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I. Roll Call
   a. Called to Order at 4:03 PM.
   b. Absent: Sen Bayo, Sen Davlin

II. Approval of the Minutes
   a. Minutes are Approved.

III. Guest Speakers
   a. Madeline Lewis: President of Colleges against Cancer. April 1st. Trying to expand horizons, typically have Greek Life. Want to reach out to more this year. Starts at 5 PM and goes until 5 AM. Different entertainment, different organizations on campus performing. Speeches given by student survivors and caregivers. Lumanara is one of the most important parts, and there’s a slide show if you want to send in picture or their names. People are welcome to the event. They are VIP of the event. I’m hoping that someone would like to take initiative. Also allowed to participate as individuals. Online fundraising, can post on social media. Many have raised hundreds of dollars. Will give email address
      i. Sen Hornik: How many people on teams?
         1. Lewis: No limit. There can be 5 or 100.
            a. Sen Nowak: How long are these meetings?
               i. Lewis: Can send team captain packet.
   - Sen Bayo is recognized.

IV. Reports
   a. Standing Committees
      i. Academic Affairs (Philbrick)
         1. Meeting yesterday, working on proposal for website. Last meeting with Sen Bayo – he’s going to do great in Justice.
      ii. Allocations (Henry)
          1. 78 requests. Handled 55, will be sent out before 4 PM tomorrow.
      iii. Facilities & Transportation (Pazik)
          1. Pazik I Mondays at 4:30, Sen Pazik met with Campus Transportation about shuttle ads. 8 Ride App scheduled to launch after Spring Break. Student organizations are able to talk about budgetary issues. SSO’s are only approved to advertise.
      iv. Justice (Sen Sheihaber)
          1. In communication about things Justice can do during semester. After Senate, will elect a Chair and set a meeting time.
      v. Residents, Commuters, & Dining (Flowers)
          1. Last Friday met with Aramark and Residence Life and Tina who coordinates off campus student life. Talking to new director about goal of her department and how our committee can
             2. Aramark reached out to bridge gap between students.
             3. Meetings Thursday’s at 8:45.
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a. Sen Philbrick: Can you mention student website?
   i. Sen Flowers: Aramark has your voice student feedback cards.

4. Sen Wenker: Where are the meetings?
   a. Chair Flowers: SGLC office.

vi. Safety & Wellness (Chair Gandhi)
1. Want all new members to meet after. Gearing up for referendum. Looking to get good feedback.
2. Sen Farquhar: Referendum for?
   a. Gandhi: To see if students would be against or for smoke free campus.

b. Special & Ad Hoc Committees
   i. The Spring Election Board (Chair LaGrone)
      1. Continuing to meet with Advisor Howes.
      2. Contacted someone to make a video, if any of you have any ideas about things for the video or know someone who could help — let me know, they will be compensated.
      3. Created a flyer that will be put on our SGLC social platforms, and I expect all of you to be sharing it to spread the word. This is important.
   ii. The Food Recovery Network Committee
      1. Nothing to report at this time.
   iii. The Demonstration Policy Review Committee
      1. Sen Dumbauld: Meeting Sunday sat in with Exec. We will discuss today. Revisions for clarity sake. Will all be talked about shortly.

c. Judicial Board (Justice Daudi)
   i. Looked over Dem Policy. Recommended some changes. This week are meeting to approve legislation.
   - Sen Davlin is recognized

d. Executive Board (President Chavez)
   i. Wasn’t here for internals. Can new Senators introduce themselves?
   ii. I sent you all out the info regarding the decision. Wednesday we were found responsible for disruptive and disorderly conduct. Flavio, Ryan, and I met to decide how we were going to move forward. It was tough. They gave us 5 sanctions, part of our procedures. There are timelines. Create a communications plan, did by doing press release. Must meet with OSCCR to discuss decision. Must review articles, more accountability. Service Project. The last we must create goals and priorities for rest of the term. Working defining those. We are still here, we are still standing. Going to move forward from there. It is behind us. For
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the new Senators, I’m not going into detail but if you want to know about it – reach out to me. Any questions please don’t hesitate to reach out to me.

iii. Jace has helped us create an SGLC calendar. Will be sent out to each Committee Chair.

