

# STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION 2015-2016 SENATE MEETING

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MINUTES FOR OCTOBER 27, 2015  
MADISON UNION BALLROOM  
BEGINNING 5:15 PM



## Call to Order at 5:20.

## Pledge of Allegiance/Moment of Silence

Attendance: Alicia Campos conducted roll call.

## Business:

- Contingency
  - Phi Alpha Delta Fraternity
    - Finance Report: 9-0-2
    - Read aloud and debated.
    - Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Student Senate of James Madison University that the Student Government Association allocate \$2,150 in contingency funds to assist with supplies to allow PAD to participate and represent JMU at the 'Pre-Law Conference, Mock Trial Competition, and Law School Expo.
    - The student Senate called this resolution to a vote and passes.
  - Bluetones
    - Finance Report: 10-0-1
    - Read aloud and debated.
    - Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Student Senate of James Madison University that the Student Government Association allocate \$2,150 in contingency funds to assist with supplies to host and represent JMU at the 'Pulse' Concert.
    - The student Senate called this resolution to a vote and passes.
  - Opera Guild
    - Finance Report: 11-0-0
    - Read aloud and debated.
    - Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Student Senate of James Madison University that the Student Government Association allocate \$450 in contingency funds to assist with supplies to allow the Opera Guild to host and represent JMU at the 'Opera and Musical Theatre Showcase.'
    - Amendment of the cost from \$225 to \$450.
    - The student Senate called this resolution to a vote and passes.

## Senate Reports

- Speaker Joe Demski
  - "Climate" survey about Senate going out this week
- Academic Affairs: Micah Smith

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- Community Engagement: Brooke Price
  - Kerry has been working on another Harrisonburg High School Panel
    - Sign up on master calendar
  - Caitlin is doing Pen Pals
    - Communications teams is working on a video to send to them
    - First letters DUE next Tuesday
- Membership: Alex Pate
  - Movie night at Aspen Movie Theater
- Legislative Action: Matt Mueller
  - Election Day is a week from Today
    - Mark Obensain VS April Moore
- University Services: Kiersten Schierenbeck
  - Next week is Safety Week
    - Agenda:
      - Monday Police on commons
      - Tuesday Harrisonburg Fire Department outside EHall
        - They will be setting EHall on fire and putting it out
      - Wednesday Counseling Center in SSC
      - Friday ABC on commons
  - Drink It Your Way this Friday (meeting at SGA) 9PM-10PM
  - Conference that puts on alcohol awareness tour 9AM-2PM, Madison Union
- Communications Director: Conner Lewis
  - n/a

### Class Council Presidents

- Senior Class President: Kathy Corena
- Junior Class President: Tori Atkins
- Sophomore Class President: Seemran Patel
- Freshmen Class President: Julianna Boettger

### Advisor Report: Kristin Muncy



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## **Executive Council Reports**

- Student Body President: Ryan Windels
- Executive Vice President: Meredith Parker
  - PO wants to hear from you!
  - Let's get behind safety week
- Executive Treasurer: Casey Donnelly
  - Thank you for wearing red!

## **Executive Staff Reports**

- Executive Assistant: Niti Jadh
- Administrative Officer: Heidi Jenkins
  - Ben Rosenberger from 10/20
  - Conley Lowrance 10/27
- Parliamentarian: Haley Aldridge

**Motion to Adjourn at 5:48PM.**