

United Students of the University of Alaska Southeast- Juneau Campus
Student Senate Minutes
Wednesday, March 5, 2008 1:45 p.m.
Glacier View Room

Roll Call: Lindsey Forrest, Alex Marvel, Phil Parmore, Joshua Reyes, Monika Kunat, Shell Purdy, Laura Powers, Jeremy Johnson, Jaren Hoffman, Stephanie Ashley, Saichi Obi. **Meeting Start Time:** 1:47 p.m.

- I. Adoption of the Agenda:** Senator Marvel motioned to approve agenda, seconded by Senator Purdy. No objections. Agenda Approved.
- II. Approval of the Minutes:**
 - a. February 27, 2008 -** Senator Purdy motioned to approve minutes, seconded by Senator Marvel. No objections. Minutes approved.
- III. Audience Participation:** Jaren Hoffman request assistance with class projects from senators.
- IV. Correspondence:** Native Oratory, March 8th, 2008. Snow Jam, March 9th, 2008. Letter received from Jake Hamburg informing the senate of their upcoming trip to Juneau to advocate the legislature.
- V. Advisors Report:** Phil Paramore discussed the new Vice Chancellor's visit this past week. Heather Swanson suggested students to nominate a staff member for Make Students Count award. Phil discussed CBJ smoking ordinance as well as Anchorage push to make UAA smoke free.
- VI. Presidents Report:** President Forrest informed the senate of Anchorages visit to Juneau advocating the legislatures.
- VII. Old Business:**
 - a. Table Replacement:** Meeting TBA.
 - b. Snow Jam:** Sunday, March 9th, 2008. 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.
 - c. Clubs:** New clubs received by the deadline of February 29th; Chess Club & Club TV. Discussion followed. Environmental and Chemistry club has been approved as a reinstated club.
 - d. Telephone Recruitment:** Please submit available times to Laura Powers to set up a time to do telephone recruitment.
 - e. Remote Conferencing:** Senator Johnson suggested using the audio conference as a way to make available meetings to those senators who are unable to attend.
- VIII. New Business:**
 - a. Statewide Tuition Discussion – Saichi Oba:** Mr. Obi introduced Mark Hamilton's intention of sending a letter to the Board of Regents and university community of the universities future rate of tuition. This letter will be for fiscal year 2011, which is three years out. Discussion followed. Mr. Obi suggested having discussions with the student senate, administration, and staff to be better informed of the tuition changes. Mr. Obi highly recommended students attend public comment to share UAS opinions on the proposed future changes. Mr. Obi urged the senate to email him with any further questions or comments at so@alaska.edu. President Forrest suggested students to write letters for support of AAIP.
 - b. Elections:** Elections for fall 2008 approved. To be held on April 14, 15, & 16th, 2008
- IX. Committee Reports:**

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- a. **Student Grievances/ Academic Affairs – Chair**, Senator Kunat:
 - b. **TLTR – Chair**, Senator Ashley: Date TBA
 - c. **Rules and Finance – Chair**, Vice President Skeek:
 - d. **Public Relations – Chair**, Senator Kunat: Snow Jam, Sunday, March 9th, 2008, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Senator Kunat left meeting at 2:56 p.m.
 - e. **Student Activities – Chair**, Vice President Skeek:
 - f. **Safety Committee Ad Hoc – Chair**, President Forrest:
 - g. **Financial Aid Committee – Chair**, Senator Purdy:
 - h. **Dining Service Ad Hoc. – Chair**, Senator Ashley: Friday, March 7th at 1:30 p.m.
 - i. **Sustainability Ad Hoc. – Chair**, Senator Ashley: Senator Ashley invited fellow senators to join the committee. April 4th, Spring Forum.
 - j. **Student Union Ad Hoc. – Chair**, Senator Marvel:
 - k. **Egan Wing 226 Ad Hoc. – Chair**, Senator Kunat:
- X. Executive Session:** 3:02 p.m. Back at 3:08 p.m. Quorum lost. To be closed at next meeting.
- XI. Audience Participation:**
- XII. Pending Agenda: Table Replacement,**
- XIII. Next Meeting Time:**
- XIV. Adjournment:** Shell Purdy motioned to adjourn, seconded by Senator Marvel.
No Objections. Meeting adjourned. **Meeting End Time:**