

Washburn Student Government Association
Burdick/Wood Administration, October 2nd, 2024

Position	Last Name	Present (Beginning)	Present (Final)
Vice-chair	Abernathy	Y	Y
Senator	Anderson	Y	Y
Senator	Bansal	Y	Y
Senator	Billquist	Y	Y
Chairperson	Brown	Y	Y
Senator	Brungardt	Y	Y
Senator	Cain	Y	Y
Senator	Cattoor	Y	N
Senator	(E) Clark	Y	Y
Senator	(L) Clark	Y	Y
Senator	Davis	Y	Y
Parliamentarian	Durst	Y	Y
Senator	Giles	Y	Y
Senator	Ginn	Y	Y
Senator	Hastings	Y	Y
Senator	Hammes	Y	Y
Vice-chair	Kerney	Y	Y
Senator	McFan	Y	Y
Senator	Meier	Y	Y
Chairperson	Morris	Y	Y
Vice-chair	Nadeau	Y	Y
Senator	Newfer	Y	Y
Senator	Nino-Elliott	Y	Y

Senator	Proctor	Y	Y
Speaker	Redington	Y	Y
Senator	Ross	Y	Y
Senator	Sanner	Y	Y
Senator	Smith	Y	Y
Chairperson	Timm	Y	Y
Senator	White	N	N
Senator	Yucesan	Y	N

Position	Last Name	Present (Beginning)	Present (Final)
Special Events Director	Roth	Y	Y
Marketing Director	Coulter	Y	Y
Campus and Community Affairs Director	Jordan	Y	Y
Diversity Equity and Inclusion Director	Hinds	Y	Y
Legislative Director	Meseke	Y	Y
Budget Director	Lloyd	Y	Y
Chief of Staff	Ottman	Y	Y
Vice President	Wood	Y	Y
President	Burdick	Y	Y
Advisor	Dr. TLC	Y	Y
Advisor ²	Dr. G	-	-

- I. Call to Order – Vice President Bella Wood
- II. Roll Call – Chief of Staff Trevor Ottman
- III. Review of Proceeding Meeting Minutes
 - a. No one objects.
- IV. Cabinet Reports
 - a. Dante Jordan, Campus & Community Affairs Director
 - i. Can Emporia hit \$700, and we are doing very well. Chairperson Brown is working on some events for the CCA committee. Want anything with office hours? Help out with CCA and/or tailgate.
 - b. Kate Coulter, Communications & Marketing Director
 - i. Sadly camera SD card busted. TY for participating in Media Day. If you have not come please stop by her office hour. If you have any interest in TikTok, please sign up. Cabinet Member and Senator of the Month:
 - 1. Senator is active in the office- very nice, very active. October's Senator of the Month is Kory McFan.
 - 2. Cabinet member of the month, very nice, very awesome very cool, very amazing.
 - ii. Current is out, she's passing it out
 - c. DeMarques Hinds, Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Director
 - i. Working on events and calloborting efforts with organisations.
 - d. Kira Roth, Special Events Director
 - i. She's in her corner. She's been working on getting food and other things ready for events: Kory's Domestic Violence Awareness Month. October Calender has also been on her agenda, let her know if there's anything you would like on it.
 - e. Cameron Meseke, Legislative Director
 - i. Omnibus is here. We're going to be discussing all of this. He's encouraging Senate to table if this goes beyond 20 minutes. If you are planning on writing a bill/resolution- let him know.
 - f. Nick Lloyd, Budget Director

