






Senate Minutes  
February 6, 2024  
5:00 pm Starlight Room

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
  - A. VP of Academics- Alexis McIff
  - B. Parliamentarian- Lexi Andrist
  - C. Graduate Senator- Cody Dirks
  - D. Health Sciences Senator- Brook Henderson
  - E. Humanities and Social Sciences Senator- Hanna Lu Muzquiz
  - F. Performing and Visual Arts Senator- Kalli Walton
  - G. Natural Sciences Senator- Om Mehta
  - H. Business Senator- Dani Nikolashin
  - I. Education and Human Development Senator- Parker Leppink
  - J. Engineering and Computational Sciences Senator- McKay Fawcett
  - K. Q-Center Representative- Adam Oliphant
  - L. Disability Resource Center Representative- Olivia Guindon
  - M. Diversity and Inclusion Representative- Natalie Flores **absent**
  - N. Athletics Representative - Alexa Lord
  - O. International Student Representative- Alejandro Falcón Blengeri
  - P. Non-Traditional Representative- Jami Logan-Yetter
  - Q. Assistant to the Senate- Kobe Petersen
- III. Agenda Vote Adoption
  - Approved**
- IV. Approval of Minutes
  - Approved**
- V. Reports/Messages
  - A. Budget Update  **SUUSA Senate Budget 2023-2024** As of 2/6/24 the SUUSA senate has a remaining \$19825.15
  - B. Bylaw Edit Report  **Bylaw Edit Report for Student Senate - January 2024**
- VI. Business
  - A. Bills, Resolutions, and Appointments
    - 1. Midterm Wellness Kits  **SB #23/24-24: Funding of Midterm Wellness Kits**  
Midterm wellness kits are proposed by Senator Om who will oversee that the kits are prepared. These kits will help students to help students mental health during midterms.  
Senator Cody is in favor of this bill to help with mental health  
Senator Kalli is in favor of this bill due to spring semester being long.

Public comments: Question on if there was tracking on if the kits helped and Om shared that it was not.

Bill passed unanimously.

**2. Non-Traditional Student Services Resolution**

**SR #23/24-06: Urging Scholarship Opportunities for Non-Traditional Stu...**

Resolution read by Senator Parker which is calling for more funding for the Non-Traditional student service senator to help students of this center to have more opportunities to gain scholarships.

Representative Jami is in favor of this resolution to help support non-traditional students who have had to quit school to care for their children.

This resolution would then be talked about with the head of finance for the university.

Senator Cody is in favor of this resolution because unlike other universities SUU has a large Non-traditional student population

Resolution passed unanimously

**VII. Announcements**

College of health science will be holding a 5k the beginning of April

College of Business will be holding business week the beginning of April

Health Fair Feb 23

International Food Fair Feb 22

Feb 9 grant funding deadline

Non trad event Feb 22 panel on balance

Business week first week of april

STEAM week March 11

COEHD Week March 11

FOE coming up. Deadline Feb 16

Health Sciences fund run end of April

March 26 SUUSA training at Cedar high school

**A. Public Comments**

**B. General announcements**

Community conversation HB 261 257 Starlight room on Thursday 5-7

**C. After the above announcements, announce that the next Senate meeting will be 5:00 pm on Tuesday, February 20, 2024 in the Cedar Breaks Room.**

**VIII. Close and Adjournment- Parliamentarian Lexi Andrist**