

19 February 2020

Student Senate

Eden Prairie minutes

- I. **Call to Order:**
- II. **Introductions:**
 - a. Executive Board members— Serhii, Nechytailo, Asani Ajogun, Yen Duong, Hakim Abduraman, Ericka Hulm
 - b. Student Senate Advisors— Jese Ledbetter, Sue Schmitz, Cheryl Benkofske
 - c. Senators— Gideon, Audio Production; Ariel David, IT & Veterans Center; Moinna Hassane, Nursing;
- III. **Special Guests:**
 - a. Craig Erickson—Vice President of Finance and Operation; presentation regarding the Budget Consultation;
 - b. Jason Kopp—Vice President of Technology, Institutional Effectiveness and Planning; presentation on Technology Fee increase
 - c. Jessica Lauritsen—Vice President of Students Affairs; presentation on Health Fee increase
 - d. Sue Schmitz—Director of Student Life & Career Development; presentation on allocating more money into Student Life for 2021; motion was made to reallocate .50 cents to the Student Life Fee to save approximately \$3,000 a year; motion was made and unanimously supported;
- IV. **Approval of the Agenda:**
 - a. Review of agenda:
 - i. Yen made a motion to approve the Agenda
 - ii. Hakim seconds it
- V. **Approval of the Minutes:**
 - a. Review of minutes; Hakim made a motion to approve, Asani seconds it. Minutes Approved
- VI. **Reports:**

Student Senate:

 - a. **Positions open at both campuses:** President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Public Relations
Attend an upcoming Student Senate Meeting and nominate yourself or have a friend nominate you for the position(s) of interest (you can run for two positions).

EPC meetings: February 19--Nominations; March 4--Close nominations; March 25--Candidate speeches

 - b. Clubs;
 - c. Committees; IT—Committee Raised awareness for on-line gaps; prioritize resources on campus; customize the content for on-line classes; replacement of textbooks to e-books and making sure that students can cover all of these changes through FAFSA or grants; working on automated communication to reach prospective and current students in a more efficient way; Free printing instead of the Go Print system by the end of April;
- VII. **Old Business:**
 - a. Hennepin Technical College Fiscal Year Budget 101 Proposed Increase
 - b. Student Life/Fitness Center Fee; (hand outs on the back)
- VIII. **New Business:**
- IX. **Good of the Order:**

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X. **Announcements:**

XI. **Adjournment: 12:47**

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Serhii Nechytailo
President

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Ajogun Asani
Vice President