



**STUDENT SENATE MEETING
BIG 12 ROOM
September 3, 2009
Approximately 7:15 (Following SGA Retreat)**

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

OPEN PERIOD

1. Jodi Kaus – K-State Financial Planning Center

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMENDATIONS

Res 09/10/22 Commendation to Emily Haug, Gayle Spencer and All Coordinators of “Week of Welcome”

Res 09/10/23 Commendation to the 2008-2009 K-State Women’s Basketball Team

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DIRECTORS’ REPORTS

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

Res 09/10/24 Approval of New Student Senators

Res 09/10/25 Approval of Recreational Services Council Appointments

FINAL ACTION

INTRODUCTION OF LEGISLATION

Bill 09/10/03 FY 2010 Allocation to Community Cultural Harmony Week

OPEN PERIOD

REFERENCE OF LEGISLATION

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AND/OR BY-LAWS REVISIONS

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

1. Welcome Back! I hope you all had a wonderful summer break and first week of class!
2. If your picture was not taken at the SGA Retreat, please stay after the meeting adjourns to have your picture taken. These pictures will be put on the SGA Website.
3. If you need to miss a committee meeting, please inform the chair of your committee and they will inform Secretary Works via Committee Minutes. Please do not send me emails about missing **committee** meetings.
4. Intern Applications are due next Wednesday, September 9th. There will also be a social before Senate the next day, prior to the Student Senate meeting. Intern Coordinator Rauth will provide more information.
5. Dress Code and Final Open Period Expectations.
6. Excused:
(none)
7. Proxies:
(none)
8. Upcoming Events Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1 Legislation Due	2	3 SGA Retreat Student Senate	4	5
6	7 Labor Day No Classes	8 Legislation Due	9 Apps for SGA Intern Program Due	10 Intern Program Social SGA Exec Student Senate	11	12
13	14	15 Legislation Due	16	17 SGA Exec Student Senate	18	19

“If you don't make a total commitment to whatever you're doing, then you start looking to bail out the first time the boat starts leaking. It's tough enough getting that boat to shore with everybody rowing, let alone when a guy stands up and starts putting his life jacket on.”

Lou Holtz

5 **BY:** Amy Schultz and Annie Oliver

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7 **WHEREAS,** In the Spring of 2009, the Kansas State University Student Governing Association and
8 the Office of Student Activities and Services accepted the task of organizing a week long
9 event for the beginning of the Fall 2009 semester that would welcome new and returning
10 students;

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12 **WHEREAS,** “Week of Welcome” is designed to provide new and returning students with
13 opportunities, resources, and events to ensure their success at K-State;

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15 **WHEREAS,** The week began with K-State Traditions Day, where more than 4500 students attended
16 the 2009 K-State Kick Off at Bill Snyder Family Stadium. Other days included We’re
17 Glad You’re Here Day, K-State Culture Day, Student Success Day, Involvement Day,
18 Friday Fun Day and Live-Serve-Celebrate United Day;

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20 **WHEREAS,** In the Spring of 2009, Emily Haug assumed the role as Student Coordinator of “Week of
21 Welcome”, assisted by Gayle Spencer, Coordinator of the Office of Student Activities
22 and Services. From the beginning, Emily and Gayle worked tirelessly to oversee all
23 aspects of “Week of Welcome”, and thanks to their leadership and dedication, the
24 Student Governing Association and Office of Student Activities and Services were able
25 to successfully host the first annual “Week of Welcome”;

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27 **WHEREAS,** Emily Haug, Gayle Spencer, and all coordinators of “Week of Welcome” should be
28 commended for their efforts in the planning and implementation of the first annual Week
29 of Welcome at K-State.

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31 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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33 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends Emily Haug,
34 Gayle Spencer, and all coordinators of “Week of Welcome” on an outstanding event and
35 wishes to thank them for the amount of time they dedicated to ensuring success among
36 K-State students.

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38 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage, a copy of this resolution shall be sent to Emily Haug, her parents, Gayle
39 Spencer, President Kirk Schulz, Interim Provost Ruth Dyer, and Vice President for
40 Student Life Pat Bosco.