e. Advisors (Advisor Moore)

i. Hello and welcome to the new folks. I’m assistant dean of students. I oversee off campus student life. I run CARE services. Feel free to chat. Want to say welcome. I like to give self-care tip, it is a reminder to take care of yourself. As you know, one of your fellow students was shot on Clark, accidental situation – she is doing well. But it is important the University respond when things like that happen. Meeting with the Alderman, CPD, Campus Safety – want to bring that to your attention. February 16th, 5-7 in Damen MPR North; “State of the Neighborhood” – talk about safety issues. How many of you are familiar are with CAPS – Community Alternative Policing Strategy. Person that runs CAPS for CPD. A lot of key players will be here. Open forum style. Will send the flyer to Carlyn.

ii. How many did you know MAPS funding wasn’t funding by government? Opportunity to galvanize. SB2043, to fund last year’s map grant. Those MAP grants were promised, and if they don’t fulfill them – there will be gap. This is a big deal. If it doesn’t affect you directly, it affects someone you know.

1. Sen McNelis: MAP?

   a. Sen Mannam: Monetary Award Program.
   b. Advisor Moore: Head to Springfield on February 16th. Encourage you to come. I will give Carlyn the link to talk about how this affects you, if you can’t come to Springfield. Let everyone know, this is a big deal. Start calling your senators and your government, have them work for you- that’s what the systems for.
   c. Self-Care Tip Attached in Email.

V. Approval of Executive Appointments

a. Speaker Kelley: President Chavez has made some appointments based on vacant spots.

   i. Pres Chavez: Moving full force forward, vacancies for VP and USenate. The first I will do is USenate, I had 4 people turn in applications and I selected Anuhsha and Natalie Pine. Natalie is unable to make it but she gave me a statement. I picked these two because I wanted a fresh perspective in student representatives, previously it was upperclassmen. Bringing in new eyes and a new voice will allow us to be vocal. I chose Anusha because she is the new eyes, she is a freshman – her perspective is precious. She goes to various events even though her committee is Allocations. Natalie holds a unique passion for our school, and she has been actively dedicated to our organization – currently a Justice because she is also in LCA. Thinks thoroughly. Will help revamp us.
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b. VP, 3 people applied but that was hard. After a lot of reflection, picturing where we want the organization. Adam Roberts is the best candidate, I decided to appoint him. He has been there with me throughout this whole process. His insight is very valuable, constantly challenging with a great perspective. Very difficult decision.

c. Natalie Pines Statement –
   i. Good Afternoon, Everyone! To begin, I want to express my excitement and congratulations to all of our new members; welcome to the SGLC family! My name is Natalie Pine, and I am honored to serve as a liaison between student government and USenate. It is my sincerest hope to work on building a positive and benevolent relationship between our two bodies. A year ago, I worked as a senator with the residents, commuters, and dining committee. Currently, I serve as an associate justice on the judiciary board! I apologize for not being present with everyone today; however, I look forward to meeting and speaking with all of you! I thrive on coffee and friendship, so please, feel free to reach out to me with comments, questions, ideas, and concerns at npine@luc.edu!

   ii. Anusha Mannam
      1. Welcome to the new members. I was voted internally. I’m on the Allocations Committee, I want to be in USenate to get my feet wet for things going on on-campus. I try to get involved with other things, I want to get more involved and voice everyone’s opinions.

   iii. Adam Roberts
      1. Really an honor to be up in front some of the most active members on campus. I was on engagement team, new to SGLC. Learned some valuable skills to challenge professionally and personally. I sought position of VP, relationship based leadership. 2 months isn’t too long but enough time to get back on track.
      a. Sen Farquhar: Worked closely on demonstration policy with people that have chosen to leave student government – will this affect this
      b. Adam Roberts: Whenever I sought this, I maintain personal relations with those individuals. How we can work on correcting those issues. There were flaws but how we can work together to make them strong points in the future.
      iv. Sen Bayo: Anusha, from a freshman what kind of perspective do you think you bring?
         1. Sen Mannam: I haven’t been here for super long, fresh new perspective. I came here while a lot of new things were going on, I can learn more about everyone’s views and susceptible to being open and hearing everyone out.

