

**THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION**

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
Session XCII**

**General Body Meeting
7:00 pm, Tuesday, September 30, 2014
Devon Hall 120**

Session XCII

Roll Call -

Flag Salute

Approval of Minutes

Bourland sec Nguyen

Chair's Report- The SGA conference applications went out yesterday, I think we will probably keep them open for about 2-3 weeks. I would encourage anyone to apply if you want to continue to be involved in congress. The conferences are really fun. It is a great way to talk to other schools. We will be taking three people if you need more information come talk to me after the meeting.

Vice Chair's Report-

You guys got the email about the legislative drive; I will be monitoring it so let's maintain decorum. I will be keeping it updated. Movie night will be the week after OU Texas on a Tuesday so get excited! Also, Chimmy's after congress!

Secretary's Report- Thank you to those who have emailed me their list of 5 RSOs. There are still quite a few of you who have not emailed me then, I will still be taking them this week so if you could email me them that would be great!

Committee Reports-

- **AA**
We had a really productive meeting this past Sunday. Emily and I were talking about how with all of the legislation being written we are probably one of the most productive body in recent years.
- **CA**
We saw two pieces of legislation and we gave each of them a recommendation of Do Pass. We started a new ongoing project looking at the academic districts you all are divided into and updating them.
- **EA**
We had a really good meeting on Sunday last week Gillespie and I went to the city council meeting. We are looking at some legislation, one is to the city of Norman asking them to repeal there three unrelated persons ordinance which states that three people who are not related cannot live in the same house
- **P&P**
We have a lot of things going through committee we saw one piece of legislation that you will see tonight about sealing off the seal. For those of you looking at the legislative forum and see an idea you want to write about, talk to any of us and we can direct you in the direction of who to talk to. There will probably be a workshop in my committee about how to write a piece of legislation
- **PR**
Still working on a logo, once I meet the graphic designer we will start working on that. My committee we will meet after this meeting.
- **WAM**
We have emergency allocation number three to look over. We have also been conducting interviews for subsidiary and emergency this week.

Liaison Reports

Pae: LGSTF, created the think 15 campaign. We discuss how to make the academic experience better, if you have any ideas about that please let me know and I will pass it forward.

Gillespie: Side walk chalk artist is Oct 4th also discussed funding and zoning, there will be an update on the Saxon park food drive as well.

Special Orders

SGA President, Matt Epting:

One Campus One Book, this is week one. There is still time to get the book. Online we posted a video with Dean Ray. The intro is what we are reading this week. Thursday night is the gubernatorial watch party. Filing for SGA elections is next week. Our RSO consulting launched last week, if you know an RSO that has questions about how to work more effectively you can come to us. If you have suggestions on how to improve safe ride let us know. Netflix Fridays, we are open to suggestions for Friday.

Elwick: Is Netflix Friday all day?

Epting: It's going to be from 10-3 I think. We have a new graphic designer, he has two office hours every single day. So feel free to stop by and say hi.

Byron: He's actually going to be here at 8 tonight so hangout and say hi

Naqvi motion to move into committee as a whole sec Bourland

920704 Emergency Allocation #3 (Cramm)

Bourland sec Sample

Bourland: Will you explain this legislation?

Cramm: Yes, we saw this legislation in committee on Sunday and I forgot to rec it, if someone could move to give it a recommendation that would be great.

Aragon: On information what is going on right now?

Byron: The legislation was not given a recommendation in committee so we are moving into a committee as a whole which means we are all one big committee right now so that we can give the legislation a recommendation.

Bourland rec of no rec sec Cramm

Sample motion to move back in to General sec Nguyen

Cramm: We met with

Sample: My question is that since most of these organizations asked for more money than they received, is that because they asked for things we could not fund or you didn't think they needed that much.

Cramm: it was a budgeting decision

Byron: did they have funding previously or why was it an emergency

Cramm: National organization of Minority architecture students had an even coming up OATS they had an October event.

Aragon: how do you usually evaluate emergency funding?

Cramm: we consider outreach to students among other things.

Aragon: What is the outreach of the national organization students?

Cramm: From what was described to me minorities are underrepresented in the field and they help reach out to them.

Aragon: how many students are in this club?

Cramm: don't have that number

Searcy: How can we dictate outreach?

Cramm: attendance is something we look at and activities.

Sample: the air traffic control association asked for a lot of money what was that for?

Cramm: most of it was for PEA and a trip to DFW.

Sample: Why the DFW airport and not another?

