

# **Senate Minutes for Friday, September 14, 2012**

## **2:30pm**

- I. **Call to Order**  
Call to order at 2:32 pm by Sen. Pres. Amy Bueno  
A. Pledge of Allegiance  
B. Roll Call 26-0-0  
Absent: Chair Stepina, Sen. Rossiter, Sen. Hayes, Sen. Jones, Sen. Mitchell
- II. **Adoption of agenda**
- III. **Approval of minutes**  
A. September 7, 2012  
Minutes approved 26-0-0
- IV. **Guest Speaker**  
A. Vice President of Advancement – Dr. Kyle Marrero  
Addresses the meaning of advancement and implications of marketing, branding and messaging for UWF and the impact on student body explained  
University Advancement includes 34 members  
Alumni Relations, UWF Foundations, Annual Funds, The Capital Campaign, Strategic Directions, and Think UWF latest commercial  
  
B. Men of Color Retreat – Dr. Brian Turner  
Identifying problems with young men at UWF and the establishment of the Men of Color Retreat and Conference  
Bring people together from different faiths and different backgrounds to help students succeed  
Importance of diversity in schools  
Invitation to attend the Men of Color Retreat and encourages students to register and attend the presentations by popular speakers
- V. **Appointments**  
A. COPS Senator – Brooklyn Dawson  
No debate, no opposition, motion passes, 27-0-0  
  
B. COPS Senator – Rose Marshall  
No debate, no opposition, motion passes, 28-0-0  
Appointments approved
- VI. **Legislative Addresses**  
A. Senate President – Bueno  
Thanks everyone for attending and encourages feedback  
B. Rules & Statutes Committee – Chair Wilson  
Two members absent and reviewed absences processes and reviewed 12-13 B III

C. University Outreach Committee – Sen. Qureshi  
Thanks everyone for the involvement for Academic Integrity Week. Townhalls will be discussed and planning for Administration Townhall meeting. Displays the signed banner  
One member was absent for committee meeting

D. Student Outreach Committee – Chair Crozier  
One member absent, Marquee reservations, Argos give back assigned to members, parking issues on social networking is to be communicated to others in SGA  
Monthly surveys for feedback and this month will be parking, Hands to paw reminder

E. Budget & Allocation Committee – Chair Thrasher  
Funded for flag football and reviewed for changes and handball student organization

VII. **Executive Addresses**

A. President Merritt  
Student satisfaction survey sent out, standing committee meetings  
FSA trip cancelled; Rally in Tally updates and on other universities  
Universities strategic plan aligned with SGA's goals  
BOT meeting next week, will be missing Senate on September 21, 2012 and congratulations on Academic Integrity Week for working on it for four years

B. Vice-President Averhart  
Updates on Freshman Committee applications and interviews  
Updates on printing pages from SGA UWF

C. Cabinet-Chelsea Kendrick  
Met with Directors of Cabinet  
Plan of action to work with Athletics to promote Argo pride at athletic events and other events  
Each representative from each office will attend each Senate for students to ask questions  
Volunteers needed for painting Argo heads, voter registration drive, continuing the discussion, and family weekend tailgate updates

VIII. **Administrative Addresses**

Vice President of Student Affairs – Dr. Kevin Bailey  
Pleased with SGA promoting events  
List of initiatives distributed to the audience addressing the issues for the year  
Diversity and inclusion, diversity audit, duties and responsibilities of the CDO, and online reporting form

IX. **Unfinished Business**

none

X. **New Business**

12-13 B II - Student Body Statutes Titles  
Motion by Sen. Leon to add Dennis Foster as the author of the bill, second by Sen. Ibrahim  
No debate, no opposition, motion passes 28-0-0  
Motion to add second sponsor Sen. Ibrahim  
Motion Sen. Harris motions to add second sponsor to the bill, second by Chair Crozier  
No debate, no opposition, motion passes 28-0-0  
Motion to forego the reading of the bill by Sen. Friedland, Second by Sen. McConville

No debate  
No opposition, motion passes 28-0-0  
Authors gain the floor  
No debate  
Roll call Vote: 27-0-0  
Bill passes.

XI.

**Adjournment**

A. Closing announcements

Sen. Ibrahim invites SGA to attend the event to recognize

Continuing the discussion is Wednesday at 6:30pm

Sen. McConville yields time to Ty Bennett from Cabinet

Ty Bennett – reminders on UWF rugby game

Sen. Evans- congratulations to the new Senators, wants to promote visibility and thanks everyone for attending the AASA poetry slam

Chair Wilson – reminds volleyball game and other athletic games

B. Final Roll Call

Absent: Sen. Jattan

C. Adjourn

Sen. McBurny motions to adjourn the meeting, second by Sen. Friedland

No debate, no opposition, motion carries, 27-0-0

Meeting adjourned at 4:01pm by Sen. Pres. Amy Bueno