- i. New budget. We're going to change around some things.
Meeting with student orgs.
 - g. Trevor Ottman, Chief of Staff
 - h. Bella Wood, Vice President
 - i. Calender updates, Blinky Board changes. Office hours are being updated. IgniteU happened, it was really well. Can't take nameplates.
 - i. George Burdick, President
 - i. Connect Petro walk, and he is drafting up an email to see about any changes that need to be made. **Declares Student Fee and Elections committees.**
 - 1. Alex Timm is serving as chair for Student Fee
 - 2. Emma Anderson is serving as chair for Elections
 - j. Dr. TLC Advisor,
 - i. Please come to campus round table event.
- V. Committee Reports
 - a. Taylor Redington, Internal Affairs Speaker Pro-Tempore
 - i. IA had omnibus by-laws changes. Accepted all of which.
 - 1. She moves to accept by-laws. They get accepted.
 - b. Alex Timm, Allocations Chairperson
 - i. Allocations met today and they had some small changes. Kinesiology changes apparel to pizza. Moves to accept findings. They get accepted.
 - c. Kirstyn Brown, Campus and Community Affairs Chairperson
 - i. CCA moves to accept number 5 and number 6 for awareness month resolutions.
 - d. Dre Morris, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Chairperson
 - i. Movie night planned. DEI wide bracelet night, scheduled for October. Discussed a resolution number 4- domestic violence awareness form.
- VI. Public Forum I:
 - a. Accessibility Services Forum
 - i. Heather Popejoy- director of accessibility services. Kate Hunt- assistant director. DOJ passes some laws that means student

orgs must make social media posts accessible. Based on county size that **schools** must rule post on this matter. Any videos must have captions and video descriptions with them. If there is music or anything, it can be hard. Pictures must have alternative text to describe pictures.

1. D2L will now have audio options for PDF's and other text formats.
- ii. MK Hunt has a QR code to report any specific disability concerns.
 1. Senator Cattoor asks if this comes by 2026.
 - a. Yes they will.
 2. Legislative Director Meseke asks about student organizations with group chats, will they have to abide by these?
 - a. Not that she is aware of.
 3. If these documents outside PDF will have an immersive reader.
 - a. Yes they will and there are other third party documents that carry this. Brail is also an option.
 4. Vice-chair Abernathy asks if there are other options regarding this.
 - a. She will write that down and attempt to utilize this.
 5. CCA Director Jordan asks VP Wood asks about safety walk and if this shared.
 - a. Safety walk info is going to Heather and MK
 6. Senator Cattoor asks if IFC and Panhellenic will be included.
 - a. Yes they will.
 7. Senator Cattoor asks if there is a plan to get this info out?
 - a. They would like our help! Work with social media person to make sure there is accessibility measures in place.
 8. Senator Nino-Elliott asks if they would like more information

- a. Check out DOJ- ada.gov or search ada regulations and it should be first link. Make sure it's a .gov.
- 9. VP Wood asks for information to get ahold
 - a. Office is third floor of Plass Learning Center
 - i. Testing accommodations is on second floor.
 - b. Email is best way to get ahold.

VII. New Business I:

- a. SB 2024-25 #060 Chemistry Club
 - i. Requesting funding for an outreach group for middle school students. They can come out and tour the science building and help them do hands on experiments. \$100 for each demonstration (2) so \$200.
 - 1. Speaker Redington changes "apparel" to experiments.
 - 2. Nino-Elliot asks what experiments
 - a. Reaction to see color change (as in a rainbow to see colors), and an experiment to test density.
 - 3. Speaker Redington moves to vote. It's passed.
- b. SB 2024-25 #061 Kinesiology Club
 - i. Requesting money for pizza for their meeting. Senator Anderson moves to vote. It's passed.
- c. SB 2024-25 #062 Washburn Strings
 - i. Washburn Strings is requesting funding for their Baroque Bash. Senator Cattoor moves to vote. It's passed.
- d. SB 2024-25 #063 Spanish Club
 - i. Senator Cattoor motions to combine #63 and #65- becomes #81. Requesting money for apparel. Foord order for meeting and craft supplies to decorate the office. For the second one, they are taking a trip to KC for Dia de los Muertos museum. Requesting money for food and gas.
 - 1. Speaking Redington makes a friendly amendment. Yields time to Director Jordan. He asks if you can get the apparel outside of the club and for their Spanish test.
 - 2. Senator Nino-Elliot asks if the bills should be combined. Budget Directo Lloyd allows it.

