Student Government Association  
October 14, 2010  
35th General Assembly Minutes

1. Call to Order  
   a. 5:31 pm  
2. Reading and Approval of Minutes  
   a. Minutes Approved  
3. Invited Guests  
   a. None  
4. Open Forum  
   a. Mario Beers speaking about the rec and their upcoming events  
   b. Kort Jackson’s risk management presentation and summary  
   c. Kelsey Bratcher- advisor for Be A Responsible Roadrunner. Doing a fundraiser where a certain face may have a pie in it. The person with the most money will be the person who gets pied in the face.  
5. Executive Officer Reports  
   a. President – Derek Trimm  
      i. Candidate meet and greet event was a success, round of applause for everyone who helped out with the event  
      ii. Early voting event on October 18th, Victor will be the chair for this event and it will be mandatory and it will also be a lot of fun. Put down 30 minutes to an hour. There will be Presidential appointments to the Green-Fund By-law committee.  
      iii. We are hiring a new office worker, PR committee Chair to assist Sam, and an Academic Affairs Committee Chair.  
      iv. There will be a Starbucks added to the JPL that will have more comfortable chairs and a starbucks  
   b. Vice President – Nicole Munoz  
      i. Bring your binders to the meetings  
      ii. PR it needs work everybody  
      iii. Xavier Johnson, John Boone and Nicole Munoz all went to meet with the Paisano, they felt that visibility was not really there for SGA, so each college or committee should table and we should have a contest for the most active committee or college.  
      iv. Seth Seifert- gives a brief note on Parliamentary procedure  
      v. Liaison to the paisano position created  
   c. Treasurer – Roger Frigstad  
      i. More leader fund came out, I did get a haircut.  
      ii. More leader fund is going out and that’s it.  
   d. Secretary - Xavier Johnson  
      i. Professionalism, maintain it! Attend committee meetings, serve office hours, meet with University Committees, do your job!!  
      ii. Daniel McTyre is now the Secretarial Assistant  
      iii. By-Laws for SGA have been updated and emailed  
      iv. By-Laws for the Transportation Committee have been drafted, and need revisions by anyone willing to help  
      v. Updated contact list has also been sent out as well  
      vi. New Business I am going to entertain the motion that the “Free Mobility Act” be passed
vii. Sauna at the Rec Meeting with Brooke Nowak, Nicci Campbell, Mark Munguia, Sam Gonzalez, and Tony Daniels. Anyone else who would like to come feel free to come just let me know, the meeting will be tomorrow at 2:00 in the Recreation Center main office on the first floor.

viii. Rowdystock with CAB- Goal is to get students politically involved in any forms of government we can get them involved in, and also to entertain people. I will be taking on this endeavor. If anyone who wants to help out I would love to have them participate in this endeavor.

e. Executive Senator
   i. Planning a six flags event, the next few weekends we will hold this. The university is selling tickets for $26. Sigma Kappa is doing a football tournament on Sunday from 11:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
   ii. We are making a card for Gage Paine for coming to retreat on Saturday, keep up the good work and the no drama
   iii. Nicole Munoz- “can you try to schedule events two weeks in advance so we can plan for them?”
   iv. Jason Hensley-“Yes”

f. Assistant to the President- Cassie Gonzalez
   i. We need motion forms filled out by Tuesday, committee members we need a list of everyone in your committee by next meeting
   ii. We are going to post on-line what all of the committees are working on
   iii. Xavier and Cassie are working on a new event for everyone to go to as well.

