

Washburn University Student Government Association

Coulter/Clark Administration, February 11th, 2026

- I. Call to Order – Vice President Lillian Clark
- II. Roll Call – Chief of Staff Caitlyn Crim
- III. Review of Proceeding Meeting Minutes
- IV. Cabinet Reports
 - a. Taylor Redington, Campus & Community Affairs Director
 - i. Mr. Beat is coming in less than one week! Coming next Tuesday at 6pm. Working with Belle for library promotions.
 - b. Belle Hammes, Communications & Marketing Director
 - i. 3 reels for the library. She is working on senate retreat recap. Updating headshots and office hours including chair people.
 - c. Chavanna Kerney, Student Accessibility & Belonging Director
 - i. She is resigning effective Friday, February 13th. She did not come to the conclusion lightly. Is doing it to protect her personal and academic life.
 - d. Amya Carpenter, Special Events Director
 - i. 2 new organizations which take us to 8 for big event. Reach out to her with any questions.
 - e. Caleb Newfer, Legislative Research Director
 - i. He reached out to the city's people, and Chairperson Ross helped with finance and revenue information. The people who control the funding is the Topeka City Council. We will go to the City Council meeting most likely on March 3rd. It will be similar attire to Higher Ed day but will be laid back.
 - f. Meredith Ginn, Budget Director
 - i. Absent
 - g. Caitlyn Crim, Chief of Staff
 - i. Working on getting more office supplies and sorting through open senate seat applications.
 - h. Lillian Clark, Vice President
 - i. Taylor and Lillian are working on the safety walk. It is on Thursday, March 5th. The public forum request form will be out on the website later this week. Next week we have an AI public forum to explain the works of the University with AI.
 - i. Kate Coulter, President
 - i. She has been helping Meredith with her workload. Make sure you are picking up after yourself in the office. Ross house is next week, PLEASE RSVP! She has been preparing for elections and went to a KBOR meeting today.
 - j. Dr. TLC, Advisor

- i. She went to the KBOR meetings today and she got to discuss her work with WSGA. Next week is the career fair in Lee Arena. Rest, Hydrate, Repeat.

V. Committee Reports:

- a. Speaker Giles, Internal Affairs Committee
 - i. IA met today. They had a lot of absence appeals to go through.
- b. Chairperson Brungardt, Allocations Committee
 - i. They will be creating a group chat about revising the funding policy. They had 22 bills today.
- c. Chairperson Smith, Campus & Community Affairs Committee
 - i. The committee brainstormed donations to bogs feeding bogs. Batteries, first aid kits, and hand warmers would be accepted. They discussed the blue lights and will be posting information about them.
- d. Chairperson Whaley, Student Accessibility & Belonging Committee
 - i. He made a post for Black History Month. The movie night is this Friday in the Kansas room 5-9pm! Tomorrow, URGE is presenting. They began planning on the drag show and gala as well.
- e. Chairperson Ross, Special Events Committee
 - i. They met today! They need to meet with the FSL committee in order to finalize the date for Montage Mayhem. They talked about the scoring system and the Big event.

VI. New Business I:

- a. SB #137: United Methodist Campus (UMC) Ministry – Mental Health Event
 - i. Tabled indefinitely
- b. SB #140: Washburn Association of Percussionists – Guest Artists
 - i. 3,050 for the Washburn Percussionists.
 - ii. Bill has passed!
- c. SB #141: Washburn Association of Composers – Guest Performer
 - i. Given favorable status
 - ii. The bill has passed!
- d. SB #143: Girls Who Code – Conference Registration
 - i. Given favorable status.
 - ii. Attending a virtual conference.
 - iii. The bill has passed!
- e. SB #144: Girls Who Code – February Galentine’s Event
 - i. The bill has passed!
- f. SB #145: Girls Who Code – Coffee Bar Study Night

- i. Chairperson Ross: thinks if it is passed in allocations, it shouldn't be brought to senate.
- ii. The bill has passed!
- g. SB #146: Alpha Phi Upsilon Chapter – Philanthropy Week Supplies
 - i. The bill has passed!
- h. SB #156: French Club – Study Abroad
 - i. The bill has passed!
- i. SB #157: Chemistry Club – STEAM Day
 - i. The bill has passed!
- j. SB #158: EcoBods – Student Media Advertisement
 - i. The bill has passed!
- k. SB #159: International Club – Holi Celebration
 - i. The bill was tabled for one week.

