THE UTSA STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

A regular meeting of the UTSA Student Representative Assembly body convened on January 19, 1977, and took the following action:

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order by President Michael Tidwell at 2:09 p.m. The Recording Secretary was present.

First

The minutes of the December 29, 1976, meeting were amended and accepted.

Second

SRA Parliamentarian Craig Youngblood made a film presentation on parliamentary procedure, "Conducting A Meeting."

Third

Committee Reports:

SRA Parliamentarian Craig Youngblood made a report on the Committee's findings on the SRA Constitution and suggested changes to the SRA Constitution. The report was received by the SRA President and filed with the Recording Secretary.

Fourth

Motion by James Warren: That the SRA adopt the Rules of Order and the Standing Rules as formulated by the Parliamentary Committee. Seconded and opened for discussion.

Motion by James Warren: Moved the previous question. Seconded and carried by two-thirds vote.
Fifth

President Michael Tidwell read the resolution by Jim Fisher numbered as the eighth item of business in the Minutes of the Meeting, December 29, 1976.

Motion by Craig Youngblood: That the last paragraph of the resolution reading:

"... In Witness Whereas, We have hereunto set our hand and caused the Seal of the University of Texas at San Antonio Student Representative Assembly to be affixed this 29th day of December, 1976."

be amended to read, "in witness whereof," instead of "whereas," and, "we the members of the Student Representative Assembly of the University of Texas at San Antonio hereunto set our hands on this the 29th day of December, 1976." Seconded and carried viva voce.

Sixth

Motion by Gloria Castillo: That the SRA rescind the previously adopted resolution concerning the end-of-the-semester function sponsored by the Young Democrats, Black Student Caucus and the Pre-Law Student Association. It read:

"Whereas, a group of UTSA student organizations were authorized, through the Dean of Students Office, to conduct a Christmas Party for the students at the University, and
Whereas, These same organizations advertised through posters that refreshments (beer and tamales) were to be free, and
Whereas, Students attending the function were asked for donations and also charged for the beer, and
Whereas, The Student Representative Assembly is the governing body of the Student Community, and
Whereas, The organizations participating in the Christmas Party, misrepresented the actual activities at the function, and
Whereas, This type of misrepresentation is improper for any organization

Let it be resolved: That we the Student Representative Assembly condemn the actions of the organizations participating in the Christmas Party and especially those organizing and approving such improper actions."

Motion seconded and carried viva voce.
Seventh

President Michael Tidwell read his nominations to the Election Committee. They were: Michael Tidwell, Louis Salazar, Gerald Flores, Jon La Freniere, Sylvia Foster.

The nominations were accepted by acclamation.

Eighth

President Michael Tidwell accepted nominations to the External Affairs Committee. They were: Gloria Castillo, Rick Mangum, James Warren, Gerald Flores, Bruce Garcia.

Motion by Craig Youngblood: That nominations cease. Seconded.

Vote on External Affairs Committee nominations passed viva voce.

Ninth:

Motion by Gerald Flores: That the SRA meeting adjourn. Seconded and carried viva voce.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 3:36 p.m.


Visitors: J. D. Murdock, Steve Hanson, Sam Banks, Ernest Bromley, Curtis Davis.