

# Ridgewater College Student Senate Hutchinson, MN Meeting Minutes

Location: Virtual Meeting Via Teams Date: 1/17/20 Prepared by: Jordan Walter

## I. Call to order

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- II. Roll call
  - Ieremiah Shoemaker
  - ☑ Jordan Walter
  - Iessica Lozano
  - ☑ Ashley Farnick
  - ☑ Emily Storm

## III. Approval of Minutes

- a) Minutes will be approved at the next meeting.
- IV. Approval of Agenda
  - a) The agenda was approved.

## **Primary Business**

- b) Our first item of primary business was to have nominations for our new Public Relations Director, this was tabled to our next meeting.
- c) Our second item of primary business was the Sled-A-Thon, we voted to cancel this event due to a lack of funding. However, we decided to plan another census related event. This event will be a simple guess how many jelly beans are in the jar event and will be called "Have You Bean Counted?" Further details will be discussed at the next meeting.
- Our third item of primary business was to discuss Hobby Hour. Tuesday, January 21 is going to be the first hobby hour of the Spring Semester. Ads have already been posted, and themes for upcoming Hobby Hours will be decided.

- Ruby Lezama

☑ Ashley Teubert

 Not present, will not be counted as an absence

#### V. Secondary Business

- a) Our only item of secondary business was to recap how our previous events went.
  - (1) The first event we discussed was the Gift-Wrapping Fundraiser. We went over whether or not we will repeat, and it was decided that since we already have all of the supplies, we should do the fundraiser again next semester.
  - (2) Our second event to recap was the EOV Meeting on December 13<sup>th</sup>. At this meeting we discussed club structuring, and Willmar's senate discussed the possibility of having healthier choices in their vending machines.
  - (3) Our third event to recap was the January Conference which was on January 9-11. Ashley T, Emily, Jordan, and Ruby all attended and learned a lot about starting a new food pantry at our campus, as well as about the importance of a tuition freeze. We were also prepared for Advocacy day, which is on February 17-18. Emily and Jordan will be going.
  - (4) Our fourth event to recap was Welcome Day on January 14<sup>th</sup>, we got 9 senate applications at the event. We decided for our next welcome day we should pick a new activity and we need to purchase new prizes.

#### VI. Verbal Reports

- a) Executive Positions
  - i) President- Emily Storm
  - ii) Vice President- Jeremiah Shoemaker
  - iii) Administrative Director- Jordan Walter
  - iv) Public Relations Director- Open
  - v) Finance Officer- Ashley Teubert
  - vi) Office Manager- Ashley Farnick

#### VII. Advisor- Heather Marcus

#### VIII. Good of the Order/Announcements

a) Welcome Day- Tuesday, Jan 14<sup>th</sup>

#### X. Adjournment

Jordan motioned to adjourn and it was seconded at 12:54 p.m.

Our next meeting will be Friday, January 24, at Noon in room 301.