May 2, 2011

Presiding Chair: President Sheree Haggan Conducting Chair: Vice President Jim Butler

Call To Order: 3:16 PM

Attendance: Senator Turner Absent & Unexcused

• Guests:

Senator Elects

o Jonathon Steinke: Jonathon proposed that the new Senate looks into working more closely with the military and the veterans.

 Agenda Approval: Passed Minutes Approval: Passed

Committee Reports

 All Senators spoke about their goals, experiences, and recommendations for their committees.

Old Business

Party: Tonight at 7:00 PM we will have our final Senate Social.

New Business

- Teacher's Award: Today our student Senate is finalizing our recommendations for the Technical and Academic Teaching Awards.
- Awards: The Freshman Senator of The Year is Mihreta Kadric. The Sophomore Senator of the Year is Sayid Abdullaev.

Executive Reports

- Vice President's Report:
 - I want to recognize each and every one of you individually for everything that I appreciate about you.
- President's Report:
 - End of the year reports need to be turned in this week. Please be sure to turn in 2 copies.
 - o Nika you are one of the funniest people I know. You are an amazing Speaker.
 - o I love how close our group is. Every single one of you are so unique, and I have loved getting to know you all.
 - o Don't lose sight of your purpose next year. You are here to serve, not to be served.
 - Every decision you make needs to be a decision of service. Do not keep any hidden agendas.

If this job is easy, you are doing something wrong. If you

- don't love it, you are doing something wrong.
- Sheree thanked all of use for our work, and gave us many suggestions for next year.
- Advisor's Report:
 - o Thank you to all of you for your prayers for my mom.
 - Thank you to so many of you for your notes. I appreciate all of your kind words.
 - Thank you to Sheree and Angel for attending the City Council Meeting.
 - Remember, graduation is May 13. Please attend if you can fit it in your schedule.
 - I applied for a job for the first time in a long time. I applied for a vice president job, but didn't get it, and I decided that is because God wanted me to be here instead.
- Swearing-In: The President-Elect Ryan Roberts and Vice-President Elect Angel Hernandez were sworn in.

Adjourned on motion by Senator Long at 6:05 PM