

THE SIXTIETH SENATE OF THE ASNMSU
GENERAL MEETING 12

March 9th, 2016

CCSU Senate Chambers 6:00 PM

I. Roll Call

- Senator Guajardo Absent, Excused
- Senator Ferrante Absent, Excused
- Senator Gardner Absent, Excused

II. Reading and Approval of the Journal

- Journal was read and approved

III. Petitions and Remonstrations

- No petitions or Remonstrations

IV. Executive Department Reports

- Governmental Affairs, *Wake Gardner*
 - No report
- Athletic Relations, *Zach Aragon*
 - Discussed the tailgates for basketball and baseball as well as attendance
- Attorney General, *Shannon Effle*
 - Discussed the law book and updates that have been made
- Public Relations, *Michaela Mabry*
 - Discussed; hoedown throw-down, glow in the dark yoga, tailgate, Aggie army shirts, baseball shirts, elections poster, elections shirts, legal speaker series, window decals, pencils to be given with scantrons, “its on us shirts”, new snapchat filters, graphic calendar.
 - Questions pertaining to the range of the snapchat filter
- Special Events, *Austin McCallon*
 - Special events board is working on; posters for Blink-182 (March 25th), searching for volunteers for spring fling concert, asnmsu logo will be printed on all tickets, name drop in radio ad, Walka-Flocka-Flame for spring fling, asking for sponsors.
 - Questions on concert tickets and the % sold

V. Reports of Standing Committees

- Rules – DeLorean Forbes, Chairman
 - Do Pass: 138, 145, 146, 147, 149, 151
 - Tabled: 148, 150, 152
- Community Affairs – Emerson Morrow, Chairman
 - Do Pass: 127, 145, 146, 147, 149
 - Tabled: 138
 - CDP: 133, 151
- Finance – Jaycie Cruz, Chairman
 - Do Pass: 127, 133, 145, 146, 147, 149, 151
- Committee reports adopted

VI. College Council Reports

- Agricultural, Consumer, and Env. Sciences
 - Discussed FFA fest, awards banquet, quiz cab
- Arts and Sciences
 - Discussed resolution 28, yoga, elections, 3 appropriations made

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- Business
 - Discussed, presentation on bill process, Resolution 28, 3 appropriations
- Education
 - Discussed: upcoming events; yoga and “the big event”, dates for future meetings
- Engineering
 - Discussed: Elected new Council Officers.
- Health and Social Services
 - Discussed: Only 6 in attendance, elected new Treasurer, fundraiser at Jason’s Deli proceeds to college council, accepting candidates for elections, resolution 28 mentioned.
 - Question pertaining to the proceeds of the fundraiser
- Graduate School
 - Discussed: senator martin resigned, appropriations, Dean of School to discussed health insurance and tuition
 - Resolution 28 discussed

VII. Reports from Senate Appointments on Special Committees

- Athletic Council, Ferrante
 - No report
- Student Advocacy Board, Morrow
 - Gap Year Bill #420, moving on to house education committee
 - Bill #250, unclaimed lottery money goes back to the the scholarship fund
- Intramural Policy Board, Downing
 - No report
- Sodexo Student Board of Directors, Koppner
 - Asked for emails pertaining to concerns/suggestions about Sodexo and its restaurants.
- Continuing Diversity Board, Forbes
 - An appropriation for American Indian Programs \$2,313. An appropriation for \$374.50 for the 2017 Miss Native American NMSU Meet and Greet. An appropriation for \$301.50 for the Discussion Panel. An appropriation for the Turquoise Rose movie showing. An appropriation for \$1,200 for the Taco Demo. An appropriation for \$1,650 for the Cibique Apache Dance Group Performance. An appropriation for \$1,163.49 for the 2017 Miss Native American NMSU Pageant. An appropriation for \$96.50 Concert at Corbett with IWOK. An appropriation for \$1100 for the Native American Market Dance Group. Total amount for appropriations \$8,844.99
 - Appropriations to: LGBTQ + programs \$3300 for Kristen Beck Speaks and \$4500 for the Annual Drag Show as well as an appropriation of \$1700 for the Festival of Colors
- Student Tech Advisory Committee, Cassidy
 - Student Tech day, ideas for investing money, ICT survey, fishing emails

