Agenda
of the
Northern Iowa Student Government Senate
2016-2017 Session
26th Regular Meeting – March 8th 2017

I Call to Order
   ● Called to order: 8:01

II Roll Call
   ● Absent: Criscuolo, Tiwana

III Identification of the Press
   ● Northern Iowan

IV Student Forum and Announcements
   ● Covarrubias- Budgetary process is this week
   ● Goodman- Spring Break

V Call for Changes to the Orders of the Day

VI Approval of the Consent Agenda
   1. 25th Regular Meeting Minutes
      ● Covarrubias>Filip

VII Special Business
   1. Jamal White - Public Censure Statement
      a. I wanted to make a formal statement
      a. I could stand up here for hours and hours to explain that this was not
         intentional
      b. This is something that I took care of right away and made sure I paid back the funds
      c. I want you all to know that it wasn’t my intention
      d. We are all here for the same reasons to make UNI greater and to work together
      e. I am free to answer any questions
      f. I want to build the trust
         i. Covarrubias- how did you find out about the mistake?
            1. AMA is currently registering for conferences and the Co-President called me and said that there were charges to the account
            2. Election commission then called me to ask about what happened
            3. Talked to Danielle and said that the co-president had come to her and told her about the funds being used.
      g. Well if there aren’t any other questions right now, I would love to meet with you if you would like to talk about what has happened and to build this trust.

VIII Say Hello to Connie
IX Reports of the Executive Branch

- Hunter: #YouAreWelcome Video, Student Fee Committee, March for Science, Upper Cabinet & Transition.
- Avery: Above and Beyond Awards, University Steering Committee is continuing to make progress, Apply for Upper Cabinet, Transitioning is going well, Have the break you need to have!
- Danielle: Contingency (if all these bills pass): $2,484.43 spendable, Budgetary Process, CRP, FYI
- Kris: Meeting with DeWayne on Friday - Discuss website, Meeting with potential DoPR candidates - Transition materials, Panther Bash update
- Alyssa: Lobbying, County Auditor - provisional ballots, External Relations
- Melanie: Bias Response Team Meeting Tomorrow, Met with Jamie Butler about future CME Initiatives, Muffin Monday, CME Socials, Maucker Union Advisory Board, Skyfactor Student Union Survey, Article from the NYT about how hate groups are increasing their recruitment efforts on college campuses.

X Reports of the Standing Committees

1. Organization and Finance - Oliverio
   a. Budgetary process- waiting to get through all of the requests
2. External Relations - Drew
   a. Sending out a bill on open meetings sometime soon.
3. Campus Relations - Tristan
   a. Working on transitional document. Working on the diversity exit requirement. Accessibility issues will be dealt with after spring break.
4. Government and Legislative Affairs - Tanner
   a. Judiciary Amendment was void because it wasn’t brought to the senate. Another special election will be held later in the year. All other bills passed.

XI Report of the Speaker

- Game night
  ○ Games- Aldape- Moana and cards against humanity, Dixon- Taboo, Filip-Hitler game of some sort, Blatt- Twister
- Blatt- Diversity action committee, gender inclusive housing, pride week is in April

XII SHOW AND TELL

XIII Old Business

XIV Non-Controversial Docket

1. SSB 2017-97 Funding For Greek Week
   a. Aldape>Stensland. Roll call vote passes 15-0-0
2. SSB 2017-98 Funding For Non-Profit Leadership Alliance
   a. Stensland>Kron. Roll call vote passes 15-0-0
3. SSB 2017-100 Funding For Interested Gentlemen of Lambda Theta Phi
   a. Chalupa> Stensland. Roll call vote passes 14-0-1
4. SSB 2017-101 Funding for UNIVA
   a. Stensland move to pass in one reading> Kron 15-0-0

XV Controversial Docket
1. SSB 2017-102 Funding for NRHH
   a. Kron>Stensland
2. SSB 2017-103 Funding for International Student Association
   a. Aldape>Covarrubias

XVI Adjournment
- Covarrubias>Stensland. Adjourned at 8:52pm

Report of the Speaker

Empty Senate Seats:

Game night! March 22nd at the President’s House
- Games?
  - Who can bring what?
  - What do we want to play?

Lower Cabinet Director Reports