Kirby: because the DFW airport is a much bigger airport, whereas Will Rogers is class B DFW is a lot bigger and has better facilities.

Byron: What is PEA?

Cramm: Programs, Events and Activities

Aragon: a lot of these groups seem really small how do you judge there outreach?

Cramm: For emergency in particular it was the event that we looked at.

Passed by roll call vote 25-1-8

Student Concerns

Old Business

920807 An Act Consenting to the Nomination of Election Chair (Allen)(Exec-No Rec)

Nguyen sec Hill

Epting: My legislation before you tonight is to nominate an election chair. Filing is next week which is really soon so we need an election chair to manage the process. I put out apps online and publicized them, we received 12 apps and interviewed 3 candidates. Since he has been a congressional candidate he knows the process, what I want the most out of a candidate is someone who understands SGA rules

Petersen: Publicity is the main idea, we have a 20% turn out for voting. We want to use social media better.

It's right on your computer why aren't people voting. We are also thinking about electronic filing, not for this election but maybe in the spring. Once we have an election board we might throw out some more ideas.

Byron: What do you think makes you more qualified than others that applied?

Petersen: I've served in congress; I have run for three elections that I won. Last year with the old election chair I helped go through title 7 and got to know more about it through that process.

Sample: As you remember last year there were uncontested races how do you hope to prevent that from happening again next year?

Epting: Tomorrow we are actually going to actively publicize filing. In the past the only people who ever filed were people who knew how. We want to make the process really transparent. We will have an OUMM out tomorrow.

Byron: what do you think about reopening filing, on site polling locations and are you in charge of fines?

Petersen: If we don't have anyone apply we will reopen the deadline for filing.

Byron: what if only one person runs?

Petersen: No, we will for sure have one polling site probably in the union. I am in charge of fines.

Searcy Consent

Items to Be Considered

920310 An Act Amending the Student Congress Bylaws (Aragon) (ConAd - Do Pass)

Bourland sec Skelton

Aragon: when we originally amended the constituency service last year we wanted to fix some issues with constituency service, we did not take into account November elections. We wanted to change the wording to excuse constituent service for April and November and also require all new reps and associates to fill out a bio. We also changed January constituency service. It looks like a lot of changes but it's not, really just cutting and pasting.

Nguyen: Can you give a brief summarization of the changes anyway

Aragon: we made it so all reps and associates have to do a bio, if you author a bill you don't have to do office hours. January you have to do your list of RSOs and then for April it's just the changing about the elections. You only have to do it if you are not a newly elected member.

Nguyen: are there any punishments for those who don't do constituency service

Aragon: Yes it counts as an absent and after 3 you can get kicked out

Skelton: what is constituent service?

Aragon: We want you to interact with your constituents, that's the reason for the 5 RSOs

Hill: Is the bio no longer going to be a required constituency service?

Aragon: It is.

Searcy: What is the process of removing someone from congress?

Aragon: The Secretary is in charge of contacting you and if you don't get back to her she can draft legislation to remove you from congress.

Searcy: is it okay to remove someone from congress that the students elected?

Aragon: yes

Sample: My question is about the August constituent service, please explain why new reps and associates don't have to send the list of RSO's until September?

Aragon: we wrote it that way together so we could wait until RSO's start meeting.

Sample move to extend time for questions for the end of list Sec Nguyen

Nguyen: are the RSO's that we have to send to Alma RSOs in our college or just any?

Aragon: we are hoping everyone doesn't go to the same RSO's

Barbee: In these months were you meet the RSO's it says you have to send the secretary verification of attendance what does that look like?

Aragon: That could be an agenda from the meeting, we just want to know you were there. We hope you don't lie to us.

Skelton: how many RSOs are registered on campus?

Ahmadi: over 60

Consent

920311 An Act Amending Emergency Funding Eligibility (Cramm) (ConAd- Do Pass)

Bourland sec Nguyen

Cramm: Before now with emergency funding you had to apply within the 4 weeks of classes and have taken the RSO quiz to apply for subsidiary funding. This makes it to where new organizations after that date can apply for funding.

Khan: Basically you are getting rid of the deadline to apply?

Cramm: Just for emergency.

Naqvi: Will the author accept a friendly amendment to edit section three to say: This act shall become effective at the beginning of the spring semester of 2015.

Cramm: Yes

Bourland: will the minutes please reflect that the chair is high on Dayquil

Consent Bourland

920510 A Resolution Requesting a Chain be Placed Around the Seal (Aragon) (P&P- Do Pass)

Bourland sec Droege

Aragon: There has been a lot of talk about the seal and a lot of us feel very strongly about the seal. We feel that the seal is an awesome gift and we are grateful for it and would like for students not to walk on it. This is a recommendation to put black chains on it.

