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## Senate Meeting Minutes September 25, 2024

- 1. Call to Order and Order of the Day
- 2. Attendance
- 3. Pledges
- 4. Advisor Comments
  - a. Dr. Hollie Smith:
    - i. We're naming the new dining hall! Make sure you vote to narrow down names.
    - ii. New Administrative Assistant starts 10/1. Please sign the banner and make her feel welcome
- 5. Executive Reports
  - a. Sergeant-At-Arms Ares-Jean Sinibaldi
    - i. