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Rodriquez: I now call this meeting of the 55th term senate on Tuesday May 27th on 6:08 pm. The first order on the agenda is the pledge of allegiance, can I please have everyone stand. And senator Gigante

Senators: Say the Pledge

Rodriquez: And the next order of business is roll call, so everyone please take out your clickers. Please click 1 to mark you present. Is everyone clicked in? Is anyones name still up here? Is that everyone? Is your name still up here though? Click it harder.

Senator: It's not working. I got 34.

Aziz: Is it even on?

Rodriquez: It's right here.

Aziz: Your's is 35.

Rodriquez: Should I reset the slide?

Aziz: Yeah.

Rodriquez: Alright, let's try this again. Sorry about this guys. Okay, everybody please click one if you are present. Hopefully everyone has the right clicker. Has everyone clicked in? I'll take that as a yes. And we have a quorum count of 26.

Rodriquez: Okay moving down the agenda. Additions/deletions and or clarifications to the orders of the day. Does anybody have any?

Hammed: I was just going to suggest

Rodriqu: Okay do I hear any motions?

Aziz: Motion to add a moment of silence for the Santa

Rodriquez: Any objections? Okay. So I'll do it after the Minutes.

Rodriquez: Okay moving down, there were no minutes sent out so do I see any motions?

Truong

Rodriquez: Okay moving on Legislative branch report, Mr. Antar.

Antar: Hey everyone, so in committee this week we looked at 4 bills. Umm and then we looked at another bill bout confirmation procedures and the judiciary and ethics committee was tabled to make
further amendments. Umm both of those were gone passed, there were a couple amendments that were made in committee for the fourth bill. It’s not next week it’s the week after.

Rodriquez:

Cocco: Which bill was tabled? And why was it tabled.

Antar: It was regarding what we would title

Hasan: We wanted to clarify about the standing positions and which of the appointments would go through JEC and which would go through Senate.

Antar: It gets really convulated I guess.

Cocco: And that’s from 5 to 3.

Antar: That was separate, that was passed. That’s going to be here tonight.

Rodri: Very briefly I will speak for Appropriations and Audits. I held a special meeting today and we passed SBS 54-001. And seeing it before the senate with JEC

Troung: And this coming week we have four confirmations the Chief of Staff the CFO the Attorney Staff and the Chief General. We’re also doing vice chair elections this thurdday and going over our...

Ulloa: So my committee has not met yet, we will be meeting tomorrow for our first meeting. Our grants are getting ready to go online within the next couple of days. But besides that we’re meeting just to go over introductions and everything about the committee at 6pm in the conference room.

Hartmann: Ugh today we coered introductions and we had an ice breaker as well. Then we also discussed our schedule a little bit so we are still working that out. The next week we are having vice chair elections for the committee. And also TedX USF. Any questions?

Aziz: SO for my report, so far the psat couple of weeks have been trying to update the website. Also, your committee information so it’s available for your...Pretty much the people that are excused...Also umm working out thetechnologly trying to fix all the little stuff and other than that just trying ot make sure the committees are fine, they are all doing pretty well.

Cocco: I’m excited.

Aziz: We have new prizes coming, umm they are like a new tier, like a new top tier.

Rodriquez: SO for me couple of things tht I’[ve been working on since I’ve became president. The November 27th game against the Falcons, ..500 tickets. That’s less that last year, that’s cuz it’s not as popular as last years. Umm I also spent a majority of last week helping the hiring comintte with the Executive branch.

Berko: Yes the solicitor general.
Rodri: Have been meeting with the people from the memorial as well as IT. So that’s my report, any questions. Alright, moving down the agenda the executive branch report, President Cocco.

Cocco: Alright. Hello everybody, happy Tuesday. Just wanted to go ahead and introduce you all to our appointed CFO Jeremiah Fords. You want to say a quick something about yourself.

Jeremiah: I’m on track to get my CPA.

Cocco: Ford alright thank you for stopping by

Rhondell: MY name is Rhondel white, senior majoring in electrical engineering minoring in Chinese.

