



Student Government Association  
 Appropriations Committee  
 Meeting Date: March 18, 2021  
**Start Time: 5:00 pm**  
*Chair: Carlos Ortiz*

- I. Welcome and Call to Order
  - A. The chair calls the meeting to order at 5:05
- II. Roll Call

First Name	Last Name	Attendance	Comments
Alexander	Sutton	P	
Alyssa	Andreas	P	
Carlos	Ortiz	P	
Hiba	Khalil	P	
Nicholas	Velazquez	P	
<b>QUORUM</b>		Present	5
		Absent	0

- III. Open Forum
  - A. Senator Alvarez
    - 1. Reserved tables for Graduate student giveaway
    - 2. 2 tables at BBC and 2 at MMC
    - 3. Trying to reserve tables at Engineering Center
      - a) Graduate advisory board has been helping
    - 4. Request for glass awards
    - 5. Working on logistics for Zoom link for GSAW Presentation
      - a) Might be webinar
    - 6. Template for events need to be approved by next meeting
  - B. Committee members introductions
- IV. Old Business

A. Fund Requests

1. Motorsports

- a) Have to invite representative to present to committee

B. Initiative to work together on as a committee

1. Michelle Castro said that we cannot make an appropriation for food pantry but we can host an SGA sponsored food drive so that we can donate to the food pantry

- a) Alex suggests second to last week of classes

POP 5:27 Senator Velazquez

V. New Business

A. ASCE Appropriation

1. Senator Sutton moves to go into a 1-minute discussion. Senator Andreus seconds. Motion passes.

2. Senator Khalil moves to go into voting. Senator Sutton seconds. Motion passes

First Name	Last Name	Vote	Reason
Alexander	Sutton	Y	
Alyssa	Andreus	Y	
Carlos	Ortiz	Y	
Hiba	Khalil	Y	
Nicholas	Velazquez		
PASS		Yay	4
		Nay	0
		Abstention	0

B. Bright Futures Resolution

1. Senator moves to go into discussion for indefinite time. Senator Andreus seconds. Motion passes.

2. Senator Andreus moves to go into voting. Senator Khalil seconds. Motion passes

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Alexander	Sutton	Y	
Alyssa	Andreus	Y	
Carlos	Ortiz	Y	

Hiba	Khalil	Y	
Nicholas	Velazquez		
PASS		Yay	4
		Nay	0
		Abstention	0

## VI. Announcements

### A. Senator Sutton

1. Free laundry initiative (free laundry week)
  - a) Former housing senator held free laundry week. SGA appropriated money for free detergent and fabric softener with Residence Hall Association
  - b) May not be possible this semester due to lack of funds from Residence Hall Association
    - (1) Should be remedied by next semester
2. Homelessness Initiative
  - a) To tackle along with the event
3. Nad pods
  - a) Next semester
  - b) Submit project proposal from technology fees

### B. Senator Khalil

1. Panther Pit at Engineering Campus
  - a) Getting recommendations from students

### C. Senator Velazquez

1. New SIPA Dean Student Survey

### D. Senator Andreus

1. Honorlock
  - a) ID verification is not necessary, it is up to the teachers to decide if this gets done

### E. Senator Ortiz

1. SGA Sponsored Class Survey Initiative

## VII. Adjournment

- A. The chair adjourns the meeting at 6:03