- Sen Sheihaber motion to close the meeting at 4:49 PM.
- Sen Nowak motions to re-open the meeting at 4:54 PM.

VI. Unfinished Business
   a. Smoke-Free Campus Initiative
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1. Sen Philbrick would like to create an Ad Hoc Committee, would like to get it going. Diverse groups to participate – would free up S&W to pursue other issues.

2. Sen Bayo: Would like to second that. From working in Sen Philbrick, dedicated and committed.

   A. Sen Gandhi: Goals for the Ad Hoc Committee?

      a. Sen Philbrick: That would be up to the chair and the committee that have not been created. Proposing legislation. Personally think we could work with CAC at Relay for Life to help promote it.

3. Sen Gandhi: This week we made a lot of progress, we figured out the policy this would fall under. Reached out to, this semester this would focused on the referendum and tabling and fall of next semester in Ad Hoc or in USenate. That Ad Hoc would be in charge of writing proposal that would then be sent.

4. Sen Dumbauld: Will new Senators be allowed to serve on this?

   a. Speaker Kelley: Yes.

5. Sen Farquhar: Would you prefer as Chair of Wellness and have other committees come and work with you, or better to be Ad Hoc dedicated to this?

   a. Gandhi: To keep it in S&W, it’s what we have been working on and will continue working on.

6. Sen Sheu: I would prefer an Ad Hoc, S&W are open but not be able to consider others schedules. Willing to work on people that want to be part of initiative to have multiple times that may be more helpful.

7. Sen Gutierrez: What is the benefit to creating postponing ad hoc?

   a. Sen Gandhi: We want to engage the student body first, it was my idea to do it but advised not to by advisors.

      i. Sen Gutierrez: Why can’t you do that through an Ad Hoc?

      ii. Speaker Kelley: Ad Hoc would be appropriate action to further this initiative instead of looking back in time. Must pass by a vote regardless.

   b. Sen Flowers: After listening to that, I do believe it would be appropriate to create at this point but have been working on it the past few months. Allow new members, students outside of org could also become involved. Not to say standing can be part of this, chair of S&W is on this committee to guide where the conversation goes and also to sponsor legislation since Ad Hoc cannot on their own.
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a. Advisor Howes: Committee within a committee.
b. Advisor Moore: Trying to figure out how committee outside could do legislation but Michael spoke to that.

iii. Sen Farquhar: I just want to bring attention to that Sen Gandhi has put in a lot of effort and work into this already, and I’m not trying to speak for you so correct me if I’m wrong -- but I think in creating this Ad Hoc committee may take this away from what she has planned. It sounds like she does want to expand it, and I understand each of us have been involved in an initiative don’t necessarily want to start over when they’ve already put in all the ground work. I think expanding S&W meetings would expand it in the same way having Ad Hoc would.

1. Sen Philbrick: I just want to remind everyone, that I was the first to bring this initiative up to Senate. I have created an informal committee to work on things to make actual progress, Fasullo had advised me to do. I would like to create an Ad Hoc Committee to make progress on this initiative.

   a. Sen Hornik: going off Farquhar I can see you are passionate, as member of Ad Hoc could continue being passionate.

   iv. Sen Sheihaber: Creating Ad Hoc would be best move. Environmental students that don’t feel comfortable coming to committee meetings would feel more comfortable participating on an Ad Hoc Committee.

   - Henry motion to create Ad Hoc on Anti-Smoking Initiative
   2. Speaker Kelley: Committee Member must be elected.

b. Sen Nowak: Could those interested in joining, raise their hands?

   - Sen Nowak: I nominate Sen Wenker.
   2. Sen Wenker accepts.
   - Sen Sheu nominates Sen Philbrick.
   3. Sen Philbrick accepts.
   - Sen Mifsud nominates Sen Gandhi.
   - Sen Philbrick nominates Sen Henry.
   5. Sen Henry accepts.
   - Sen Sheihaber nominates Sen Mannam.
   - Sen Philbrick nominates Sen Sheu
   7. Sen Sheu accepts.
   - Sen Sheu nominates Sen Hanani.
   8. Sen Hanani accepts.
   - Sen Hanani nominates Sen Hornik.
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- Sen Dumb nominates Sen Day.
  10. Sen Day accepts.
- Sen Henry nominates Sen Mifsud.
- Sen Philbrick nominates Gutierrez.
- Sen Far nominates Sen Mitchell.
- Sen Mitchell nominates Sen Farquhar

ii. Speaker Kelley: A lot of members, important to recognize that may be difficult to coordinate.
   a. Sen Farquhar: Are we allowed to have co-chairs?
   b. Speaker Kelley: No, must have one.