Cocco: Word you all remember Maggie from last week.

Maggie: Umm our Glow event which is our summer B event is confirmed for...umm like aziz said orientation bag stuffing is tomorrow...umm our

Cocco: From what time?

Maggie: 9 to 5. Marketing completed it today I believe, so now we are sending it off to orientation.

Cocco: Positive points.

Maggie: And then I’m working with Aziz and marketing to set up a day where marketing is going to come and take your pictures to put up on the website.

Rodriquez: Is there anyway for you to send us a copy of the video.

Cocco: Can we show it with your permission here? Sweet love it. Thank you team mom. Word I want to thank our memorial folks for being out here today. Word so this morning I had a meeting with Vice Provost...so that’s good, we’ll be working on new strategices such as going to local high school, phone banking, telling them our stories. So if you guys want to be apart of that let me know, imgong to be following up with that. Ughg gubernatorial debate we had the walk through last week, school music October 7th, 7pm. I’m going to be working closely with chairman hartmann, organizing the debate. Andy hit USF day at the bucks. So we have Jeremiah Forbes. Kristin Truong committee so that should be fun. I have FSA elections for student elections this Friday. BOT last Thursday, we approved our workplans for the university in the system. SO that was approved, it was very well received. Berkoqitz met with the grad students today to talk about their issues. Off campus and on campus...and that’s reality, so we need to be on guard and vigilant to make sure that stuff doesn’t happen. You want to talk about the agencies. We’ll save it, word.

Hartmann: I had several constituents ...

Maggie: So they have been ordered, but we had to do them in 2 separate orders...

Cocco: June 7th, 8th.
Maggie: I don’t remember the first date but we will have it sometime before the first orientation.’

Rodriquez: Anymore questions or the executive

Hammed: We schedule our judicial summit with Sarasota and St. Pete ...their Chief Justice told me it was there term to host it...that way if you do plan on attending, we can get travel accommodations set up for that...we can begin our training for the parking appeals process. Just a reminder, Associate justice applications open June 13th. I would suggest going out to UCGA and checking out the UWCS. Umm and you get positive points. And also go out to the bag stuffing party. But yeah are there any questions for the judicial branch? Sweet.

Cocco: The video.

Ulloa: I just sent it to your email.

Rodriquez: Does anyone have anything else for open forum? Okay we will now play this video really quickly. Okay, well...This will have to do.

OPEN FORUM [YOUTUBE VIDEO SG Orientation video ]

Rodriquez: That was a pretty cool video. Moving on anythignelse for open forum? Anything else for open forum guys? No we’ll move on to general business. Update on the Student Memorial, so wif we can have everyone come up. First we’ll start with Aziz and his presentation.

Aziz: Alright so for my presentation I’ll be preseting most of it. So I’ll mainly going to do a...so does anyone know where the current student memorial is.

Hiba: the current student memorial was....

Aziz: SO the student memorial as he said is next to the bronze bulls in the MSC....and the names are here on bricks. And the issues with the brick is that umm it’s damanged prone, it gets...so the area..the assessment of the memorial area was not well designed. The place is not good for expaling So this is the timeline of the ad-hoc of what happened. These are the committee results, the design principles that were encorporated...so this is the new site. Here. This is the design here,...this is a 3-D rendering.

Chattie: Good evening, thank you for being here today. Umm we’ve been tremendous strides since the last time you guys were presented with the student memorial. Now we’ve been working with our constructing manager and our engineering consultants. To make the memorial a place where family and friends can come and really reflect on their loved ones. This past right here is an existing sidewalk. This side walk right here is an ADA compliance sidewalk...American Disability Act. So in order to make this complicant we have to put this sidewalk in. And so standing here as you walk up to this hill you see the entire site the student memorial. Lined with landscaping and in the background is the granite wall.