- l. SB #160: Washburn Piano & Organ Society – The Lyric Duo
 - i. The bill has passed!
- m. SB #161: Pi Kappa Delta (Debate) – Apparel
 - i. Tabled for one week
- n. SB #162: Sigma Lambda Gamma – Supplies
 - i. The bill has passed!
- o. SB #163: Hinds Grant
 - i. They are going to the big 12 conference at KU. It gives them a chance to learn a lot of new information.
 - ii. The bill has passed!
- p. SB #165: Burnett Grant
 - i. The bill was tabled for one week.
- q. SB #166: Evans Grant
 - i. They are going to play with a college band in Texas.
 - ii. The bill has passed!
- r. SB #167: Lester Grant
 - i. Requesting 4,000 for a conference in Chicago. They are presenting a neurodivergent study as well as their master's thesis.
 - ii. The bill has passed!
- s. SB #168: Cotton Grant
 - i. The bill was tabled for one week.
- t. SB #169: Parma Grant
 - i. The bill was tabled for one week.
- u. SB #170: Rock Grant
 - i. The bill was tabled for one week.

VII. Public Forum I:

- a. Student Public Forum, Jaxon Blubaugh
 - i. He is asking people to volunteer for their Leadership event. Its on Friday February 27th. Reach out to him or Taylor with any questions
 - ii. Senator Meier: Do we get to choose what sign we hold.
 - a. You can come to their work night on Tuesday the 17th to make a custom sign.
- iii. Parliamentarian Sharp: He asked if we will be protesting real issues or if it is fake.
 - a. You will be protesting a fake school district's mental health policy.

iv. End of the public forum.

VIII. Public Forum II:

- a. SB #154 Second Hearing, Legislative Research Director Newfer
 - i. Caleb has updated the bylaws again. Beyond that, no one has reached out to him about changes. He encourages people to vote on it today. Even if we make changes tonight, he says we should still vote regardless.
 - ii. It goes into effect on transition day.
 - iii. He explained some of the changes he made before he first presented as well as after the previous Senate meeting.
 - iv. Director Redington: Do law students not pay the student activity fee?
 - a. Senator Lloyd: Law students do not pay it.
 - b. President Coulter: They do pay it; it is just not our money.
 - v. Senator Smith: Expressed confusion about why applications would go to IA right away since Chief of Staff gets it first.
 - a. Newfer: It was changed because the speaker is a part of senate where the Chief is not.
 - b. Senator Smith: It makes sense that Chief of Staff would get it first as they are non-voting.
 - c. Chief of Staff Crim: It currently goes to Chief, President, and Speaker where they will review it and determine if it acceptable to send to IA.
 - d. President Coulter: They would have to track down speaker, so they should go to Chief and it should be changed.
 - vi. Sharp: That is time.
 - a. Senator Smith: Moves to extend the forum
 - b. The motion is seconded.
 - vii. Senator Smith: So, is it the goal for the speaker to be the one that approves them, and then it goes to internal affairs? That would be redundant as that already occurs in internal affairs.
 - a. Senator Lloyd: What this will do is strike out the process of sending it to Chief, Speaker, and President.
 - viii. Senator Bourell: Motions to move out of public forum.

- a. The motion was seconded.
- b. We are moved out of the public forum.

