I. Call To Order: Courtney called the meeting to order at 5:19 P.M.

II. Roll Call
   a. Members Present: Myles, Elijah, Valeri, Abbigail, Justis, Josiah, Ethan, Mark, Sara G., Shane, Sarah D., Linnea, Courtney, McKenna, Kayla, Selena, Eric, Kia, McKinley, Nathan, Ashley, Nik.
   b. Members Absent: Eduardo, Dennis.
   c. Members Late: Alex, Fiona, Dylan.

III. Approval of Minutes from 03.06.17: Ashley moved to approve the minutes. Eric seconded. Approved.

IV. Approval of Agenda:
   - Selena entertained a motion to amend the agenda by moving Executive Board Reports before New Business. Abbigail moved to amend the agenda. Ethan seconded. Approved.
   - Courtney entertained a motion to approve the agenda. Abbigail moved to approve. Ethan seconded. Approved.
   - Courtney entertained a motion to amend the agenda by moving the Fund the Freeze presentation to before Ashley Keenan’s exec board report. Shane moved to amend the agenda. Valeri seconded. Approved.
   - Courtney entertained a motion to approve the agenda. Abbigail moved to approve the agenda. Ethan seconded. Approved.

V. Executive Board Reports
   a. President: Nik Austin
      - Hope you had a great spring break!
   b. Vice President: Dylan Tritt
No report.

c. Speaker: Courtney Zambon
   - There are two more senate meetings after tonight. Draft a resolution if you have an idea! Ask Courtney for help if needed.
   - Senate bylaws should be done before the next meeting.
   - Look over the part of your committee to revise!

VI. New Business

-Faculty Presentation on Fund the Freeze
   - There is an ongoing budget discussion going on.
   - Thursday, March 30th, there is a big event going- a panel discussion at 2 PM about higher education funding. There is a rally after. It’s in Rose Hall room 250.

VII. Executive Board Reports

a. RHAA: Ashley Keenan
   - Bingo this weekend with a big prize!
   - Looked over bylaws for RHAA and made them more readable.
   - NACURH in Indiana in the end of May. Applications are out and due next Monday.
   - 3 exec board positions open.

b. Chief Justice: Dennis DeBeck
   - No report.

c. Standing Committees
   - Academic Affairs: Mckenna Kelsey
     - Doing survey work- got 500 surveys out to professors, and hoping to get them into the coffee shop. Hoping to get 500 back by the end of the week.
   - Community Engagement: Eduardo Navarro
     - No report.
   - Environmental Affairs: Kayla Billett
     - There is an eco orgs gathering meeting tonight. 4 orgs said they were coming.
   - Equity and Diversity: Selena Deer
     - Loving, film showing tonight, MSU is putting it on in the Christie.
     - Soul food dinner is this Saturday, it’s free, and there will be a guest speaker and poets. 4pm in the phoenix rooms.
     - Charity event, we are looking at art galleries with donations from different multicultural organizations.
   - Health and Safety: Fiona Somers
     - Health and Safety committee meeting tonight (the official committee, not
mine) at 2:00.

- Recreation and Athletics: Eric Fischer
  - Tailgate softball game, cancoozies are approved, block 4 of intramurals starting, WBB ended last week but GBB meetings are still in session.

- Student Resources: Kia Murray
  - There is a homecoming meeting at 10:30 am next Wednesday.

- SUFAC: Nik Austin
  - Decision letters will be sent out next week, letter to the chancellor will be sent out soon as well.
  - There will be meetings for bylaw revisions, otherwise business is over with.

- University Governance: McKinley Lentz
  - Bylaw and constitution things are going on.
  - Trying to get informed about policy changes.

- Union and Dining: Nathan Rousseau
  - Still looking for Rick.
  - Working with SLO and Chartwells to grow food for Chartwells.
  - Composting should be done in 2 weeks, working with Kayla and Keenan to work out the dorm situation.
  - Chartwells chefs are going to Resfest!

-Empowering Student Voice Resolution

- Nik entertains a motion to amend the resolution by adding “and senators in a manner opposed to the majority of respondents provide reasoning for doing so” to the end of the second changed sentence.

- The dean of students would not have power over legislation, they would just have power over the email.

- If the dean of students refused to send out the email, the bill would still be voted on, so they don’t have power over legislation.

- List pros and cons to the bill, and make sure it is specified who is writing the survey.

- Abbigail moved to amend, Sara G. seconded, 12:0:0 approved.

- It will take some lobbying to get a student government account that has access to all students’ emails.

- McKinley entertains a motion to approve the amendment of “drafted by the author and reviewed” portion. Abbigail moves to amend, Sara G. seconds.
• McKinley volunteers UGov committee to draft the surveys.
• Shane friendly accepts the amendment.
• Justis moves to add 100 respondents minimum to the second therefore, Valeri seconds.
• Roll call vote: does not pass 3:9:0.
• Abbigail moves to table, Linnea seconds, approved.

-Achieving Greater Transparency in Student Government Resolution

• This would be under the same email where the surveys from the previous resolution go out.
• An opt out option would be preferable to an opt in option.
• We should be thinking more about social media.
• The majority seems to think that social media in addition to emails would be best.
• Justis moves to refer the issue to the Community Engagement committee. Linnea seconds. Roll call vote: 4:5:0 not passed.
• Courtney entertained a motion to table the discussion of the resolution. Mark moved to table the discussion. Sara G. seconded. 9:0:0 approved.

-Senator Approval

• No show.

VIII. Announcements

• Eduardo: sending around a sheet for Paul’s Pantry this Saturday.
• Dennis: confirmation emails have been sent. Campaigning window opens now. SGA debate- actually a town hall forum. Would senators like to be a part of that?
• Courtney: any senator who would like to be a part of it should participate.

IX. Adjournment: Courtney entertained a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:47 P.M. Shane moved to adjourn the meeting. Sara G. seconded. Approved.