Session XC

Roll Call -
Flag Salute – Rainey Sewell
Approval of Minutes
Petersen sec Naqvi
Chair's Report- My last meeting with you guys. It's been a great couple of sessions. Jeremy Allen will talk about Green Week under special orders. Welcome back former Rep. Jason Robison
Vice Chair's Report-
Secretary's Report-
Committee Reports-
• AA
• CA
• EA
• P&P
• PR
• WAM
Liaison Reports
Special Orders
Jeremy Allen – Green Week. We have a series of events going on throughout the week on South Oval. Green Week is usually the week before or around Earth Day, which is on Monday.
-Thursday: Social Responsibility Fair. 11am-2pm in the Union Courtyard. See how OU is going Green!
-Friday: Free concert featuring Sarah Reid at Gray Owl Coffee at 7pm. 223 E Gray St.
• Nancy Mulder Award – Kasra George Ahmadi
• Rod Jahromi Award – Laura Shapiro
• Distinguished Service Award – Eli Potts
• Congress Officer Elections
  ▪ Chair – Montgomery elected by roll call vote
  ▪ Vice Chair- Pascoe’s nomination accepted by acclamation
  ▪ Secretary –Aragon’s nomination accepted by acclamation
• Farewell
Student Concerns
Old Business
Items to Be Considered
900301 A resolution thanking Student Affairs (Bender) (Do Pass – Exec)
Allen sec Corbaz
Bender – Student Affairs is pretty awesome, so I wanted to write a resolution thanking them for the great job. I hope that if you haven’t worked with them, that you get the opportunity to do so.

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Wormley – Would the author object to friendly adding actual names of Session 88 89, friendly added
Carlough – Friendly requesting this resolution be printed in a larger size standard sheet? (no)
Consent w/o objection

900302 A Resolution Requesting George Regrow his Beard (Naqvi) (Do Pass – Exec)
Wormley sec Allen
Naqvi – One day I was on the first floor of Conoco, and I saw this new guy sitting where George
normally sits, and I went into Joe’s office to ask who this new guy was. Joe responded that “oh
that’s George.” And I was very surprised. So for no apparent reason this mighty powerful beard
was stricken from us. I think this is a big campus issue that needs to be resolved.
Corbaz – Would you consider a moustache?
Naqvi – No
Allen – Is it in the authors opinion that the style, size or grooming of the beard was the best? Or
combination of three?
Naqvi – All three.
Carlough Friendly to add Harden and Santa Claus
Accepted
Weiss – If we could magic his beard back?
Wormley – My concern is how we intend to deliver this to all men considering shaving?
Naqvi – Oh we can do it.
Shapiro – Send it to the World Beard and Moustache Association? *Added
Sweatman – What are you hoping Governor Mary Fallin will do?
Naqvi – I hope she writes a letter or phone call to his office to urge him to regrow it. I believe
through pressure he will.
Allen – If George’s Beard were a fictional Disney character, who would it be and why?
Naqvi – (deferred to Tonya. We have to analyze the different characters of Disney. So I’m going
to say the Genie because of his intelligence and fun to be around).
Allen – Would “you’ve never had a friend like me be the song?”
Naqvi – (deferred to Kiper Yes)
Carlough – Earlier someone had mentioned that George would grow it longer, would the power
increase if the length of his beard increased?
Naqvi – yes
Carlough – What kinda powers?
Naqvi – Special powers fo
Weiss – I’m asking on style, what if he braided his beard?
Naqvi – I would encourage it.
Berry – Would George growing it out increase SGA productivity, what length?
Naqvi – it would take over 18 years...(on information, the Beard has been cut)
Carlough – Correlation between George’s social life and the beard?
Naqvi – I’m not aware.
Carlough – Relation with OUMM’s?
Naqvi – I feel like there are more actually.
Corbaz – It says the power of said facial hair was
Debate, Carlough sec Byrd
Approved by Roll Call vote, 16-15-2 with Chair Bender breaking Tie
New Business
Follow-Up Reports
Items for Future Agenda
Announcements and Comments
Allen- Union courtyard, go see the lorax
Pascoe-we promise to do our best :D
Montgomery-SGA inauguration next Monday, beard 3-5
Sangirardi-join bender and I on campus corner- bonding time 5:30pm next Monday
Motion to adjourn Allen Sec Witt
Final Roll Call

Chair: Sean Bender
Vice-Chair: Tonya Kiper
Secretary: John Montgomery

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XC
April 16, 2013

CONGRESSIONAL BILL No. 900301

AS INTRODUCED

A congressional resolution thanking the administrators and staff of the Department of Student Affairs; and providing for distribution.