3. Senator Hammas asks if “Art Club” can be moved.
4. Senator Anderson moves to vote. It passes.
- e. SB 2024-25 #064 International Fraternity Council
 - i. Working to include more people in IFC and Panhellenic. The movie was a lot of money.
 - ii. Senator Cattoor yields time to Pres. Burdick who changes the dollar amount to Inter from international. They pass these changes.
 - iii. Senator Hastings asks about the movie- it’s Monster House.
 - iv. Senator Anderson moves for a vote. It passes.
- ~~f. SB 2024-25 #065 Spanish Club~~
- g. SR 2024-25 #004 Domestic Abuse Awareness
 - i. Senator Mcfan wants to bring awareness through this resolution.
 1. Senator Ginn makes the change to “Abuse”.
 2. Speaker Redington asks what day is Domestic Violence? There is no Day, so Senator Mcfan approves a change to ax this.
 3. Senator Kerney asks if there can be multiple awareness months, which McFan says it should still be .
 4. Senator Anderson says it should be promoted more, and Marketing Director Coulter responds that she will promote this.
 5. Senator Timm directs time to CCA Director Jordan. He asks that we check in on people and to come to this event. Also points out mandatory reporters.
 6. Senator Abernathy highlights YWCA center for safety and empowerment to discuss these issues.
 7. Speaker Redington moves to vote. It passes.
- h. SR 2024-25 #005 Recognizing Filipino-American History Month
 - i. Originator asks for hyphenation on these bills.
 - ii. Senator Anderson asks for Chairperson Morris to give elaboration.

- iii. Chairperson Morris says this is important that as apart of the DEI committee- we need to reach out to peoples on campus.
 - iv. Senator Anderson brings up the Native American Club as they hadn't been brought up.
 - v. Vice Chair Abernathy- consistently keeping history out of the Whereas's and the title.
 - vi. Senator Anderson moves to vote. It passes
 - i. SR 2024-25 #006 Recognizing LGBTQIA+ History Month
 - i. Speaker Redington capitalizes History Month
 - ii. Fourth whereas to add "population"
 - iii. Fifth where as to add "IA+"
 - iv. Senator Ross moves to vote. It passes.
 - j. SB 2024-25 #080 WSGA Budget Update
 - i. Presents about projects and where we can allocate money. Student grants have gone up, student orgs have gone up.
 - ii. Internal projects: salaries, presidential fund, vice president. They have been cut.
 - iii. DEI and CCA committee funds have been taken down. CCA and DEI will stay the same however.
 - iv. Senator Anderson moves to vote. It's approved.
- VIII. Old Business I:
- a. SB 2024-25 #058 Grammatical Edits Change
 - i. They're back. Senator Clark asks if there are situations where in that a grammatical change will impact by-laws. If one person makes the change, it can.
 - ii. Vice-Chair Abernathy yields time to President Burdick to have requests. President Burdick elaborates that grammatical changes can be quite substantial.
 - 1. Senator Anderson moves to vote. It's passes.
 - b. SB 2024-25 #059 Service Awards Move
 - i. Chairperson Timm moves to vote. It's passes.
- IX. New Business II:
- a. SB 2024-25 #066 Location Correction in By-laws
 - i. Senator Anderson moves to a vote. It passes.
 - b. SB 2024-25 #067 Cabinet Voting Rights
 - i. Senator Ross asks about Ad-Hoc committees.