IX. Public Forum III:

- a. Spring Election Board Creation
 - i. Presented by President Coulter.
 - ii. General Elections happen every spring after the President and VP gavel out. Unless you run again, you will be gaveled out as well. Everyone has to run for the next administration. You can run for elections by picking up a packet in order to be put on the ballot. There are 27 open seats and there are many ways you can file. It is one person per student organization.
 - a. Senator Smith: If you are the vice president, can you use the organization
 - b. President Coulter: Yes
 - iii. To be put on the ballot, you must have a 2.0 GPA and enrolled in 6 credit hours. Campaigning starts tomorrow and if you don't turn in the packet, you will not be on the ballot. Campaign season is February 12th-March 12th.
 - a. Director Redington: Can you talk about campaigns in the office.
 - b. Coulter: That will come later in the presentation.
 - iv. Director Newfer: The packets are due before voting.
 - v. President Coulter: We have election policies and it applies to everyone. President Coulter went over our elections policy.
 - a. Senator Yucesan: Can I talk about how great I am.
 - b. Director Hammes: Can you submit stuff to the marketing Director.
 - c. President Coulter: No.
 - vi. Senator Bourell: Are we allowed to knock on dorms.
 - a. President Coulter: No, they are residential halls.
 - vii. Chairperson Ross: Can you tell/solicit people to vote.
 - a. President Coulter: Probably not.
 - viii. President Coulter: Posters must be taken down after voting. And no campaign materials next to polling locations. We are capped at 20 posters. No gift giving.
 - ix. Director Redington: Is there an elections board stamp
 - a. President Coulter: No. The board just must respond to concerns from others.
 - x. President Coulter: Elections board is here to make sure candidates do not go against the election policies. If you do

not follow the rules, the election board will have a meeting with you. They cannot force you to do things, but they have to address them.

- xi. President Coulter: The elections board consists of 7 people. No member on the board can be a student running in any upcoming election. If senators would like to be on the board but still be in WSGA, they can fill out an open seat application. President Coulter will be on the board but will not be able to vote.
- xii. Senator Smith: He explains that previously open senate seat applications were not done in a timely fashion.
- xiii. President Coulter: Asks who will be interested in the board.
- xiv. Sharp: Moves to extend public forum by 5 minutes.
 - a. The motion is seconded.
 - b. The public forum is extended.
- xv. Cattoor, Bourell, Motes, Asfaque, Newfeld, and Artzer nominate themselves and accept.
- xvi. Senator Smith: Smith asks about the process of voting.
 - a. President Coulter: It's a form. You will select 5 people.
- xvii. Vice Chairperson McGill: What's the point of tabling?
 - a. President Coulter: To let people know about the elections.
- xviii. Public Forum ends.

X. New Business II:

- a. SB #171: Written Statement Integration
 - i. Presented by chairperson Brungardt
 - ii. This bill allows organizations to submit written statements, so they do not need to come to Senate.
 - iii. Senator Smith: He does not feel comfortable passing this bill without Director Ginn present.
 - iv. Vice Chairperson McGill: Asks if Chairperson Brungardt spoke with Director Ginn.
 - a. Brungardt: Yes, Director Ginn doesn't see a problem with this as it will be very casual.
 - b. Vice Chairperson McGill: Would this make funding slower as allocations typically has many questions for student organizations.
 - c. Brungardt: She doesn't see people not wanting to come to senate and this would speed up committee.

- v. Senator Lloyd: Meeting with student organizations does not take much time. He moves to previous question
 - a. The motion is seconded.
 - b. Division is called.
 - c. The motion has failed.
- vi. Senator Smith: If the conversations are short, then this process shows that the allocations committee could be irrelevant.
- vii. Vice Chairperson McGill: Is there a way to amend the bill to say people can submit a statement if they are not able to show up?
 - a. Brungardt: It is implied in the bill.
 - b. Senator Stevens: Yields time to President Coulter.
 - c. President Coulter: Our director has been out for an entire week and has many trips coming up. She does not have much time to meet with organizations.
- viii. Senator O'Leary-Worsley: Can we bring this to new organizations.
 - a. Brungardt: People must sign a paper saying they understand the funding policy. This opens up the option for written statements and doesn't force them
- ix. Vice Chairperson Motes: Yields time to Director Newfer.
 - a. Even in real life, not everyone has to be there to speak. He supports this and if the budget director does not have time, that should be a separate matter.
 - b. Vice Chairperson Motes: Reclaims his time.
 - i. Moves to the previous question.
 - ii. Waives standing senate rules.
 - iii. Division.
 - iv. Motion fails.
- x. Senator Bourell: Likes when people come to talk to us and when they see where the money goes. Thinks today was pointless as we didn't get to see the faces of our student organizations.
- xi. Senator Adhikari: Will this bill be changed for the next administration if it fails today.
 - a. Yes.
- xii. Speaker Giles: Agrees with Bourell that organizations coming in should be the choice of the students.
- xiii. Chairperson Ross: Yields time to Newfer.
 - a. Newfer: This is other people's money and thinks we

should do whatever is easier for the organizations. He thinks they should have the choice as we are working for them.

