Session XCVI

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  o Vice Chair-
  o Secretary-
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Chair: Kaylee Rains
Vice-Chair: Austin Reid
Secretary: Jake Mazeitis
AS INTRODUCED
A congressional act establishing the Campus Climate Board of Advisors, providing for a short title, providing for codification, and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT ASSOCIATION:

Section 1: This act shall be known and may be cited as the “An Act Establishing the Campus Climate Board of Advisors”.

Section 2: The purpose of this act shall be to establish a Campus Climate Board.

Section 3: All sections to be added shall be marked with an underline and all sections to be deleted shall be marked with a strikethrough.

Section 4: Title XI of the Student Government Association Code Annotated shall be amended as follows:

Chapter 6- Campus Climate Board of Advisors

25. Name
A Campus Climate Board of Advisors shall be created.

26. Purpose
The purpose of the Campus Climate Board of Advisors is to:
   a. Bring representatives from various organizations on campus and representatives from SGA and CAC to work together and collaborate on issues of diversity and inclusion that affect the University of Oklahoma campus.
   b. Bring together and collaborate different student organizations across campus with the SGA Department of Inclusivity, SGA Undergraduate Student Congress Human Diversity Committee, and CAC Campus Ambassadors. (?)

27. Chair
The Chair of the Campus Climate Board of Advisor will be elected internally.
28. Membership
a. The advisory board shall be comprised of one internally designated representative from the following organizations:
   a. Black Student Association
   b. American Indian Student Association
   c. Hispanic American Student Association
   d. Muslim Student Association
   e. Asian American Student Association
   f. International Advisory Committee (Due to the scope of the International Advisory Committee they will be allotted two seats on the committee)
   g. Queer Student Association
   h. Student Veteran Association
   i. Panhellenic
   j. Interfraternity Council
   k. Multicultural Greek Council
   l. Disability Inclusion and Awareness
   m. OU Hillel
   n. Bahai Association
   o. CAC Community Outreach Coordinator
   p. Member from the SGA Congress Human Diversity Committee
   q. Member(s) from SGA Department of Inclusivity

b. The membership of the Campus Climate Board of Advisors can be amended or changed as deemed necessary by the SGA President with the advice and consent of the legislature.

29. Internal Rules
The Board shall establish its own rules of procedure and administration, a majority of its voting members constituting a quorum.

30. Terms
Each representative will be appointed in conjunction with the SGA President and Vice President elections internally by their designated student organization.

31. Meeting
a. The Campus Climate Board of Advisors will meet at least once a month throughout the academic calendar.
   b. The board may be called to meet in addition to their monthly meeting if deemed necessary at the discretion of the Chair of the Campus Climate Board of Advisors.

32. Responsibilities
a. The responsibilities of the Campus Climate Board of Advisors is to bring specific issues pertaining to each student group to the attention of SGA and CAC.
   b. Advise SGA and CAC on legislation, programming events, and all other initiatives pertaining to diversity and inclusion on campus in order to allow for the voices of different students across campus to be represented in SGA and CAC.
   c. Release monthly press releases regarding any issues or incidents concerning the campus climate.
**Section 4:** This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution and SGA Code Annotated.

**Author(s):** Rehan Zafar, Assistant Director of the Department of Inclusivity  
Kennedie Akinwande, CAC Community Involvement Coordinator  
Kaylee Rains, Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress

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Submitted on a Motion by:  
Action taken by Senate:  
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Approved by SGA President: ________________ Date: ______
A Resolution engaging the Student Government Association, Administration and faculty at the University of Oklahoma to support protest efforts in North Dakota regarding expansion of the oil industry into sovereign Native American land by means of donation and/or actively getting involved with dialogue about this issue on campus.

Whereas: A $3.8 billion-dollar project to implement a pipeline system for undiscovered crude oil will be completed in late 2016; and

Whereas: It is recognized that the Dakota Access Pipeline project spans between four states in the contiguous United States, including sovereign land of the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe; and

Whereas: The areas that the oil industry has expanded into not only affects sacred and sovereign Native American land, but also local farmers who deal with the aftermath of the restructuring of their fields; and

Whereas: The state of Oklahoma has had its own both modern and historical controversies with the extension of the oil industry, and a long-lasting historical and cultural connection to the state’s Native American ancestry; and

Whereas: Students of The University of Oklahoma have protested in North Dakota against said pipeline in efforts to show solidarity with their heritage and land promised to the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe in 1868 in accordance to the Article 2 of the Treaty of Fort Laramie; and

Whereas: The Student Government Association stands with students on campus who fight for their heritage and uphold the promises they’re ancestors received decades ago especially as residents of Oklahoma.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
THAT:

Section 1: This resolution shall be known and will be cited as “A Resolution Addressing the Dakota Access Pipeline.”

Section 2: The Student Government Association supports and encourages students to be actively involved and knowledgeable about this issue given we are residents of Oklahoma and affected by its history and culture.

Section 3: The Student Government Association will fundraise and encourage students to engage in open dialogue on Native Sovereignty and Native Rights to create a more open and inclusive University atmosphere at the University of Oklahoma.