Rodriquez: You should have a little button.
Chattie: Standing in the north entrance looking at the wall. There is a...if you noticed some names are engraved in the granite right now...that’s just a place holder. And there is also, right here in the dark part of the site is an expansion phase. This one is standing in the north side looking back. And then in the middle ground is your memorial and then in the foreground is some landscaping. Ummm the shadow studes are taking different times of the year...just to see how shadows would cast onto the site. The shadow is much more elongated in September...I’m sorry in February. This one should be at noon. Umm so at this point the project has been more developed. The fountain and the reflection pool has been redesigned. And it is such a beautiful design a really special component in this memorial. So now that we have a better understanding...we would like to request additional funding to the current amount of $330,000, to meet the funding requirement of the student memorial in 72,000. The cost of specialty fountains, the reflection pool and the granite wall. Because of the location of this memorial...I don’t know, do you have that slide that I have...

Rodriquez: Umm I can pull it up.

Aziz: Above Kristin’s email.

Chattie: Sewer lines...what are other lines are there.

Unknown Person: 

Chattie: So you can see all the colored lines surrounding. All the color lines you see on the site planes are utility lines, and as you see there are no utility lines. We need to add in a lot of site utilities. Would you like to speak more on the site constraints.

Unknown Person: Not in regards to the availability of the utilities. To bring those facilities to the memorial. It will support the reconstruction and the operation of it. The source of water will be our irrigation system. If you look on the map you see some green lines, those are sanitary lines. Generally you would like to drain a fountain to a sanitary line, we don’t have something like that. So one of the things that we will be incorporating is putting in a fresh drain system or put in a neutralization base to discharge it to a storm system. At the moment we feel that a.....need for discharging, when you need to empty the fountain for maintenance. Umm lighting as you can see there is no real source of lighting...

Chattie: Umm so one of the code is that once you light up the space you have to light up the part that takes you to the space.

Gerald: Can you put where the ADA sidewalk is picking up.

Chattie: And walk up and between the trees and the site right here.

Gerald: And the source of that power will be...

Chattie: At the beginning of this project we were looking to sourcing the power from the Crescent Hill garage. We knew that this fountain design was going to be a premium...we have a few fountains that we compared to and kind of tripled the price but it wasn’t enough.
Gerald: Are there any questions in regards to the layout, were yall able to pick out the details...

Carla: The fountain was also going to....it’s going to provide some nice ambient noise from the fountain which could also be changed when you have the family and friends coming...if it’s a windy day you can turn it down but also the water is going to flow in front of the granite and also...so that’s all incorporated and all the workings of the fountain will be in the structure. So it will be not just something sitting out there. So that will be...umm...to block out any street busses and anything like that.

Chattie: So we can reduce for any type of weather or any type of event we can reduce. The fountain is the idea of life passing through this trough and then death. Carla had mentioned the wall would sit behind here. Umm

Gerald: Infinite edge of the pool.

Chattie: The infinite edge is right along here. In this section you can see it right here. So there is that nice continuation flow. And the water just sits an inch and a half above it and it empties into a trough so it gives that infinite edge. And the light is submerged right here and it would light this entire wall.

Gerald: It’s going to be a nice atmosphere.

Chattie: Should sustain the entire life of the construction. Anything we

Hiba: Has construction begun yet?

Chattie: It has not.

Hiba: I know it was supposed to start in the Summer.

Chattie: And it takes a month long process for swift mud to review.

Gerald: Typically get a turnaround

Hiba: What would happen to the project if the additional money would not allocated.

Chattie: The project would be compromised. We could reduce one of the components. Maybe instead of reflection pool we could go with

Gerald: We would have to reduce the scope. You wouldn’t see it as it is now.

Chattie: We would have to look at the whole project all over again. We would have to regroup again and look at what you decide...

Hassan: From what I know the project has not started up yet.

Chattie: The project the 330,000 was requested based upon a conceptual design. And really not deeply studied.

Hassan: But would the monument significantly a ...
Hiia: $324,000 but 10% additional ...is this 10% not sufficient?

Chattie: And in this type of filed...