1. President Burdick says that Ad-Hoc can be made up of anyone.
 2. Senator Anderson moves to a vote.
- c. SB 2024-25 #068 Committee Agendas
 - i. Director Meseke introduces. Senator Ginn asks about non-standing committees. Its approved.
- d. SB 2024-25 #069 Committee Sizes
 - i. Senator Ross asks if there is anything stopping a director from stacking a committee.
- e. SB 2024-25 #070 Flex Hours
 - i. Flex Hours abolished. It's passed.
- f. SB 2024-25 #071 Full Senate Agenda
 - i. Senator Anderson moves to vote. It's passed.
- g. SB 2024-25 #072 Gallery Voting Rights
 - i. Speaker Redington yields time to VP President and she challenges amendment. This amendment passed, and this bill passes.
- h. SB 2024-25 #073 Internal Finance Change
 - i. To make it a lot easier to have a set list, you can now appoint them. It passes.
 1. Legislative Director Meseke clarifies it won't impact senate now.
- i. SB 2024-25 #074 Office Policy Passage
 - i. Amendment to let us update the office policy if it happens.
- j. SB 2024-25 #075 Standing Senate Members
 - i. No issues. Bill passes.
- k. SB 2024-25 #076 Standing Senate Rules Position
 - i. Parliamentarian Durst says that this is now on the books. Bill passes.
- l. SB 2024-25 #077 Fiscal Year Budget By-laws Change
 - i. Budget is controlled by the Senate.
 1. Speaker Redington asks if bills have been passed before without Senate approval. President Burdick says it has.
 2. It gets approved.

- m. SB 2024-25 #078 Speaker Name Change
 - i. Speaker ~~Pro Tempore~~ Redington speaks about how Pro Tempore doesn't make sense.
 - 1. Senator Hammas moves to a vote. Speaker Redington abstains. It passes
- n. SB 2024-25 #079 Executive Staff Attendance Policy
 - i. It passes unanimously.
 - o. Senator Anderson moves to recess. We had division- vote tallied 7 yeah and 17 nays. It does not pass.
- X. Public Forum II:
 - a. Elections Ad-Hoc Presentation
 - i. Goals of the Elections Ad-Hoc Presentation
 - 1. Goals: Review current election model (overall)
 - 2. Issues with Election Model: Issues/Challenges
 - a. Lack of different perspectives regarding major
 - b. Does not provide many seats for freshmen coming out of freshman elections
 - c. Not much effort to target transfer students to join.
 - d. More Students on campus
 - 3. Main issue- Freshmen elections only consider "freshmen" and not degree/credits coming in. This does not consider transfer students.
 - 4. General Elections (issues)
 - a. Issues/Challenges- increase in size. Consider increasing the size of senate, campaign materials. Campaign periods are quite short.
 - b. Transition Periods- once elections end the culture in WSGA has become that the current administration can no longer achieve action. Lack of support for the still-existing administration. Can be confusing for new senators and the new administration.
 - b. WSGA Homecoming Events Forum

- i. Special Events Director Roth presents on HoCo- decorating office, top hat decorating, lawn board decorating parade.
- ii. How can you help? People to participate in the parade. Scorch the porch, lawn board decorating. We decide to have a pick up and people will walk beside it.

XI. Announcements

XII. Roll Call

- a. We move for a silent roll call.

XIII. Adjournment



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #060

TITLE: Chemistry Club

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: Chemistry Club is requesting funding for apparel, and

WHEREAS: Chemistry Club has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: Chemistry Club is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$200.00 from the Student Organizations account to the Chemistry Club for their apparel purchases.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

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WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #061

TITLE: Kinesiology Club

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: Kinesiology Club is requesting funding for apparel, and

WHEREAS: Kinesiology Club has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: Kinesiology Club is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$100.00 from the Student Organizations account to the Kinesiology Club for their apparel purchases.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #062

TITLE: Washburn Strings

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: Washburn Strings is requesting funding for their Baroque Bash, and

WHEREAS: Washburn Strings has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: Washburn Strings is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$1,800.00 from the Student Organizations account to the Washburn Strings for their Baroque Bash.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #063

TITLE: Spanish Club

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: Spanish Club is requesting funding for their apparel and miscellaneous items, and

