

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT SENATE MEETING
SALMON RIVER SUITE, PSU
7:00PM
JANUARY 10, 2018**

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Ruiz, in the Salmon River Suite, PSU, called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

ROLL CALL

ASISU Secretary, Hannah Rasmussen, took roll. All Senators were present except Senator D'Amico.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MOVE TO APPROVE THE MINUTES FROM NOVEMBER 29, 2017. Jewkes/Sargeant. Unanimous. **MOTION CARRIED.** **MOVE TO APPROVE THE AGENDA WITH THE AMENDMENT TO ADD BILL 537 UNDER OLD BUSINESS.** Permann/Marshall. Unanimous. **MOTION CARRIED.**

GALLERY QUESTION & ANSWER

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CORRESPONDENCE

Val Davids- World Fusion Dance- The purpose of this club is to promote positive body image, educate students as well as those in the community, and provide a healthy outlet for stress of body, mind, and soul. Pilar Davila- Pilar and other members of the club are trained in many dance styles. Their goal is to broaden people's awareness and knowledge of the numerous cultural dances, not just those that are popular. They also plan to have guest instructors come teach. The club has already participated in community fundraisers and plans to perform in the Celebrate Idaho event. Vice President Ruiz asked what distinguishes this dance club from the others on campus. Pilar- There would not be a focus on a single dance style. Instead, multiple styles will combined. **MOVE TO APPROVE WORLD FUSION DANCE AS A NEW CLUB.** Draben/Permann. Roll call.

SUJATA BHANDARI-YES
MOLLY DRABEN-YES
KAITLYN JEWKES-YES
SHIKHAR KARKI-YES
KRYSTOFF KISSOON-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
KEVIN PERMANN-YES
GANESH SAPKOTA-YES
TALON SARGEANT-YES
JESSICA STICKNEY-YES
LEIGHIAM VIRREY-YES

MOTION CARRIED.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

President Sargent- A new Arts & Letters senator is needed. The applications for this position are online and in the office. Martin Luther King Jr. Day program is this Monday. The parade will begin at 12:30pm at the Holt Arena and will move to the Performing Arts Center. After that, President Sargent and a key speaker will speak at 1:30pm. There is no update on who is to be the new VP for Student Affairs. Construction on the Senate chambers was finalized and will start a week from Monday.

CHAIR/COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. Senate Pro Tempore's Chair Committee, Senator Kissoon- Nothing to Report.
2. Finance Committee, Senator Kissoon- **MOVE TO APPROVE NEW CLUB FUNDING TO STUDENT ACQUISITION AND CULTURAL ASSIMILATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$200.** Kissoon/Stickney. Roll Call.

SUJATA BHANDARI-YES
MOLLY DRABEN-YES
KAITLYN JEWKES-YES
SHIKHAR KARKI-YES
KRYSTOFF KISSOON-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
KEVIN PERMANN-YES
GANESH SAPKOTA-YES
TALON SARGEANT-YES
JESSICA STICKNEY-YES
LEIGHIAM VIRREY-YES

MOTION CARRIED.

MOVE TO APPROVE MATCHED DEPOSIT TO GREEK COUNCIL IN THE AMOUNT OF \$47.45.
Kissoon/Jewkes. Roll call.

SUJATA BHANDARI-YES
MOLLY DRABEN-YES
KAITLYN JEWKES-YES
SHIKHAR KARKI-YES
KRYSTOFF KISSOON-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
KEVIN PERMANN-YES
GANESH SAPKOTA-YES
TALON SARGEANT-YES
JESSICA STICKNEY-YES
LEIGHIAM VIRREY-YES

MOTION CARRIED.

MOVE TO APPROVE MATCHED DEPOSIT TO STUDENT OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSOCIATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$21.43 Kissoon/Jewkes. Roll call.

SUJATA BHANDARI-YES
MOLLY DRABEN-YES
KAITLYN JEWKES-YES
SHIKHAR KARKI-YES
KRYSTOFF KISSOON-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
KEVIN PERMANN-YES
GANESH SAPKOTA-YES
TALON SARGEANT-YES
JESSICA STICKNEY-YES
LEIGHIAM VIRREY-YES

MOTION CARRIED.

3. Senate Rules and Appointments Committee, Senator Permann- Sydnee Harris was interviewed for the position of Elections Publicity Coordinator and is an excellent candidate.

MOVE TO APPROVE SYDNEE HARRIS AS THE ELECTIONS PUBLICITY COORDINATOR.

Permann/Stickney. Roll call.

SUJATA BHANDARI-YES
MOLLY DRABEN-YES
KAITLYN JEWKES-YES
SHIKHAR KARKI-YES
KRYSTOFF KISSOON-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
KEVIN PERMANN-YES
GANESH SAPKOTA-YES
TALON SARGEANT-YES
JESSICA STICKNEY-YES
LEIGHIAM VIRREY-YES

MOTION CARRIED. Sydney Harris was sworn in.

4. **POINT OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.** Beck. **APPROVED BY VICE PRESIDENT RUIZ.** Selection for the date of the next Idaho Falls senate meeting was discussed. **MOVE TO APPROVE IDAHO FALLS MEETING FOR MARCH 7.** Jewkes/Marshall. Unanimous. **MOTION CARRIED.**
5. Outreach and Diversity Committee, Senator Sargeant- Nothing to report.

OLD BUSINESS

Bill 537- Reading by Senator Jewkes. **MOVE TO APPROVE BILL 537.** Jewkes/Permann. Roll call.

SUJATA BHANDARI-YES
MOLLY DRABEN-YES
KAITLYN JEWKES-YES
SHIKHAR KARKI-YES
KRYSTOFF KISSOON-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
KEVIN PERMANN-YES
GANESH SAPKOTA-YES
TALON SARGEANT-YES
JESSICA STICKNEY-YES
LEIGHIAM VIRREY-YES

MOTION CARRIED.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Resolution 593, Finance Officer Transition- reading by Senator Jewkes. **MOVE TO APPROVE RESOLUTION 593.** Jewkes/Permann. Roll call.

SUJATA BHANDARI-YES
MOLLY DRABEN-YES
KAITLYN JEWKES-YES
SHIKHAR KARKI-YES
KRYSTOFF KISSOON-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
KEVIN PERMANN-YES
GANESH SAPKOTA-YES
TALON SARGEANT-YES
JESSICA STICKNEY-YES
LEIGHIAM VIRREY-YES

MOTION CARRIED.

GALLERY QUESTION AND ANSWER

OTHER

Pro-Tem Vote of Confidence- The Senators voted and Senator Kissoon remains as Pro-Tem.

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ADJOURNMENT

MOVE TO ADJOURN. Jewkes/Marshall. Unanimous. **MOTION CARRIED.** ASISU Secretary, Hannah Rasmussen, took roll. All senators were present except Senator D'Amico. Meeting adjourned at 7:28pm.

**ASISU VICE PRESIDENT
DEZ RUIZ**

**ASISU SECRETARY
HANNAH RASMUSSEN**