Bourland: I spoke with President Boren about this, with that in mind would you accept a friendly amendment to change the word chain in the short title to decorative rope

Voice Vote to amendment

Passed

Friendly amendment adding

Whereas: It is generally understood that institutional seals on the ground at a school, high school, or University are not to be walked on; and

Whereas: The Seal in the Stuart Landing is roped off; and

Whereas: President Boren is attempting to establish the tradition that the seal may only be walked over on the day of your graduation; and

Whereas: Brian Holderead, Director of Architectural and Engineering Services says that repeated pedestrian traffic can damage the seal; and

Friendly amendment to add me as co author

Aragon: I accept

Rice: Ropes or Chains?

Bourland: something similar to Stuart landing so ropes

Skelton: did president Boren give his personal opinion on the matter

Bourland: yes, he does not want it to be walked on.

Aragon: neither do we.

Epting: President Boren brought this up to me about a month ago and I suggested that we put up signs, so you guys might remember a couple weeks ago with the caution tape and white signs. So it has been tried and didn't really work so I think the ropes are best.

Bourland: PR committee will gladly share that information

Sample: I move to extend questions to the end of the list

Sec Rice

Elwick: the visitor's center has been notified to say it is a tradition

Epting: Yes

Searcy: How much will this cost?

Aragon: I assume those who are proponents of this, such as Boren , will take care of the cost.

Searcy: why were there no chains implemented during the initial design?

Aragon: I would assume that they thought people would know.

Kirby: are there not already posts set around the seal?

Aragon: I have no idea but since they are already there it will probably be easier to put them in place

Byron: Is there any concern in safety for bikers at night

Aragon: I think the area is well lit, and if they don't see it they're probably texting and deserve to fall

Roll call vote

Passed 29-0-4

New Business

Follow-Up Reports

Bourland: please follow the twitter we are trying to get to 1000 followers we would also appreciate it if you would retweet stuff too,

Items for Future Agenda

Pae: A resolution about sample papers and one about free speech

AA

Cramm Emergency allocation number 4

Wam

Petersen: Election Board legislation

Exec

Barbee: A survey about biking

Announcements and Comments

Naqvi: please do not speak unless you are addressed by the chair, if we have guests come into congress it makes us look unorganized. Try not to shout out or address things unless addressed by the chair.

Aragon: I really don't want to interrupt you guys when you're talking, but I will get stricter on enforcing rules.

Sample: If you are interested in running a survey please talk to George

Nguyen: when is the deadline for the survey?

Aragon: If you feel like you want to have one, just make sure you are letting people know

Byron: Chimmys

Gillespie: Rowing regatta this weekend we would love your support it is October 4th at the Chesapeake boathouse.

Skelton: Along with the twitter there is an instagram: ousgacongress

Sample: suspend rules to adjourn

Final Roll Call

Chair: Lauren Aragon

Vice-Chair: Alex Byron

Secretary: Alma Sandoval

Session 92	General 9/30	920704	920510
Akinwande, Kennedie	x	y	y
Akita, Emmanuel	x	y	a
Aragon, Lauren	x		y
Barbee, Jacqueline	x	y	a
Bevilacqua, Benjamin	x	y	a
Black, Kesia Maria	x	y	y
Bourland, Connor	x	y	y
Brown, Colby	abs		
Byron, Alexandra	x	a	
Cramm, Matthew	x	y	y
Droege, Dylan	x	y	a
Elwick, Kara	x	y	y
Franzese, Jamie	x	y	y
Gillespie, Taylor	x	y	y
Golestanipanah, Soheil	abs		
Gomez, Andres	x	a	y
Hill, Johnnie	x	y	y
Hudson, Todd	x	a	y
Kadiku, Hafeez	abs		
Khan, Eihab	x	y	y
Kirby, Bryan	x	y	y
McKenzie, Maggie	x	y	y
Molina, Luis	ex		
Naberhaus, Bryce	x	y	y
Naqvi, Ozair	x	y	y
Nguyen, Crystal	x	y	y
Nigh, Ryan	x	y	y
Nimmo, Cole	x	a	y
Owens, Alexandra	x	a	
Pae, Daniel	x	Y	y
Park, Conor	ex		
Powell, Haley	ex		
Rao, Ratnesh	x	y	y
Rice, Alissa	x	a	y
Riley, Kendall	x	y	y
Rowell, Ana Marie	ex		

