

Meeting type	Regular Virtual Meeting		
Date of Meeting	04/09/2020	Call to Order	Jorgo Gushi at 2:04 pm
Minutes prepared by	Jorgo Gushi	Location	Zoom: Video Conferencing
1. Attendance/Roll Call:			
PRESENT	NAME	POSITION	
✓	Jorgo Gushi	President	
✓	Devon Arthur	Vice President	
✓	Christina Sanders	Secretary	
✓	Zachary Carlson	Parliamentarian	
A	Aiden Helie	Senator	
✓	Anita Griffin	Senator	
✓	Armela Xhindole	Senator	
A	Brendan Pinard	Senator	
✓	Ethan Knight	Senator	
✓	George Murray	Senator	
A	Kristen Peters	Senator	
A	Stephanie McGinnis	Senator	
✓	Theresa Vecchio	Advisor (Dean of Students)	
✓	Cheryl Pike	Student Life Office	
2. Approval of Minutes Date: 03/12/2020			
Motion: George Murray	Second: Anita Griffin	Approved: Unanimously	
3. Approval of Agenda			
Motion: Anita Griffin	Second: Ethan Knight	Approved: Unanimously	
4. Agenda and Notes, Decisions, Issues			
Topic	Discussion		
1. President Report Person to speak: Jorgo	<p>President Gushi updated the members present on:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Virtual Meeting with President Pedraja President Gushi had a phone call meeting with Dr. Pedraja, in the call the following were discussed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commencement Ceremony: What alternatives are on the table: postponement, cancellation, holding it as normally? What is happening with the Pass/Fail grading system (colleges around the state have already adopted it) Students are asking if refunds are going to be given to students for resources not used (parking fee, facilities fee) How are students getting credit for lab-based courses, since labs are not conducted? 		
2. Advisor's Report Person to speak: Cheryl	The Commencement Committee met today and they were exploring alternatives to host the Commencement Ceremony 2020 in a digital way.		

<p>3. SGA Constitution Amendment Person to speak: Jorgo</p>	<p><u>Amendment to Section II of Article XI of the SGA Constitution</u> Motion made by Armela Xhindole: I move to amend Section II of Article XI by inserting the following words: “In the case of a State of Emergency, declared by the State of Massachusetts and/or Federal Government, the Student Government Association reserves the right to make Emergency Amendments to this Constitution in order to ensure continuity of business. A three-fourths (3/4) of the membership present in the meeting shall be necessary for adoption” Motion seconded by Zachary Carlson, Approved unanimously</p> <p><u>Amendment to Article VIII of the SGA Constitution</u> Motion made by Zachary Carlson: I move to amend Article VIII of the SGA Constitution by inserting the following words: “The Director of Student Life and Leadership and/or his/her designee and/or a three-fourths (3/4) of SGA membership present in the meeting can change the election date. In case of a postponement of the elections for the position of SGA President, the President and the cabinet that holds the office at that time, may resume their duties until the elections happen, with approval by three-fourths (3/4) of SGA membership present in the meeting.” Motion seconded and approved unanimously</p>	
<p>4. SGA President Elections</p>	<p>A motion was made to postpone the SGA President elections until the first official meeting of the Student Government Association in Fall Semester 2020. The motion was seconded and approved unanimously.</p> <p>A motion was made for the President, the Executive Committee and the membership of SGA to continue their duties until elections for the new President and Executive Board. The motion was seconded and approved unanimously.</p>	
<p>5. Meeting Adjourn</p>		
<p>Motion: Zachary Carlson</p>	<p>Second: Devon Arthur</p>	<p>Meeting adjourned at 3:00 pm</p>
<p>6. Upcoming:</p>		
<p>1. Next SGA meeting on April 16, 2020</p>		

Respectfully submitted,

Jorgo Gushi

