

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT SENATE MEETING
SHIRLEY SARGENT FAMILY BOARDROOM, PSU
7:00PM
MARCH 18, 2020**

- I. CALL TO ORDER – 7:03 P.M.
- II. ROLL CALL
 - a. 9 Senator were present (Vacant: College of Arts & Letters)
 - b. Also present: Lowell Richards, Associate Vice President of Student Affairs
 - c. Absent: Senators Mahesh Mahat, Nartker and Webb
- III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM **March 11, 2020**
 - a. Motion to approve: Medasetti/Alvarez
 - b. Unanimous
 - c. Motion: **CARRIED**
- IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
 - a. Motion to approve: Medasetti/Alvarez
 - b. Unanimous
 - c. Motion: **CARRIED**
- V. GALLERY QUESTIONS & ANSWER
- VI. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CORRESPONDENCE
 - a. Becky Robison, Policy Manager Office of the President Policy Manager
 - i. Becky assisted in writing an ISU policy that would allow students to travel on University business without being academically penalized.
 - ii. Becky seeks the support of the senate before this policy is presented to President Satterlee for approval. Senator Jha volunteered to write a resolution of support.
- VII. PRESIDENT KAY'S REPORT
 - a. Online courses
 - i. There are going to be many questions after spring break regarding online classes and distance learning. President Kay encouraged everyone to ask for help from the University as needed.
- VIII. CHAIR/COMMITTEE REPORTS
 - a. Senate Pro Tempore's Chair Committee, Senator Jha
 - i. Nothing to report.
 - b. Finance Committee, Senator Medasetti
 - i. Line Item budgets for FY21 will remain the same and \$2,912 from the Student Government budget will be distributed to club funding.
 - ii. President Kay plans to donate some of his discretionary funds to Benny's Pantry.
 - iii. Motion to approve the FY 21 Line Item budgets: Medasetti/Jensen
 - iv. Roll Call

NEYELE ALVAREZ – YES
KATE ALLEN – YES
RACHEL JENSEN – YES
AAYUSH JHA – YES
UMASHANKAR MEDASETTI – YES
NABIN MAHAT – YES
CHRIS NARTKER – YES
JAMES PASCALI – YES
KYLE SCHULTZ – YES
MADELINE WILSON –YES

- v. Motion: **CARRIED**
- vi. Motion to recognize Senator Nartker: Schultz/Wilson
- vii. Unanimous
- viii. Motion: **CARRIED**
- c. Senate Rules and Appointments Committee, Senator Nartker
 - i. Nothing to report.
- d. Outreach and Diversity Committee, Senator Jensen
 - i. Nothing to report.

IX. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Resolutions 600 and 601
 - i. Motion to table resolutions 600 and 601: Medasetti/Wilson
 - ii. Unanimous
 - iii. Motion: **CARRIED**

X. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Bill 556 - Contingency Fund Request, read by Senator Jha
 - i. Motion to move to committee for five minutes: Medasetti/Alvarez
 - ii. Unanimous
 - iii. Motion: **CARRIED**
 - iv. Motion to move out of committee: Jha/Jensen
 - v. Motion to send Bill 556 to Rules and Appointments: Medasetti/Alvarez
 - vi. Unanimous
 - vii. Motion: **CARRIED**
- b. Bill 557 - Student Club Members, read by Senator Alvarez
 - i. Motion to send Bill 557 to Rules and Appointments: Alvarez/Jensen
 - ii. Unanimous
 - iii. Motion: **CARRIED**

XI. GALLERY QUESTION AND ANSWER

XII. OTHER

- a. Senate Meetings
 - i. Motion to suspend the Bylaws until a meeting is necessary: Alvarez/Wilson
 - ii. Roll call

NEYELE ALVAREZ – YES
KATE ALLEN – YES
RACHEL JENSEN – YES
AAYUSH JHA – YES
UMASHANKAR MEDASETTI – YES
NABIN MAHAT – YES
CHRIS NARTKER – YES
JAMES PASCALI – YES
KYLE SCHULTZ – YES

MADLINE WILSON –YES

iii. Motion: **CARRIED**

XIII. ADJOURNMENT

- a. Motion to Adjourn: Wilson/Alvarez
- b. Unanimous
- c. Motion: **CARRIED**

XIV. ROLL CALL

- a. 10 Senators were present
- b. Also present: Lowell Richard, Associate Vice President for Student Affairs
- c. Absent: Senators Mahesh Mahat and Webb
- d. Meeting adjourned at 7:43 P.M.

**ASISU VICE PRESIDENT
KIRAN PANDEY**

**ASISU SECRETARY
CALI DOWDLE**

**ASISU SECRETARY
HANNAH LIVERMONT**