Meeting called to order: 7:05 p.m. by chairman, James Cook.

Approval of Minutes: Motion to approve by unanimous consent, Rebecca Horne, Second – Race Clark.

Officers’s Reports:
Chair: James Cook met with Dean Williams this past week.
• Dean Williams is still pushing the book colloquium.
• There will be a lot of changes in the building where the Grad College is located including a lounge for graduate students.
• Race Clark is to be the liaison with the dean’s office.
• Received an email from Clay Leslie… looking for participation in the homecoming parade.

Vice Chair: Race Clark –
• There is a potential total of ten bills to be decided at the GSS meeting on 10/14 including three bills the executive branch wants GSS to see first.
• Per discussion with James Cook… GSS is going to start using standing committees to review bills in the 6:30 to 7:00 p.m. time period. Bills will be sent to internal affairs electronically for review on Sunday evening. Other bills will be sent to external affairs, same procedure.
• James Cook – in future, when bills are presented to a committee, committees are to act as the executive council has in the past. It will be the committee’s responsibility to determine whether to bring to the floor of the full Senate with a recommendation to approve, not approve, table, etc.

Secretary: Jerry Overton – No Report

Committee Reports:
• Academic Affairs – No report
• Development & Philanthropy – Rebecca Horne, Chair -
  o The committee wants to do a habitat for humanity work day. Only day available is December 8th. There is concern since the date is the weekend before finals begin. It was suggested that the date be pushed to the spring semester.
  o Suggestion was also made to do project Linus in the fall instead. The committee will discuss at a future date.
• External Affairs – No report
• Human Diversity – Benny Tamahkera, Chair -
  o The Law School has extended an invitation to the full university to attend a report presentation from the International Human Rights Council. The report will eventually be presented to the U.N. Human rights Council. The presentation will be in classroom four…noon to 1:00 p.m. in the College of Law.
The committee is considering a social function for GSS. No details yet.

- Internal Affairs – No report.
- Problems & Projects – No report.
- Public Relations – No report.
- Ways and Means – (per Race Clark, Vice Chair)
  - The new grant application has been uploaded to the website and the link has been fixed.

Special Orders:
- Webmaster discussion - A fulltime webmaster has been hired to overhaul the student government websites. It has been suggested that the webmaster be responsible for all uploading. But, it has been decided that the Vice Chair will be responsible for uploading agendas and similar items to make sure items are input in a timely manner, especially in last minute situations. The webmaster will be responsible for overall maintenance and upgrades of the website.

Old Business: None

New Business:
- GF12-14 Emergency Allocation Act #3 of 2012 – Do pass recommendation by unanimous consent. Motion Carrie Pavlowsky - Second Rebecca Horne.
- GF12-16 Give Money to the Students Act of 2012 – Tabled by unanimous consent until next meeting of the executive council to provide opportunity for additional discussion. Motion Jerry Overton - Second Race Clark.
- GF12-17 Proper Compensation for a Job Well Done Act of 2012 – Do pass recommendation by unanimous consent. Motion Race Clark – Second Carrie Pavlowsky.
- GF12-19 UOSA Election Board Chair Appointment Act – Do pass recommendation by unanimous consent… Motion – Kristina Sanchez - Second Carrie Pavlowsky.

Announcements:
- Next GSS Meeting October 14, 2012 @ 7:00 p.m.
- University Library Council will be meeting Tuesday the 16th.

Adjourn: Motion – Carrie Pavlowsky, Second - Race Clark.

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