Sample, Emily	x	y	y
Sandoval, Alma	x	y	y
Scott, Cassie	x	a	y
Searcey, Patrick	x	n	y
Short, Jamison	ex		
Siddique, Adam	ex		
Skelton, Emery	x	a	y
Wise, Tave	abs	y	y
Attending	34	25	29
Excused	6	1	0
Absent	4	8	4

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UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCII

September 30, 2014

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
SENATE SESSION GF-14

October 5, 2014

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 920704

SENATE BILL NO. GXXX-XX

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to appropriations; providing for short title; stating purpose; appropriating emergency funding for the 2014-2015 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 “Emergency Allocation Act #3” Act of 2014.

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:

Honors Student Association

Office and General Expenses:	\$0
Capital Investments:	\$0
<u>Programs/Events/Activities:</u>	<u>\$510</u>
Total:	\$510

Air Traffic Control Association

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

National Organization of Minority Architecture Students

Office and General Expenses:	\$0
Capital Investments:	\$0
<u>Programs/Events/Activities:</u>	<u>\$662</u>
Total:	\$662

Oklahoma Association of Transfer Students

Office and General Expenses:	\$50
Capital Investments:	\$0
<u>Programs/Events/Activities:</u>	<u>\$436</u>
Total:	\$486

- Section 4:** All guidelines and provisions in the Comprehensive SGA Financial Responsibilities Act shall apply to all funds appropriated in this act.
- Section 5:** This fiscal year for the account listed in these sections shall end May 4, 2015
- Section 6:** All unspent money remaining in the accounts listed in Section 3 shall revert to the SGA General Account after May 4, 2015, and the remaining appropriations shall be canceled.
- Section 7:** This act shall become effective when passed in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author: Matthew Cramm, Chair of SGA Budget
 Co-Author (s): SGA Budgetary Committee

Submitted on a Motion by: Bourland sec Sample

Action taken by Student Congress: Passed by Roll Call Vote 25-1-8

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: _____

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCII
30 September, 2014

GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
SENATE SESSION GS-14
21 September, 2014

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 920807
SENATE BILL NO. GF13-xx

AS INTRODUCED

An act appointing the SGA Election Board Chair; providing for codification; providing for short title; and providing for an effective date.

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

Section 1: TITLE. This act may be known and shall be cited as the “Election Board Chair appointment act”

Section 2: PURPOSE. To appoint a Chair to the SGA Election Board.

Section 3: In accordance with Title VII, chapter 2, section 10, subsection a of the SGACA “The Election Chair shall be appointed by the SGA President with the advice and consent of the Legislative Branch,” the following student shall be appointed as the SGA Election Board Chair:

- Taylor Petersen

Section 4: This act shall become effective, while in accordance with the SGACA, immediately following passage and approval.

Author(s): Jeremy Allen, Legislative Assistant | Matt Epting, SGA President
Co-Author(s): Lauren Aragon, Undergraduate Student Congress Chair

Submitted on a Motion by: Nguyen sec Hill

Action taken by the Undergraduate Student Congress: Consent

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Senate:

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____

Approved by

SGA President: _____ Date: _____

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS

CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCII

September 30, 2014

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 920310

AS INTRODUCED

An act amending the Student Congress Bylaws; providing short title; providing for codification; 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 “An Act Amending the Bylaws Regarding Constituent Service”.

Section 2: For the purpose of this Act, deletions shall be indicated with a ~~striketrough~~ and additions indicated with an underline.

Section 3: Section 3.3 of the Bylaws shall be amended to read as follows:

3) CONSTITUENT SERVICE

- a) Each member shall meet his or her constituent service requirement each month that Student Congress holds a general meeting. Newly elected or appointed members need not meet a constituent service requirement during their first week of membership. For constituent service responsibilities, constituent service is expected to be fulfilled as listed below. Constituent service shall be submitted to the Student Congress Secretary.
- b) Members shall accrue an absence for failure to meet a constituent service requirement or for failure to submit proper documentation to the Student Congress Secretary by beginning of the Tuesday General Meeting.
- c) Constituent service requirements include:
 - i. Representatives and Associates must be present biweekly for one (1) hour of office hours to be held between 9am and 5pm Monday thru Friday in the Conoco Leadership Wing or be present at an information booth in a conspicuous and accessible place on campus for one (1) hour. This is a requirement for January, February, March, April, August, September, October, and November.
 - ii. All Representatives and Associates must ensure the Secretary gets their biography (including name, major, year, and goals/legislative ideas for the session) within the first 2 weeks of their election or appointment.
 - iii. If a Representative or Associate authors a bill seen in a General Meeting they shall be excused from ~~constituent service~~ office hours for the next month.
 - iv. Monthly constituent service requirements also include:

- a. ~~January: All representatives and associates must send the Secretary a biography (including name, major, year, and experience in the Undergraduate Student Congress) and goals/legislative ideas for the session. All representatives and associates must send to the Secretary a list consisting of five (5) registered student organizations (RSOs) and their email address and planned meeting times for the semester. The Secretary shall compile the lists of RSOs, their email addresses, and meeting times sent during the month and email said compilation to all representative and associate members of Undergraduate Student Congress at the end of the month.~~
- b. ~~February: All representatives and associates must send to the Secretary a list consisting of five (5) registered student organizations (RSOs) and their email address and planned meeting times for the semester. The Secretary shall compile the lists of RSOs, their email addresses, and meeting times sent during the month and email said compilation to all representative and associate members of Undergraduate Student Congress at the end of the month. All representatives and associates are required to visit at least two (2) approved organization meetings (these may include college town hall meeting, Norman City Council meeting, open meetings of other branches of SGA, and registered student organization (RSO) meetings) and introduce themselves and SGA at these meetings. The Secretary must be informed prior to the meeting and receive confirmation of attendance and any student concerns discovered at the meeting.~~
- c. March: All representatives and associates are required to visit at least two (2) approved organization meetings (these may include college town hall meeting, Norman City Council meeting, open meetings of other branches of SGA, and registered student organization (RSO) meetings) and introduce themselves and SGA at these meetings. The Secretary must be informed prior to the meeting and receive confirmation of attendance and any student concerns discovered at the meeting.
- d. April: [April constituent service only applies to members who are not newly elected, this does not include members who are re-elected.] All representatives and associates are required to visit at least two (2) approved organization meetings (these may include college town hall meeting, Norman City Council meeting, open meetings of other branches of SGA, and registered student organization (RSO) meetings) and introduce themselves and SGA at these meetings. The Secretary must be informed prior to the meeting and receive confirmation of attendance and any student concerns discovered at the meeting.
- e. August: ~~All representatives and associates must send the Secretary a biography (including name, major, year, and experience in the Undergraduate Student Congress) and goals/legislative ideas for the session. No additional requirements, other than office hours.~~
- f. September: All representatives and associates must send to the Secretary a list consisting of five (5) registered student organizations (RSOs) and their email address and planned meeting times for the semester. The Secretary shall compile the lists of RSOs, their email addresses, and meeting times sent during the month and email said compilation to all

representative and associate members of Undergraduate Student Congress at the end of the month.

- g. October: All representatives and associates are required to visit at least two (2) approved organization meetings (these may include college town hall meeting, Norman City Council meeting, open meetings of other branches of SGA, and registered student organization (RSO) meetings) and introduce themselves and SGA at these meetings. The Secretary must be informed prior to the meeting and receive confirmation of attendance and any student concerns discovered at the meeting.
- h. November: [November constituent service only applies to members who are not newly elected, this does not include members who are re-elected.] All representatives and associates are required to visit at least two (2) approved organization meetings (these may include college town hall meeting, Norman City Council meeting, open meetings of other branches of SGA, and registered student organization (RSO) meetings) and introduce themselves and SGA at these meetings. The Secretary must be informed prior to the meeting and receive confirmation of attendance and any student concerns discovered at the meeting.

c) The following shall be excused from their constituent service responsibility:

- i) Members of the Ways and Means Committee, during budget interviews and budgetary periods.
- ii) Members of the Congressional Administration Committee, during an appointment period.
- iii) All members following a vote of the Student Congress Executive Committee.

Section 4: This act shall become effective at the start of Session 93 of the Undergraduate Student Congress.

Author(s): Lauren Aragon, Undergraduate Student Congress Chair

Co-Author(s): Emily Sample, Undergraduate Student Congress Representative

Submitted on a Motion by: Bourland Sec Skelton

Action taken by Congress: Consent

Verified by Chair of Congress: _____ Date: _____

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CONGRESSIONAL SESSION XCII

September 30, 2014

GRADUATE STUDENT
SENATE SESSION GF-14

September, 2014

CONGRESSIONAL BILL NO. 920311

SENATE BILL NO.

