

**Washburn Student Government Association
Burdick/Wood Administration, October 2nd, 2024**

Position	Last Name	Present (Beginning)	Present (Final)
Vice-chair	Abernathy	Y	Y
Senator	Anderson	Y	Y
Senator	Bansal	Y	N
Senator	Billquist	Y	Y
Chairperson	Brown	Y	Y
Senator	Brungardt	Y	Y
Senator	Cain	Y	Y
Senator	Cattoor	Y	Y
Senator	(E) Clark	Y	Y
Senator	(L) Clark	Y	Y
Senator	Davis	Y	Y
Parliamentarian	Durst	Y	Y
Senator	Giles	Y	Y
Senator	Ginn	Y	Y
Senator	Hastings	Y	Y
Senator	Hammes	Y	Y
Vice-chair	Kerney	Y	Y
Senator	McFan	Y	Y
Senator	Meier	Y	Y
Chairperson	Morris	Y	Y
Vice-chair	Nadeau	Y	Y
Senator	Newfer	Y	Y
Senator	Nino-Elliott	Y	Y

Senator	Proctor	Y	Y
Speaker	Redington	Y	Y
Senator	Ross	Y	Y
Senator	Sanner	Y	Y
Senator	Smith	Y	Y
Chairperson	Timm	Y	Y
Senator	White	Y	Y
Senator	Yucesan	Y	Y

Position	Last Name	Present (Beginning)	Present (Final)
Special Events Director	Roth	Y	Y
Marketing Director	Coulter	Y	Y
Campus and Community Affairs Director	Jordan	Y	Y
Diversity Equity and Inclusion Director	Hinds	Y	Y
Legislative Director	Meseke	Y	Y
Budget Director	Lloyd	Y	Y
Chief of Staff	Ottman	Y	Y
Vice President	Wood	Y	Y
President	Burdick	Y	Y
Advisor	Dr. TLC	Y	Y
Advisor ²	Dr. G	Y	Y

- I. Call to Order – Vice President Bella Wood
- II. Roll Call – Chief of Staff Trevor Ottman
- III. Review of Proceeding Meeting Minutes
- IV. Cabinet Reports
 - a. Dante Jordan, Campus & Community Affairs Director
 - b. Kate Coulter, Communications & Marketing Director
 - c. DeMarques Hinds, Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Director
 - d. Kira Roth, Special Events Director
 - e. Cameron Meseke, Legislative Director
 - f. Nick Lloyd, Budget Director
 - g. Trevor Ottman, Chief of Staff
 - h. Bella Wood, Vice President
 - i. George Burdick, President
 - j. Dr. TLC and Dr. Gropitch, Advisor
- V. Committee Reports
 - a. Taylor Redington, Internal Affairs Speaker Pro-Tempore
 - b. Alex Timm, Allocations Chairperson
 - c. Kirstyn Brown, Campus and Community Affairs Chairperson
 - d. Dre Morris, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Chairperson
- VI. Public Forum I:
 - a. Accessibility Services Forum
- VII. New Business I:
 - a. SB 2024-25 #060 Chemistry Club
 - b. SB 2024-25 #061 Kinesiology Club
 - c. SB 2024-25 #062 Washburn Strings
 - d. SB 2024-25 #063 Spanish Club
 - e. SB 2024-25 #064 International Fraternity Council
 - f. SB 2024-25 #065 Spanish Club
 - g. SR 2024-25 #004 Domestic Abuse Awareness
 - h. SR 2024-25 #005 Recognizing Filipino-American History Month
 - i. SR 2024-25 #006 Recognizing LGBTQIA+ History Month
 - j. SB 2024-25 #080 WSGA Budget Update
- VIII. Old Business I:

- a. SB 2024-25 #058 Grammatical Edits Change
- b. SB 2024-25 #059 Service Awards Move
- IX. New Business II:
 - a. SB 2024-25 #066 Location Correction in By-laws
 - b. SB 2024-25 #067 Cabinet Voting Rights
 - c. SB 2024-25 #068 Committee Agendas
 - d. SB 2024-25 #069 Committee Sizes
 - e. SB 2024-25 #070 Flex Hours
 - f. SB 2024-25 #071 Full Senate Agenda
 - g. SB 2024-25 #072 Gallery Voting Rights
 - h. SB 2024-25 #073 Internal Finance Change
 - i. SB 2024-25 #074 Office Policy Passage
 - j. SB 2024-25 #075 Standing Senate Members
 - k. SB 2024-25 #076 Standing Senate Rules Position
 - l. SB 2024-25 #077 Fiscal Year Budget By-laws Change
 - m. SB 2024-25 #078 Speaker Name Change
 - n. SB 2024-25 #079 Executive Staff Attendance Policy
- X. Public Forum II:
 - a. Elections Ad-Hoc Presentation
 - b. WSGA Homecoming Events Forum
- XI. Announcements
- XII. Roll Call
- XIII. Adjournment



