Student Government Association  
November 5, 2009  
Minutes

1. Call to Order  
   a. 5:36pm

2. Reading and Approval of Minutes  
   a. Minutes approved

3. Invited Guests  
   a. None

4. Open Forum  
   a. Javier Cantu – GEARS
   b. Anna G, Samantha Garcia – Up 'til Dawn for St. Jude Research

5. Executive Officer Reports  
   a. President – Matt DeLeon  
      i. Greek Housing Feasibility Committee
      ii. Meeting over initiatives – downtown and athletics
      iii. Meeting downtown before semester is out
      iv. Student Bill of Rights Committee Chair appointment – Chris Lyon
      v. SGA Phone to be returned
      vi. FIRE is being dissolved
      vii. College of Business tabling
      viii. SGA office still trashed
      ix. Handbook of program procedures for bylaws
   b. Vice President – Derek Trimm
      i. Administrators to come soon
   c. Treasurer – Chris Kuta  
      i. Finance Committee Report update
      ii. Treasurer Resignation
   d. Secretary - Josh Bart  
      i. Roster
   e. Executive Senator – Jordan Raymond  
      i. Class scheduling issues
      ii. Intramural sports

6. Standing Committee Reports  
   a. Academic Affairs – Pardeis Heidari  
      i. Surveys for textbooks
      ii. Advisors needed
      iii. Library survey
   b. Business Affairs – Christina Stevenson for Christian Menefee  
      i. Healthier foods on campus
      ii. Hours of food venues
      iii. Tabling next Monday in front of the café
   c. Student Affairs – Itza Carbajal Vasooada Kumar  
      i. Safe Ride Program Proposition
   d. University Advancement – Kristina Henbest for Jose Benavides
7. Committee and Senator Reports
   a. Public Relations – Nicole Munoz
      i. Best Fest
      ii. Proposition 4 passed
      iii. Distributing UTSA merchandise
      iv. Meeting with organizations about LeaderFUND
   b. Chris Lyon – Student Bill of Rights Committee
   c. Jose Benavides – Props to College of Business
   d. Kort Jackson – website update
   e. Felicia Ruiz – College of Business meet and greet
   f. Laura Carr – Parking and Transportation meeting – November 11 at 8am
   g. Javier Cantu – Hispanic Caucus, Engineering update
   h. Shihlin Lu – Architecture Student Association Car Wash
8. Advisor Reports
   a. Barry McKinney
      i. How’s everybody doin’?
      ii. Welcome Ben King
   b. John Montoya
      i. Office Policy
      ii. Student Regent Application
      iii. Oxfam Hunger Banquet
      iv. At Texas Conference for Women next week
      v. Technology Summit
   c. John Kaulfus
      i. Technology Summit
      ii. Talk to your professors
      iii. Three weeks left
      iv. Homecoming Art Contest Deadline is next week
      v. Jordan Raymond honored for his sweater vest
9. Unfinished Business
   a. No pending unfinished business
10. New Business
    a. In-house senator elections
       i. Amy Daniel for Science Senator
       ii. Speech
       iii. Vote by secret ballot
iv. Amy Daniel is elected Science Senator by unanimous vote
v. Swearing in by Vice President Derek Trimm
b. Joy Okeyemi moves to have Business Affairs research the time of the a/c and thermostat usage at different colleges
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Vote
   iv. Passes
c. Chris Lyon moves to have the Executive Cabinet look into the implementation of an electronic clicker system for voting
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Vote
   iv. Passes
d. Christina Stevenson moves to have Business Affairs research seating areas for eating at the UC and JPL
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Vote
   iv. Passes
e. Charles Horvillieur moves to have Student Affairs look into working with Information Technology to create more professional and personal student email addresses such as john.smith@utsa.edu
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Vote
   iv. Motion fails
f. Brent Ward moves to have Academic Affairs look into COLFA advising look into COLFA advising not answering their phones and not having operable answering machines
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Vote
   iv. Passes
g. Itza Carbajal moves to have University Advancement look into changing football field turf into a turf field
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Derek Trimm entertains a motion to limit discussion to limit discussion to 2 minutes
   iv. So moved
   v. Second
   vi. Passes – Discussion begins at 6:58pm
vii. Discussion ends at 6:59pm
viii. Vote
ix. Motion fails

i. Chris Lyon moves that University Advancement research the VIA light rail system
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Brent Ward moves to previous question
   iv. Vote
   v. Passes
   vi. Vote on the motion
   vii. Passes

h. Chris Lyon moves for University Advancement the implementation of electric car charging stations on campus
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Brent Ward moves to previous question
   iv. Vote
   v. Passes
   vi. Vote on the motion
   vii. Passes

i. Itza Carbajal moves to have Business Affairs look into installing more clocks around campus
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Chris Lyon moves to previous question
   iv. Second
   v. Vote
   vi. Passes
   vii. Vote on the motion
   viii. Passes

j. Sam Garcia moves to have allocate $500 from General Co-sponsorship to Up 'til Dawn campus event
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Chris Lyon moves to amend to read $300 instead of $500
   iv. Second
   v. Discussion
   vi. Gin ju im moves to previous question
   vii. Second
   viii. Passes
   ix. Vote on the amendment
   x. Passes
xi. Discussion on the motion
xii. Chris Lyon moves to previous question
xiii. Second
xiv. Passes
xv. Vote on the motion
xvi. Passes

k. Cassie Gonzalez moves to have Business Affairs look into bringing Monterrey bathroom doors to code to meet handicap accessibility
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Vote
   iv. Passes

l. Chris Lyon moves to have VoteNet display the questions as provided by the previous Treasurer
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Vote
   iv. Motion passes initially
   v. Jordan Raymond moves to reconsider
   vi. Discussion
   vii. Vote
   viii. Motion is reconsidered and fails

m. Itza Carbajal moves to have Business Affairs to look into changing the current policy of visitor parking at dorms
   i. Second
   ii. Discussion
   iii. Brent Ward moves to previous question
   iv. Second
   v. Passes
   vi. Vote on the motion
   vii. Passes

n. Matt DeLeon entertains the motion to have Student Affairs look into the pricing of Campus Living Villages
   i. So moved
   ii. Second
   iii. Discussion
   iv. Brent Ward moves to previous question
   v. Second
   vi. Passes
   vii. Vote on the motion
   viii. Passes
11. Announcements
   a. Intramural Football sign-up
   b. Up 'til Dawn
   c. SBOR Questionnaire
   d. COB Tabling

12. Adjournment
   a. 7:24pm