

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT SENATE MEETING
SHIRLEY SARGENT FAMILY BOARDROOM, PSU
7:00PM
MARCH 31, 2021**

- I. CALL TO ORDER—7:00 P.M.
- II. ROLL CALL
 - a. 10 Senators were present.
 - b. Also present: Craig Chatriand, Assistant Vice President and Dean of Students
 - c. Absent: Senator Jensen, Senator Igbinweeka and Senator Ray
- III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE (optional)
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM **March 24, 2021**
 - a. Motion to approve: Reid/Winslow
 - b. Unanimous
 - c. Motion: **CARRIED**
- V. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
 - a. Motion to approve agenda with the friendly amendment of adding resolution 611 to new business: Reid/ Winslow.
 - b. Unanimous
 - c. Motion: **CARRIED**
 - d. Motion to suspend Bylaws, Article 2, Section 1, Clause 7 & 8 : Reid/Kay.
 - e. Roll call
PAWAN ACHARYA – YES
SRIJAN BHANDARI – YES
CAMDON KAY – YES
DAISY KENER – YES
UMA SHANKAR MEDASETTI – YES
TAYLOR NEIBAUR – YES
PAM PASCALI—YES
BRANDON REID – YES
RUBI UPRETI – YES
SAMANTHA WINSLOW – YES
 - f. Motion: **CARRIED**
- VI. GALLERY QUESTION & ANSWER
- VII. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CORRESPONDENCE
 - a. Adam Bradford, Dean of College of Graduate Studies & Karen Appleby, Interim Provost
 - i. Karen Appleby discussed the issue of not even funding for graduate research with the research department.
 - ii. Adam Bradford expressed that he would be interested in a match fund to provide money for graduate research and travel.
 - iii. Senator Medasetti expressed that it is too late in the year to do that right now, but to reach out next year.
 - iv. Senator Medasetti also shared the idea of having workshops to help student apply for grants for research and travel expenses.

- b. Election Commission
 - i. Motion to approve election results: Medasetti/Kay
 - ii. Roll call
 - PAWAN ACHARYA – YES
 - SRIJAN BHANDARI – YES
 - CAMDON KAY – YES
 - DAISY KENER – YES
 - UMA SHANKAR MEDASETTI – YES
 - TAYLOR NEIBAUR – YES
 - PAM PASCALI—YES
 - BRANDON REID – ABSTAIN
 - RUBI UPRETI – YES
 - SAMANTHA WINSLOW – ABSTAIN
 - iii. Motion: **CARRIED**

VIII. PRESIDENT’S REPORT

- a. President Jha will be giving a speech at the 6 P.M. graduation.
- b. President Jha is also serving on the Provost search committee.

IX. CHAIR/COMMITTEE REPORTS

- a. Senate Pro Tempore’s Chair Committee, Senator Jensen
 - i. Nothing to report.
- b. Finance Committee, Senator Kay
 - i. There will be a line-item discussion Friday at noon.
- c. Senate Rules and Appointments Committee, Senator Reid
 - i. Rules and appointments releases Bill 578 and Resolution 609
- d. Outreach and Diversity Committee, Senator Winslow
 - i. Our next giveaway is next week.

X. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Bill 578
 - i. Motion to move to committee for 3 minutes: Medasetti/Reid.
 - ii. Unanimous
 - iii. Motion: **CARRIED**
 - iv. Motion to move out of committee: Medasetti/Kay.
 - v. Unanimous
 - vi. Motion: **CARRIED**
 - vii. Motion to approve Bill 578: Medasetti/Reid
 - viii. Roll call
 - PAWAN ACHARYA – YES
 - SRIJAN BHANDARI – YES
 - CAMDON KAY – YES
 - DAISY KENER – YES
 - UMA SHANKAR MEDASETTI – YES
 - TAYLOR NEIBAUR – YES
 - PAM PASCALI—YES
 - BRANDON REID – YES
 - RUBI UPRETI – YES
 - SAMANTHA WINSLOW – YES
 - ix. Motion: **CARRIED**
- b. Resolution 609
 - i. Motion to approve resolution 609: Medasetti/Reid.
 - ii. Roll call

PAWAN ACHARYA – YES
SRIJAN BHANDARI – YES
CAMDON KAY – YES
DAISY KENER – YES
UMA SHANKAR MEDASETTI – YES
TAYLOR NEIBAUR – YES
PAM PASCALI—YES
BRANDON REID – YES
RUBI UPRETI – YES
SAMANTHA WINSLOW – YES

iii. Motion: **CARRIED**

c. Resolution 610

i. Motion to send resolution 610 to rules and appointments: Kay/Reid

ii. Unanimous

iii. Motion: **CARRIED**

XI. NEW BUSINESS

a. Bill 579

i. Introduced by Senator Kener

b. Resolution 611

i. Introduced by Senator Reid

ii. Motion to send Bill 579 and Resolution 611 to rules and appointments:
Reid/Kay

iii. Unanimous

iv. Motion: **CARRIED**

XII. GALLERY QUESTION AND ANSWER

XIII. OTHER

XIV. ISU FIGHT SONG

XV. ADJOURNMENT

a. Motion to adjourn meeting: Reid/Kay

b. Unanimous

c. Motion: **CARRIED**

XVI. ROLL CALL

a. 10 Senators were present.

b. Also present: Craig Chatriand, Assistant Vice President and Dean of Students

c. Absent: Senator Jensen, Senator Igbinweeka and Senator Ray

d. Meeting adjourned at 8:09 P.M.