Gerald: Well the original budget again was predicated on a concept, the design was not flushed out yet. Umm since then we've...like she said we've got a construction manager on board. And you know give us a little better understanding of what this costs are. Nothing like this, this is something unique something very special...I think there was...the intent was trying to best guess at the very beginning.

Rodr: Anymore questions?

Hartmann: Can the trough be planted as well in the future.

Chattie: Yes this entire component could be expanded to the south. So the only thing that is fixed is the area right here and the fountain.

Hartman: Skateboard. And then on the current memorial we have a plaque...

Chattie: The say on the plaque would be incorporated onto the first panel. So if you look at the black outline it will be one panel. So on top of that is the dedication the memorial and the dedication to those that have passed away between 1950 and 1968. The stars right now, we don't have names yet of veterans...place keepers of how they would look and..

Carla: And we would put a description at the bottom.

Malang: 10% for unforeseen circumstances.

Chaddie: Right now the construction and the design fees and other permitting fees come out to, I believe 392,000...

Malang:

Chaddie: Do not come back to you and request additional funding.

Schilit:

Chaddie: So and every component will be competedly bid out so we will be ensured that each of the work from a subcontractor will be priced at the lowerst point.

Carla: If possible to try and cut where we can get the best bid.

Chaddie: Saving some money by doing our own irrigation plan and our own landscape plan. And do the landscaping.

Ulloa: So question about the process...so the first part you have a building manager of everything you had..
Chaddie: Not the highest, he took it out to and...It’s a preliminary guarantee...goin

Aziz:

Hiba: Is there room on the plaque for addition of further students for later years.

Aziz: So the way it works.

Hiba: So this is not a presentation plaque, it’s a whole wall.

Chaddie: So the first plaque would be right here.

Rodriquez: Additional five and then after that there is going to be...

Hiba: Okay I just thought that was under the assumption...with...

Chaddie: What I showed you here is one panel of the wall.

Ulloa: Curiosity. The five granite panne is going to be installed

Chaddie: Depends on you guys

Hayline: Is most of the cost, the additional cost you are going to.

Chaddie: Most of the cost is the fountain and the reflection pool and making that functioning

Gerald: impacts the original budget amount.

Hayline: Have you guys discussed a different location that has utilities built in.

Aziz: So we’ve searched the locations and looked through the best location. And those locations were landlocked so you can’t really expand them. So...

Gerald: Another aspect to consider is the universities master plan, the anticipated growth of the university. This particular plot of ground at the moment has nothing tagged to it so it’s unencumbered land. So this one kind of leaves it pretty much not in competition with any other interests.

Chaddie: It is the highest point here on campus too.

Hiba: Just a point of clarification, the current suggest price...

Chaddie: 402, 000 original.

Aziz: SO the amount of you are looking at is the...and overhead which is I guess at 6% tax. That 6% goes to the university overhead. Like anything that we buy the university takes 6%. If there are any more questions, I’ll be taking them after the vote.

Rodriquez:
Chaddie: Thank you.

Rodriquez: Do I hear a motion?

Shiflit: Motion to move into a reading

Rodriquez: Do I hear any objections?

Aziz: SB A 55-001. The intent of this allocation will be... (Reading of the intent and the rest). So what it is we have an interim and unallocated...ik think tht’s a typo. From the SG Unallocated amount. So it’s unallocated cash which is all the money that was swept back into the year.

Aziz: So the total is 72,500 and this is the overhead we are talking about, the 6% is calculated. So that’s the amount.

Rodriquez: Do I hear any motions.

Hiba: Motion to proceed to voting.

Rodriquez: Okay, so any objections to moving into voting? Seeing none. Senator Malanga.

Hiba: I do.

Rodri: Do I hear a motion to

Malanga:

Rodri: 5 minute moderated caucus 1 minute speaking time for each person?

Malanga: yes.

