



Clerk of Council

Student Government Association
Student Government Council—Modesto A. Maidique Campus
Joint Session Agenda and Meeting Minutes
Meeting Date: October 24, 2016
Start Time: 4:03 PM

- I. Welcome and Call to Order
- II. Pledge of Allegiance led by Senator Eisinger
- III. Roll Call

Sasha Santti

Lauren Alexander	Present
Vanessa Berrios	Present
Tiffany Beguinristain	Absent
Alexander Bornote	Present
Sharlene Buchely	Present (late)
Salvatore Costanza	Present
Kayla Cox	Present
Juan Duarte	Present
Cooper Eisinger	Present
Ashely Espinosa	Present
Stanley Evans	Present
Andres Gonzalez	Present
Stephanie Gutierrez	Present
Mary Corbin	Absent
Johnny Louis	Absent
Mohammad-Taghi Moravej	Absent
Najari “Malliek” Murrell	Absent

Mwai Osahar	Absent
Johnathan Padilla	Absent
Jesus Pernia	Absent
Monica Reyes	Present
Gilbert Rodriguez	Present
Simran Sakraney	Present (late)
Rocio Taveras	Present
Martin Villamizar	Present
Aaron Weisman	Present
Anjali Tripathi	Absent
Ashley Gonzalez	Absent
Julian Alarcon	Absent
Jorgini Navarro	Present
Carolina Maria De Almagro	Present
Jessica Brito	Excused
Erick Ramirez	Present
Kevin Markowski	Excused
Amber Martinez	Excused
Tomar Nissan	Present
Victoria Patel	Present
Andrew Sykes	Present
Christian Molina	Present

Tori-Ann Holness	Present (late)
Elizabeth Rodriguez	Present
Sabrina Rossell	Excused

VI. Old Business

- i. Senator Eisinger moves to approve last week's minutes, senator Duarte seconds, motion passes.

VII. New Business:

- Cabinet Reports
 - Eric:
 - Haunted House is at 5-9pm at the Pi Kappa Phi House on Wednesday, October 26.
 - Senators are asked to sign up on the Doodle to volunteer, candy donations are welcomed.
- Week of Welcome Discussion
 - Ideas, collaboration, feedback
 - Senator Villamizar motions for a 30-minute discussion regarding Week of Welcome, senator Eisinger seconds, motion passes.

V. Announcements:

- Speaker
 - Cafecito Con SGA is on November 16th in the Housing Quad from 11am-1pm.
 - Complete New Haven Program.
 - Questions pertaining to major needs to be completed and turned into our Speaker, Sasha Santi.
- Speaker Pro-Temp
 - No Reports
- Vice-President
 - It's On Us is on November 22nd, locations is still being determined.
 - Breakdown is on November 1st in the Engineering Center, a suggestion box is being created.
- Comptroller
 - No Reports
- Chief Justice
 - New Amendments are coming; more information will be provided next senate meeting.
- Chief of Staff
 - Cabinet members are asked for a ten-week report due by next cabinet meeting.
- President

- Free printing has been approved for veterans starting around midterms and continuing through the spring semester.
- Free bus rides to BBC will be provided for the week of final exams for both fall and spring semesters.
- There will be a community event on November 5th from 10am to 1pm in order to help feed the needy families.
- If students are interested in working at some early voting poll sites between 7am-7pm contact Alian.
- Breakfast for veterans on November 10th in GC 243.
- Rally and Tally
 - Consist of lobbying in Tallahassee on behalf of FIU.
 - Students will be lobbying for: access to bright futures in the summer, more funds to bring more mental health consular to our campus, the excess credit surcharge, and peco funding.
 - The date will either be on Feb 6-10th or on Feb 13-14th.
 - Students will leave FIU at 1:00 am
- The ribbon cutting ceremony for the solar power tables will be sometime in December
- FIU students will be funded to fly to D.C for job interviews.
- Pick Up the Beacon is next Monday; this will consist of updating students on what SGA is doing.
 - Eventually there will be a monthly column in the Beacon so that students may be updated on SGA

VI. Adjournment

- i. Senator Duarte moves to adjourn the joint session, senator Reyes seconds, motion passes.
- ii. Joint session is adjourned at 4:53pm.