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- Student Health Insurance, DeAlba
 - Addresses concerns about foreign students insurance packages and possible fraud,
 - Questions pertaining to the imminent merge between counseling and health center, job loss.
- Alcohol Review Board, Cairns
 - Roping off certain events to ensure no minor may enter
- University Teaching Council, Stevens
 - No Report
- Library Student Advisory Committee, Ordoque
 - No report
- Student Athletic Fee Advisory Committee, Loya
 - No Report
- Special Events Committee, Guajardo
 - No Report
- Sustainability Board, Ferreira
 - No Report
- Student Fee Review Board, Cairns
 - Some fees were cut
 - Other relevant information classified until the next senate meeting
- Faculty Senate Representative, Martin
 - No Report

VIII. Business on the President's Desk

- Letters
 - Pertaining to Senator Guajardo's absence, Excused
 - Pertaining to Senator Ferrante's absence, Excused
- Surplus Account Balance \$ 518,469.31
- Cardinal Account Balance \$ 167,316.56
- Club Endowment Account Balance \$ 2,117,478.61
- ASNMSU Endowment Interest Account Balance \$ 408,344.27
- Remarks of the President
 - Remarks about the resignation of Senator Martin
 - Points are up to date, sign in for office hours, when points are awarded senators will be notified. Nominations for Special Committee Elections.
- Remarks of the President Pro Tempore
 - Encourages fair and honest voting
- Remarks of the Faculty Senate Representative
 - Addresses the concerns of the Faculty Senate, discusses the function of the Faculty Senate and their work/meetings, encourages representatives to work in conjunction.
 - Question pertaining to the sufficiency of the previous representative
 - Question pertaining to public legislation passed by the faculty senate

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- Discussion pertaining to the resolutions being put through both senates and possible overlap
- Remarks of the Chief Senate Clerk
 - No remarks

IX. Open Forum

- No one for open forum

X. First Readings

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AN ACT

153 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ACCOUNT OF BETA ALPHA PSI

154 AMENDING SECTIONS 4-3-1 OF THE 2016-2017 ASNMSU LAW BOOK.

155 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ACCOUNT OF CRITICAL/MULTICULTURAL EDUCATORS' GRADUATE STUDENT ORGANIZATION

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157 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ACCOUNT OF NMSU RODEO

154 AMENDING SECTIONS 7-3-3-J OF THE 2016-2017 ASNMSU LAW BOOK.

159 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ACCOUNT OF SOCIETY OF HUMAN RESOURCE.

160 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ACCOUNT OF DOCTORAL BUSINESS STUDENT ASSOCIATION

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MEMORIAL #8 IN RECOGNITION OF THE 60TH SENATE ASNMSU GRADUATE COLLEGE SENATOR MICHAEL CHAD

Motion to move #109 & #143 off the table

XI. Second Readings

Bill #109

- Amendment to line 15 to replace price with .535
- Lillie Alexander as guest to explain the bill
- Question pertaining to funding that was received
- Amendment to line 22 "funds were allocated in the amount of \$500"

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- Amendment to line 22 the total \$2,382.00
- Amendment to line 24 to read \$1882.00
- Amendment to line 25 to read \$1130.00
- Amendment to line 27 to read \$753.00
- Questions and Discussion: pertaining to the differences in registration fees, lodging fees, accommodations and location of individuals on the trip, and parking fees.
- Motion for a Do Pass
- Do Pass

Bill # 127

- Amendment to line 6 to read 4 males, and 2 females
- Amendment to line 15 to read (1 hotel room @79.00 per night x 5 nights)x two rooms
- Guest speakers to explain the bill
- Question pertaining to the number of constituents listed on the bill and their corresponding names
- Amendment to line 15 to read \$790.00
- Amendment to line 17 to read \$2458.00
- Amendment to line 21 to read \$1475.00
- Amendment to line 23 to read \$983.00
- Amendment to line 26 to read \$983.00
- Question pertaining to transportation fees and their specific line items
- No further question or discussion
- Motion for a Do Pass
- Do Pass

Bill #143

- Amendment to line 20 to read Graduated Student Council & \$400
- Amendment to line 22 to read \$770.00
- Amendment to line 23 to read \$462.00
- Amendment to line 25 to read \$308.00
- Amendment to line 28 to also read \$308.00
- Amendment to line 12 to change “Registration” to “Registration fee”
- Amendment to line 12 un-capitalize the “F” in fee
- Guest speaker to explain the bill
- Questions pertaining to the guest speakers specific research and work
- No further questions, discussion, or amendments
- Motion for a Do Pass
- Do Pass

Bill #146

- No amendments at this time
- Guest speakers to explain the bill
- No questions
- Discussion pertaining their work in the competition and contributions around campus as well as their community service.

