

ASUW SENATE MEETING MINUTES

The October 15th, 2024, senate meeting was called to order by Vice President Knull at 7:00 p.m. The land acknowledgement statement and mission statement were read, and the Pledge of Allegiance was done at the individual members' discretion.

ROLL CALL

No one was absent

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Minutes were approved as circulated

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The Agenda was approved as circulated

OPEN FORUM

Two first year senators introduced themselves to the body and expressed excitement for joining committees and for further collaboration

Special Event

Richard Raridon from SLCE gave a special event on engagement efforts on campus and in the greater Laramie community. He also updated on current initiatives SLCE is working on.

OLD BUSINESS

- **SB 3002 Restructuring the Hiring Process of the First-Year Senate Advisor**
PID Recommended a Due Pass
Steering recommended a Due Pass
Senator Schliebe moved to Pass SB 3002
Senator Heffley seconded
On a vote of 19-0-1 SB 3002 Passes

NEW BUSINESS

- **SB 3003 Clarification of the Judicial Council Appellation Process**
- **SB 3004 Changing Committee Quorum Requirements**
- **SB 3005 Updating Communications to Include Committee Reports and Remove College Council Communications**

All three pieces of legislation were read for the first time

ANNOUNCEMENTS

President Murfitt announced Cowpokes and Candidates is next Wednesday starting at 6:00pm in the Center/West Ballrooms. ASUW has received a \$2,500 anonymous donation for a 50 donor challenge.

Senator Brown encourages those interested to attend the Wyoming Education Association's Lit Drop in HD 41. He offers to drive anyone in need of a ride.

Director of Marketing Hargett announced There is a giving day toolkit in the DoM's sharepoint. It contains instructions for the senators for Giving Day and all the resources they need to support ASUW's Giving Day campaign. She is asking that senators sign up to table, participate in "Send to 10," post the premade Instagram stories, and otherwise share our campaign positively.

Senator Morales Director of Marketing Hargett is doing such a great job with giving day so give her a hand. Additional, Criminal Justice Club will be meeting on October 28 with Sheriff Appelhans and carving pumpkins. Time and place tbd.

Vice President Knull announced Next week will be our next round of check-ins; you should have all received a Outlook invite to them, please accept this invite ASAP.

- Friday we are shutting down all ASUW work that is occurring in the office, asides from committees and Steering as we begin the Moving process; so if you have office hours, you will either need to take them outside the office, or i highly recommend you pitch in and help us move to our new home. If you are looking for volunteer hours, this would be a great opportunity to get them.
- Finally in one more last call, Union After dark needs 3 more bodies from ASUW for their Haunted House. You get to dress in costume, please, we need some more volunteers. This service period is over in 16 more days, and many of you are running out of time to get your volunteering hours in. Failure to complete them may result in you going to steering.

Senator Langford announced The College Democrats at UW is hosting a candidate meet-and-greet, this coming Monday, October 21, 2024, at 5pm in the College of Business Bldg. Room 121, all but one of the Democratic candidates running in state-wide and Albany County races will be there, we will also have three city council candidates present. It will be awesome for students and members of the public to hear from the candidates and have the opportunity to ask questions! Pizza and drinks will be provided, the RVSP link is here: <https://forms.gle/bg2QCVHi2VRWXWfY6>. All are welcome to attend!!!

After processing, the meeting adjourned at 8:14 PM . The next regular meeting of the Senate will be on October 8th, 2024, at 7:00p.m. in the Senate Chambers.

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