# FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY PANAMA CITY CAMPUS THIRTY-EIGHTH STUDENT GOVERNMENT COUNCIL MINUTES OF THE MEETING

Meeting #17-38 January 23, 2020

Call to Order: Pres. Bradley called the meeting to order at 7:50pm

Pledge of Allegiance: Rep. Scott Moment of Silence: Pres. Bradley Roll Call of Members: Pres. Bradley

MEMBERS PRESENT: Billy Bradley, Melissa Adams, Braden Baumgardner, Mia Bennett, Cameron

Conn, Kyle Greer, Sydnee O'Donnell, Lucy Rodriguez, Dylan Schweinsburg, Isabella Scott

MEMBERS ABSENT: LATE:

EXCUSED: Samuel Lamb LEFT EARLY:

UNEXCUSED: LEAVE OF ABSENCE:

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: #17-38

#### APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES FROM MEETING #16-38

## FACULTY/STAFF/AUDIENCE INTRODUCTIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Dr. Cobb:** I am speaking on behalf of myself and Mrs. Ginger Littleton and we will be holding a Math Madness and STEM Expo. If you remember Invention, it will be similar to this but slightly different because Gulf Coast has taken it over. This will take place on the same day that the College [National] Playoffs will be from 1:00pm to 4:00pm on April 4th. This will be our 3rd annual outreach to the community and will be for any kids from K-2 all the way up to 8th grade. We are really just looking for volunteers and some hands on deck to help out with the event if possible.

**Dr. Clark:** First I'd like to thank SGC in their efforts in rallying around a colleague that just seemed like yesterday was sitting here amongst you all; I am talking about Savanna Bond-Steele. I really appreciate Billy and other members of student government council members and the efforts you have put forth. A couple of good things since the last meeting: the very next day after last meeting, Billy, Same, Lucy and I travelled to Tallahassee to meet with the Vice President of Student Affairs, Associate Vice President Dean of Students, The Executive Director of Housing, and a couple other people along with Ms. Allison Moon about the impact the new housing project will have. We talked about everything from staff impacts to student organizations, student counselling and disabilities, law enforcement, grounds. We know there will be some new positions that we must have for things like Title 9. Even some new state laws about fair housing accommodations is also something new that impacting the state. Something new at the Florida Board of Governors meetings that might come up is that all students, regardless of where they are from, must have health insurance.

Finance & Administration: No report.

Allison Moon, Associate Director of Student Affairs: No report.

Kayleigh Cosson, Student Engagement Coordinator: No Report

#### **OFFICERS' REPORTS:**

**President Bradley:** I sent you all an email about the Board of Governors Meeting being changed from Thursday to Wednesday. Dr. Pollock has emailed something out to all of the professors regarding the meeting and I have also hand delivered something to most of your professors. If you can not make Wednesday for some reason please let me know and you can also come on Thursday, but Dr. Hanna would prefer we come on Wednesday. In addition, Sam and I talked earlier today and know that it has been a very long, busy, and rough week so your chair reports are going to be pushed back to today or tomorrow.

**Senator Adams:** February 1<sub>st</sub> which is coming up very quickly, is going to the Out in the South Event and I will be sending out an email with a link to obtain a ticket/RSVP in order to know an approximate attendance. If you can make it out, please do. We need as many students to be there and participate as we can get. For those of you who are on SABA, the retreat is not going to be happening tomorrow and we will just hold the regularly scheduled meeting. I will also be working on an Official FSU Panama City and Gulf Coast textbook exchange to help save on textbook costs for the students.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

# A. Bill 1-38A Social Work Budget Request

An allocation not to exceed \$400 is made from Sweepings Unallocated to Programming Committee. The purpose of allocation is to purchase materials for Welcome Back Week and Stress-Less Week.

Bill Seconded

Bill Passed by Roll Call Vote: Melissa Adams (yes), Braden Baumgardner (yes), Mia Bennet (yes), Cameron Conn (yes), Kyle Greer (yes), Sydnee O'Donnell (yes), Lucy Rodriguez (abstain), Dylan Schweinsburg (yes), Isabella Scott (yes)

## B. Resolution #13

The Florida State University Panama City Student Government and student body offer its sincerest condolences to the friends and family of Reana Velez.

**Resolution: Senator Adams** 

Resolution Seconded

Resolution Passed by Roll Call Vote: Melissa Adams (yes), Braden Baumgardner (yes), Mia Bennet (yes), Cameron Conn (yes), Kyle Greer (yes), Sydnee O'Donnell (yes), Lucy Rodriguez (yes), Dylan Schweinsburg (yes), Isabella Scott (yes)

## C. Resolution #14

The Florida State University Panama City Student Government and student body offer its sincerest condolences to the friends and family of Savanna Steele-Bonde.

**Resolution: Senator Adams** 

**Resolution Seconded** 

Resolution Passed by Roll Call Vote: Melissa Adams (yes), Braden Baumgardner (yes), Mia Bennet (yes), Cameron Conn (yes), Kyle Greer (yes), Sydnee O'Donnell (yes), Lucy Rodriguez (yes), Dylan Schweinsburg (yes), Isabella Scott (yes)

#### For the Good of the Order:

**President Bradley –** (No remarks recorded)

**Senator Adams** – I've sent out an email regarding everyone's schedule which helps us to schedule events during times that people are most generally available. February 14-16th we will be in New Orleans for the ASGA Conference, also.

**Rep. Baumgardner** – Elections has a few items coming up: on February 19h we will be holding a voter registration drive in the Holley. After that, Census day is coming up on March 12th where we will be holding a census day event as well as working on a Census PSA with a few other students. Further out, we have the SGC Spring Elections coming up during the first week in march and I will begin coordinating that shortly.

**Rep. Bennet** – This year instead of having a "Spring Fling" I would like to do something called a "Laugh out Loud" week where I will have little events set up all week to promote the two big events on the Thursday and Friday of that same week. On Thursday I am looking into having a Campus vs. Campus Lip Sync battle and Friday night will be a comedy club night.

**Rep. Conn** – Publicity committee meetings will be held in this room and will begin meeting next week. I will have the generic committee flyer with everyone's time and locations sent out tomorrow.

**Rep. Greer** – I yield my time.

**Rep. O'Donnell** – The American Heart Association has reached out to us and would like for us to volunteer and help. If you do volunteer this event you will be able to attend the event as well. I am asking everyone to try and please make it out and I know that this is the day immediately following the Board of Governors meeting but it would be wonderful.

Rep. Rodriguez – I do have some events in mind for the rest of the semester and I send out invites for them in the future. If there is anything pressing or you need to let me know anything please reach out.

Rep. Schweinsberg – Thank you Billy for everything you have been doing this week, you've been doing a lot and I see that and thank you for that. Melissa, thank you for reading those resolutions. To everyone else, I appreciate you all being hear to hear those resolutions because we did suffer a loss for a whole campus. I want to touch on something that was discussed in our meeting with Dr. Parker: the family is there to surround Tyke [Steele] and in a couple months or year or so, its going to slow down and he's going to need some family. We are that family and I encourage everyone to keep that in mind. On the wellness front, I'm forming a schedule for intramurals and will get that over to Cameron. I didn't complete the formatting for the new student lounge but I will have it prepared for the following meeting.

**Rep. Scott** – I am currently in the process of gathering the list for award nominations for graduation from the students and will give those to Braden to voted upon in the upcoming election.

ADJOURNMENT: Rep. Conn moved for the meeting to adjourn. Motion was seconded. The meeting adjourned at 8:31pm.