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- Motion for a Do Pass
- Do Pass

Bill # 149

- No amendments at this time
- Guest speakers to introduce the bill and explain the competition they will be participating in
- No questions or discussion
- Motion for a Do Pass
- Do Pass

Bill #151-

- No amendments at this time
- guest speaker to explain the bill
- Discussion pertaining the community service done
- Questions pertaining if it is a competition or a presentation
- Questions pertaining awards for the competition
- Question pertaining the proof of presentation
- Motion for a Do Pass
- Do Pass

Bill #145

- Amendment to line 32 to read “Business Council” for the amount of \$250.00
 - Amendment to line 34 to read \$845.00
 - Amendment to line 35 to read \$507.00
 - Amendment to line 37 to read \$338.00
 - Amendment to line 40 to read \$338.00
 - Objection on the appropriation of \$500.00
 - Clarification on the appropriations given
 - Objection retracted
 - Guest speaker: Lillie Alexander explains the bill
 - Question pertaining line 24 the specific transportation fee
 - Amendment to line 24 replace the word “ticket” with “fee”
 - Amendment to line 32 to read “No funds allocated”
 - Objection to remove the allocation
 - Objection retracted
 - Motion to Table
 - Bill Tabled
- Motion to reconsider Bill #109
 - Motion to table Bill #109
 - Bill #109 has been tabled

Bill #133

- Amendment to line 51 to read \$600.00

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- Amendment to line 53 to read \$327.00
- Amendment to line 54 to read \$197.00
- Amendment to line 56 to read \$130.00
- Amendment to line 58 to read \$495.00
- Amendment to line 61 \$495.00
- Motion to remove resigned Senator Martin from the by line
- Questions and discussion pertaining to the amount being appropriated
- Question pertaining the length of time that \$1000 has been allowed to be appropriated
- President Pro Tempore addresses the concerns of the senate floor and the money being appropriated
- Motion to table the bill
- Bill has been tabled

Bill #147

- No amendments at this time
- Senator explains the bill
- Question pertaining to line 12
- Motion to give bill a Do Pass
- Do Pass

- Motion to revisited Bill #144
- Bill #144 will be revisited
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Bill #144-Revisited

- No amendments can be made at this time
- Response to the veto
- The view of the constituents
- Questions on the bill its self and the individual to whom the money will be allocated
- Discussion on the use of C.O.W
- Discussion on the potential loss the constituent may be taking
- Questions/Discussion regarding the FPW
- Question pertaining the communication between the Comptroller and the constituent regarding the FPW and time at which it was due.
- Amendment added to the website regarding confusion with the FPW
- Discussion and Debate
- Previous Question has been called and ends discussion
- Not Amendable or Debatable
- Debate closed
- Motion to overturn the veto
- Motion Seconded
- Roll call vote
- 21- In Favor 6 -Against
- Veto overturned
- Words from the constituent

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- Closing remarks

- Nominations for Senate Faculty Representative Koppner & Forbes
 - Senator Koppner addresses the Senate
 - Question pertaining to other time commitments
 - No further questions or discussion
 - Senator Forbes address the Senate
 - No questions for the Senator
 - Floor open for discussion
 - Motion to nominate Senator Forbes
 - 15- In favor of Forbes
 - 8-in favor of Koppner
 - 1-Abstention
 - Nominations for Special Committee
 - Senator Ferriera
 - Senaor Heins
 - Senator Shraeef
 - Senator Munoz
 - Senator Valenzuela
 - Senator Pilley
 - Senator Carrillo
 - All Senators accept nomination

XIV. Announcements

- a. Student Veteran organization will be doing off campus community service hours.
- b. ALPHA organization fundraiser, this Saturday at Dublin's until 3pm
- c. Resolution #28, spread the word
- d. Memorial being written
- e. Graduate Students will be presenting their research April 7th

Adjourned at: 9:44