6. Standing Committee Reports
   a. Academic Affairs – Eliana Briceno
      i. Still holding meetings until we can find a replacement
      ii. Marisa and Cesar are working with Freshman advising to narrow down concerns
      iii. Michael and Joshua went to the library meeting and got a history of Texas lands because we need that to be a sophisticated research library
      iv. By November 20th we will have 80 more computers and we also are getting a quiet room with no computers just reading.
   b. Business Affairs – Andres Torres
      i. Everything is still the same, met with Dr. cannon and James for Transportation, we are going to push for it in the fall and work on it in the Spring, we will draft a survey, and look over it with committee members.
      ii. Meeting with Lewis Keith and Aramark as well as facilities and the bookstore. We are going to spread those across the committee members.
      iii. Nicole Munoz- “Where are you spreading that across?”
      iv. Andres Torres- “the committee members”
   c. Student Affairs – John Boone
      i. Sauna at the Rec meeting
      ii. Bringing up a resolution in favor of ending the ban of skateboards, roller blades and scooters on campus in New Business
      iii. Working on the smoking concerns, met with important people
   d. University Advancement – Lacy Guaderrama
      i. Kickoff for early voting, go to it
      ii. Have a card for the UTSA police officers, we have a wekk called remember the red it will be passed around next week
iii. We are looking at getting more hydration stations around campus, apparently there are 25 of them around campus
iv. Fully on board with the idea of replacing the bulletin boards, they are thinking about a contest for ideas instead of a bulletin board. They want designs that are flashy and UTSA-esque.
v. Taking student ideas for greenery around campus.
vi. Going to create a survey for putting more bike-racks out
vii. Brooke and Abe are going to meet with Xavier and the Rec about other ideas
viii. Merced and the Go-Green committee:
    1) Working on double-sided printing
    2) On expanding the recycling program we are meeting with Polo Cervantes.
    3) For paper towels to air-dryers, it doesn’t look like it is going to happen but we are requesting the paper towel dispensers there are some that allow us to use less paper towels.

7. Committee and Senator Reports
   a. Public Relations – Sam Garcia
      i. Getting tickets to Best Fest to pay for student organizations to go to BestFest, they can get them by gathering student concern
   b. Social Committee- Sergio Maltos
      i. Roadrunner Ruckus: doors open at 7:40 pm, first 1000 people get free shirts, free food before the event
      ii. Volleyball: 1st place in their division...2nd place overall in conference. Next home game Thursday, Oct 21 against A&M CC at 6:30 pm
      iii. Soccer: 1st place overall, weekend play 2 games out of town, next home game Friday Oct 22 Southern Louisiana at 7 pm
   c. Green Fund By-Law Committee- Pardeis Heidari
   d. Greek Housing Taskforce-Derek Trimm

8. Advisor Reports
   a. John Montoya
      i. Candidate meet and greet went very well, I was a little disappointed with people who we asked to help and they were less than interested in helping out. Two problems: 1) not enough senators knew what was going on, 2) when anyone from SGA or student activities goes in and asks for help that is when we step up and help and that is not the attitude we need to have.
      ii. We have an early voting event on Monday, we will be on the Paseo giving out pizza and playing music, as you hand out pizza direct people where to go to vote.
   b. Barry McKinney
      i. X

9. New Business
   a. Xavier Johnson and Nicole Munoz- “The Mobility Act of 2010”: Support for removing restriction on skateboards, rollerblades, and scooters passed by the executive cabinet.
      i. Motion is laid on the table and passes with 20 in favor, 2 against, and 1 abstention.
   b. In House Elections:
      i. 3 Business Senators
      ii. 3 Education/Human Development
      iii. 1 Science
10. Announcements
   a. John Montoya - We have a packet for in house elected senators to fill out
   b. Jordan Bittner - I sent out information about games and sports that we can participate in
   c. Brooke Nowak - Monday there is a Phi Mu fundraiser selling hotdogs to raise money for cancer
   d. Gin Ju - happy birthday to David Yang
   e. David Yang - Festivities tomorrow night!
   f. Kort Jackson - my mother is turning 30 for the 32nd time, thank you all for signing the card
   g. Josh Bart - REC center up ‘til dawn is going to be on the 23rd of October, there will be free food
   h. Roger Cardenas - Sigma Pi is doing a canned food drive under the bridge in the Paseo next week
   i. Nicole Munoz - State representative meetings are coming up Joaquin Castro is November 16th downtown, let me know if you want to go to this meeting or any of the other meetings as well.

11. Adjournment
   a. Meeting adjourned
   i. 6:52pm