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56th General Assembly Autumn 2023, Session 9 October 4th, 2023

I. Opening

- a. Call to Order 6:33
- b. Land Acknowledgment
- c. Attendance
- d. Swearing in of Alternates
 - i. Patel.5339
 - ii. Prashad.2
 - iii. Williams.8170
- e. Approval of Minutes

II. Open Forum for the Public

III. Executive Report

- a. President Bobby McAlpine and Vice President Madison Mason
 - i. VP Mason is not here today
 - *ii.* Next week there will be a safety survey sent to the entire student body
 - 1. Showed to the office of institutional equity and SL
 - 2. Prizes of some sort for students who take the survey
 - 3. Results will be available in early November
 - iii. Project Bridge the Gap
 - 1. Streaming devices
 - 2. Late night dinning
 - 3. New sources
 - 4. Safety devices
 - 5. Menstrual devices
 - a. Money from CSA meeting on Monday to get funding



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- b. Spoke to Secretary Schmidt about concerns
- c. Just because this is what we are spending money doesn't mean it's the only thing we prioritize
- d. Physical safety was not covered but President Carter just increased safety which was a result of our advocacy
- e. Hard to get large scale due to being so many students
- *iv.* Scan the scarlet button code for one-stop shop for student resources
 - 1. Form to collect resources of what everyone uses
 - 2. Will be out by next semester
 - 3. Both presidents are fully supportive
 - a. Khafagy: will student be able to access it in OSU app
 - *i.* Yes it will be a button on the bottom of OSU app.
 - ii. You can tell Brutus what's up and it will get you to a resource
 - b. Yadapadithaya: will you collect info on if it doesn't have good resources
 - i. It will ask if it was helpful and if said no they will figure it out further
 - c. Moskowitz: can you explain the form further
 - i. Yes submit the form for each resource
 - d. Diaz: is this for emergency



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- *i.* Not necessarily for emergencies but it will still give guidance in the case of emergencies
- e. Davis: should we put in crisis stuff or just like D tix group fitness
 - i. Put anything
- f. Hickman: Will be allowed to see survey results
 - i. Yes it will be published for everyone
 - ii. I will deliver it to the General Assembly
 - iii. It will also be given to different offices
- g. Poling: timeline for how long it will be open
 - i. Early October to mid-November, end of November results
 - ii. Muller just gave 2 million to safety and this will help to give more money or allocation of money
 - iii. 18 multiple choice two written questions
- h. Diaz: Worries about protest in the oval will this address this
 - i. Unfortunately, it is free speech and since we are land grant, we can't stop it
- *i.* Evans: Can we do anything about abortion protest and notifying students about it
 - i. We can't do anything about it, thin line we have to cross
 - ii. We need to hold space of everyone



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j. Khafagy: can students notify another student

- *i.* USG can not do anything but independent students or apps can be used
- k. Nischal: open to all students?
 - i. Yes it will be sent to everyone

IV. Updates

- a. Speaker Alex Poling
 - i. Sent everyone the form if you have a legislation idea
 - ii. Fill it out so we can connect people
 - iii. Cabinet form not for senators
 - 1. Ginsburg: old legislation available for embassy seat
 - a. I can send you one but past legislation is not actively updated it a lot but working on figuring it out

b. Parliamentarian Keyanah Peters

- i. No updates
- c. Secretary Sarah Schmidt
 - i. Sorry about pulling resolution
 - ii. Yeild to President McAlpine
 - 1. Want student voices heard
 - 2. The Generative AI committee
 - a. If into AI and how students can use it fill out the form

V. Committee Reports

- a. Allocations Committee
 - i. No meeting
- b. Oversight Committee



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- **i.** We are meeting this week
- c. Issues Committees
 - i. Academic Affairs
 - 1. No updates
 - ii. Black Caucus
 - 1. Passed bylaws
 - iii. Governmental Relations
 - 1. Pass resolution but not on table for today
 - iv. Health and Safety
 - 1. No updates
 - v. Justice and Equity
 - 1. No updates
 - vi. Student Affairs
 - 1. Meet and passed bylaws and attended collab session
 - vii. Sustainability
 - 1. No updates

VI. Old Business

VII. New Business

a. Move to enter executive session

- b. Elections
 - i. Health & Safety Legislative Coordinator
 - 1. Senator Moskowitz is selected
- c. Standing Committee Appointments
 - i. Oversight Committee (1)
 - 1. No interest



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- d. Vacancy Application Elections
 - i. Presentation of Candidate
 - ii. Discussion of Candidate
 - iii. Appointment Vote on Candidate
 - 1. Shyla Mudundi is elected as an on-campus senator
 - iv. move to rise and report
 - v. Exit executive session
- e. Administration of Oath of Office

VIII. Announcements

- a. Poling: Current capstone and need focus groups sign up if interested only like 45 minutes
- b. Schmidt: please come to politics in perspective
- c. Ginsburg: Will send text for the Hallel food project
- d. Hickman: late night dining resolution
- e. Braziel: Resolution to Hale Hall (expand and renovate)
 - i. It's a center for ODI and Black Cultural center
- f. Peters: Accessibility resolution to meet ADA compliance with Poling.
- g. Poling: USG accessibility resolution
 - i. Currently no standards
- h. Rossing: LGBTQ center project
- IX. Adjournment: 7:30