Rodriq: Any objections to that motion. Senator malanga you

Malanga: Umm my personal opinion is that it’s starting to get...but umm for some just to compare it to spend money on we just allocated...so if I’m looking at this...umm I’m not saying that w...yield back to the speaker.

Rodriguez: 1 time you have.

Shiflit: For one year is neither here nor there...something that will last easily decades over a century. Escalate our status as a university. It adds to it, it gives a proper memorial to students who did pass. I’m infavor of the extra funding.

Aziz-I’ll yield my time to president coco.
Cocco: When this is completed schools across the nations are going to come see this as a model. You as a bull god forbid pass away tomorrow your memory will be on...how much time is that?

Rodriq: 30 seconds.

Cocco: SO 50 years, from now you can come to...

Hasan: Umm no offense to anybody to..i do want to...am I allowed to ask questions. We do not there would be cost of keeping the system going on...for running the entire project.Okay so I do approve of the extra funding because I believe that the project did not start as yet...so I believe...and we could look at it once again.

Ulloa: I guess I will start with their maintenance thing. So they do have a budget for that. And the next thing I want to talk...we might as well put the money in that it’s sometime nice to....umm have the fountain that’s going to look nice that s going to reflect the granite into the water...rather trying to fit something in because that’s where our budget is at.

Hiba: Motion to extend caucus by 5 minutes.

Ulloa: Can I just object to see if time runs out first and then extend if we need it.

Gibson: I don’t think this extends to just a memorial...this could be a recruitment tool for students to come to USF. It would just be an easier way to fix the problem.

Hiba: Seeing how this is how a very large expansion, I don’t know how effective adding additional money would be...who know...maybe we should start from the beginning. Maybe just adding more money whenever the project needs it is not the best way to go

Brown: Hi everyone we spent a good amount of time and I had to say this really is an investment here in our future here.

Ulloa: Motion to extend discussion continuing with the speaker with 3 minutes speaking time.

Cocco: Real quick theyu have to go because they have lives.

[Clapping]

Cocco; Thank you Ms. Carla.

Shiflit.: It’s not just throwing money at it, we were given an estimated cost, when we went out and go the extra...and making it be scaled back like they mentioned. It’s just expanding the original budget....

Rodri: Would anyone else like to speak

Ulloa;

Rodri: Any objections to ending discussion early.
Hassan: Motion to entering voting procedures?

Rodriquez: None seen, we will now move into voting procedures. As always it is giving me trouble. Sorry about that guys.

Ulloa: motion to vote by roll call? Any objections to voting by roll all.? When Mr. Aziz ays your last name if you

Aziz: Schiflit

Shiflit: yes.

Aziz: Gagante-Yes

Richmond-NO

Malanga-NO

Hassan-NO

Hannah-Yes

Lewis-Yes

Emily-Yes

Taylor-Yes

Muller-Yes

Madden-Yes

Lopez-Yes

Hiba-Yes

Hyaline: yes

Glouck-Yes

Gibbson: Yes

Cotner-Yes

Ahmed: yes

Hartmann: Yes

Ulloa: yes
Truong: Yes
Antar: Yes
Aziz: Yes
Andy: Abstain.

Rodriquez: I got it to work. Do you want to just do it? Everyone please vote. 1 is yes, two is no and three is to abstain. Is there anyone missing? That is hilarious. IS that everyone? Yes. With a vote of 23:2:1 passes.

Rodriquez: Okay moving on with the agenda. Executive branch structure proposal. We’re going to have president coco and the rest of the executive branch present their structure. What documents would you like to have open first.

Cocco: Actually let’s do the umm…actuallyk I have a powerpoint for you, I sent it to you. Word.

Rodriquez: Guys yif you can please be quick. Just go ahead and start.