- b. Ross: Reclaims Time.
- c. Ross: He thinks it allows them the right to choose. He doesn't want to force people to come here.
 - i. Motions for a five-minute Recess.

xiv. Parliamentarian Sharp: Moves to extend new business by 10 minutes.

- a. Motion is seconded.
- b. Division.
- c. The motion has failed.

xv. The bill is voted on

- a. Division.
- b. The bill has passed!

b. SB #154: Revision of Existing Frameworks: Organization & Rule Modification (**REFORM**) Act

c. Senator Artzer: Moves to previous question

- i. Motion is seconded.
- ii. The motion has passed.

XI. Announcements

XII. Roll Call – Chief of Staff Caitlyn Crim

XIII. Adjournment

Position	Last Name	Present (Beginning)	Present (Final)
Senator	Adhikari	P	P
Senator	Anderson	A	A
Senator	Arnold	P	P
Senator	Artzer	P	P
Senator	Asfaque	P	P
Senator	Barbery	A	P
Senator	Bourell	P	P
Chairperson	Brungardt	P	P
Vice Chairperson	Carter	P	P
Vice Chairperson	Cattoor	P	P
Speaker	Giles	P	P
Senator	Hinds	P	P
Senator	Lloyd	P	P
Senator	McFan	A	A

Vice Chairperson	McGill	P	P
Senator	Meier	P	P
Vice Chairperson	Motes	P	P
Senator	Neufeld	P	P
Senator	O'Leary-Worsley	P	P
Chairperson	Ross	P	P
Parliamentarian	Sharp	P	P
Senator	Smith	P	P
Chairperson	Smith	A	A
Senator	Stevens	P	P
Chairperson	Whaley	P	P
Senator	Yucesan	P	P

Position	Last Name	Present (Beginning)	Present (Final)
Special Events Director	Carpenter	A	A
Marketing Director	Hammes	P	P
Campus and Community Affairs Director	Redington	P	P
Student Accessibility and Belonging Director	Kerney	P	P
Legislative Research Director	Newfer	P	P
Budget Director	Ginn	A	A
Chief of Staff	Crim	P	P
Vice President	Clark	P	P

President	Coulter	P	P
Advisor	Dr. TLC	P	P

Washburn Student Government Association Allocations Committee Agenda

Date: February 11th, 2026

- I. Call to Order – Chairperson Brungardt
- II. Roll Call – Vice-Chairperson McGill
- III. Old Business I
 - a. Direct Funding
 - i. SB#137: United Methodist Campus (UMC) Ministry - Mental Health Event
 - 1. Parliamentarian Sharp moves to table this bill indefinitely, unanimously approved
 - ii. SB#140: Washburn Association of Percussionists – Guest Artists
 - 1. Org is requesting funding to bring in five groups of artists for masterclasses, private lessons, and performances
 - 2. Senator Smith moves to amend this bill's total from 2200 to 3050
 - 3. Parliamentarian Sharp moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved
 - iii. SB#141: Washburn Association of Composers – Guest Performer
 - 1. Org is requesting funding to bring a composer in for private lessons and a masterclass
 - 2. Parliamentarian Sharp moves to give this bill favorable

status, unanimously approved

iii. SB#143: Girls Who Code – Conference Registration

1. Org is requesting funding for tickets to a virtual conference
2. Parliamentarian Sharp moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved

iv. SB#144: Girls Who Code – February Galentine's Event

1. Org is requesting funding for snacks and craft supplies for a Galentine's event
2. Senator Adhikari moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved

v. SB#145: Girls Who Code – Coffee Bar Study Night

1. Org is requesting funding for refreshment funding for their coffee bar study night event
2. Senator Adhikari moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved

vi. SB#146: Alpha Phi Upsilon Chapter – Philanthropy Week Supplies

1. Org is requesting funding for their philanthropy week event supplies
2. Senator Adhikari moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved

vii. SB#156: French Club – Study Abroad

1. Org is requesting funding for their study abroad trip to France
2. Parliamentarian Sharp moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved