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #060

TITLE: Chemistry Club

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: Chemistry Club is requesting funding for apparel, and

WHEREAS: Chemistry Club has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: Chemistry Club is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$200.00 from the Student Organizations account to the Chemistry Club for their apparel purchases.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #061

TITLE: Kinesiology Club

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: Kinesiology Club is requesting funding for apparel, and

WHEREAS: Kinesiology Club has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: Kinesiology Club is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$100.00 from the Student Organizations account to the Kinesiology Club for their apparel purchases.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #062

TITLE: Washburn Strings

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: Washburn Strings is requesting funding for their Baroque Bash, and

WHEREAS: Washburn Strings has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: Washburn Strings is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$1,800.00 from the Student Organizations account to the Washburn Strings for their Baroque Bash.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #063

TITLE: Spanish Club

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: Spanish Club is requesting funding for their apparel and miscellaneous items, and

WHEREAS: Spanish Club has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: Spanish Club is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$1,950.00 from the Student Organizations account to the Spanish Club for their apparel and miscellaneous items.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #064
TITLE: International Fraternity Council
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: International Fraternity Council is requesting funding for a movie night and associated costs, and

WHEREAS: International Fraternity Council has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: International Fraternity Council is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$445.00 from the Student Organizations account to the International Fraternity Council for a movie night and associated costs.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #065

TITLE: Spanish Club

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: Spanish Club is requesting funding for a Dia de los Muertos trip, and

WHEREAS: Spanish Club has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process, and

WHEREAS: Spanish Club is recognized by the Office of Student Involvement and Development as a registered student group of Washburn University.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$700.00 from the Student Organizations account to the Washburn Art Club for Dia de los Muertos trip.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE RESOLUTION 2024-25 #004
TITLE: Domestic Abuse Awareness
ORIGINATOR: Senator Mcfan
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion - STATUS

WHEREAS: October 1st through October 31st is recognized Domestic Abuse Awareness Month by WSGA, and

WHEREAS: Domestic Abuse violence has been recognized to affect any person, regardless of age, gender, or background, and

WHEREAS: There are six types of Domestic Abuse, online abuse, financial abuse, sexual abuse, physical abuse, mental abuse, and emotional abuse, and

WHEREAS: WSGA has traditionally recognized Domestic Abuse Awareness Month and Day.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association recognizes October 1st through October 31st as Domestic Awareness Month.

SECTION TWO: The Washburn Student Government Association encourages students to reach out whenever they are in need of help or see others in need of help.

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President

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WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE RESOLUTION 2024-25 #005
TITLE: Recognizing Filipino-American History Month
ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Morris
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Campus and Community Affairs - STATUS

WHEREAS: Tue, Oct 1, 2024 – Thu, Oct 31, 2024, is recognized as Filipino American History Month, and

WHEREAS: October was chosen to commemorate the arrival of the first Filipinos who landed in what is now Morro Bay, California on October 18, 1587, and

WHEREAS: 2006 was a pivotal year as it marked the centennial celebration of Filipino migration to the United States, and

WHEREAS: In recent years 4.1 million Americans make up the Filipino American community, and

WHEREAS: There are resources such as Filipino-American Development Foundation (FADF), Filipino American Center at Old Dominion University.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association recognizes Filipino-American History Month.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE RESOLUTION 2024-25 #006
TITLE: Recognizing LGBTQIA+ History Month
ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Morris
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Campus and Community Affairs - STATUS

WHEREAS: Tue, Oct 1, 2024 – Thu, Oct 31, 2024, is recognized as LGBTQIA+ History Month, and

WHEREAS: LGBTQIA+ history month was founded in 1994 by Missouri high-school history teacher Rodney Wilson, and

WHEREAS: About 13.9 million adults in the US are a part of the LGBTQIA+ in more recent years, and

WHEREAS: the LGBTQIA+ is an important part of our campus portfolio, and

WHEREAS: There are resources such as the Trevor Project, Equality Federation, BiNETUSA, LGBTQ Student Resources & Support, and various other support networks, and

WHEREAS: WSGA has traditionally recognized LGBTQIA+ History Month.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association recognizes LGBTQIA+ History Month.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #080
TITLE: WSGA Budget Update
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS: The Washburn Student Government is in charge of all funds regarding the Student Activity Fee, including where those funds go, and

WHEREAS: issues and concerns that arise from a WSGA Fiscal Year Budget should be accounted for and addressed whenever possible, and

WHEREAS: potential issues have arisen from our initial plans for the budget, as we have now received the total funds we possess this year.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall update our Fiscal Year Budget to reflect intended practices going forth.

SECTION TWO: The WSGA Budget shall reflect the document, “Proposed Budget 10.2.2024”.

