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MINUTES OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
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CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Student Government Association was called to order at 5:00 pm by Vice-President Jeff Yan.

ROLL CALL

Absences included Tara Higdon,Matt Ayers, Lance Blincoe, Kris Durbin, Kenneth Hartman, Jason Loehr, Kristi Myers, Lori Throop, Brian Woods, and John Yeric.

READING OF THE MINUTES

It was moved to suspend with the reading of the minutes. Motion passed.

OFFICER REPORTS

Tara Higdon, President--There was no President's report.

Jeff Yan, Vice-President--Vice-President Yan announced that the Vother Registration Drive had changed and to be in Garret on Mondays and Thursdays, and to be in Duc on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Kristen Miller, Public Relations Director--Public Relations Director Miller discussed the Pep Rally that will be Friday Sept. 22., and handed out fliers to hang up. Miller encouraged everyone to come out and told Congress to meet her downstairsd to get their SGA sweatshirt to wear to the Pep Rally. Miller also thanked everyone on the PR Committee for all the hard work they did.

Erin Schepman, Secreatary--Secretary Schepman announced the open positions. There is 1 Graduate School position, and there is one position open in the following Residence Halls: Bates-Runner, Florence-Schnieder, Gilbert, New Co-Ed, McLean, PFT, Rodes-Harlin, South, West, and North. There are 2 positions open in Central, Barnes-Campbell, and Bemis-Lawrence. Secretary Schepman also thanked everyone for attending the retreat. There were a lot of new ideas generated and it was a benefit to the new members that have never been on campus before. Secretary Schepman also passed around a phone list for everyone to sign so everyone would have a copy of the Congress members phone numbers.

Brandon Rucker, Treasurer--There were no expenditures for the past week. This leaves

our account balance at $35,409.38. Organizational Aid applications are available at the Information Desk and in the SGA office. Treasurer Rucker also announced that if anyone who did not attend the retreat this past weekend would like to take advantage of the programs that they missed, to see someone on Executive Council.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS--Coordinator of Committees Stepanie McCarty announced that Academic Affairs no longer has a committe head, so if anyone is interested about joining this committee, to see her.

STUDENT AFFAIRS--Student Affairs Chair Darlene Lodmell announced that the first meeting of the committee at the retreat stimulated many good ideas and everyone was very excited to start work.

LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH--Committe Chair Carlene Lodmell announced that The first meeting at the retreat was basically an informational one. They talked about what LRC does and what it's role is in SGA. One of the things they will be tackling this year will be reviewing the Constitution.

CAMPUS IMPROVEMENTS--Committee Chair Steve Roadcap announced that the first meeting went very well. They have already written their first piece of Legislation about repairing the track. Some ideas that the committee talked about was clearing up the parking problem and the possibilites of a campus store.

PUBLIC RELATIONS--Committe Co-Chair Shawna Whartenby discussed the new ad campaign that the Government Dept. might be doing for us, a possible SGA scrapbook, up-coming forums, and the Pep Rally.

PROGRAMMING--No Report.

CULTURAL DIVERSITY--Cultural Diversity Chair Valerie Hadnot announced that the First meeting will be Thursday at 3:15. If anyone is interested, please come; we need to come up with some concrete goals for the semester.

ACADEMIC COUNCIL--Potter College-No Report
Ogden College-No Report
Business College-No Report
Education College-No Report

COUNCIL ON ORGANIZATIONAL AFFAIRS--No report.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS--There was no unfinished business.

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NEW BUSINESS--The following first readings for legislation were introduced: Bill 95-1-F "Organizational Aid Recipients on COA", and Resolution 95-1-F "Replacing the Track."

ANNOUNCEMENTS--Vice President Jeff Yan reminded everyone to show up to work their time slots for Voter Registration Drive. Treasurer Rucker reminded everyone that authors of legislation must be at the LRC meetings for the committe to go over the legislations, and that anyone can be on committees without being on Congress. PR Director Miller reminded everyone to come to the Pep Rally and to get their sweatshirts.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned by unanimous consent at 5:25pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Erin A. Schepman

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