WHEREAS: Spanish Club has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: Spanish Club is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$1,950.00 from the Student Organizations account to the Spanish Club for their apparel and miscellaneous items.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #064
TITLE: International Fraternity Council
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: International Fraternity Council is requesting funding for a movie night and associated costs, and

WHEREAS: International Fraternity Council has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: International Fraternity Council is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$445.00 from the Student Organizations account to the International Fraternity Council for a movie night and associated costs.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #065

TITLE: Spanish Club

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: Spanish Club is requesting funding for a Dia de los Muetros trip, and

WHEREAS: Spanish Club has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: Spanish Club is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$700.00 from the Student Organizations account to the Washburn Art Club for Dia de los Muetros trip.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

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SENATE RESOLUTION 2024-25 #004

TITLE: Domestic Abuse Awareness

ORIGINATOR: Senator Mcfan

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion - STATUS

WHEREAS: October 1st through October 31st is recognized Domestic Abuse Awareness Month by WSGA, and

WHEREAS: Domestic Abuse violence has been recognized to affect any person, regardless of age, gender, or background, and

WHEREAS: There are six types of Domestic Abuse, online abuse, financial abuse, sexual abuse, physical abuse, mental abuse, and emotional abuse, and

WHEREAS: WSGA has traditionally recognized Domestic Abuse Awareness Month and Day.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association recognizes October 1st through October 31st as Domestic Awareness Month.

SECTION TWO: The Washburn Student Government Association encourages students to reach out whenever they are in need of help or see others in need of help.

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President

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SENATE RESOLUTION 2024-25 #005

TITLE: Recognizing Filipino-American History Month

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Morris

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Campus and Community Affairs - STATUS

WHEREAS: Tue, Oct 1, 2024 – Thu, Oct 31, 2024, is recognized as Filipino American History Month, and

WHEREAS: October was chosen to commemorate the arrival of the first Filipinos who landed in what is now Morro Bay, California on October 18, 1587, and

WHEREAS: 2006 was a pivotal year as it marked the centennial celebration of Filipino migration to the United States, and

WHEREAS: In recent years 4.1 million Americans make up the Filipino American community, and

WHEREAS: There are resources such as Filipino-American Development Foundation (FADF), Filipino American Center at Old Dominion University.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association recognizes Filipino-American History Month.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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SENATE RESOLUTION 2024-25 #006

TITLE: Recognizing LGBTQIA+ History Month

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Morris

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Campus and Community Affairs - STATUS

WHEREAS: Tue, Oct 1, 2024 – Thu, Oct 31, 2024, is recognized as LGBTQIA+ History Month, and

WHEREAS: LGBTQIA+ history month was founded in 1994 by Missouri high-school history teacher Rodney Wilson, and

WHEREAS: About 13.9 million adults in the US are a part of the LGBTQIA+ in more recent years, and

WHEREAS: the LGBTQIA+ is an important part of our campus portfolio, and

WHEREAS: There are resources such as the Trevor Project, Equality Federation, BiNETUSA, LGBTQ Student Resources & Support, and various other support networks, and

WHEREAS: WSGA has traditionally recognized LGBTQIA+ History Month.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association recognizes LGBTQIA+ History Month.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #080

TITLE: WSGA Budget Update

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: The Washburn Student Government is in charge of all funds regarding the Student Activity Fee, including where those funds go, and

WHEREAS: issues and concerns that arise from a WSGA Fiscal Year Budget should be accounted for and addressed whenever possible, and

WHEREAS: potential issues have arisen from our initial plans for the budget, as we have now received the total funds we possess this year.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall update our Fiscal Year Budget to reflect intended practices going forth.

SECTION TWO: The WSGA Budget shall reflect the document, "Proposed Budget 10.2.2024".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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SENATE BILL 2024-25 #058

TITLE: Grammatical Edits Change

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: The maintenance of the Constitution and By-laws is at the utmost importance for ensuring our necessary boundaries, and

WHEREAS: general maintenance of said documents requires fair and equitable checks and balances, and

WHEREAS: efficiency in edits to our documents means more opportunities for growth and greater ability to understand our abilities as an organization.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall implement an additional Section to Article IV that states grammatical and document spacing adjustments shall be made in a more updated manner.

