



**COUNCIL ON STUDENT AFFAIRS MEETING AGENDA**  
**OHIO UNION, SPHINX LEADERSHIP SUITE – 3:30PM – NOVEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2019**

*Attendance: Skinner, Boyle, Tate, Karwisch, Painter, Feth, Britton, Crall, Haynes, Post, Wyant, Cencach De Blanco, Vu, Washington, Dukes (alternate: Nicole Tascar), Leuthold, Couch, Heathcock, Pokel*

*Old Business*

1. Approval of Meeting Minutes
  - a. Motion to table
    - i. DaVonti Haynes
    - ii. Stephen Post- Seconded

*New Business*

1. Student Life Updates
  - a. Molly Calhoun
    - i. Motion to move updates to end of meeting
    - ii. Given by Dr. Matt Couch
      1. Big Ten Voter Challenge- OSU is in competition with other big ten schools for voter registration
        - a. OSU Votes Org is great
        - b. Encouraging stats about how OSU compares to other schools with civic engagement
        - c. Overall 31.9% college students vote
          - i. OSU has 43.3%
            1. 30% increase from last election
            2. Voter registration from 40% to 79.5%

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- ii. English Language and Lit students had largest increase
- iii. Highest voter turnout rate is from legal professional students
- iv. All In Campus Democracy has given OSU a Gold Seal in Civic Engagement

## 2. Subcommittee Updates

### a. Issues – Subcommittee Chair, Elizabeth Painter

#### i. Upcoming Issues

- 1. Updates to operating procedure
- 2. Next subcommittee meeting November 18th

### b. Allocations – Subcommittee Chair, Kyle Boyle

- i. Able to get through a lot of applications
- ii. Window closed Friday
- iii. Adhoc meeting in the next week or two

## 3. Student Government Updates

### a. USG

- i. Diversity and Inclusion Committee working on survey for international students
- ii. Health Committee putting on events
- iii. Student Affairs is working on bus for regional campuses to bring students to football games

### b. CGS

- i. Presentation

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1. Buckeye Village-university announced it will be relocated
2. Working with university to form committee to create a plan moving forward
3. Resolution coming out on Friday
4. Currently working on CGS demographics report
5. Diversity Dialog series has launched this week
6. Initial proposal from graduate school was emailed to everyone
7. Current reporting system does not work between grad students and faculty
  - a. New position is to help fix this problem
  - b. No new authority in this position
  - c. Nonbiased guide for graduate students through unpleasant experience and provide advice
  - d. Will not cover GAships and funding
  - e. Would not be doing education and training
  - f. Language should be specific on what is a neutral party and what is a counselor
  - g. Possibly creating an anonymous form-another pathway for students to voice issues
  - h. Currently no one in Student Advocacy Center who represents grad students
  - i. OAA is where they currently think it should be held
  - j. Use regional campuses as a model if have a successful position already in place currently

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- k. Next step will be to bring formally rule change back to steering and then come back to these committees to have final checks before University Senate
  - c. IPC
    - i. Creating the diversity and inclusion committee and housing committee
    - ii. Having a tailgate this Saturday
    - iii. Had a really fun Halloween party
- 4. Open Floor/Announcements
  - a. December 9<sup>th</sup> Meeting- moving forward with student org guidelines
    - i. Please let Anthony know if you cannot make this meeting as soon as possible
- 5. Adjournment
  - a. Adjourned at 4:30pm

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