IV. New Business I:

a. Reimbursement

- i. SB #157: Chemistry Club - STEAM Day
 - 1. Org is requesting funding for their outreach day event
 - 2. Senator Adhikari moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved
- ii. SB #158: EcoBods - Student Media Advertisements
 - 1. Org is requesting funding for an advertisement bundle
 - 2. Senator Adhikari moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved
- iii. SB #159: International Club - Holi Celebration
 - 1. Senator Hinds moves to table this bill for one week, unanimously approved
- iv. SB #160: Washburn Piano & Organ Society - The Lyric Duo
 - 1. Org is requesting funding for a masterclass
 - 2. Senator Adhikari moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved

b. Direct Funding

- i. SB #161: Pi Kappa Delta (Debate) - Apparel
 - 1. Parliamentarian Sharp moves to table this bill for one week, unanimously approved
- ii. SB #162: Sigma Lambda Gamma – Supplies
 - 1. Org is requesting funding for their recruitment event supplies
 - 2. Parliamentarian Sharp moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved

c. Grants

- i. SB #163: Hinds Grant
 - 1. Students are requesting funding for their trip to the big twelve
 - 2. Senator Adhikari moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved (1 abstention)
- ii. SB #165: Burnett Grant
 - 1. Parliamentarian Sharp moves to table this bill for one week, unanimously approved
- iii. SB #166: Evans Grant

1. Students are requesting funding for their trip to Texas for an Intercollegiate conference
2. Senator Smith moves to amend the bill's total to \$2000, unanimously approved
3. Senator Smith moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved

iv. SB #167: Lester Grant

1. Students are requesting funding for their trip to the ADAA conference
2. Senator Smith moves to give this bill favorable status, unanimously approved

v. SB #168: Cotton Grant

1. Senator Smith moves to table this bill for one week, unanimously approved

vi. SB #169: Parma Grant

1. Parliamentarian Sharp moves table this bill indefinitely, unanimously approved

vii. SB #170: Rock Grant

1. Parliamentarian Sharp moves table this bill indefinitely, unanimously approved

d. Funding Policy Revisions

- i. SB #171: Written Statement Integration
 1. Senator Smith moves to give this bill neutral status, unanimously approved

V. Announcements

VI. Adjournment

Position	First Name	Last Name	Present (Beginning)	Present (Final)
Chairperson	Kendall	Brungardt	P	P
Senator	Prekshya	Adhikari	P	P
Senator	DeMarques	Hinds	P	P
Vice Chairperson	Haley	McGill	P	P
Parliamentarian	Keegan	Sharp	P	P
Senator	Grady	Smith	P	P

Washburn Student Government Association Campus & Community Affairs Committee Agenda & Minutes

02/11/2026

- I. Call to Order – Chairperson Smith
- II. Roll Call – Vice-Chairperson Cattoor
 - a. Favorite Olympic sport?
- III. Director Report – Director Redington
 - a. Safety Walk 6:30pm March 5th
 - b. Chief Enos on March 4th
 - c. Feb. 25th Facilities comes
 - d. AI committee comes the 18th
 - e. Bods Feeding Bods Donations
- IV. Chair Report – Vice-Chairperson Cattoor
 - a. Canva for Campus Blue lights
 - i. Colton will do on Friday
 - b. Bods Feeding Bods Donations
 - i. Flashlights
 - ii. Self-Protect whistles
 - iii. First aid kits
 - iv. Batteries
 - v. Hand warmers
- c. Questions for Breakfast on the 19th
 - i. Updates on Henderson constructions
 - ii. Fall Grads over Spring Grads – athletics and senior night game days
 - 1. Maybe WSGA investigates something?
- d. Safety Form from Bella

- V. New Business I

- a. Campus safety initiative planning
 - i. Safety Form from Bella
 - 1. Colton will try and find on Friday, ask Lillian

VI. Adjournment

Name	Beginning	End
Chairperson Tiana Smith	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vice Chairperson Colton Cattoor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Senator Emma Anderson	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Senator Nick Lloyd	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Senator Karly Neufeld	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Senator Madeline O'Leary-Worsley	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Washburn University Student Government Association SAB Committee,
February 12, 2026

