



STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSEMBLY  
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THE **109<sup>TH</sup>** SESSION  
OF THE  
**STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSEMBLY**

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STUDENT GOVERNMENT GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING

*Tuesday, September 15th, 2015*

SPEAKER OF THE ASSEMBLY: TANNER LONG, LIBERAL ARTS REPRESENTATIVE

CLERK OF THE ASSEMBLY: KATHERINE STADLER

PARLIAMENTARIAN: MELYSA BARTH

- I. Call Meeting to Order
- II. First Roll Call
- III. Approval of the Minutes
- IV. Guests
- V. Open Forum
- VI. Appointments
  - a. Assembly Appointments *Sanjana Reddy - new Rep 9/15/15*
  - b. Internal Appointments
  - c. External Appointments
- VII. Unfinished Business
  - a. J.R. 1 – A resolution in Support of Creating A 30 – Day Grace Period for Clearing Financial Bars
    - i. JR 1 is written to address student concern over financial bars inhibiting timely registration. This legislation calls for a 30-day grace period during which students can pay their fees and maintain their listed registration times. *passed by unanimous consent*
- VIII. New Business
  - a. A.R. 12 – In Support of Text Messaging Service to Report Suspicious/Unsafe Activities On Campus and Surrounding Areas
    - i. A.R. 12 will provide the UTPD with a cell phone that will be used solely to communicate with UT Austin Students. Universities around the country, such as the University of South Alabama, use similar systems. Currently, there are two methods for students to submit a tip: a phone number to call and online through the UTPD website. A.R. 12 will create a phone number for texting, which will not serve as an emergency number (students should always call 911 in an urgent situation). However, this will serve as a “tip” contact that students can report suspicious activity around and the UTPD can receive instantly. This will allow for reports to be addressed as soon as possible. *Student Affairs*

b. Fast Track Vote for A.B. 6 – The Fall 2015 Student Government Appropriations

approved by unanimous  
consent

- IX. Ex-Officio Member Reports
  - a. Senate of College Councils
  - b. Graduate Student Assembly
  - c. Campus Events and Entertainment
- X. Deputy Advisor Report
  - a. Alex Kappus, *Deputy to the Dean of Students* – [akappus@austin.utexas.edu](mailto:akappus@austin.utexas.edu)
- XI. Executive Reports
  - a. Xavier Rotnofsky, *President* - [xavier.rotnofsky@utexas.edu](mailto:xavier.rotnofsky@utexas.edu)
  - b. Rohit Mandalapu, *Vice President* - [rmandalapu@utexas.edu](mailto:rmandalapu@utexas.edu)
  - c. Taral Patel, *Chief of Staff* - [taralvpatel@gmail.com](mailto:taralvpatel@gmail.com)
  - d. Thomas Mylott, *Communications Director* - [mylottiv@gmail.com](mailto:mylottiv@gmail.com)
  - e. Nicole Chu, *Internal Finance Director* - [nicole.chu@bba11.mcombs.utexas.edu](mailto:nicole.chu@bba11.mcombs.utexas.edu)
  - f. Conner Patrick, *External Finance Director* - [conner1201@gmail.com](mailto:conner1201@gmail.com)
  - g. Amber Magee, *Administrative Director* - [mageeamber15@gmail.com](mailto:mageeamber15@gmail.com)
- XII. Cabinet of Policy Director Reports
- XIII. Agency Director Reports
- XIV. External Appointment Reports
- XV. Executive Staff Reports
- XVI. Standing Assembly Committee Reports
  - a. Academic Affairs Committee, James Che - [jamesikeche@utexas.edu](mailto:jamesikeche@utexas.edu)
  - b. External Affairs Committee, Allison Ainsworth - [allisonrainsworth@gmail.com](mailto:allisonrainsworth@gmail.com)
  - c. Financial Affairs Committee, John Falke - [johnrossfalke@utexas.edu](mailto:johnrossfalke@utexas.edu)
  - d. Legislative Affairs Committee, Edward Banner - [ebanner@utexas.edu](mailto:ebanner@utexas.edu)
  - e. Rules and Regulations Committee, Cameron Crane - [cameroncrane@icloud.com](mailto:cameroncrane@icloud.com)
  - f. Student Affairs Committee, Santiago Rosales - [santiago.rosales@utexas.edu](mailto:santiago.rosales@utexas.edu)
- XVII. Representative Reports
- XVIII. Judicial Report
- XIX. Ad hoc Reports
- XX. Speaker of the Assembly Report
- XXI. General Announcements
- XXII. Second Roll Call
- XXIII. Recess/Adjournment