Section 3: Copies of this resolution will be sent to:
- Standing Rock Sioux Tribe
- David L. Boren, President of The University of Oklahoma
- Jabar Shumate, Vice President of the University Community
- The OU Daily
- OU Nightly
- Norman Transcript

Authors: Carlos Rubio Regalado, University College Representative
Carrie Pavlowsky, Chair of the Graduate Student Senate
Hunter Erwin, Academic Affairs Chair
Daniel Pham, Physical Sciences Representative

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CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970602

AS INTRODUCED

An Act of Procedure reauthorizing the appointment of a committee officer for Session 97; providing short title; and providing for an effective date.

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

Section 1: This Act shall be known and may be cited as “An Act of Procedure Reauthorizing the Congressional Administration Chair for Session 97.”

Section 2: PURPOSE. The Purpose of this Act is inherent in the Title.

Section 3: APPOINTMENT. The Following Persons shall be re-appointed to Committees and other positions as follows:

Congressional Administration
Danielle Lewis – Chair

Section 4: This Act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Kaylee Rains, Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress

Co-Author(s): Austin Reid, Vice Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress
Jake Mazeitis, Secretary of the Undergraduate Student Congress

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CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970603

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

Section 1: This Act shall be known and may be cited as “An Act of Procedure Reauthorizing the Communications Chair for Session 97.”

Section 2: PURPOSE. The Purpose of this Act is inherent in the Title.

Section 3: APPOINTMENT. The Following Persons shall be re-appointed to Committees and other positions as follows:

Communications
Shelby Elliott – Chair

Section 4: This Act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Kaylee Rains, Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress

Co-Author(s): Austin Reid, Vice Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress
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CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970604

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

Section 1: This Act shall be known and may be cited as “An Act of Procedure Reauthorizing the External Affairs Chair for Session 97.”

Section 2: PURPOSE. The Purpose of this Act is inherent in the Title.

Section 3: APPOINTMENT. The Following Persons shall be re-appointed to Committees and other positions as follows:

External Affairs
Chase Kovach– Chair

Section 4: This Act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Kaylee Rains, Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress

Co-Author(s): Austin Reid, Vice Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress
Jake Mazeitis, Secretary of the Undergraduate Student Congress

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CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970606

AS INTRODUCED

An Act of Procedure reauthorizing the appointment of a
committee officer for Session 97; providing short title; and
providing for an effective date.

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

Section 1: This Act shall be known and may be cited as “An Act of Procedure Reauthorizing the
Problems and Projects Chair for Session 97.”

Section 2: PURPOSE. The Purpose of this Act is inherent in the Title.

Section 3: APPOINTMENT. The Following Persons shall be re-appointed to Committees and other
positions as follows:

Problems and Projects
Taylor Kelling– Chair

Section 4: This Act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Kaylee Rains, Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress

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CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970607

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An Act of Procedure reauthorizing the appointment of a committee officer for Session 97; providing short title; and providing for an effective date.

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

Section 1: This Act shall be known and may be cited as “An Act of Procedure Reauthorizing the Sustainability Chair for Session 97.”

Section 2: PURPOSE. The Purpose of this Act is inherent in the Title.

Section 3: APPOINTMENT. The Following Persons shall be re-appointed to Committees and other positions as follows:

Sustainability
Madison James – Chair

Section 4: This Act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Kaylee Rains, Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress

Co-Author(s): Austin Reid, Vice Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress
Jake Mazeitis, Secretary of the Undergraduate Student Congress

Submitted on a motion by:
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CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970608

AS INTRODUCED

An Act of Procedure reauthorizing the appointment of a committee officer for Session 97; providing short title; and providing for an effective date.

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

Section 1: This Act shall be known and may be cited as “An Act of Procedure Reauthorizing the Ways and Means Chair for Session 97.”

Section 2: PURPOSE. The Purpose of this Act is inherent in the Title.

Section 3: APPOINTMENT. The Following Persons shall be re-appointed to Committees and other positions as follows:

Ways and Means
Ryan Echols- Chair

Section 4: This Act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Kaylee Rains, Chair of the Undergraduate Student Congress

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CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970609

AS INTRODUCED
An Act of Procedure amending committee membership for Student Congress Session 97; providing short title; and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1: This Act shall be known and may be cited as “An Act Appointing Committee Membership for Session 97.”

Section 2: APPOINTMENT. The Following Persons shall be appointed to committees:

**Academic Affairs**
- Salam Alrawi
- Kimberly Bishop
- Nicholas Curley
- Anna Gray Buckley

**Congressional Administration**
- Danielle Lewis – Chair
- Jake Mazeitis – ex officio
- Ryan Nigh
- Sam Noble
- Haley Carson
- Khanh Do

**Human Diversity**
- Ali Klina
- Naomee Ryana
- Carlos Rubio
- Magda Rucka
- Jonathan Simmons

**External Affairs**
- Chase Kovach – Chair
- John Grunewald
- Jillian Buxton
- Dan Williams
- Alexander Mc Clintick
- Joseph Hedgedorth

**Problems and Projects**
- Taylor Kelling – Chair
- Bryan Bray
- Brian Owings
- Sanah Lalani
- Mackenzie Cordova
- Jordan D'Sylvia

**Communications**
- Shelby Elliott – Chair

**Ways and Means**
- Ryan Echols – Chair
- Daniel Pham
- Bum Ki Chun
- Syleste Davis
- Sam Quick

**Sustainability**
- Madison James – Chair
- Maddy Thompson
- Reece Cox
- Timothy Kuketz

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Section 3: This Act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

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