Cocco: Senate hello this is our 55th Term Executive structure proposed in front of you guys. That’s the position of auditor general. What we want to do is we want to partner up with the chairman of appropriations and audits to come up with a more efficient way to audit…and we approve budgets for student organizations student affairs etc. along with student affairs and what not, we have th …umm so they would report to the student body vice president and president. We will have an auditor general and ensuring that we are in fiscal compliance with Title 8 and all of the above. We actually removed some positions from previous structures. We just wanted to be more lean and…where as in the past there has been 26, 27, and 28 at times. Umm so we removed the executive clerk. They had the position of the executive clerk…so what we do…we’re just going to have one of our other staff members do minutes. Deputy CFO we removed that to get the auditor general at 9.55. as well as we got rid of the deputy attorney general. So we gve the attorney general 5 more hours…so I’ll let rondell talk about the solutions right now.

Rhondell: We removed the deputy attorney general position. It only makes sense that the both of them gets paid the same amount, Due to the international students as well as working for residential housing.

Cocco: Alright, so Brandon we split Mr. Hartmann into 3 people. So what we’re going to have is a director of university affairs, an assistant and a coordinator. And the main focus behind university and community affairs is we want to focus on bulding relationships…so the director of community affairs will be primarily working on that. Pretty much our community…so let’s say …10% off for students every Thursday or something like that. SO the vision behind that is athletics we want athletics to be involved wtith that. So we’re going to give these university and community affairs more teets. UWC there is another issues MR.Hartmann and I will be working on together. Ugh USF day a thte Capital and voter registration and stuff like that. The colors, similar responsibilities, additional initiaitves, yeah pretty
much what I said. Ugh we focused on removing couple coordinators. And we wanted to give our popel
the benefit of the doubt. And then an extra coordinator from marketing. And then the Agencies.

Rhondell: I’ll be in charge of the agencies...overseeing the agencies....SGATOs strategic plan. So that
everything that...should be in line with the University, should be in line with SG and so everything should
be streamlined. In terms of SGCS we are looking for some potential expansion....and those breakdown
very frequently...we cant really do anything about it, and so obviously we are proving a service to
students...Tap Ride something in Mid July. A meeting scheduled tomorrow because that looks like it’s
shutting down completely but hopefully we can keep it there. As well as playing music on the....all the
agencies are working with each other so they are coordinating with each other. They had a total number
of 26 positions and their projected payroll position is 127...and again we have 23 positions. ASRC
allocated us 176...and Aziz would you like to explain overhead.

Aziz: Last year it was 10%

Cocco: So if this was 10% this number would be a lot smaller. And then this is the structural overview>
President, Vice President, chief of staff and then you guys can see from there.

Rodirq: Senator Hiba.

Hiba: You want to go over the reduction of hours for the Vice PRssident..

Rhondell: Because I work for the ...outside of the responsibilities of the RA position. So because I’m not
salaried, they are allowing me to work 9 hours in terms of getting things done...I’m more than capable
of doing a lot in 9 hours. So someone’s 9 hours compared to mine is completely different. So there is no
excuse or worries about that.

Cocco: Word.

Rodiq: Anymore questions for ugh Cocco or Rhondell.

Aziz: So before payroll reserve was 150,000 but what was it like your first set of slides? It was 150 234
and last year was 157.

Cocco: Cool. Alright, anything else? Oh I don’t want to keep this.

Rodriquez: So I’ll now take a motion to enter reading for SB s 55-001

Antar: I motion to read sb s 55-001.

Rodriquez: Any objections?: SO moved, do you have anyone reading it.

Antar: SO it essentialy embodies the changes that were mentioned to you guys. The changes that were
made were made to the non standing positions of the executive branch. But anyways here it is, it’s not
really an amendemtn. It removes the language, the most important change you will see is the change
from secretaries to the department. As well each of their positions according to what Mr. Cocco
presented. There isn’t really anything else to read,. This was sent out to the senate?
Rodriquez: Yes it was.

Antar: Questions and concerns that I may not be the best to answer, maybe cococ would be. Umm and all of them became departments okay.
Rodriquez: Okay so anymore questions.

