

Student Government Association

Senate Meeting 01.23.20

Call to Order: Vice Pres. Alexander calls the meeting to order at 11:08 am.

Sen. Hixson moves to approve the agenda (Trejo second, Peebles consent.)

Sen. Peebles moves to approve the minutes (Hixson second, O'zee consent.)

Roll Call: Vice Pres. Alexander takes roll. Absent: Quorum is present.

Vice President's report:

- SGA has been asked by administration to write an updated resolution on gun control, and an author is needed as soon as possible.
- Reminder to turn in absentee forms for missed meetings.

Treasurer's report: Nothing to report.

Advisors' report: Nothing to report.

Unfinished Business

Sen. Peebles moves to go into Unfinished Business (Melendez second, Hixson consent).

Sen. O'zee moves to bring Senate Bill #11211901 ("Ice Ice Baby Act") to the floor (Unsell second, Hixson consent).

Sen. Peebles moves Amendment 1, then retracts motion.

Sen. O'zee moves all amendments as a block (Peebles second, Trejo consent). Sen. Unsell objects. The ayes have it; objection carries.

Sen. O'zee moves Amendment 1 (Peebles second, Unsell consent).

Sen. Peebles moves to extend questions and discussion by 10 minutes (Unsell second, Melendez consent).

Chair closes questions and discussion. Sen. O'zee moves Amendment 4 (Peebles second, Unsell consent). Sen. Sapp objects. The ayes have it; objection carries.

Sen. Sapp moves Amendments 1-3 as a block (Unsell second, O'zee consent).

Chair closes questions and discussion. Sen. O'zee moves to vote on the amendment block by voice. The ayes have it; the amendments pass.

Sen. O'zee moves Amendment 5 (Peebles second, Unsell consent). Sen. Peebles proposes a friendly amendment to Amendment 5; O'zee accepts.

Chair closes questions and discussion. Sen. Peebles moves to vote on Amendment 5 by hands (O'zee second, Melendez consent). The ayes have it; the amendment passes.

Sen. O'zee moves to vote on the bill as a whole by roll call (Melendez second, Peebles consent). The vote is 10 ayes, 0 nays, 0 abstaining. The bill passes.

Open Discussion/Announcements:

Sen. O'zee moves to go into Open Discussion/Announcements (Sapp second, Peebles consent).

Sen. Hixson announces that submissions for the Accent magazine are still open. Sen. Peebles inquires if there are any volunteers to write the gun control resolution. Sen. Unsell announces that two art shows are coming up.

Chair closes Open Discussion/Announcements.

Roll Call: Vice Pres. Alexander calls roll. Absent: . Quorum is present.

Adjournment: Sen. Peebles moves to adjourn the meeting (Hixson second, Unsell consent). The meeting is adjourned at 11:53 am.