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The regular weekly meeting of the Rollins College Student Government was held on Wednesday, April 8, 2015 at 7:00 pm, at Rollins College in the Bieberbach-Reed Room, the Chairman and Clerk being present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as correct.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of Minutes
- IV. Executive Reports
 - a. President
 - i. Met with Mamta to discuss health center
 1. Office of Student Affairs would like to extend hours
 - a. Not enough resources available for extended hours at this time
 - b. Will be looking into free ride voucher through Mears or other company in the event of emergency after hours
 - ii. Bursar holds for class registration
 1. Possibility of setting up minimum for hold OR being notified of hold beforehand
 - iii. Last senate meeting will be next Wednesday, April 15
 1. Non-mandatory pizza party on April 22 from 7-9 pm
 - b. Vice President
 - c. Chief Justice
 - i. We currently have one senate seat open
 1. Will not be filling at this time
 - d. Academic Affairs
 - e. Finance
 - f. Internal Affairs
 - g. Public Relations
 - i. Senator elections are now open on GetInvolved
 - ii. SGA t-shirts
 1. Possibility of putting off the purchase of t-shirts for next year's SGA
 - a. Will look into purchasing other SGA materials for the remainder of this year
 - h. Student Life
 - i. Worked with Matt to discuss constitutional amendment
 1. Received some feedback via Facebook
 2. Will be discussing during New Business
 - i. Events
 - i. The tabling during election week will count as constituent outreach hours
 1. Sign up on Facebook
 2. Will need the two senators that sign up for the day to check out the computers from the Olin Library Circulation Desk
 - ii. Thank you to everyone that helped out at LipSync!



- a. President Pro Temp
 - b. Advisor
 - i. Thank you so much for helping out with LipSync!
 - ii. If you are interested in senator or executive board seats, check GetInvolved for applications
 - 1. Exec board interviews will take place on Monday, April 20
- V. Organizational Senator Reports
- j. OSS
 - k. CLCE
 - i. Democracy Project will be holding event next Thursday, April 16 from 5-8 pm
 - ii. SSF Food Truck Fundraiser is tomorrow, April 9 from 6-9 pm
 - iii. JUMP Fundraiser this Friday to support Paragon Prom
 - l. Student Media
 - i. Fox Fest is this Saturday
 - 1. Will offer volunteer hours through WPRK
 - 2. Looking for SGA support
 - 3. In case of rain, will move to top floor of Campus Center
 - m. SAAC
 - i. Senior Day for Men's Lacrosse is this Saturday at 1 pm
 - ii. Men and Women's Golf will be hosting tournament Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday
 - iii. "Pie a Coach" for Student Athlete Day
 - n. Student Wellness
 - i. Thank you to all who attended Anti-Violence Rally!
 - o. Career and Life Planning
 - p. IFC
 - i. FSL mixers will be happening this upcoming week
 - ii. Will be tabling for Sexual Assault Prevention on Tuesday, April 14 from 12-1:30 pm
 - q. Panhellenic
 - r. Residential Life
 - s. International Students
 - i. Winter Park Boat Tours event this Friday at 2:30 pm
 - ii. Will be holding Travel Signature Party at end of semester
 - t. Inclusion and Diversity
 - u. Sustainability
 - v. QEP
 - w. Disability Services
2. Ad-Hoc Committees
- a. Dining Services
 - i. Possibility of burgers, fries, and chicken nuggets in Campus Center
 - 1. Also, possibility of introducing premade sandwiches available for purchase



- b. Holt
 - i. Legislation will go into effect next Friday
 - 1. Will be holding mixer before the play
 - ii. Holt ambassador program is going very well
 - c. Facilities Renovation
 - d. Campus Safety
 - i. Discussing plan for fall semester to have more student-led escort services
 - ii. Will be working on Rave Guardian video for freshman orientation
- VI. Old Business
- VII. New Business
- a. Legislation 1415.27
 - i. Constitutional Change of Senate Legislation
 - ii. Discussion:
 - 1. Friendly amendment to remove proclamation
 - a. Added extra clarification for future
 - iii. **Vote to pass: 20-2; passed**
 - b. Legislation 1415.28
 - i. Constitutional Change of Senate Membership
 - ii. Discussion:
 - 1. Updated legislation to specify number of senators
 - a. Does not allow for flexibility
 - b. Friendly amendment to specify “at most 15”
 - c. Keeps certain senators accountable for constituencies
 - d. Rollins senators directly represent their students in comparison to larger schools
 - e. This legislation is a way to secure seats in future
 - i. President and Vice President do not currently have power to add senate seats in constitution
 - ii. President, Vice President, and Chief Justice can propose these seats and have the senate vote on them
 - f. Some senators have expressed concerns with how students are connected to organizations
 - i. Other senators feel that if you are the most qualified candidate then you will be elected to the position
 - ii. Chief Justice would also determine these qualifications after evaluation
 - 2. **Vote to pass: 9-12; not passed**
 - c. Legislation 1415.29
 - i. Constitutional Change of Senate Attendance and GPA
 - ii. Discussion:
 - 1. Constitution already details that Chief Justice must check GPAs four times per semester



2. Determining early exit is decided by Chief Justice

iii. **Vote to pass: unanimous; passed**

d. Legislation 1415.30

- i. Resolution for Fair Representation
- ii. Discussion:

1. Designed for emergency situations to allow for replacement for allotted number of meetings

- a. Two absences are designed for these situations
 - i. Some senators do not feel that this a necessary resolution

- b. Would be allowed replacement, but without voting powers

- i. Senator is allowed hearings for excess number of absences and can follow up with legitimate excuses

iii. **Vote to pass: 2-19; not passed**

VIII. Open Forum

a. LipSync

- i. Handbook for LipSync guidelines and policies
 - 1. This would account for any gaps in details for planning and executing
- ii. Could consider more funding for event
 - 1. This is a very well-attended event and Rollins tradition
- iii. Possibility of including more seating to avoid fire hazards
 - 1. Also inclusion of designated spots for seating
- iv. Hold a pre-meeting for senators volunteering at event
- v. Send more information to organizations beforehand
- vi. Hold LipSync on Wednesday during senate meeting to increase senator attendance
- vii. Create LipSync committee in future
- viii. Stagger group check-in times to increase efficiency
- ix. Increase awareness of campus for all students

b. T-shirts

- i. Would still like to have SGA t-shirts
 - 1. Senators are still interested in receiving them before the end of the year
- ii. Next year's SGA can decide on t-shirt handouts at LipSync

c. Rave Guardian app

- i. Sweepstakes ended last month

d. Senate membership

- i. Contact Matt, Reagan, and Rudy to discuss any further details about legislation
- ii. Some senators are concerned with specific numbers
- iii. A suggestion has been made to use clear language for all senators to understand



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- e. FoxFest
 - i. Please attend!
 - ii. Contact Hannah for further information
- f. Uber
 - i. Office of Student Affairs is not comfortable partnering with Uber because of company's reputation
 - 1. Will be looking into partnership with Mears for voucher system for discounted taxi rides

The meeting adjourned at 8:25 pm.

Jill Rondeau, Internal Relations Chair