



57th Senate Meeting  
Oct 18, 2024

- I. Call to Order 2:48 pm.
  - A. Call to Order
  - B. Roll Call
    1. Chair Pogreba
    2. Chair Thomas
    3. Senator Belk
    4. Senator Davis
    5. Senator Dortch
    6. Senator Gilbert
    7. Senator Murry
    8. Senator Saelzlar
    9. Senator Smith
- II. Adoption of Agenda
  - A. October 18th, 2024
    1. Agenda PASSES
- III. Approval of Minutes
  - A. October 4th, 2024
  - B. Amendment "Vice Chair Campbell" to "Senator Campbell"
    1. Minutes PASS
- IV. Administrative Address
  - A. None
- V. Guest Speaker
  - A. Angelique Patterson: "The week after next is diversity week. Please sign up to help out and advertise the events. We will need a lot of help setting up, so please sign up for that. Our biggest days are Pride Day and Hispanic Heritage Day, and we table some events. If you have time, please sign up. Thank you!"

VI. Appointments

A. Adria Cowell - Senator: "Good afternoon. My name is Adria Cowell and I'm very excited to be here today. I am a very passionate person and I strive to create an inclusive environment. I want to improve the campus in any way I can. Thank you for considering me!"

a) Question Pro tempore Jones: "What is your graduation date and major?"

(1) My graduation date is Spring 2027 and I'm an Acting Major.

b) Question Chair Ngafeeson: "Are you involved at all on campus?"

(1) I'm not involved in anything on campus yet. I wanted to focus on school first before getting involved. I participate in many of the plays we host.

c) Debate Pro Tempore Jones: "I'd like to debate in favor of Adria. She had a very good interview and she seems pretty excited to get to work and I think she has a lot of great ideas."

d) Debate Vice Chair Lewis: "I'd like to debate in favor of Adria. I met her late last year and always would see her at diversity events. She's very sweet, determined, and hardworking".

e) Appointment PASSES

2. Motion for block swear-in

a) Moved by Pro Tempore Jones

b) Seconded by Vice Chair Lewis

c) Motion PASSES

B. Sunny Anderson - Senator: "Hi everyone, I'm Sunny Anderson. First, I'll tell you a bit about me. I'm in my second year and I'm a mathematics major. This is my first year at UWF. I did SGA in high school and would love the opportunity to do it again. I want to improve my public speaking and collaboration and would love the opportunity to represent the student body. Thank you!"

1. Debate Vice Chair Schatz: "I've known Sunny for a while and she's a hard worker and I feel like she would put a lot of effort into her job".

2. Appointment PASSES

VII. Unfinished Business

A. None

VIII. New Business

A. None

IX. Executive Addresses

A. President Brown (\*absent - given by - Chief of Staff Bennett)

"Congratulations to the new senators. Thank you for all the hard work during Homecoming. Please attend Votes and Treats next week in the Nautilus Chamber."

- B. Vice President Griffin - "No report"
  - C. Chief of Staff Bennett - "Thank you guys for an amazing Homecoming. Argo Rally was super successful. Congrats to the new senators please make sure to show up to events. I know everyone is busy but please try to come."
  - D. Treasurer Johnson - "We have \$18,404.77 left in the budget. Next week is Votes and Treats and also CAB Fright Night. Please attend if you can and let me know if you need anything."
- X. Legislative Addresses
- A. Senate Pro Tempore Jones - Please keep communicating with me and your committee chairs if you won't be attending meetings. Congrats to the new senators. I will be getting you guys onboarded soon".
  - B. Secretary Lucas - "No report"
  - C. Budget & Allocations Committee Vice Chair Schatz - "Congratulations to the new senators. We allocated 2 travel grants and 1 project grant for the argo dance competition. I had a meeting this morning with Dr. Tomso where we discussed how we are going to restructure the budget and committee to account for A&S fees".
  - D. University Affairs Committee Chair Ngafeeson - Sorry about the late attendance. I had a meeting for a distinguished teacher award. For university affairs, I want to meet with my committee after senate or either over the weekend or on Monday so we can discuss what the next week is going to look like. Thank you".
  - E. Student Affairs Committee Vice-Chair McCaskey - "We will be having our first meeting next Thursday at 4 pm. An email was sent out with all the information."
  - F. Senate Addresses - None
- XI. Adjournment
- A. Standing Committee Report - None
  - B. Closing Announcements - None
  - C. Public Statements - None
  - D. Final Roll Call
    - Chair Pogreba
    - Chair Thomas
    - Senator Bare
    - Senator Belk
    - Senator Davis
    - Senator Dortch

- Senator Gilbert
- Senator Murray
- Senator Saelzler
- Senator Smith

E. Adjourn (3:08 pm)

- Motion to adjourn the meeting by Pro Tempore Jones
- Seconded by Senator Rojas-Rau
- MOTION PASSES