



STUDENT GOVERNMENT

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University of Texas at Austin Student Government Assembly Meeting  
February 19, 2001-Glenn Maloney Assembly Room, SSB 7PM

Meeting began at 7:06pm.

Roll call was taken by Secretary Jessica Cole

GUESTS

Ray Rodriguez, Assessment Planning-Attended meeting to explain and answer questions concerning the evaluation and assessment for the UT System. The Board of Regents has called for the assessment to compare the different campuses and classes. Questions were asked by the Assembly.

OPEN FORUM

None

PRESIDENT'S REPORT Matt Hammond

- Transportation/Parking-Meeting with Dr. Bob Harkins: Night permit is coming into swing again, no support from SG. There needs to be another source of funding (i.e. increase fee for C permit tag) for parking. Dr. Harkins also announced that there are plans to close the intersection of Dean Keeton and Speedway (by RLM) for construction.
- Board of Regents Meeting in San Antonio-recap: President Faulkner proposed his plan, we spoke and asked to delay the decision and think about the necessity of the fee. Good questions were asked and SG presented the legislation and the petition. The Board of Regents voted to pass the proposal, with one opposition from Regent Tony Sanchez. Students should continue to ask questions about the projects the Infrastructure Fee is to support. Go to the Legislature and rally support for next session.
- Thank you Julie Sowa for the forum/debate last night in Jester.

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT Jarrad Toussant

- There will be a counter-route developed or more West Campus buses added.
- We will split up for a short amount of time to get with our task forces and reconvene meeting to continue.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT Lars Clemensen

- This task force meeting will replace the ones you have planned for later this week. Board of Regents task force will still meet Wednesday at 9:30pm.

No more reports were given by the Student Government Executive.

Matt announced the National FLO Award for 2002 going to the University of Texas FLO!!!

Allison Witt (FLO)-Had great times at the convention last weekend and learned from other campuses. FLO showed the Assembly the video they took to convention.

#### REPRESENTATIVE'S PRIVILEGE

Russ Bodnyk (Natural Sciences)-Please attend the Board of Regents meeting tomorrow night at 9:30pm. I am working on a Bill, the Community Message Board, need some suggestions for the Agency name.

#### COMMITTEE AND AGENCY PRIVILEGE

Katie Jahnke (WRC)-Opening night was a huge success for the *Vagina Monologues* and we are officially sold out!

Julie Sowa (Forum)-Communication rep debate in the CMA on the 5<sup>th</sup> floor.

Allison Witt (FLO)-FLO Debate for SG candidates is tomorrow night at 8PM in the Glenn Maloney Assembly Room, SSB.

Meg Merritt (Campus Beautification)-Artist is Jill Bedgood for the Turtle Pond.

From 8-9PM there is a Presidential forum on KVRX on Wednesday, 4950-KVRX.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cody Morris and Hollye Sears (Texas Revue)-No one has come to practices, we are open for suggestions to keep this going. Please stay tonight and let's see if we can work on it.

Alene Riley (LBJ)-Barbara Jordan National Public forum in the LBJ Library on Thursday at 7pm and continues through Friday and Saturday. Food is served and it is free. Please register on the web-site [www.utexas.edu/lbj/barbarajordanforum](http://www.utexas.edu/lbj/barbarajordanforum)

Roll #2 was taken.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:46PM with the singing of the “Eyes of Texas” by the Assembly.