A. Speaker Kelley: Delegate responsibility to task force. Each task force has responsibility. Consider keeping that same mentality. Delegate responsibility to 5 or 6 task and then entire senate will be a part.

- Sen Philbrick: I move to make the committee only 7 people.
- Motion passes.

- Sen Sheu withdraws her nomination.
- Sen Hanani withdraws her nomination.
- Sen Mannam withdraws her nomination.
- Sen Mifsud withdraws his nomination.
- Sen Farquhar withdraws her nomination.
- Sen Gutierrez withdraws her nomination.

B. Speaker Kelley: 7 is still quite large. Floor is open to close the floor for nominations.
   a. Sen Wild: How many do you think is ideal?
      i. Speaker Kelley: 5.

- Sen Wild motions to cap it at 5.
  ii. Sen Flowers: I say this contradicts what we are saying about gaining diverse perspective. By only allowing 5 it is similar to just keeping it within S&W which goes against everything I said prior.

1. Speaker Kelley: Ad Hoc can be people not recognized because Ad Hoc can’t sponsor legislation.
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iii. Sen Mitchell: 5 SGLC members meaning they can’t do anything else because they aren’t on the committee?
   a. Speaker Kelley: limits individuals nominated. Does not preclude members down the road from assisting with this.

- Sen Mitchell retracts her nomination.
2. Sen Philbrick: could there be open committee meetings?
   iv. Speaker Kelley: Ad Hoc are open yes.
      i. Sen Hornik: Students not on student government?

2. Speaker Kelley: Members appointed by Senate, appointed members vote on things like by laws but others can be involved. Committees established formal accountability structure. Must report to Senate on a weekly basis. This committee will not have exclusive authority. Will be tasked with coming up with a proposal that broader body cannot do, too much to coordinate.
   v. Sen Sheihaber: Is there funding for Ad Hoc committees?
      i. Speaker Kelley: They may request it.

2. Speaker Kelley: I propose we table this assuming the way this is going
   a. Sen Bayo: I don’t know if tabling it would be the best move if it’s a matter of how many people can be on it. We’ve already made it this far.
      i. Sen Andersen: We just keep tabling it and it continues to come up I think we need to create this committee today and then let them start being productive

3. Sen Henry: Katie, Amie, and I have been talking about this for a while.
   - Sen Sheihaber motions to close the floor.

~~ Recess for 5 minutes

- Speaker Kelley: After some thought, with the proposal of this Ad Hoc Committee I am going to exercise discretion of the Speaker to deny creation of Committee. Standing have wide and broad jurisdiction, I think standing committee has expressed interest in this so they should have the opportunity to pursue this. My intention moving forward. Anyone has anything they’d like to discuss this, let me know.

- Sen Philbrick point of privilege.
   b. The Demonstration Policy Review Resolution
      a. Sen Mannam: Not included required amount of time prior to demonstration, still not in here?
         i. Sen Dumbauld: Met Sunday, and number of amendments.
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ii. Speaker Kelley: This is same legislation. Any changes will be voted for on this floor.
   i. Sen Dumbauld: motion to the amendment of the cover sheet.
      i. Sen Gutierrez: Staff faculty included?
         i. Sen Dumbauld: Yes.
         - Amendment passes.
   iii. Sen Dumbauld: On policy on freedom and expression, Flowers’ professor brought up contradictory statement and it was rewritten. Changing the way it was rewritten. Policy on Freedom of Expression.
      iv. Sen Flowers: Comments are the proposed amendments.
         - Amendment on Policy on Freedom of Expression passes.

