

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION



UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
Session XCVII

General Body Meeting
7:00 pm, Tuesday, November 29th, 2016
Devon Hall 120

Session XCVII

Roll Call -

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Vice Chair's Report-

Secretary's Report-

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President-elect Baker

Committee of the Whole

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970602 An Act Reauthorizing the Congressional Administration Chair (Rains) (Exec- Rec of Do Pass)

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New Business

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Final Roll Call

Chair: Kaylee Rains
Vice-Chair: Austin Reid
Secretary: Jake Mazeitis

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UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS

CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCVI

November 15th, 2016

CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION NO. 970401

AS INTRODUCED

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 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 at the University of Oklahoma are greatly affected by the history and culture surrounding Native American Sovereignty in the state; 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: North Dakota opted to not allow passage of the Dakota Access Pipeline through the state capital, Bismarck, but rather through the Reservation of the Standing Rock Sioux; 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 4: Copies of this resolution will be sent to:

- American Indian Student Association
- Breanna Faris, Assistant Director of American Indian Student Life
- 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

Submitted on a motion by:

Action taken by Congress:

Verified by Chair of Congress: _____ Date: _____

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UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCVII

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
SENATE SESSION GF-16

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970501

SENATE BILL NO. GF16-XX

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to appropriations; providing for short title; stating purpose; appropriating Auxiliary Funding for the 2016-2017 process; stating appropriation guidelines; establishing expiration deadline; directing transfer of unused funds by deadline; and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1: This act shall be known and may be cited as the “Auxiliary Allocation Act #7” Act of 2016.

Section 2: PURPOSE. The purpose of this act is to appropriate the funds of the University of Oklahoma Student Government Association to the organizations mentioned within.

Section 3: APPROPRIATION. The following amounts are hereby allocated to:

Boomer Rocket Team

Office and General Expenses:	\$0
Capital Investments:	\$0
<u>Programs/Events/Activities:</u>	<u>\$500</u>
Total:	\$500

Peruvian Student Association

Office and General Expenses:	\$0
Capital Investments:	\$0
<u>Programs/Events/Activities:</u>	<u>\$660</u>
Total:	\$660

Queer Student Association

Office and General Expenses:	\$0
Capital Investments:	\$0
<u>Programs/Events/Activities:</u>	<u>\$180.46</u>
Total:	\$180.46

Vietnamese Student Association

Office and General Expenses: \$0
Capital Investments: \$0
Programs/Events/Activities: \$500
Total: \$500

Catalyst for a Better Future

Office and General Expenses: \$150
Capital Investments: \$63
Programs/Events/Activities: \$
Total: \$203

OU Women's Frisbee Team

Office and General Expenses: \$0
Capital Investments: \$0
Programs/Events/Activities: \$850
Total: \$850

Total Legislative Allocation: \$2893.46

Section 4: All guidelines and provisions in Title 12 of the Code Annotated shall apply to all funds appropriated in this act.

Section 5: This fiscal year for the account listed in these sections shall end May 5, 2017

Section 6: All unspent money remaining in the accounts listed in Section 3 shall revert to the SGA General Account after May 5, 2017, and the remaining appropriations shall be canceled.

Section 7: This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Ryan Echols, Chair, SGA Budget Committee

Co-Author (s): SGA Budgetary Committee

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Student Congress:

Verified by Chair of Student Congress: _____ Date: _____

Submitted on a motion by:

Action taken by Senate:

Verified by Chair of Senate: _____ Date: _____

Approved by SGA President: _____ Date: _____

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UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS

CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCVII

November 29th, 2016

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

Submitted on a motion by:

Action taken by Congress:

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____

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November 29th, 2016

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970603

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 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
Jake Mazeitis, Secretary of the Undergraduate Student Congress

Submitted on a motion by:

Action taken by Congress:

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____

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November 29th, 2016

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970604

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 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

Submitted on a motion by:

Action taken by Congress:

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____

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November 29th, 2016

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

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:

Action taken by Congress:

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____

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November 29th, 2016

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 970607

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 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:

Action taken by Congress:

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____

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CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCVII

November 29th, 2016

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

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:

Action taken by Congress:

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____

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CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCVII
November 29th, 2016

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

-Chair

Salam Alrawi

Kimberly Bishop

Nicholas Curley

Anna Gray Buckley

Madeline Hoefke

Congressional

Administration

Danielle Lewis– Chair

Jake Mazeitis – *ex officio*

Ryan Nigh

Sam Noble

Haley Carson

Khanh Do

External Affairs

Chase Kovach– Chair

John Grunewald

Jillian Buxton

Dan Williams

Alexander McClintick

Joseph Hedgcorth

Human Diversity

- Chair

Ali Klima

Naomee Ryana

Carlos Rubio

Magda Rucka

Jonathan Simmons

Victoria Burgman

Problems and Projects

Taylor Kelling- Chair

Bryan Bray

Brian Owings

Sanah Lalani

Mackenzie Cordova

Jordan D’Slyvia

Colin Baker

Communications

Shelby Elliott- Chair

Sustainability

Madison James- Chair

Maddy Thompson

Reece Cox

Timothy Kuketz

John Yawn

Ways and Means

Ryan Echols – Chair

Daniel Pham

Syleste Davis

Sam Quick

Hennessey Chism

Section 3: 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 Undergraduate Student Congress

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Congress:

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____