AS INTRODUCED

An act amending the SGA Code Annotated; providing short title; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1: TITLE. This Amendment shall be known and may be cited as “Emergency Eligibility Act” of 2014.

Section 2: For the purpose of this Act, deletions shall be indicated with a ~~strike through~~ and additions indicated with an underline.

Section 3: AMENDATORY. Title XII, Chapter 4, Section 28 of the SGA Code Annotated shall be amended to read as follows:

c. Eligibility

Each organization must meet all of these requirements.

i. Registration: Only those registered student organizations that are located on the Norman campus will be funded. Any student organization that is affiliated with the University of Oklahoma but not located on the Norman campus will not receive funding through this campus. Each organization must have been registered with the Office of Student Life ~~by the fourth week of classes of the Fall in accordance with the Student Activities Policy, or the fourth week of classes of the Spring semester. semester~~ one week prior to submitting their emergency funding application.

ii. Organizations that were ineligible for the Primary Budget Process and Subsidiary Budget Process ~~because of the one year registration requirement will be eligible for emergency allocations. may still qualify for emergency funding as long as the organization has~~ completed the requirements in Title XII, Chapter 4, Section 28 (c)(i) “Registration.”

iii. Mandatory Registered Student Organization Training: each organization shall complete the current online Mandatory Registered Student Organization Training one week prior to submitting an emergency funding application. prior to applying for emergency funding.

iv. Interviews: Each organization must send at least one student representative to their scheduled emergency allocations interview. Failure to attend, without prior written approval from the SGA Budgetary Committee Chair, will result in the ineligibility of that organization for emergency allocations for the remainder of the current SGA fiscal year. If extenuating circumstances arise, the Chair of the SGA Budgetary Committee must be notified in writing by 4:00pm the next business day following the scheduled interview time. The SGA Budgetary Committee as a whole will review the requests to determine if funding will be granted. As amended by Budgetary Procedures Reform Act of 2010; Congressional Bill No. 840317 and Senate Bill No. GF10-54.

v. Standing: Only those student organizations in good standing with SGA and the University of Oklahoma shall be funded. Any student organization that is not in good standing shall not receive funding.

d. Additional Submissions Any organization that submits an emergency allocation application more than once within a fiscal year shall be ineligible for additional funding at the discretion of the Chair of the SGA Budgetary Committee; this decision is subject to reversal by the majority of the SGA Budgetary Committee.

Section 3: This act shall become effective immediately following passage and approval in accordance with the SGA Constitution.

Author(s): Matt Cramm, SGA Budget Chair

Co-Author(s): Alex Byron, Vice Chair of Undergraduate Student Congress
Alma Sandoval, Secretary of Undergraduate Student Congress
Jacqueline Barbee, Representative of Undergraduate Student Congress

Submitted on a Motion by: Bourland sec Nguyen

Action taken by Congress: Consent

Verified by Chair of 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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GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE
SENATE SESSION GS-14
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CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION NO. 920510
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. GF14-XX

AS INTRODUCED

A Resolution requesting a chain be placed around the seal on
the South Oval; providing for distribution

Whereas: The Undergraduate Student Congress, the Graduate Student Senate, and the whole student body are very grateful for the gift of the seal; and

Whereas: The seal was donated to the OU Foundation by OU President David Boren and his wife, Molly Shi Boren; and

Whereas: The seal is a beautiful new addition to the South Oval; and

Whereas: The students of the University of Oklahoma respect OU traditions; and

Whereas: It is generally understood that institutional seals on the ground at a school, high school, or University are not to be walked on; and

Whereas: The Seal in the Stuart Landing is roped off; and

Whereas: President Boren is attempting to establish the tradition that the seal may only be walked over on the day of your graduation; and

Whereas: Brian Holderead, Director of Architectural and Engineering Services says that repeated pedestrian traffic can damage the seal; and

Whereas: The University of Oklahoma hosts many visitors every year that may not be aware of our traditions;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT CONGRESS
AND THE GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE THAT:

Section 1: To respect the seal and protect it from undue wear the University of Oklahoma will be requested to place chains around the University Seal on the northeast side of the South Oval.

Section 2: Copies of this resolution will be sent to:

- David Boren, President of the University of Oklahoma
- Brian Ellis, Director of Facilities Management
- Brian Holderread, Director of Architectural and Engineering Services

- OU Daily

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Submitted on a Motion by: Bourland sec Droege

Action taken by Congress: Passed by roll call vote 29-0-4

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____

Submitted on a Motion by:

Action taken by Senate:

Verified by Chair: _____ Date: _____