Position	First Name	Last Name	Present (Beginning)	Present (Final)
Chairperson	Parker	Whaley	Y	Y
Vice Chairperson	Merit	Carter	Y	Y
Senator	Alyssa	Barbery	X	X
Senator	Maggie	Bourell	Y	Y
Senator	Shaylee	Giles	Y	Y
Senator	Kory	McFan	X	X
Senator	Ashton	Meier	Y	Y
Senator	Autumn	Stevens	Y	Y

- I. Call to order - Chairperson Parker Whaley
- II. Roll call - Merit Carter
- III. New Business I
 - A. Movie & Discussion
 - 1. February 13th, 5-9 pm, Kansas Room
 - 2. Any final questions/comments/concerns?
 - B. Black History Month
 - 1. Speaker/panel updates
 - 4 Reached out to Sharla Smith
 - 4 Reach out to Washburn faculty
 - a Senator office hour/task look up faculty to speak on anti-racism and advocates for that
 - 2. Would we like to table?
 - 4 Yes to tabling
 - 4 Make booklets on the Instagram post
 - C. Gayla
 - 1. What do we want the event to look like
 - 2. Dates?
 - 4 April 18?
 - 4 Checking to see if BTAC is open
 - D. Director Kearny Stepping down
 - 1. Chairperson Whaley taking Director position
 - 2. Vice Chairperson Carter moves to Chairperson
 - 3. Elect a new Vice Chairperson
 - E. Public Forum on AI next week
 - 1. Think of questions and feed back
 - F. Ross House Breakfast
 - 1. Please RSVP
 - 2. Talking points

- 4 Dorms
- 4 WIFI
- 4 Students at risk for ICE
- 4 DEI in general

IV. Adjournment

- I. **Roll Call:**
- II. **Review of Previous Meeting Minutes**
- III. **Guest Speakers:**
- IV. **Reports & Updates**
 - a. Chairperson Report.
 - 1. No news yet
- V. **New Business**
 - a. Montage Mayhem.
 - 1. The point system for voting is being decided upon.
 - 2. FSL week committee meeting next week to see if we can team with OSID
 - b. The Big Event
 - 1. Community service event.
- VI. **Roll Call**
- VII. **Adjournment**



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #137

TITLE: United Methodist Campus (UMC) Ministry - Mental Health Event

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, United Methodist Campus (UMC) Ministry is requesting funding for their mental health event; and

WHEREAS, UMC Ministry has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, UMC Ministry 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 \$120.00 from the Student Organizations account to UMC Ministry for their mental health event.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #140

TITLE: Washburn Association of Percussionists - Guest Artists

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Washburn Association of Percussionists is requesting funding for their Spring '26 series of guest artists; and

WHEREAS, Washburn Association of Percussionists has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, Washburn Association of Percussionists 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 \$2,200.00 from the Student Organizations account to Washburn Association of Percussionists for their Spring '26 series of guest artists, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #141

TITLE: Washburn Association of Composers - Guest Performer

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Washburn Association of Composers is requesting funding for their guest performer; and

WHEREAS, Washburn Association of Composers has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, Washburn Association of Composers 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 \$1,770.00 from the Student Organizations account to Washburn Association of Composers for their guest performer, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #143

TITLE: Girls Who Code - Conference Registration

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Girls Who Code is requesting funding for registration fees related to their attendance of the Harvard WECODE Virtual Conference; and

WHEREAS, Girls Who Code has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, Girls Who Code 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 \$420.00 from the Student Organizations account to Girls Who Code for registration fees related to their attendance of the Harvard WECODE Virtual Conference, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #144

TITLE: Girls Who Code - February Galentine's Event

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Girls Who Code is requesting funding for their February Galentine's event; and

WHEREAS, Girls Who Code has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, Girls Who Code 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 \$70.00 from the Student Organizations account to Girls Who Code for their February Galentine's event, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #145

TITLE: Girls Who Code - Coffee Bar Study Night

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Girls Who Code is requesting funding for their Coffee Bar Study Night event; and

WHEREAS, Girls Who Code has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, Girls Who Code 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 \$120.00 from the Student Organizations account to Girls Who Code for their Coffee Bar Study Night event, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #146

TITLE: Alpha Phi Upsilon Chapter - Philanthropy Week Supplies

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Alpha Phi Upsilon Chapter is requesting funding for their Philanthropy Week supplies; and