WHEREAS Mr. George Ahmadi in just his first year as the SGA advisor has established himself as an invaluable resource to all members and officers, ensuring the success of the SGA for years to come; and

WHEREAS Ms. Brynn Daves provides invaluable support to all Congress Representatives while working with them to oversee such important programs as Safe Ride; and,

WHEREAS Mr. Clarke Stroud continuously seeks opportunities to empower SGA members in the pursuit of a more student friendly environment, while working to build the campus spirit so defining for students’ time at OU; and,

WHEREAS Ms. Susan Sasso’s advice in crafting SGA and University policy has been at the heart of decisions made this year, with her immense knowledge and sense of humor making every meeting an enjoyable experience; and,

WHEREAS Ms. Linda Patison provides much-appreciated support to SGA leaders making financial decisions, as well as important guidance on financial policy; and,
WHEREAS  Ms. Teresa Schuster offers continuous support and assistance to all students in a friendly and warm manner comforting students and enhancing their progress; and,

WHEREAS  Ms. Debbie Strong provides outstanding service to students in the formation of an open and collaborative culture within the first floor of the Conoco, which facilitates an inviting atmosphere to students and student organizations; and,

WHEREAS  Ms. Nicole Pharaoh, who for many students is the face of SGA, aids organizations in the presentation of events and activities on the OU-Norman Campus through her hard work; and,

WHEREAS  All staff and administrators within Student Affairs have been great friends to Student Congress and the SGA.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS:

Section 1.  Student Affairs and its team members impact the lives of students and student leaders across campus, which empowers them to achieve both personal and professional goals as they progress toward a bright future of success.

Section 2.  Copies of this resolution shall be sent to:
David L. Boren, President of the University of Oklahoma
Clarke Stroud, Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students
Susan Sasso, Assoc., Vice President for Student Affairs and Associate Dean of Students
Brynn Daves, Director of Student Affairs Operations and Student Programs
George Ahmadi, Assistant Director of Student Programs and SGA Advisor
Linda Patison, Student Affairs Director of Financial Services
Teresa Schuster, Student Affairs Administrative Assistant
Debbie Strong, SGA Administrative Assistant
Nicole Pharaoh, SGA Account and Budget Representative

Author(s):  Sean Bender, Student Congress Chair
Tonya Kiper, Student Congress Vice Chair
John Montgomery, Student Congress Secretary

Co-Author(s):  The Members of Student Congress Sessions 88 and 89

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Congress:  
Verified by Chair: ___________________  Date:________
EMERGENCY CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION NO. 900302

AS INTRODUCED

An emergency congressional resolution urging the return of Karsa George Ahmadi’s facial hair; and providing for distribution.

Whereas: Karsa George Ahmadi once boasted a very impressive style of facial hair; and

Whereas: Said facial hair inspired and awed all students and staff at the University of Oklahoma; and

Whereas: The power of said facial hair was unmatched by any others; and

Whereas: Said facial hair was recently and horrifically erased from this Earth; and

Whereas: This has raised a variety of issues not only in the SGA offices but for the entire campus in general with the present bizarre bareness of his upper lip and chin regions; and

Whereas: Productivity is at an all-time low on the first floor of the Conoco Philips Leadership Wing of the Union with this new abnormal beard-less environment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS THAT:
Section 1: The University of Oklahoma Undergraduate Student Congress strongly urges that the return of this once magnificent display of manhood and wisdom to once and for all return order to SGA and the entire campus.

Section 2: Copies of this resolution will be sent to:

David L. Boren, President of the University of Oklahoma
Clarke Stroud, Dean of Students of the University of Oklahoma
Karsa George Ahmadi
The family of Karsa George Ahmadi
Mary Fallin, Governor of the State of Oklahoma
T.W. Shannon, Speaker of the Oklahoma State House of Representatives
Any man considering the removal of his facial hair

Author(s): Ozair Naqvi, Life Sciences District

Co-Sponsor(s): Sean Bender, Chair of Student Congress
Tonya Kiper, Vice Chair of Student Congress
John Montgomery, Secretary of Student Congress

Submitted on a motion by:
Action taken by Congress:
Verified by Chair of Congress: __________________________ Date: ________