Call to Order: 7:33pm

Approval of Minutes:

Pass: Yes:____  Fail: _____

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Members Present: 22

Guest Speakers:

- Land bridge presentation
  - No renderings of the project
  - In the listening phase
  - Want to show the scope and ask what we think about it
    - Image shown on the screen shows
  - Described where the project will be
  - Described the Land Bridge
  - Several problems
    - Biggest problem: The amount of stairs will be used to get to the bridge
  - Question is how to view this thing to make this better
  - Questions
    - We have a lot of green space and no one uses it to study. We need places to have some sort of park and have a space where students feel comfortable sitting.
      - This is a central design concept
    - Is the accension on both sides or just on the alumni mall side?
      - Thinks there are two
      - Sees oppritunity
How are you meeting the needs of students with disabilities?
- There are two elevators on either side
- Assured to be totally accessible

Would it be similar to how the University Center is connected to the parking garage?
- Yes

Will there be lights on the bridge and the bus safety lights?
- Yes and there will be cameras

Will the stairs be similar to an amphitheater on the Alumni Mall side?
- Yes
- Beautiful view to the Admin building

What are the extent of the activities in this area?
- Currently there are two concerts that take place in that area
- Students come to concerts
  - Over 5000 last spring
- Just depends on the time
  - RSO Fair
  - Inflatables

Needs to be a way for both a park aspect and concert area

Will have an increase in overall green space

Is there any decorative designs?
- Definitely
- Maybe a mural image
- Bridge itself will take on a quality and character for itself
- Fogelman has art up the stairs

Actual top of the bridge material?
- Surface of the bridge maybe concrete
- One of the concepts is seen as a board terraced bridge
- A lot you can do with concrete

What are your concepts for the bridge?
- On either side may have rooms

Is there an estimation about how long it will take to cross the bridge?
- 5 mins

Can we do handprints in the bridge?
- Tiger pawprints
- For famous or notable alumni

Will I feel the train?
- No
- Goal is for you not to be able to feel the bridge

How long till complete?
- Fall of 2018
- Get the bridge and rec on the same schedule

Entering design process for the landbridge
- 14 months for rec
- Garage

Roof or awning over the land bridge
• Over the bridge there will not be
  ▪ There could be isolated ones
  ▪ How much will construction interfere with us getting to class?
• Some form of crossing but not a few
• Not liable for interrupting the train

• Graduate Student Association Presentation
  o Asked to go through the process for funding for graduate students
  o Won’t fund amneties
  o Allocate funding for certain percentages
  o Cap funding at $600 a piece
  o Awarded 217 graduate students
  ▪ Average of 276 a person
  o Now we have awarded 35
  ▪ Average amount awarded $440
  o Wants more funding
  o How much is the total budget
  ▪ 65,000
• Zach Crawford about TISL
  o Go to Nashville and have 27 people going
  o Sit and present bills and debate bills
  o Go against the rest of TN
  o Head delegate: Candace Herman
  o Looking for people to come and compete in Nashville
  o Representatives and Senate
  ▪ Representatives are the bread and butter
  o Grown more successful as the years have gone on
  o Lobbyists
  ▪ Talk to individuals
  o Media
  ▪ Firm
  o Anything for anyone in any major
  o Big networking experience
  o Looking for 27 people
  o Applications under SGA under forms on Tiger Zone

Officer Reports:

Committee Reports:

• Judicial: Daulton Fulcher was elected Co-Chair and Laniey Ortego was elected clerk.
• Student Services: Hugh Cross was elected the Co-Chair. The group then worked on bills
• Student Development: Cayley Petty was elected Co-Chair and Vivian Bach was elected clerk. They then picked 3 bills that they were interested in presenting.
• Finance: Andrew Clark was elected Co-Chair and Ashley Courtney was elected as the clerk.
• Environmental: Madison Inaman was elected Co-Chair and Dekitra Durant was elected clerk. They then talked over bills.
Old Business:

New Business:

- Introduction of the Attorney General Nominee True Merritt
  - Keep all branches of SGA following the rules
  - Natalie Spoke about her
  - Motion and second
  - Discussion
    - Explain the position
      - Work with all positions
      - Holds each branch accountable
      - Advises judicial board
  - Motion to vote and seconded
  - All in favor
  - Full vote

- Two Senate Appointments
  - David Scott
  - Blake Stanton
  - Motion to approve and Seconded
  - Discussion
  - Motion to vote
    - All in favor for both

- Travel Bills
  - James Briscoe
    - National Communication Associtaion attendee
    - Discussion
      - Grad or undergrad
        - Graduate
    - Voted All in favor
  - Madeline Capstick
    - 2016 Southern Assocaiton of Conselor Ed and Supervision
    - Asking for $370
    - Voted All in favor
  - Jennifer Drabowicz
    - Asking for $370
    - Voted All in favor
  - Madhav Ghimire
    - Asking for $496
    - Voted All in favor
  - Katherine Haaga
    - Asking for $370
    - Voted All in favor
  - Rebecca Kamody
    - Asking for $600
    - Voted All in favor
  - Sungmin Lee
- Asking for $234
  - Voted All in favor
  - Rebecca Warren
    - Asking for $161
    - Voted All in favor
  - Daniel Gabriel
    - Asking for $657
    - It will be refunded to them if approved
    - Voted All in favor

**Adviser Comments:**

- Oct 5 Secretary of State is coming to the Rec center
  - Will substitute for office hours
- Next Tuesday voter registration day
  - Need to be there
- Congratulations to Hugh for getting a counselor to the Law School
- Bringing things that will truly impact the University
- Jared and Natalie will be meeting with the heads of each college to see what is needed

**Roll Call:**

Adjourn: 8:35pm

**Tony Joe Connell**

Speaker of the Senate

**Jacquelyn Joosse**

Chief Clerk