Student Government Association
January 24, 2013
General Assembly Minutes

I. Call to Order
   A. 5:30pm

II. Reading and Approval of Minutes
   A. Approved

III. Invited Guests
   A.

IV. Open Forum
   A. John Kaulfus - Assistant Dean of Students

V. Executive Officer Reports
   A. President – Xavier Johnson
      a. Coordinating City Council District 5
      b. UTSSAC Next Weekend
      c. Hazing and Alcohol Task Force Feb 8th
      d. VPSA Search Committee
      e. Strategic Resource Planning Council
   B. Vice President – Charles Miles
      a. Involvement Fair
      b. Spring 2013 Calendar
      c. Committee Meeting Times and Locations
      d. ULA Nominations! Due March 8th
      e. UTSA Women’s basketball @ 7pm in the Convo!
   C. Treasurer – Darnell Thomas
      a. Finance committee meetings will be Mondays at 4:30 starting Feb 4th
      b. Working on by-law graduation stoles
      c. Spending report for December
   D. Secretary – Andie Watson
      a. Meeting with Barry next week to talk about the Healthy Food Fair, met with some of the organizations in person at the Involvement Fair
      b. Vacancies: 1 Business, 1 COEHD, 1 Public Policy, 1 Science, 1 Honors, 1 Sophomore, 1 Junior
      c. Committee sign-up sheet
E. Executive Senator - Harrison Pierce
   a. Senator Monthly Reports
   b. LeadershipNOW!
   c. Dodgeball
F. Chief of Staff – Verinda Wilkerson
   a.
VI. Advisor Reports
   A. John Montoya
      a. Legacy- what you will be leaving with from this organization
   B. Barry McKinney
      a. How’s everybody doin”?
      b. Saturday @ 9pm- Nelly’s Echo
      c. DT Involvement Fair on 1/29 and 1/30
      d. John’s Reception @ 9:30am-11am
      e. State Mandate Risk Management Training 1/28 and 1/30
      f. 13 weeks until Study Days, professors know you, go to class, do homework, plan to graduate in 4 years
      g. LeadershipNOW Conference Feb 9th
   C. John Kaulfus
      a. None
VII. Standing Committee Reports
   A. Academic Affairs – Rosalyn Huff
      a. Met with Angel Gibbons regarding waitlist committee
      b. Waiting on response from Barbara Smith (Director of Advising) to meet with all advising directors
      c. Reaching out to COLFA organizations
      d. Meeting Thursday @ 4pm in the SGA office
   B. Business Affairs – Zack Dunn
      a. Main focus of Business Affairs:
         o Parking/traffic/transportation
         o Food Services: on-campus dining/ the roadrunner café/ vending/ ARAMARK
         o Financial Affairs related to the university
         o Operations/ Development/ Facilities
         o Disability services UTSA police department
      b. Meeting time: Monday @ 5:30 in the office
C. University Advancement – Diana Cuervo (Alex)
   a. Meeting time & location: Tuesday @ 4:30pm in the SGA office
   b. Miscommunication about the fountains, they are not being turned on yet, the project of turning on using condensate water is being looked at. We are still in a water restriction and the project is being reviewed.
   c. Contact me at diana.cuervo@gmail.com

D. Student Affairs- Jerome Scott
   a.

VIII. Committee and Senator Reports

A. Public Relations – Cierra Ramey & Travis Merriweather
   a. List for student organizations is almost complete!
   b. Working on latest episode of rowdy roundup
   c. We’re also looking for a room for the Townhall meeting and also brainstorming ways to advertise for it.

B. Marketing Directors- Emily Gavlick & Brian Smith
   a. Report

C. Go Green Committee - Merced Carbajal
   a. Meetings are Fridays at 4pm in the SGA office

D. Legislative Affairs- Austin Hagee & Danny Khalil
   a. Day at the Capitol will be Feb 28th
   b. External Affairs has shown us possible gift ideas for Day at the Capital
   c. Please fill out the Doodle if you haven’t already

E. F.I.R.E. Chair- Krystal Nicholson
   a. None

F. Website Director- Dan Rossiter
   a. No report

G. Downtown Affairs- Harrison Pierce
   a. VIA bus changes
   b. District 8 candidate forum
   c. DT Involvement Fair
   d. NIUTSA- April 13th 7:30-9:30pm
   e. Meetings times Wednesdays @ 5pm Eames Room (Downtown campus)

H. Kati Vincent- University Life Awards Chair
   a. Nominations due March 8th
   b. ULA Awards: Thursday April 4th @ 4:30pm!

Unfinished Business
A. By-Law Amendments Vote (26 for, 3 against, 1 abstain)
e. New Business  
A. In-house Elections  
   a. Quinton Garcia COEHD (candidate not elected)  
   b. Josh Fierro, Junior (25 for, 4 against, 1 abstain)  
B. Grade Resolution (laid on table)  
C. Concealed Carry Resolution (laid on table)  
f. Announcements  
A.  
g. Adjournment  
A. Meeting adjourned  
   a. 6:38pm