Student Government Association General Assembly
November 1, 2007

I. Call the Meeting to Order
   a. This meeting is called to order at 5:40pm

II. Roll Call
   a. Quorum is established

III. Reading & Approval of Minutes
   a. Minutes will not yet be approved

IV. Open Forum
   a. Chips → New Lonestar Accounts for students (MyUstaID) as of December 19
      i. Card readers in the future to access accounts easier login
      ii. Windows Vista is not yet supported
   b. Kyle Roberts → SHADES & LDSSA → Does not want promotion of pornography as a club on
      campus
   c. Jason Warner → LDSSA would like to prohibit events promoting pornography
      i. Wrote a resolution to prohibit pornography on campus

V. Executive Officer Reports
   a. President
      i. Need a few people to represent student body on committees for Police Dept. & Food
         Services; Student will need to provide input on policy & contracts with these services
      ii. Tommy supports the Library Resolution. It is a great idea that will mobilize SGA
          towards fixing our library.
   b. Vice President
      i. Study & do well in your classes!
   c. Treasurer
      i. Please look at our Budget; Mark advises to ease the spending, SGA should not be
         taking away from things like FIRE; Budget will be watched very closely and precise cost
         estimates will be required; Be watchful of costs that are not already line items.
         Remember we have FIESTA UTSA and other Spring Events that we attribute funds to
         annually. As far as SGA costs go, we have spent on the Research trip, Retreat, & SGA
         Shirts.
            1. Enrique- think we are spending well; AK- good job; Tomi- general
               sponsorships, maybe we should spend less on research trips (taking fewer
               people on trips, cheaper hotels)
      ii. Leader Fund is going well, 3 hearings will be held next week
   d. Secretary
      i. No Report
   e. Executive Senator
      i. Senate approved the budget, but you can make amendments
      ii. Senator Meetings still needed with certain individuals.

VI. Standing Committee Reports
   a. Academic Affairs
      i. Did surveys this week
      ii. Resolution for library will be discussed later
   b. Business Affairs
      i. No Report
   c. Student Affairs
i. Internet that is provided to apartments is being switched b/c the current one is broken
ii. Update for pornography issue: Shannon: Researched other universities, board of regents student org may not engage in speech or conduct in the institution that involves or produces obscene activity; we need to define obscene before any action is taken
d. University Advancement
   i. Meeting with Kevin Price and the VP to gain funding for the amphitheater
   ii. Please vote for item B in new business
   iii. Student Unicef is having a fundraiser at Madhatters

VII. Advisor Reports
   a. John Kaufus
      i. We will be meeting in studio orange in the Rec center for next meeting
   b. John Montoya
      i. Orientation and transition services needs students tomorrow to give input about services they provide; please volunteer

VIII. Committee & Senator Reports
   a. Kort Jackson- Webmaster- RSS added to our website which is being updated and improved. Election results are in the process of being added. Meetings will be held in Rosebud until next semester
   b. Ryan Orange- Parking and Transportation Committee- Additional shuttles and private parking complexes have been approved for next year’s budget. $40 adjustment for students buying permits; $40 added to garage parking, will be adding Rec Wellness Pass; Possible price reduction for those night parking passes

IX. Old Business
   a. Motion from Tomi to allocate $180 from the Promotional Items Fund to purchase UTSA/ Roadrunner Pennants for local businesses/restaurants to advertise for our university.
      i. Seconded
      ii. Discussion: Mark Este: purchase 10 pennants from L&M bookstore and put them in restaurants around campus to promote the university
      iii. Vote:
         1. For: Brian Sullivan, Robert Enriquez, Melissa Ho, Tomi Yamamoto, Ryan Orenge, Ahmed Khalil, Laura Carr, Hector Garcia, Patton Phelps, Vanessa Trevino, Nicole Lopez, Pardeis Heidari, Jaime Villanueva, Eduardo Rendon, Darinka Lopez, Chinye Nalls-Ahiwe, Derek Trimm, Jocelyn Lo
         2. Against: Travis Weissler, Shannon Krueger, Chiki Ikoku, Gin Ju Im.
         3. Abstained: Morgan Dudley
   iv. Motion Passes with vote of 18 For, 4 Against, 1 Abstention.
   b. Motion to allocate $350 from FIRE/ Activities to fund the lumber and other materials for our first annual "Shanty Shack Food & Clothing Drive."
      i. Seconded
      ii. GinJu Motion to table
         1. Seconded
         2. Fails
         3. Motion Fails
      iii. Vote:
2. Against: Brian Sullivan, Melissa Ho, Tomi Yamamoto, Travis Weissler, Shannon Krueger, Nicole Lopez, Chidi Ikoku, Jaime Villanueva, Eduardo Rendon, Darinka Lopez, Gin Ju Im, Derek Trimm.
   iv. Motion Fails 9 For, 12 Against, 2 Absentions
3. Abstention: Robert Enriquez, Morgan Dudley
   c. Motion by Eduardo to allocate $350 from the FIRE fund to support the Secular Student Alliance Rally.
      i. Seconded
      ii. Move to vote
         1. For: Hector Garcia
         iii. Abstentions: Robert Enriquez, Pardeis Heidari
      iii. Quorum was lost.
X. Adjournment