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UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT GOVERNMENT

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46th Undergraduate Student Government General Assembly

Agenda

March 19th, 2014, 6:30 pm
Senate Chambers — The Ohio Union

- I. Opening**
 - Call to Order
 - Attendance
 - Swearing in of new alternates
 - Approval of the Minutes
- II. Open Forum for Public**
- III. Executive Report**
 - Stepp
- IV. Committee Reports**
 - Allocations- Picha
 - Oversight- Leiden
- V. Old Business**
 - 1. 46-R-39 A Resolution to Amend the Q3 Semester Budget (*Stepp*)
 - 2. 46-R-40 A Resolution to Support the Expansion of Block-O Football (*Bennett*)
 - 3. 46-R-41 A Resolution to Provide the Adjournment Sine Diem of the 46th General Assembly of the Undergraduate Student Government at the Ohio State University (*Ahart*)
- VI. New Business**
- VII. Announcements/Reminders**
- VIII. Adjournment**

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-----**OLD BUSINESS**-----
46-R-39

A Resolution To Amend The Q3 Semester Budget

Taylor Stepp (for himself and Alex Temple) introduced the following legislation to the Steering Committee where it passed unanimously.

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Whereas the Undergraduate Student Government represents all undergraduate students, and

Whereas it is required for the budget to be amended to fund partnership funding, and

Whereas USG has made it a point to continue to fund Greek philanthropic causes and student organizations, and

Therefore Let it Be Resolved that the Undergraduate Student Government Q2 Operating Budget line-item for partnership funding be amended as follows.

Floor Vote: Aye: ____ Nay: ____ Present: ____

Taylor C. Stepp
President

Josh Ahart
Vice President

Date Adopted: _____

Termination Date: _____

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Q2 Budget

Partnership Funding

SAE Beyond Imagination - \$2000
Mirrors Ball - \$ 1000
Unicef - \$ 1000
Pi Sigma Epsilon - \$1250
MAASU - \$ 1250
Delta Sig - \$ 225

A Bill to Support the expansion of Block O Football

Michelle Bennett (on behalf of Jake Bradley) introduced the following resolution to the Senate Steering Committee.

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Whereas the Undergraduate Student Government represents all undergraduate students at The Ohio State University, and

Whereas Block O is the official student section for all Ohio State varsity sports and an official student organization at The Ohio State University.

Whereas Block O Football is the official student section at Ohio State varsity football games under the overarching Block O organization

Whereas Block O Football wants to identify every student season ticket holder as a member of Block O Football

Let it Be Resolved that the Undergraduate Student Government Senate supports identifying every student season ticket holder as a member of Block O Football.

Floor Vote: Aye: _____ Nay: _____ Present: _____

Taylor Stepp
President

Josh Ahart
Vice President

Date Adopted: _____

Date Terminated: _____

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46-R-41

**A Resolution to Provide the Adjournment *Sine Diem* of the 46th General Assembly
of the Undergraduate Student Government at the Ohio State University**

Josh Ahart (for himself) introduced the following resolution directly into the Steering Committee where it passed with unanimous consent.

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Whereas the Undergraduate Student Government represents all undergraduate students, and

Whereas on March 19th, 2014 the 46th Undergraduate Student Government General Assembly convened in the Ohio Union Senate Chamber for their last regular meeting,

Whereas the Vice President Josh Ahart presided as speaker, and was accompanied by President Taylor Criswell Stepp, Secretary Michael Flannagan, and Parliamentarian Erik Leiden all in attendance,

Whereas the General Assembly has approved several new Justices for the USG Judicial Panel; several Executive Cabinet directors; a Chief of Staff; a Deputy Chief of Staff; a Senior Advisor to the President; Senior Communications Director; Senior University Senate Coordinator; Senior Collaborations Manager; Internal Affairs Director; Chief Financial Officer; numerous appointments to University Senate and committees, and

Whereas the General Assembly and the allocations committee has awarded nearly \$75,000 in student organization funding and Greek philanthropy funding across the Ohio State Community, and

Whereas the General Assembly passed 46-R-3 A Resolution to Amend the Report Structure to ensure USG documents be posted online and in social media, and

Whereas the General Assembly passed 46-R-4 A Resolution to Amend the Appropriations Procedures which changed the funding cap for trips being from \$25 per person to a cap of \$1500, and

Whereas the General Assembly passed 46-R-7 A Resolution to Support the Columbus Education Plan which promoted Issues 50 and 51 on the Columbus ballot, and

Whereas the General Assembly passed 46-R-8 A Resolution to Support a Fall Break because students at Ohio State expressed that it was needed due to the switch to semesters, and

1 **Whereas** the General Assembly passed 46-R-18 A Resolution to Support Increased
2 Police Presence in the Off-Campus Community to address concerns from students in the
3 off campus area, and
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5 **Whereas** the General Assembly passed 46-R-22 A Resolution to Support the Enactment
6 of a Good Samaritan Policy to advocate the passing of statewide legislation approving a
7 Good Samaritan Policy in the State of Ohio, and
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9 **Whereas** the General Assembly passed 46-R-25 A Resolution to Support and Increase
10 Resources for Student Mental Health and Wellness to encourage the university to
11 increase support and money for mental health and wellness on Ohio States campus, and
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13 **Whereas** the General Assembly passed 46-R-31 A Resolution to Support a Staff Increase
14 in the Ohio State University Police Division to advocate the university to have more
15 officers on and off campus, and
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17 **Therefore Let it Be Resolved** that any reports of any Standing committee secretaries yet
18 unapproved shall stand approved, effective 6:30pm on March 19, 2014, and
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20 **Therefore Let it Be Resolved** that all committee chairs shall provide an opportunity for
21 review correction by their respective committees, and
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23 **Therefore Let it Be Resolved** that the minutes from the secretary of the General
24 Assembly all stand as approved, and
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26 **Therefore Let it Be Resolved** that the three General Assembly officers serve pro
27 tempore until they are replaced by an officer of the 47th Session of the General Assembly,
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30 **Therefore Let it Further be Resolved that** effective the adoption of the above reports,
31 on March 19, 2014, the 46th General Assembly of the Undergraduate Student
32 Government shall stand adjourned *sine diem*.
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37 Floor Vote: Aye: ____ Nay: ____ Present: ____
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42 Taylor C. Stepp
43 President
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42 Josh Ahart
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45 Date Adopted: _____
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Termination Date: _____