Antar: SO it just also adds this one into there as well. Performing the functions that Cocco described.
Hiba: Motion to proceed to voting.
Rodriquez: before we can vote we have to have one more reading for this.
Hiba: Motion
Ulloa: Motion to disperse the second reading.
Rodriquez: Any objections? WSeeing none we will now disperse the second reading.
Hiba; Motion to proceed to voting,
Rodriquez: any objections to voting on this bill?>> Seeing none, hopefully this will work. Wish me luck.
Has everyone voted, Taylor Sanchez/
Sanchez: Yeah I got it.
Rodriquez; Is that eeyrone?>> Yeah wswe. t. with a vote of 25:0:1 SB S 55-001 passes.
Rodriquez: Moving down the agenda statuory reading on first reading. MR. antar or anyone, Mr. Aziz.
Troung: Motion to enter first reading...motion to enter first reading fo SB s 55-003.
Ulloa: So the intent of this legislation was to fix loopholes that were discovered during the few eyar the travel grant was functioning. Alright so the first change was in 804.5.2.4 rooms were $50 per student per night...although we actually funded them....so this just puts that e xcluding taxes. Umm okay. So 810.2 for the purposes of this term the document should be defined as: as you will see the reason why later on in the bills. 810.23...students and or student organizations that have or will receive full or partial funding for their travel from the university entity shall not be ...in the end they will be having more money than they actually need. So the business office oversees the office presentation grant...rather than...the point of SG is to give like supplement funding not to fund everything that the organization want. Money for us a nd money for the ...Okay so in 810.24.1 where the change here says the allocation, before it use to say request...we cant give them more than 50.50 but they can requst more than they need. So we know how much thy have actually need. And then done one more time right here for the engineering expo grant as well.
Hassan: Is there two entities or are both the funds actually subsidizing part of the travel grant.
Aziz: And that...says that you cant double dip...that’s why it’s mirrored onto this
Hassan: Like if the student organization gets the funding from somewhere else...

Aziz: So the whole point of the travel grant is a subsidy for your cost. It’s really x amount of dollars to use up that’s in high demand.

Ulloa: Already giving you money for it...and not for SG to finish the rest of the cost. The point of the travel grant is for students to subsidize....we don’t feel like it’s necessary for the SG to pay the last 25 percent so they can get their whole trip planned. So part of the university is already helping students.

Hassan: Is there a method of which you can monitor .

Aziz:

Shiflit: IS there anything that is stopping them from applying from both...

Aziz: For student organizaitons right?

Shiflit: Yes.

Aziz; Come to SG first.

Ulloa: What we has when we meet with them.

Shiflit: At the bottom you capitalized one of the Allocaitons and the other you didn’t.

Hassan:

Ulloa: They have to be Student A&S funded for them to be

Hassan: If someone from ....

Aziz: So they separate individual so Brandon is going on the trip...this is for the stuent organization.

Ulloa: So Mosha will be able to see that from the business office.

Rodri: Anymore question. We have to read it at least 2 more times. ...isn’t it too? It’s 2 chapters.

Antar: Is this time pressing in anyway?

Ulloa: essentially we would like it passed...and it would have to be written on the actual grant...but that would mean that we cant start at least 2 weeks from today. Which would mean that no one would...

Gluck: Since I left the room since it first came on do I have to abstain from voting.

Hartmann: Motion to enter second reading.

Rodriquez: Motion to enter the second reading

Antar: Motion to disperse the second reading
Hainline: Move to enter voting procedures. Move to enter third reading.

Rodriquez: Any objections to entering the third reading.

Hartmann: I move to disperse the third reading.

Rodriquez: Any objections to

Truong: Motion to entering voting procedures.

Rodriquez; Any objections to entering voting procedures? Seeing none. I don’t think this will work but I will try. Why does it keep doing this?

[Senators Speaking ]

[Gavel]

Rodriquez: Okay please click one for yes, two for no and three to abstain.

Hartmann: Can you expand it.

