

# Student Government, Steering Minutes, March 20, 2017

University of Toledo Student Government

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**Student Government  
Regular Meeting of the Steering Committee  
Toledo, Ohio  
March 20th, 2017  
4:00 PM**

The meeting of the Student Government Steering Committee was called to order 4:00pm in the Student Government office of the Student Union.

**Members present:** Amal Mahomed, Hunter Eby, Marty Linthicum, Jared Enoch, Cameron Forsythe, Nadeen Sarsour and Jimmy Russell

**Members absent:** Andrew Taylor (excused)

**Guests:** Ed, General Manager of Phoenicia

**Approval of Minutes of From Last Meeting**

Motion to Approve Previous Meeting's Minutes: Senator Russell

Second: Senator Enoch

Motion Passes with no opposition

**Guest Speakers:**

Phoenicia

Contract expires in June and is looking for a SG help to renew the contract.

Sen. Russell recommended having a student appreciation day to show student support.

Pres. Amal recommended doing a referendum.

**Senate Agenda**

-Student Trustee Report

-Luke and Anna

-Rockethon

-Trish

**New Business**

**Legislation 1:**

Parking Enforcement Resolution

Author comments: Sen. Montry

Sponsored by: Campus Affairs

A resolution to support the change of parking enforcement hours for the University of Toledo.

Debate:

Motion to floor: Sen Nadeen

Second: Sen. Montry

no opposition

#### Legislation 2:

Caucus Amendment

Author comments: Sen. Jared on behalf of Sen. Peachock

Sponsored by: Student Affairs

An amendment to introduce a caucus system to the University of Toledo Student Government such that students of all walks of life and segments of the student population may be accurately represented on a permanent basis. This amendment shall take effect after the swearing in of the 2017-2018 Session.

Debate:

Motion to floor: Sen. Russell

Second: Sen. Enoch

no opposition

#### Legislation 3:

Caucus Amendment

Author comments: Vice President Foresythe

Sponsored by: none as of yet

A bill to allocate \$500 towards funding the Diversity Ball and events throughout Diversity Month.

Debate:

Motion to floor: Sen. Russell

Second: Sen. Enoch

passed 4-2

### **Old Business**

- Executive Branch Amendment
- Judicial Branch Amendment
- Legislative Branch Amendment
- Academic Gala Bill
- Diversity Bill

### **Question of the Week:**

Question regarding Phoencia.

### **Internal Affairs**

Sen. Soursar

Sign up for BIG Event.

Sign up for Rocketthon too.

Jimmy objects to saving poor little sick kids.

### **External Affairs**

Senator Russell:

-Talked about locations we could contact about getting student discounts at local businesses

-Post Election Festival

will not be able to get other orgs to go

will get some local bands to perform

### **Student Affairs**

Senator Enoch:

-Townhall next monday

1:00-3:00 in the Brady Center

-Working on bylaws and vice-chair

### **Campus Affairs**

Senator Montry:

-Hopefully meeting with Gaber and BOSEF

-Reached out to BASH about magic the gathering tournament

-Walk with Doug on March 30<sup>th</sup>, President Gaber will (maybe not) be there. Roughly at 12:30pm

-Asked about swipe access

### **SJC**

Justice Eby:

-no report

### **Vice President Report**

Vice President Forsythe:

- Experience day was boring
- Rocket Wheel kickoff event is tomorrow
- Submitted SAC proposal  
waiting to hear back from them

**President Report**

President Amal:

- Put out a referendum for the textbooks bill

**Announcements / Other**

Nothing of note

**Adjournment**

Motion to adjourn: Senator Nadeen  
Second: Sen. Montry  
Passed with no opposition.

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Acting Recording Secretary, Senator Martin Linthicum