2. Sen Dumbauld: Drop subsection 1 that says “physically.”
   - Amendment to take out the word physically passes.

3. Sen Dumbauld: Notification of Demonstration altered, including 24 hours prior to event. Organizer may make minor changes to time, place, and manner of the event.
   a. Sen Gandhi: Clarify that, manner seems like someone could change it to something else. I am confused about that.
      i. Sen Dumbauld: A lot of discussion, notification statement was a lot of talking about. 24 hours prior is notification system. Organizer needs to notify department, big reason for 24 hours. Concern is safety. Allow for Campus Safety to be notified so they don’t have to move officers. In regards to manner, that language is in there. If they were to cross Sheridan, that is what they meant by manner.
         i. Sen Gandhi: The second sentence is what’s getting me. That’s up the discretion of the organizer, which is subjective. Not a fan of the language used here.
         ii. Sen Dumbauld: Language is intentional, organizers may make minor changes. Talking to people on campus. Little details can change but guidelines set out. Not our responsibility, this is a recommendation.
      ii. Sen Gandhi motion to amend the amendment. Strike second sentence.

1. Sen Bayo: What do you think striking this does?
   a. Sen Gandhi I think it leaves up to organizer to change event and claim it is minor when it may not be.
      i. Sen Farquhar: One thing we wanted to make sure that correct people were notified when things changed. If you wanted to do it on West Quad or East Quad. But say you decided to use different type of minor change. The Organizer is held responsible for major. If University decides major change, they can still be held accountable.
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4. Sen Gandhi: I think using this language would allow them to pick their phone and make major changes seem minor.
   a. Sen Dumbauld: this was discussed at length on Sunday. Spirit right of this is rights and responsibility. That last sentence includes that. Demonstrators given slight responsibility to the organizers.
   - Sen Gandhi retracts amendment.
   - Sen Gandhi motions to make time limit on specific changes that are minor.
     c. AG Brueck: I spoke from a similar concern. What Brock has put, really does clarify a lot of the concerns. If the University feels, students took advantage of policy – the time limit could get tricky can’t account for with where you place that time limit.
        i. Sen Gandhi: I feel like it puts asterisk like “hey by the way” but doesn’t clarify.
           i. Sen Dumbauld: This is not written directly in policy, this is recommendations. Asked to be consulted. Language in here 100% explicit. Saying it is vague isn’t viable reason to change.
     d. Sen Gutierrez: Suggestions for major vs minor changes that could help clarify?
        i. Sen Dumbauld: We don’t know interworking and all the things that take place with the University. Left intentionally but I see what you mean by laying it out that way.
     e. Sen Hornik: You said last minute change of location, they can say it is a minor but that doesn’t make it minor.
        i. Sen Sheihaber: As an organizer, you have control of how it is set up but not how it follows through.
     f. Sen Bayo: Multiple hours of conversation, every word was nitpick. I think the way it sits is best.
   - Amendment passes.
   - Sen Dumbauld motions to strike sentence with new sentence that includes new change.
     g. Sen Dumbauld: Keeping language consistent. Want it to be consistent to allow all members of Loyola demonstrate.
   - Amendment passes.
   - Speaker Kelley: Reminder that this is a different form in front of you.

C. Sen Gandhi: How do you account for the faculty aspect since this goes in student handbook which only applies to students?
   i. Sen Dumbauld: Universal policy. Potential avenue, frequently voiced student concern to allow this to faculty and staff that want to demonstrate as well. All members adequately represented.
D. Sen Hanani: So let’s say demonstration as being held on weekend. Notification would have to take place Friday after 5 PM which is after office hours?
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a. Dumbauld: At this point, we don’t know what goes on behind the scenes. Campus safety operates 24/7, demonstration concern of safety. Protection from hate speech and safety. In terms of physical safety of students, Campus Safety will be notified. Hate speech would require more look into.

b. Sen Bayo: Organizer, responsible for all that happens. Event on Saturday, it’s upon them to know that. Goes with what we wrote. If they want to do this, then they know the 24 hour. It’s up to them.

c. Sen Gandhi, can we make this the best to propose – to say 24 hours prior to event except weekends or whatever we need to say here?
   i. Advisor Moore: What if you put business – 1 business day?
      i. Dumbauld: That’s something that has been talked about a lot. Idea of a business day, want to do something Saturday. Want to demonstrate for something, this is a big point of contention. We really asked for 24 hours, not a business day. A lot more conversation to work that out.