WHEREAS, Alpha Phi Upsilon Chapter has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, Alpha Phi Upsilon Chapter 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 \$50.00 from the Student Organizations account to Alpha Phi Upsilon Chapter for their Philanthropy Week supplies, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #156

TITLE: French Club – Study Abroad

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, French Club is requesting funding for their Wine & Cooking Study Abroad trip; and

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

WHEREAS, French 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 \$3,600.00 from the Student Organizations account to French Club for their Wine & Cooking Study Abroad trip, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #157
TITLE: Chemistry Club – STEAM Day
ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt
SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt
STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Chemistry Club is requesting funding for their STEAM Day; 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 Chemistry Club for their STEAM Day, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #158
TITLE: EcoBods – Student Media Advertisement
ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt
SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt
STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, EcoBods is requesting funding for their advertisement fees through student media; and

WHEREAS, EcoBods has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, EcoBods 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 \$440.00 from the Student Organizations account to EcoBods for their advertisement fees through student media, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #159
TITLE: International Club – Holi Celebration
ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt
SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt
STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, International Club is requesting funding for their Holi celebration; and

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

WHEREAS, International 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 \$500.00 from the Student Organizations account to International Club for their Holi celebration, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #160
TITLE: Washburn Piano & Organ Society - The Lyric Duo
ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt
SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt
STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Washburn Piano & Organ Society is requesting funding for their event with The Lyric Duo; and

WHEREAS, Washburn Piano & Organ Society has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, Washburn Piano & Organ Society 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 \$350.00 from the Student Organizations account to Washburn Piano & Organ Society for their event with The Lyric Duo, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #161
TITLE: Pi Kappa Delta (Debate) - Apparel
ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt
SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt
STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Pi Kappa Delta is requesting funding for their apparel; and

WHEREAS, Pi Kappa Delta has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, Pi Kappa Delta 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 \$747.00 from the Student Organizations account to Pi Kappa Delta for their apparel, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #162
TITLE: Sigma Lambda Gamma - Supplies
ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt
SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt
STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Sigma Lambda Gamma is requesting funding for their supplies; and

WHEREAS, Sigma Lambda Gamma has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process; and

WHEREAS, Sigma Lambda Gamma 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 \$210.00 from the Student Organizations account to Sigma Lambda Gamma for their supplies, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #163

TITLE: Hinds Grant

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, DeMarques Hinds is requesting funding for their group's attendance of the Big XII Conference; and

WHEREAS, DeMarques Hinds has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$4,000.00 from the Student Development Grant account to DeMarques Hinds for their group's attendance of the Big XII Conference, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #165
TITLE: Burnett Grant
ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt
SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt
STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, April Burnett is requesting funding for their group's attendance of the 70th United Nations Commission on the Status of Women; and

WHEREAS, April Burnett has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$4,000.00 from the Student Development Grant account to April Burnett for their group's attendance of the 70th United Nations Commission on the Status of Women, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #166

TITLE: Evans Grant

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Weslie Evans is requesting funding for their group's attendance of the 2026 CBDNA Southwestern Division conference; and

WHEREAS, Weslie Evans has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$1,864.67 from the Student Development Grant account to Weslie Evans for their group's attendance of the 2026 CBDNA Southwestern Division conference, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #167

TITLE: Lester Grant

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Anna Lester is requesting funding for their group's attendance of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America Conference; and

WHEREAS, Anna Lester has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$4,000.00 from the Student Development Grant account to Anna Lester for their group's attendance of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America Conference, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #168

TITLE: Cotton Grant

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Emily Cotton is requesting funding for their group's attendance of the 70th United Nations Commission on the Status of Women; and

WHEREAS, Emily Cotton has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$2,200.00 from the Student Development Grant account to Emily Cotton for their group's attendance of the 70th United Nations Commission on the Status of Women, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #169

TITLE: Parma Grant

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Edward Parma is requesting funding for their group's attendance of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America conference; and

WHEREAS, Edward Parma has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$1,000.00 from the Student Development Grant account to Edward Parma for their group's attendance of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America conference, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #170

TITLE: Rock Grant

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Kyle Rock is requesting funding for their group's attendance of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America conference; and

WHEREAS, Kyle Rock has fully complied with all applicable funding policies to this point in the allocation process.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The Washburn Student Government Association shall allocate an amount not to exceed \$1,000.00 from the Student Development Grant account to Kyle Rock for their group's attendance of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America conference, within the timeline outlined in the Funding Policy.