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL 2024-25 #058
TITLE: Grammatical Edits Change
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: The maintenance of the Constitution and By-laws is at the utmost importance for ensuring our necessary boundaries, and

WHEREAS: general maintenance of said documents requires fair and equitable checks and balances, and

WHEREAS: efficiency in edits to our documents means more opportunities for growth and greater ability to understand our abilities as an organization.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall implement an additional Section to Article IV that states grammatical and document spacing adjustments shall be made in a more updated manner.

SECTION TWO: The Constitution and By-laws shall reflect changes based on the document, "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Grammatical Change".

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL 2024-25 #059
TITLE: Service Awards Move
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: The maintenance of the Constitution and By-laws is at the utmost importance for ensuring our necessary boundaries, and

WHEREAS: the Constitution revolves around our organizational truths and beliefs, whereas the By-laws are more for structure and guidance upon our procedures, and

WHEREAS: there is potential to better reflect those ideologies.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association remove Article VII from the Constitution and implement Section 15 under "Cabinet and Executive Board".

SECTION TWO: The Constitution and By-laws shall reflect changes based on the document, "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Service Awards".

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #066

TITLE: Location Correction in By-laws

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws,
and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of
changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and
practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: Section 1A, Subsection 2 shall replace "Section 8" to read "Section 9" in the
By-laws.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature
of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #067
TITLE: Cabinet Voting Rights
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The WSGA shall add a subsection under Section 1D stating the voting rights of Cabinet Members in WSGA to reflect our current practices.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Cabinet Voting Rights".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #068
TITLE: Committee Agendas
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: A section shall be added to our By-laws updating the practices of Committees regarding agendas.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Committee Agendas".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #069

TITLE: Committee Sizes

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: Committees shall reflect the practices of including at least 3 members, including the Chairperson, not to exceed 40% of the total number of WSGA Senators.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Cabinet Voting Rights".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #070

TITLE: Flex Hours

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The WSGA Cabinet shall no longer abide by the flex hour system implemented.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Flex Hours".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #071

TITLE: Full Senate Agenda

ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration

STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: An additional section regarding Full Senate Agenda shall be added.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Full Senate Agenda".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #072
TITLE: Gallery Voting Rights
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: promoting this ability to the public could be a great way of gathering involvement in WSGA, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: A subsection under Section 1D shall be added to reflect our current practices for gaining voting rights as a non-Senator.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Gallery Voting Rights".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #073
TITLE: Internal Finance Change
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The By-laws shall be updated to reflect how Internal Finance was established in the past.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Internal Finance Change".

SECTION THREE: The current members of Internal Finance shall remain members at their own discretion.

SECTION FOUR: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #074
TITLE: Office Policy Passage
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The office policy must be passed through Senate going forth.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Office Policy".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #075
TITLE: Standing Senate Members
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: Reflecting on our current practices, each member shall be required to be a member of only one (1) Standing Committee.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document “Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Senate Standing Committee Membership”.

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #076
TITLE: Standing Senate Rules Position
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Parliamentarian shall be responsible for the creation of the WSGA Standing Senate Rules document.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – Standing Senate Rules".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #077
TITLE: Fiscal Year Budget By-laws Change
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: Updates and the creation thereof the document regarding the WSGA Budget shall pass through Senate.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to reflect changes using the document "Constitution and By-laws – Oct. 2nd, 2024 – WSGA Budget".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
WSGA President



SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #078
TITLE: Speaker Name Change
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: It is the duty of WSGA to maintain and update correct information in the By-laws, and

WHEREAS: updates to the Constitution and By-laws are typically done in the instance of changing or reflecting current norms and practices, and

WHEREAS: there currently is an update needed in the By-laws to reflect our current laws and practices.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Speaker Pro-Tempore shall be renamed to "Speaker" to better reflect practices at this University and locations elsewhere.

SECTION TWO: Our By-laws shall be updated to remove any section stating "Pro-Tempore".

SECTION THREE: This legislation shall become effective upon passage and bearing the signature of the WSGA President and Vice President.

Bella Wood
WSGA Vice President
Presiding Officer of the Senate

George Burdick
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SENATE BILL no. 24-25 #079
TITLE: Executive Staff Attendance Policy
ORIGINATOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
SPONSOR: Burdick/Wood Administration
STATUS: Internal Affairs - Pending

WHEREAS: it is the duty of the WSGA Executive Staff to maintain office hours, and

WHEREAS: it is the duty of the Chief of Staff to enforce and track office hours for the Executive Staff, and

WHEREAS: in order to obtain a fair and equitable environment, an Executive Staff Attendance Policy, clearly communicating the rules of the office, should be made.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: This Executive Staff Attendance Policy is enforced as the measure to hold the WSGA Executive Staff accountable to perform their duties.

SECTION TWO: The Executive Staff shall be held accountable by the parameters laid out in said policy.

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