- Henry defer to Kimberly
   i. Advisor Moore: One business day in advance in exception of immediate response for current events.

- Sen Gandhi motions to amend this.

2. Sen Farquhar: Some pushed for 6, we started at 10 days went to 3 days, people tried to get to 12 hours. Advocating for those that will be affected, the 24 hours isn’t completely unreasonable. Who’s to decide what a current event is? How will they go about what exactly is a current event? I guess I should ask Kimberly this.
   i. Advisor Moore: What is reasonable? Why even be notified at all. Must recommend something that is reasonable. Something that happens on campus or the world, administrators will say this is reasonable. We want to get a yes, but we must have this regulation in place as well. Notification is about making sure campus safety ready or people are marching. Must make it reasonable request to get everyone mobilized.

3. Sen Dumbauld: Solves a lot of issues, from administrative side. Everything happening with Mizzou was current event and that Demonstration took place when it needed during that time.

- Amendment passes for language on timing.

4. Sen Hanani: Students concerned, some people feel Damen is a place for students to relax etc. Some could similarly argue protests shouldn’t happen at Damen since it is a commuter space much like it wouldn’t in residence halls?
   i. Sen Dumbauld: Would love to explain process. The clause talking about outdoors spaces for protest states Damen would be the only indoor space.
   ii. Hanani: Can create uncomfortable space. How to address students feel uncomfortable in a space where they shouldn’t. Some may try to eat or do homework, etc.
   v. Sen Dumbauld: Major concern was to do sit ins.
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5. Speaker Kelley: I advise someone should move to make this a discussion.
   - Henry motions to open discussion.
     i. VP Roberts: Speaking to your concerns. Sit-ins are an essential part of demonstration. Moving away from negative language, can be used to bring about. Student Center, not allowing students to organize that is particularly there’s for these use. Those are my thoughts. Demonstration can make people uncomfortable. University is a spot for free exchange.
     b. Sen Hanani: I did not understand difference but I do now, thank you Adam.
     i. Sen Farquhar: Other places on campus if they are in need of quiet places – like the Information Commons, they are also allowed to eat here.

6. Sen Hornik: Damen is a place where students go to socialize and do homework. Atmosphere social and calm. Freedom to demonstrate on different areas where students really utilize every day. Getting work done is important, this could be problematic.
   - Sen Dumbauld defer to Moore
     i. Advisor Moore: Just want to add that there is a University disruption policy. Not everything has to be covered in this one.
     ii. Sen Bayo: I want to note that yes Damen is a place where students study and eat but just the other day there were lots of sorority girls running around and screaming for recruitment so I think this space should also be used for this as well.

7. Sen Dumbauld: Another thing is that demonstrations aren’t going to be happen every day. Putting Damen was intentional, like VP Roberts said about the sit-ins.
   i. Sundal: Winter does happen too so it can be really cold outside, so it’s an indoor space that people may want to utilize.
   ii. Sen Dumbauld: Only indoor space. Academic buildings were left out.

8. Sen Hanani: Stipulation that it should be outdoors, how many feet away from a building?
   a. Sen Dumbauld: Similar to no smoking, how do we enforce. Something about purpose to maintaining stability. Interest in maintaining safety and stability. That could be problematic trying to enforce feet from building. If there are 100 people outside chanting or marching, you may hear them regardless of how many feet away from a building they may be.