SECTION TWO: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #171

TITLE: Written Statement Integration

ORIGINATOR: Chairperson Brungardt

SPONSOR: Chairperson Brungardt

STATUS: Allocations Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, Washburn University houses a robust collection of Student Organizations, many of which are familiar with the WSGA Funding Policy and regularly request funding, this has only increased with recent improvements to our abilities to allocate funds, such as the Direct Funding Process; and

WHEREAS, this has created scheduling challenges in giving each of the requesting organizations the time they deserve to present their requests to the committee, even when many requests are fully in line with our Funding Policy and need little to no elaboration; and

WHEREAS, the WSGA Senate can and should create alternative processes in our Funding Policy that maximize both the time of committee members and Student Organization representatives while also making our services more accessible to students.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The purpose of this legislation is to create an accessible avenue for Student Organizations requesting funds by allowing them to submit written statements with their requests. The current Funding Policy dictates that a Student Organization representative must attend the Allocations Committee, even if they submit a funding request that is fully in line with the Funding Policy. This change creates an option for Student Organizations to explain their request in a way that may be more suitable for their schedule.

SECTION TWO: The following revisions to the Funding Policy will be adopted as amendments to the applicable sections in Chapter 4. Approval of the policy (highlighted language will be added to the current policy):

- c. The legislation will be required to proceed through the process outlined below:
 1. The requesting student or a representative from the requesting organization will be required to attend to speak on the bill in The Allocations Committee and Full Senate meeting immediately following their request submission.
This student or organization representative cannot be a sworn-in member of the WSGA.
 - a. The Student Organization representatives will not be required to attend to speak on the bill in The Allocations Committee and Full Senate meeting if:
 - i. Prior to the submission of funding request paperwork to the Budget Director, a representative for the organization meets with the Budget Director to review the details of their request.
 - a. In this meeting, the Budget Director will aid the Student Organization representative in ensuring the request follows the Funding Policy and includes all pertinent

details to the subject of the request. The Budget Director should also address any concerns they could anticipate the committee having with the nature of the request.

- ii. Following this meeting, the organization representative shall include a written statement addressing these concerns and/or other information they wish to disclose to the Allocations Committee with the required funding request paperwork they submit to the Budget Director.
- iii. This request will be subject to the same process as other funding requests, and the Allocations Committee reserves the right to summon the Student Organization representative to the next Allocations Committee if they find the written statement is not sufficient.

SECTION THREE: Responsibility

1. Within two weeks of this bill's passage by the WSGA Senate:
 - a. The Legislative Research Director will ensure that the Funding Policy is updated and redistributed.
 - b. The Budget Director will inform all requesting organizations of this change throughout the Spring 2026 semester and will ensure that both the Student Grant request form and the Student Organization request form both reflect these changes.
 - c. The Communications & Marketing director will inform the student body of these changes through the applicable communications mediums. This includes but is not limited to: social media posts, the blinky board, and direct communications with Student Organization representatives.

SECTION FOUR: This legislation shall become effective upon passage by the WSGA Senate, subject to the veto power of the WSGA President as outlined in the Constitution.



SENATE BILL 2025-26 #154

TITLE: Revision of Existing Frameworks: Organization & Rule Modification
(REFORM) Act

ORIGINATOR: Legislative Research Director Newfer, Sen. Lloyd

SPONSOR: Sen. Lloyd

STATUS: Internal Affairs Committee – Pending

WHEREAS, WSGA is governed by its Constitution and By-Laws; and

WHEREAS, there is need for revision within these documents; and

WHEREAS, the final authority on these revisions is within the discretion of the WSGA Senate.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE WSGA SENATE:

SECTION ONE: The attached “Reformed WSGA By-Laws” and “Reformed WSGA Constitution” will be the official Constitution and By-Law documents for WSGA. All previous By-Law and Constitution documents pertaining to WSGA governance will be considered null and void.

SECTION TWO: Upon passage by the WSGA Senate, this legislation shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. on April 22, 2026.