

Student Government Minutes

September 30, 2015

Weekly Meeting- Marshall Room

**Call to Order:** 6:15 P.M.

**Present:** Duina Hernandez    Reies Romero    Maddie Davis  
Sheila Meh                    Mariam Fawzy    Elise Hinderliter  
Keisha Barnard              Estephanie Romero-Rodriguez  
Jessie                          Winni Godi            Cuong Nguyen  
Grant Patterson              Madison Wedan    Kevin Tran  
Alexis Vue                      Mahamoud Abdi    Alyson Rowe  
Khadra Ibrahim              Kitana Holland    Aisha Barre  
Nick Stewart-Bloch    Julian Kritz

**Not Present:** Nazih Safi

**Share Puppy:** Nazih Safi received

**Adoption of Agenda:** passed 6:29 P.M.

**Soapbox:** Ashley parent- Gender Neutral Bathrooms

Goals:

1. Gender neutral bathrooms in 5th floor of Urness
2. Provide neutral bathroom space per building on campus
  - 14 Gender Neutral Bathrooms
  - would bathrooms be renovated or newly built?

Joanne Reeck – Diversity and Inclusion Plan for this Year

- Increase intercultural competence of faculty, staff, and students
- Increase diversity of faculty and staff
- Diversity and inclusion committee 2 student spots open

**New Business:** Jessie: Move Gender Neutral Bathrooms to Student Concerns committee

Second: Alexis Vue

Vote: All hands raised present, none opposed

**Approval of Previous Minutes:** passed 6:30 P.M.

**Announcements from President**

President: Staff Goals presented, University Council looking for long-term 2 students

Writing Resolution for 2019 Inclusive on Campus

### **Announcements from Vice President**

Check out the echo had some interesting articles to figure out how we can help the student body

### **Announcements from Finance**

1. Muslim Student Association - \$2,000 Grant  
Vote: **yes** all hands except for 2 (**no** Julian, Jessie) - Passed
2. Save the Kids- money for speaker \$2,200  
Vote: **Yes** all hands except 1 (**Abstained** Alyson Rowe) - Passed
3. Granted \$725 Fall Heritage Event AASA

Activity Fee Budget is being sent out to student government once it is updated

### **Announcements from Student Concerns**

Tabling in Christensen during homecoming week- top 3 concerns

Looking for resolutions from the student body

10:00-1:00 everyday

### **Public Relations**

Bio's need to be in tonight!

### **Chartering**

1. Re-Chartering of Student Organizations

Mahamoud Abdi move to approve:

Vote: all "I"'s passed

American Music Therapy Association of Students, Association of Computing Machinery at Augsburg College, Augsburg Art Club, Augsburg Cheer Team, Augsburg Chemistry society, Augsburg College Pep Band 612, Augsburg College Progressives, Augsburg Exercise Science Club, Augsburg Psychology Association, Augsburg Winds and Reeds Club, Brotherhood of Successful Scholars, Coalition for Global Activism and Change, Gamers United, Hmong Women Together, Mindfulness for students club, save the kids, society of physics students, students supporting Israel at Augsburg College, unbounded, women in film, Women in Physics

### **Senators**

Assessment Committee- Is there value added from going to Augsburg College

Save the kids – Monday, October 5, 2015 6:30 OGC 100

"No Labels" Political organization- put differences aside and focus on the people

**Executive Board**

Sign up for office hours, go pick up keys from DPS

**Advisors**

Keep in check with your student body

**Adjournment: 7:40**