4 **BY:** Amy Schultz, Annie Oliver, Dalton Henry, and Wayne Stoskopf

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6 **WHEREAS,** The Women's Basketball Coaches Association Academic Top 25 Team Honor Roll
7 ranked the 2008-2009 K-State Women's Basketball Team 13th in the nation, with a team
8 grade point average of 3.374;

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10 **WHEREAS,** This is the fifth time the K-State Women's Basketball Team has made the honor roll,
11 receiving Top 25 Team Honor Roll rankings in 1998, 1999, 2003, and 2008;

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13 **WHEREAS,** K-State placed a school-record by having eight student-athletes on the Academic All-Big
14 12 first team for women's basketball;

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16 **WHEREAS,** In addition to finishing the 2008-2009 season with a 25-8 record and attending NCAA
17 Women's Basketball Tournament for the 11th time, the K-State Women's Basketball
18 program has shown a commitment to the academic success of it's players; and

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20 **WHEREAS,** Team members, Kari Kincaid, Kelsey Hill, Marlies Gipson, Ashley Sweat, Kelsey
21 Nelson, Shalee Lehning, Jalana Childs, Shalin Spani, Alina Voronenko, Danielle Zanotti,
22 and Branshea Brown, along with their head coach Deb Patterson, should be commended
23 for the hard work they invested, both on and off the court, during the 2008-2009
24 basketball season.

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26 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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28 **SECTION 1.** The Kansas State University Student Governing Association commends and
29 congratulates the members of the 2008-2009 K-State Women's Basketball Team for their
30 outstanding academic achievements and for be ranked 13th on the Women's Basketball
31 Coaches Association Academic Top 25 Team Honor Roll.

32 **SECTION 2.** Upon passage by the Student Senate and signature of the Student Body President, a copy
33 of this resolution shall be sent to Kari Kincaid, Kelsey Hill, Marlies Gipson, Ashley
34 Sweat, Kelsey Nelson, Shalee Lehning, Jalana Childs, Shalin Spani, Alina Voronenko,
35 Danielle Zanotti, and Branshea Brown, their parents, Head Coach Deb Patterson,
36 President Kirk Schulz, Interim Provost Ruth Dyer, Vice President for Student Life Pat
37 Bosco, and Athletic Director John Currie.

1 **RESOLUTION 09/10/24**

**APPROVAL OF NEW
STUDENT SENATORS**

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4 **BY:** Amy Schultz, Annie Oliver, and the Senate Operations Committee

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6 **WHEREAS,** There are three vacancies in the office of Student Senator for the Graduate School; and

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8 **WHEREAS,** Edward Chesney, John Richards, and Alex Suñé were selected by Graduate Student
9 Council to fill the vacant positions of Graduate Student Senator.

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11 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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13 **SECTION 1.** Edward Chesney, John Richards, and Alex Suñé be approved as Student Senators for the
14 Graduate School.

4 **BY:** Senate Operations Committee, Amy Schultz, and Annie Oliver

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6 **WHEREAS,** The Speaker of the Student Senate must appoint two student representatives to the
7 Recreational Services Council; and

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9 **WHEREAS,** The Speaker of the Student Senate, in consultation with the Speaker pro tempore,
10 considered all interested individuals.

11 **BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

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14 **SECTION 1.** The following individuals, appointed by the Speaker of the Student Senate, be approved
15 to serve on the Recreational Services Council for the 2009-2010 term.

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17 Kathy Sexton
18 George Weston

1 **BILL 09/10/03**

**FY 2010 ALLOCATION TO COMMUNITY
CULTURAL HARMONY WEEK**

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4 **BY:** Annie Bachman

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6 **WHEREAS,** Previously an account was established for the purpose of financing Community Cultural
7 Harmony Week; and

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9 **WHEREAS,** The Allocations Committee has reviewed the performance of this account and determined
10 the funds are available for the current fiscal year.

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BE IT ENACTED THAT:

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SECTION 1. \$888.96 shall be allocated for Community Cultural Harmony Week from Foundation
Account #C76026, under supervision of the Kansas State University Student Governing
Association.

SECTION 2. All expenditures will be subject to state and KSU SGA guidelines and statutes.