Student Government Association

The University of Texas at Tyler

1. **Call to Order**

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* 1. **6:00pm**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

1. **Roll Call**
2. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

November 7th – Midnight Breakfast: 10pm – 12 am (MANDATORY)

**Next Week for Student Voice Reports:**

* Freshman Senators
* Student Body at Large
	+ 1. **Minutes were approved by the senate at 6:05 pm.**
1. **OPEN FORUM**
	* 1. **No speakers in open forum**
2. **SPEAKERS PODIUM**
3. **OFFICER REPORTS**
	* 1. President Templeman
			1. Moment of silence for Justin Bartie, UT Tyler Basketball Player, struck by a car this past weekend.
			2. In the process of getting representatives here to speak about the textbook situation
		2. Vice President Seely
			1. Working on creating an online application for elections
		3. Secretary McDaniel
		4. Treasurer McLeod
			1. Working with VP and Secretary regarding marketing items for midnight breakfast
		5. Parliamentarian Hicken
			1. Out of town this week
			2. Would like senators to participate more in discussion
4. **STUDENT VOICE REPORTS**
	* 1. College of Business and Technology
			1. Capstone problem can’t be fixed-talked to the advisor
		2. Eagles Landing
			1. Met with Ali last week and no further problems so far
5. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**
	* 1. Student Life
			1. Want to create an adopt a highway through the organization
				1. Hasn’t heard back from
			2. Midnight Breakfast
			3. Looking at partnering with Delta Sig in a mental health program
			4. Looking at partnering with Arbor day
		2. Communications
			1. Finalized the midnight breakfast t-shirts
			2. Next week will be working on promotional items in order to get the word out for midnight breakfast
		3. SGAC
			1. Math Club approved
			2. IEE approved
			3. Society for Human Resource Management approved
		4. Rules Committee
			1. Went back to Article 4 over the Judicial Branch
				1. Want change attendance from 100% to 2/3s so that all Judicial Board is able to meet.
		5. Student Affairs
			1. Started writing survey for the Bike Share and will be presented in Old Business
			2. Event parking
				1. Lt. Seal emailed back today and said he has been trying to reach out to others, but feels he might have a wrong email or something, but feels it should be on us to tell others about the limited parking.
6. **OLD BUSINESS**
	* 1. Bike Share-Qualtrics
			1. Motion to approve the distribution of the bike share survey
				1. Seconded
				2. Approved

Senators express concern regarding if students didn’t know how to ride a bicycle.

It is clarified that there are certain questions in the survey that cover it.

Recommendation that there is a brief description or video about what a bike share program is for those that aren’t familiar with what this is

There will be a table in the UC on November 13th for all students to take the survey hoping to increase the amount to students who take this survey.

* + - 1. Motion to table until next week when changes have been made to survey
				1. Motion and seconded to table discussion
				2. Senators will come back next week with changes made to the survey, so that there will be better success with the survey
				3. Motion passed to table to survey
1. **NEW BUSINESS**
	* 1. Officer Elections
			1. Motion to hold officer elections in February
				1. Motion and seconded to hold officer elections in February

This is recommended in order to alleviate stress

This will allow the new officers to shadow the current EB, so that there is a better understanding of what your duty is in the executive board.

It is very difficult to gather all new senators together at the same time as train and elect new officers. This will help with scheduling and allow senators to have more time to plan out and figure out proper dates and times for things like General Assembly meeting.

* + - * 1. Approved to have officer elections earlier than the regular elections
1. **ADVISOR COMMENTS**
	* 1. No advisor comments
2. **ANNOUCEMENTS**
	* 1. November 2nd at 8:00 pm – Patriot Madness
		2. Please be at The Met at 9:30 pm for Midnight Breakfast on November 7th
			1. MANDATORY
3. **SECOND ROLL CALL**
4. **ADJOURNMENT**