9. Sen Farquhar: Suggestion, anything we leave out the administration can still add them in. It has to go through our own process, through USenate before it even gets to Kimberly. Suggested administration of demonstrators. Freeing as possible without being unreasonable.
   i. Sen Henry: I feel like we have talked about it enough. Room for improvement, I would like to motion to end discussion.
10. Sen Dumbauld: Major student concern was allowing this to be applied to everyone at Loyola. Conversation that Kimberly has been present for. I am a lost, what do people think?
   a. Sen Gandhi: Language being used, revise standards while create universal policy. Double dipping. Create vs revise. Faculty or Loyola community insinuating create a policy.
      i. Advisor Moore: I’m at a lost for what the debate is.
         1. Sen Gandhi: He’s encompassing faculty.
            a. Advisor Moore: What I said last week comprehensive, individuals reviewing this will ignore that because their jurisdiction does not apply. If that is something you feel strongly about but reality this process is about students.
      c. Sen Dumbauld: Makes sense, mentioned this last week. Language left in there. Want this to be universally applied to Loyola community.
         i. Advisor Moore: If its intentional and you understand the limitations of this process then no worries
            a. Sen Dumbauld: Say this goes past this, would this go to more than student development that could go to bodies that enact this?
               i. Advisor Moore: Community standards is under jurisdiction. USenate is shared governance, faculty staff and students. USenate has to look at this in other way. Changed the game and initiative. If you keep it and engage the process. Could look at legislation that encompass faculty. Could change everywhere it says it to students and add clause we recommend to USenate to engage policy process to create university policy or leave it and allow for discussion more organically. Up to you. With certainty, as written community standards is under moratorium.
      d. Sen Dumbauld: Good points, do want to keep it as a symbol. As it stands to change as it currently is, this is what we wanted. Close to 40 hours. We have exhausted this conversation. Move to voting.
         ii. Sen Bayo: All of these are simply recommendations. We are putting forth what we want and they will compromise. If this was in fact the exact policy, we would look at it a little different but these are recommendations.
         iii. Sen Gandhi: By doing this clear this will most definitely not affect faculty and staff, is everyone clear on that?
            1. Sen Dumbauld: Yes we’ve known that.
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2. Sen Burghard: Could function symbolically and could affect them in the long run?
   a. Sen Dumbauld: Yes, that is a true statement.

   - Sen Bayo motion to original question.
   - Motion passes.

   - Roll call vote.
   - It is approved.

11. New Business & Discussion
   a. Approval of New Member Committee Assignments
      i. Kelley: Used preferences combined with Committee chairs to make assignments.
      ii. Approval passes.
   b. Oath of Office
      i. New Senators are sworn in and say the Oath by AG Brueck.
   c. TGIF & Zero Waste Game (Sundal)
      i. I sit on the Exec board. I talked about this during previous meetings. TGIF is a 3-year pilot program. $50,000 from different departments. Disappointed to see the funding withdrew. TGIF has done a lot of great sustainability projects. My thought process the withdrawal of money meant it was a money issue, TGIF has been a victim of its own success. It’s hard sitting on chair of this. Time, energy, administrative talking. Students often get overlooked. Not a money issue. Needs to be streamlined. Currently working on this. IES is taking a large part of this. Let it be as it is going. Questioning can lead to mixed going on’s. Please don’t put it on your agenda. This is making administration upset, they are trying to streamline and it is taking away from the process. Would like to create a referendum, original proposal to take $1 from student activity funds – but $1 from Student Development Fee would suffice.
      1. Sen Bayo: Letting it go?
         a. Sundal: Students not affiliated with it have been asking about TGIF and suggesting ways for it to get funding. Being combative about it.
      ii. Sundal: Zero Waste game, met with athletics and IES. Do this every year. TGIF sponsored thing, athletics taking it over. Game against Wichita. Recycling and Composting. Need volunteers.
         1. Sen Nowak: What day?
“Let go of things you cannot change, focus on things you can” – Lynn Carthane

**Student Government of Loyola Chicago**
**February 2nd, 2016, 4:00 PM**
**4th floor of the IC, Lake Shore Campus**

**Senate Minutes**

a. February 24th.
   Volunteers there by 6:30PM.

2. President Chavez: Great way to engage with athletics. I will be there. Reflection of our organization.
   a. Sen Pazik: Interns will be there helping you compost and recycle.
   - Volunteers will receive emails regarding this.

   d. Activation of the Budget Review Committee
   e. Activation of the Constitutional Review Committee
      i. Both moved to next week.

12. Announcements & Upcoming Events
   a. SGLC Inservice Day - Sunday, February 7th - IC 4th Floor
      i. Pres Chavez: I wanted to also mention I have discharged Lily Osbourne and Rachel Kelso stepped down.
   b. Sen Dumbauld: Thank you to everyone involved in the process as well as the Committee for the Demonstration Revision discussions. Truly appreciate it.
      i. Sen Sheihaber: Justice Committee is meeting after this.

   - Sen Henry motions to adjourn meeting.
   - Meeting adjourned at 7:05 PM