) Abigail Christiansen, No report

(00:36:04) Nate Schroeder, SOFA Chair, There are three opens spots on SOFA.

(00:36:22) Cassie Gerhardt, Talked about various events we have done in the past and will complete this year. UPD light and safety walk is upcoming, 7:30PM. Walk around campus and find places safety needs to be improved and pizza will be provided afterwards.

B. Committees

Judicial

(0:39:30) Judicial Committee didn’t meet.

Appropriations

(00:39:54) Appropriations met and voted to bring SB1617-03 to floor.
Respectfully Submitted,

Blake Andert
Chair

[Signature]

Recording Secretary