Rodriquez: Yeah the title is wrong, it’s fine the numbers is right. With a vote of 25:0:1 SB [S] 55-003 passes. Okay moving down the agenda. We now have sb s 55-004, classifying the hiring interview minimum

Antar: motion to enter the first reading of sbs 55-04

Aziz: The intent of this legislation is to restor...umm last semester...last term we changed it to 6. Trying to fix the quality of higher quality candidates. So here are some changes on here. Starting with 215.2, it use to say SG mailing list serve,...so I took it out and said student body on social media...one of our methods of advertising the positons. SO umm moving on down the ugh decision of the committee with suggestion from our committee members....also we the addition of the chief justice. The hiring team should interview the top 5 applicants for the positons of and make an non binding recommendation (215.6 being read). So it pretty much says the top standing positions, 5 is like the best number. And then underneath that for the rest of the positons it goes back down to three. So for these positons, the end positons, 5 applicants, for everyone else it’s 3. And the hiring team is not limited to interviewing just 3 people. If they have 6 candidates that are great.

Cococ: Can you go up sir. I’m just al little..the socialmedia part that mentions that...informing members of the student

Prentice: Substituting o liz. After media...

Rodriquez: The second of.

Ulloa: A wustion for MR. Aziz. Do you feel that there should be a day minimum .... And they do cycle through...you don’t bombard it over and over again, so when they would like to strategically place it.
Rodri

Hainline: So what made you want to change it from instead of a minimum of 5 and 3 to the top 5 and three.

Rodriquez: You would have to interview a minimum of 3 people per position. You are interviewing too many people and a lot of times you are not interviewing the right people. Just because these positions are a little bit more...you know they entail a little bit more work and experience...whatever they are called this year, would only have to go through 3.

Hainline: The way I would read it, is top 5 you can’t go over 5. So if you cant..

Rodriquez:

Antar: Maybe if we insert the words at least the top 5 that would clarify it for you.

Rodriquez: Any objections?

Antar: Oh we’ll wait till the second reading.

Ulloa: Motion to enter the second reading.

Antar: Motion to disperse the second reading. Umm depending I will motion for ugh the language of a minimum of 5, and I guess that would also need to be mirrored on top. ...

Rodriq: Any objections to his motion.

Unknown Senator: (That asked bout if they need to vote since they left the room)

Antar: The wording you see.

Hartmann: Isn’t it just one head of one respective branch.
Rodriquez; Yeha I thought about that too.

Aziz:

Hartmann: And would it be necessary to write in each of the ...like for each position

Antar: If I can clarify, those change from year to year,...Mr. Cocco made his changes. ...umm but it doesn’t seem like we are going to be changing the standing mpositions in the executive branch anytime soon. So that’s why we didn’t list out the second ones for the minimum of three

Rodri: Anymore questions.

White: Maybe a minimum of 5 qualified

Antar: So moved...a minimum of 5 qualified applicants. And a minimum of 3 qualified applicants.
Rodri: Any objections to the amendment. Seeing no the amendment will stay.

Antar: Motion to vote.

Rodri: Any objections to voting? Okay we will now enter voting procedures. Okay, please click one if you vote yes, two if you vote no and three if you abstain. Okay we are missing one response, one person, who is it? NO we got everyone with a vote of 25:0:1 the bill passes.

Rodriq: Our net senate meeting will not be next week it will be one June 10, so you get a week off of senate

Cocco: Thank the senate so much for entertaining the memorial. I want to thank you for passing the structure, that’s obviously important. Come by. Thank you.

Aziz: And ugh a reminder your committees will most likely be meeting next week. Because the committees like JEC have different workloads... a little different than what we’re use to.

Rodriquesz: I came in last Friday to work out the kinks in this. And even though it was slow it worked, and this is a MacBook so even though this is a bit different.

Aziz: Any and I came on Friday and it all worked and we

Rodri: Hiba

Hiba: proceed to final roll call

Rodri: Any objections moving into the final roll call. Please click one if you are present. Nope that’s everyone with a final count of 26. Before

Senator Hamed: I motion to adjourn.

Rodri: I adjourn this meeting at 8:24pm.