



# Colorado State University-Pueblo

## Associated Students' Government

Senate Minutes

March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016

Thirty-Seventh Senate, 19<sup>th</sup> Session

- A. Call to Order at 7:58 by Vice President in the ASG Chambers (OUC 001)
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Roll Call
  - a. Present: Zarr, G. Wilson, B. Wilson, Geolat, Roemeling, Olay, Ball, Huerta, Lopez, Barrera Saint-Jour
  - b. Excused: Retzlaff, Hulet, Ramos, King
  - c. Unexcused: None
- D. Audience Participation
  - a. None
- E. Approval of the Minutes: Motion made by King seconded by Roemeling
- F. Special Recognition: B. Wilson: Zarr: Everyone who came up to the Fort Collins trip. G. Wilson: Senator Olay and Brown for assisting in tabling last week.
- G. Review of Agenda
- H. Approval of Agenda: Motion made by King, seconded by Lopez

*All items listed in this portion of the agenda are considered to be routine by the ASG Senate and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Senator so requests; in which event, the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered under the Regular Agenda. Unless otherwise indicated, titles are self-explanatory.*

- a. Consent Agenda Items
- I. Regular Agenda
  - a. COSTATE48 Update- VP Wilson: Admin. Assistant Brown passed out about 30-40 acquaintances. Trying to come up with more to put on our Facebook page. Wed, Thurs, Fri we will be petitioning in support against our action to drop to 49. Gallery: Is signing a petition going to do anything? G. Wilson: it's more for support about not going with it... The students can have the voices of the school, not only Zarr and G. Wilson. Barrera: Where exactly will you be petitioning again? And what times? G. Wilson: Either in front of the LARC or in the OUC lobby
  - b. Outdoor Pursuits Improvement Project: Challenge course... want to put in more trees and make it look a little better. Helps build leadership and team-building. Asking for \$600 to improve the entrance. April 2<sup>nd</sup> to volunteer to clean up the ropes-course but needs additional funding. Just needs a better face. Saint-Jour: What all is being updated? Zarr: Mainly just getting more trees, a nice pathway. King: What is our budget looking like? Do we have any other pending projects? Zarr: we have the budget. We do not have any other pending projects, just working on fiesta with the faculty, the tee-shirts. Olay: She wasn't able to raise any funding at all? Zarr: no, she was not... Everybody is dipping into their reserves. Huerta: If nobody else wants to support this, why should we? Zarr: Nobody just has the money because they are all on reserves. Saint-Jour: It's a good idea for the incoming freshman.
    - i. King moves to give \$600
      - 1. Vote passes 7-2-0

J. Audience Participation

a. None if any

K. ASG Updates

a. Executive Branch

i. President Zarr

1. University Leadership today, finalized for the cannabis institute, space utilization with concerns. Fort Collins trip... Talked to the VP for the student fee governing board; there's only advisors instead of staff and students... great to feel connected to our sister school. Any student can write a bill and bring it up to some support from three senators who can sponsor it. Budget; in promotions we have \$2000, and we have about \$3000 so let's do things for our projects. (King entered at 8:16)

ii. Vice President G. Wilson

1. Got something out of the FOCO trip, conduct plan.

iii. Chief of Staff B. Wilson

1. Last week, went to the open forum, title XI and lots of questions about improvement of campus and gazebo. Bike shed is kind of on a stand still because they want between 50,000 and 100,000 dollars to sponsor. Internal affairs meeting tomorrow at 5pm. Huerta: What was the feedback about the gazebo? Were you able to give any feedback on that? B. Wilson: a lot of students didn't agree with the idea. And yes, I was able to give feedback. Zarr: There are some students that don't like it but it was voted on two years ago and there is no resolution to stop this. Olay: The money has already been allocated from 2 years ago and nothing can be changed. Geolat: this is for the gazebo and the clock tower? Where will this be located? Zarr: It's all just one and it will be located right outside the OUC. Schievelbein: This got voted on and spent by student's years ago and not by current students. Barrera: Thought it was closer to the Gen. Ed building? Zarr: I thought it was closer. Gallery: Huerta: upkeep, Wi-Fi... is charges and fees coming from alumni as well? Zarr: There won't really be any maintenance because there is a solar panel and the Wi-Fi and heat, they don't really know if it's necessary. Everything is already paid for from the budget. G. Wilson: 6 projects were dropped because there were continuous concerns. Zarr: there hasn't been anything with the facility fee budget in three years. Just another thing to add and it will be awesome. B. Wilson: Trying to come up with a way to promote it. Barrera: Who are we to say the past money can't be spent on how the past students wanted to improve the campus. Saint-Jour: Think about the future students, we want more students to like the school and campus.

iv. Director of Public Relations Stephenson. Holiday gathering for ASG.

1. None

v. Director Student Affairs Schievelbein

1. Marie on the third draft of honor code... is going to take more drafts. Ball can talk more about dining services. Presentation on packlink for different organizations. Olay: Reconstruct our website and create more space. Schievelbein: Text message or email to your phone is constructive and really targets students. Zarr: packlink is on the home screen. The process for updating our website is current happening. Lopez: very good point... most students don't know what packlink is. Create a packlink app would be one of the best ways to know about events. Schievelbein: Within 4 years every student will be link in with packlink. Barrera: didn't hear about packlink until senior year but adding more for freshman to do during orientation. Alexis:

only had packlink for about 2 years now and last year was the first time we actively launched it.

b. Legislative Branch

i. Pro Temp. Hulet

1. None

ii. Parliamentarian King

1. DAC for ceeps soliciting participation for fiesta with the faculty.

iii. CEEPS Senators

1. Retzlaff: None

iv. CSM Senators

1. Roemeling: DAC meeting and approved for fiesta with faculty. Propel is helping clean up the river and park on April 16<sup>th</sup>.

v. CHASS Senators

1. Ramos: None

2. Geolat: FoCo's ASG was really interesting, how large they are, how their debates are and the way they work.

vi. HSB Senators

1. Ball: Late night at the rec was a blast. Dining services met, they have new smoothies and new to go items.

2. Huerta: Gives praise to what the senators do... we do what the directors do plus more. Talked to the Provost office this morning about graduation policies.

vii. Senators At Large

1. Olayiwola: Met with HSC and went over their budget and will be presented to student fee next week. Proceeding to the next step and going to talk with the president. Saint-Jour: Would like to be on this project as well. Zarr: talked about making separate graduations... likes Olay's idea. Olay: Cost is the main issue. Have more discussions to address. Olay: sounds good but will have to go further into it another time. Barrera: assumes it a fix causes. Olay: each department can make their own ceremony.

2. Lopez: Volunteering the science Olympia in March, helping with fiesta with faculty. A health services meeting was today but couldn't attend. Working on project and has contacts, working on posters and collaborations. Will have a presentation in about 2 weeks about the event.

3. Barrera: Letting senator know he is willing to help fiesta with faculty

4. Saint-Jour: FOCO's ASG was a really heated discussion even with open discussions about the bill that they had passed. Concerns about freshman having to stay in the dorms. Who would they have to talk to about that issue? Zarr: the BOG wants us to do this but a point is it won't affect the current students.

viii.

c. Judicial Branch

i. Chief Justice Stice

1. None

L. Adjournment

a. *Barrera motions to adjourn Huerta seconds*

b. Adjourned at 9:16 p.m.