

September 28, 2006

**I Executive**

Denitra Dennis  
Shay Paschal  
Ebonee Rhodes  
Joseph Hayes

**College Senators**

Matthew Baker  
Nicole Goad  
Mikea Scott

**Senators-At-Large**

Badreka Harper  
Alisha Howard  
Micheal Matthews  
Audrey Moore  
Saleshia Powell  
Mayte Pino  
Jadrian Thomas  
Keytrick Washington  
Titus Washington

**Absent**

Judy Lane  
Melissa Rose  
Charedee Williams

**II Approval of Minutes**

a Senator Joseph Hayes motions to approve the minutes. Senator Alisha Howard seconds his motion. The minutes are approved.

**III Executive Reports**

A President Denitra Dennis reports the mascot is being drawn to reflect changes made by the Mascot Committee. Dennis also reports that COSBP in New Orleans passed two legislations which include: a Mentoring Program that pairs 50 college students with at risk high school students and a "Solutions to Poverty" agenda.

B Vice-President Shay Paschal reports that an additional person is needed for the Budget Committee. She adds that committee chairs need to report to the SGA office to retrieve an information sheet.

C Secretary Ebonee Rhodes reports that a roster is being passed around for senators to update their contact information. She also welcomes all senators to visit during SGA office hours.

Quorum is called.

**IV Old Business**

A Open Discussion- Senator Alisha Howard reports that after talking to an LSUS alumni about the possibility of health insurance on campus, she believes Liberty Mutual could be a great resource. Senator Howard also volunteers to draft a survey that would address student interest in health insurance.

President Pro-Tempore Joseph Hayes reports that campus police are using bikes to write parking tickets.

Senator Matthew Baker recommends that SGA inquires into producing stickers for businesses to identify that they offer LSUS discounts. President Denitra Dennis asks that Senator Baker see Kim Thorton on this issue.

**V New Business**

A New Senatorial Appointments- Carlos Banks requests that he be considered for a senatorial appointment so to be instrumental for change. Vice-President Shay Paschal asks Carlos Banks to remove himself from the room for voting. Vice-President Paschal opens the floor for discussion. Senator Michael Matthew motions to open the

floor for voting. Senator Mikea Scott seconds the motion. All senators vote in favor of approving Carlos Banks as senator, no denials, and no abstentions.

- B Appointment of Parliamentarian- President Pro-Tempore Joseph Hayes appoints Senator Nicole Goad as Parliamentarian. All senators vote to accept his appointment.
- C Town Hall Meeting- President Denitra Dennis states that this forum provides interaction between the students and their senators during common hour. President Dennis also reports that the tentative date is October 10 and opens the floor for discussion. Senator Nicole Goad questions the date due to a scheduling conflict for those with scholarships. President Dennis responds that this is an opportunity to give the student body our "resume". The date is set for October 10 during common hour at the UC lobby. President Dennis charges the Public Relations Committee with making flyers and banners.
- D COSBP at LSUS- President Dennis states that COSBP meets once a month and hosts approximately 150 people. She also states that the senate will be divided into committees in charge of decoration, lodging, souvenir bags, and meeting materials. Senators Audrey Moore, Badreka Harper, Saleshia Powell, and Keytrick Washington volunteer for the decoration committee which will setup for dinner in the ballroom which include centerpieces, balloons, etc. Senators Mikea Scott and Micheal Matthews volunteer to assemble gift bags which will include folders, bags, t-shirts, etc. Senators Alisha Howard and Matthew Baker volunteer to assemble meeting materials which will include name tags, folders, and schedules. President Pro-Tempore Joseph Hayes and Senators Carlos Banks and Jadrian Thomas volunteer to take charge of hotel accommodations. President Dennis reports that senators have until October 18<sup>th</sup> to submit activity ideas.

## **VI Announcements**

- A Senator Audrey Moore invites everyone to participate in Delta Sigma Theta bowling event tonight at 9.
- B President Denitra Dennis reports that the Disney College Program will be on campus October 4<sup>th</sup> at 4pm.

## **VII Adjournment**

Senator Mikea Scott motions to conclude the meeting and Senator Alisha Howard seconds that motion. The meeting is adjourned.