



110th STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSEMBLY
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THE **110TH** SESSION
OF THE
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSEMBLY

STUDENT GOVERNMENT GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING

Tuesday, September 27th, 2016

SPEAKER OF THE ASSEMBLY: SANTIAGO ROSALES, UNIVERSITY-WIDE REPRESENTATIVE

CLERK OF THE ASSEMBLY: HANNAH MCMORRIS

PARLIAMENTARIAN: GRAHAM HOUP

- I. Call Meeting to Order
- II. First Roll Call
- III. Approval of the Minutes
- IV. Special Guest: Garrett Mireles and Megan Hahn, *Co-Directors of Longhorn Legislative Aides Agency*
- V. Open Forum
- VI. Appointments
 - a. External Appointments
 - i. Kaylon Hicks, *Financial Aid to Students Committee* approved 9/27/16
 - ii. Eric Saldanha, *Financial Aid to Students Committee* approved 9/27/16
 - iii. Sarah Musselman, *RecSports Committee* approved 9/27/16
 - iv. Caroline Go, *Transportation Policies Committee* approved 9/27/16
 - v. Shannon Geison, *Student Services Budget Committee* approved 9/27/16

- VII. Unfinished Business
 - a. A.R. 8, In Support of Student Government Hosting a Debate for the 2016 General Election approved 9/27/16
 - b. A.R. 9, In Support of Implementation of Campus-Wide "Stop the Bleed" Kits and Awareness Programs
 - i. This legislation is in support of the implementation of "Stop the Bleed" kits and education programs for faculty/students/staff. This legislation is intended to show SG support for this initiative, which can be taken to administrators and departments in order to facilitate implementation. ~~tabled until 10/4~~
 - c. A.R. 10, In Support of Chancellor McRaven Requiring Oil and Gas Companies to Cut Methane Emission on University Land
 - i. This is a resolution calling on Chancellor McRaven to publicly support cutting methane from University land in half in the next five years. There has been research done to show that by using current available technologies, the one million acres of land in West Texas that UT owns can cut methane in that time. Methane is a greenhouse gas pollutant that is 80 times more powerful than carbon dioxide, and causes 25% of current climate change. University of Texas

added whereas: over 2300 students and two-dozen faculty from across UT System have endorsed this campaign as of Monday 9/26/16
Legislation approved 21-3-1 vote

oversees the leasing of 2 million acres of land for oil and gas drilling, and currently those companies are not required to use current technology to cut their methane emission.

- VIII. New Business
 - a. A.B. 9, Amending the Student Government Code of Rules & Procedures to Create the Position of Student Government Attorney General & The Office of General Counsel
 - i. This legislation creates the offices of the Attorney General, Solicitor General, Inspector General and General Counsel. *Sent to KR*
 - b. A.B. 10, Amending Student Government Code of Rules & Procedures to Change Committee Meeting Requirements
 - i. This legislation changes committee meeting requirements. *sent to KR*
- IX. Ex-Officio Member Reports
 - a. Senate of College Councils
 - b. Graduate Student Assembly
 - c. Campus Events and Entertainment
- X. Office of the Dean of Students Report
 - a. Kyle St. Nicholas – kstnick@austin.utexas.edu
 - b. Marcus Mayes – mayes@austin.utexas.edu
- XI. Executive Reports
 - a. Kevin Helgren, President – kevinhelgren@utexas.edu
 - b. Binna Kim, Vice President – bkim41@gmail.com
 - c. Isaiah Carter, Chief of Staff – isaiah.jay.carter@utexas.edu
 - d. Colton Becker, Communications Director – coltonbecker@utexas.edu
 - e. Jonathan Harper, Internal Financial Director – jharper17@utexas.edu
 - f. Jonathan Dror, External Financial Director – jonathandr@utexas.edu
 - g. Adit Bior, Administrative Director – adit.bior@utexas.edu
- XI. Cabinet of Policy Director Reports
- XII. Agency Director Reports
- XIII. External Appointment Reports
- XIV. Executive Staff Reports
- XV. Standing Assembly Committee Reports
 - h. Academic Affairs Committee, Priya Suri - priya.suri@utexas.edu
 - i. Legislative Policy Council, Natalie Engel - natalie.engel@utexas.edu
 - j. Financial Affairs Committee, Vivianne Tu - viviannetu@utexas.edu
 - i. Fridays 4-5pm
 - k. Governmental Affairs Committee, Connor Madden - camadden@live.com
 - l. Rules and Regulations Committee, Andrew Parks - baparks@utexas.edu
 - i. Sundays 7-8pm
 - m. Student Affairs Committee, Micky Wolf - mickywolf@utexas.edu
 - i. Thursdays 8-9AMpm
- XVI. Representative Reports
- XVII. Judicial Report
- XVIII. Ad hoc Reports
- XIX. Speaker of the Assembly Report – santiago.rosales@utexas.edu
- XX. General Announcements
- XXI. Second Roll Call

XXII. Recess/Adjournment

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