



**71st Student Senate
Finance Committee Report
October 22, 2019 | Innovation Hub 125**

Call to Order: 5:03 PM EST

Roll Call:

Members Present: Adamyk, Cohen, Harris, Mougey, Parker

Members Tardy: Jungers

Members Absent: Donnelly

Guests: Senator Gerdts; Senator Villacorta; Stephen Marante, OGA

Approval of the Minutes: Motion: Cohen ; Second: Parker

Announcements:

- Chair Harris – N/A
- Vice Chair Adamyk – Go Nationals!
- Members –
- Public Statement –
 - Stephen Marante - Sharing with the committee the OGA Legislative Agenda

Committee Business:

Old Business: None

New Business:

Motion to unlock the calendar to hear nominees first: Cohen

Second: Mougey

****Move to nominations****

****Vice-Chair Adamyk Presiding over the hearing of the Bill****

Bill 101 by Sens. Cohen and Harris - Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 807.6 to set a cap of semester spending for the Student Senate funding boards
(Cohen, Harris, Jungers, Mougey, Parker)

Questions:

Parker

I am more on board with the 50-50 split than the 40-60 I supported beforehand.

How do you feel on 5050, as compared to 40-60?

-The reason I did it was because we could have a weird year where trends do not apply, additionally, the budget can increase in the fall after sweepings so it allows for flexibility in order to give funding.

Motion to enter round-table debate: Parker

Second: Jungers

Motion to forward the bill to the Judiciary Committee: Parker

Second: Mougey

Vote Results:

Yea: 3 (Jungers, Mougey, Parker)



Nay: 0

Abs: 2 (Cohen, Harris)

Bill **passes** to be forwarded to the full Senate.

PAC Consent Resolution Number 47 – 10/21/19

- **The question is;** Is it the sense of the Senate Finance Committee that the Programming Allocations Committees' Consent Resolution sponsored by Senators Harmon and Cohen be forwarded to the full Senate.
- **Organizations on the Consent Resolution – Total: \$2,564**
- National Italian Honor Society – Funded in Clothing (\$330)
- Sisters 2 Service – TABLED IN PAC
- Black Law Student Association – Zero-Funded (\$0) in PAC
- Polyglot Club – Funded in Expense (\$222)
- The Big Event – Funded in Expense (\$472), Clothing (\$1,540)

Questions:

Mougey:

Will the t-shirts have the SGA seal on them?

-Yes they will.

Motion to Approve Consent Resolution as-is: Adamyk

Second: Parker

Senator Jungers objects

Motion to enter round table discussion: Parker

Second: Jungers

Motion to amend The Big Event in the category of Expense to (\$569): Jungers

Second: Parker

Sponsor finds amendment friendly

Motion to Approve Consent Resolution as-amended: Adamyk

Second: Jungers

Vote Results:

Yea: 4 (Adamyk, Jungers, Mougey, Parker)

Nay: 0

Abs: 1 (Cohen)

PAC Consent Resolution **passes** to be forwarded to the full Senate.

RTAC Consent Resolution Number 46 – 10/21/19

- **The question is;** Is it the sense of the Senate Finance Committee that the Resource for Travel Allocations Committees' Consent Resolution sponsored by Senator Murcia be forwarded to the full Senate.
- **Organizations on the Consent Resolution – Total: \$3,500**
- Society of Automotive Engineers – Funded in Lodging (\$650), Registration (\$1,350)



- Filipino Student Association (FSA) – Funded in Travel (\$1,500)

Questions:

No Questions

Motion to enter round-table: Adamyk

Second: Parker

Committee now in round table

Motion to Approve Consent Resolution as-is: Adamyk

Second: Cohen

Vote Results: Unanimous Consent

Yea: 5 (Adamyk, Cohen, Jungers, Mougey, Parker)

Nay: 0

Abs: 0

RTAC Consent Resolution **passes** to be forwarded to the full Senate.

Confirmations and Nominees:

PAC – Kayla Lewis

Questions:

Adamyk:

Do you have any experience managing a limited budget?

-Recently managed the budget of the Legacy Party, so experienced with working with limited funds.

Parker:

Why did you pick PAC over all the other options?

-I want to be a part of RSOs here on campus in a greater span, reaching out to every organization. I do like the idea of funding for t-shirts and other on-campus funding requests and want to help the over 700 RSOs on campus do what they want to do.

Motion to forward the candidate to the full senate for approval: Adamyk

Second: Parker

Vote Results:

Yea: 5 (Adamyk, Cohen, Jungers, Mougey, Parker)

Nay: 0

Abs: 0

Candidate **passes** to be forwarded to the full Senate.

RTAC – Connor Lynch

Questions:

Adamyk:

What former experience do you have managing a limited budget?

-I have more knowledge than experience managing a budget for personal finances. Additionally, I have seen many organizations do their budgeting for themselves and acquired proper knowledge.

Cohen:

What do you think you still need to know to be successful in RTAC?



-Just continue learning how to manage a tight budget through experience.

Jungers:

What other organizations are you a part of?

-Dues-paying member of College Democrats.

Mougey:

How would you deal with an organization that came to you with little-to-no fundraising?

-Generally it is important for them to fundraise, but if they have not then I would give them recommendations and hope they can do it in the future.

Parker:

Why did you choose RTAC in particular?

-Lack of money is something many people struggle with, and if that is fixed they can excel in the future. If they come to RTAC, I can see what they are all about.

Motion to forward the candidate to the full senate for approval: Cohen

Second: Mougey

Vote Results:

Yea: 5 (Adamyk, Cohen, Jungers, Mougey, Parker)

Nay: 0

Abs: 0

Candidate **passes** to be forwarded to the full Senate.

Unfinished Business:

- None

Final Announcements: None

Date and Time of Next Meeting: TBD

Adjourned: 6:19 PM EST