SECTION TWO: The Constitution and By-laws shall reflect changes based on the document, "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Grammatical Change".

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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SENATE BILL 2024-25 #059

TITLE: Service Awards Move

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: The maintenance of the Constitution and By-laws is at the upmost importance for ensuring our necessary boundaries, and

WHEREAS: the Constitution revolves around our organizational truths and beliefs, whereas the By-laws are more for structure and guidance upon our procedures, and

WHEREAS: there is potential to better reflect those ideologies.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association remove Article VII from the Constitution and implement Section 15 under "Cabinet and Executive Board".

SECTION TWO: The Constitution and By-laws shall reflect changes based on the document, "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Service Awards".

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #066

TITLE: Location Correction in By-laws

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: Section 1A, Subsection 2 shall replace "Section 8" to read "Section 9" in the By-laws.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #067

TITLE: Cabinet Voting Rights

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

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WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The WSGA shall add a subsection under Section 1D stating the voting rights of Cabinet Members in WSGA to reflect our current practices.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Cabinet Voting Rights".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #068

TITLE: Committee Agendas

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: A section shall be added to our By-laws updating the practices of Committees regarding agendas.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Committee Agendas".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

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George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #069

TITLE: Committee Sizes

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: Committees shall reflect the practices of including at least 3 members, including the Chairperson, not to exceed 40% of the total number of WSGA Senators.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Cabinet Voting Rights".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

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George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #070

TITLE: Flex Hours

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The WSGA Cabinet shall no longer abide by the flex hour system implemented.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Flex Hours".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #071

TITLE: Full Senate Agenda

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: An additional section regarding Full Senate Agenda shall be added.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Full Senate Agenda".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #072

TITLE: Gallery Voting Rights

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: promoting this ability to the public could be a great way of gathering involvement in WSGA, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: A subsection under Section 1D shall be added to reflect our current practices for gaining voting rights as a non-Senator.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Gallery Voting Rights".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #073

TITLE: Internal Finance Change

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The By-laws shall be updated to reflect how Internal Finance was established in the past.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Internal Finance Change".

SECTION THREE: The current members of Internal Finance shall remain members at their own discretion.

SECTION FOUR: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

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George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #074

TITLE: Office Policy Passage

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The office policy must be passed through Senate going forth.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Office Policy".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

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George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #075

TITLE: Standing Senate Members

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: Reflecting on our current practices, each member shall be required to be a member of only one (1) Standing Committee.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Senate Standing Committee Membership".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #076

TITLE: Standing Senate Rules Position

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Parliamentarian shall be responsible for the creation of the WSGA Standing Senate Rules document.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Standing Senate Rules".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

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George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #077

TITLE: Fiscal Year Budget By-laws Change

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: Updates and the creation thereof the document regarding the WSGA Budget shall pass through Senate.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – WSGA Budget".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

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George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #078
TITLE: Speaker Name Change
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Speaker Pro-Tempore shall be renamed to "Speaker" to better reflect practices at this University and locations elsewhere.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to remove any section stating "Pro-Tempore".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

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Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

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George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #079

TITLE: Executive Staff Attendance Policy

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: it is the duty of the WSGA Executive Staff to maintain office hours, and

WHEREAS: it is the duty of the Chief of Staff to enforce and track office hours for the Executive Staff, and

WHEREAS: in order to obtain a fair and equitable environment, an Executive Staff Attendance Policy, clearly communicating the rules of the office, should be made.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: This Executive Staff Attendance Policy is enforced as the measure to hold the WSGA Executive Staff accountable to perform their duties.

SECTION TWO: The Executive Staff shall be held accountable by the parameters laid out in said policy.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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George Burdick
WSGA President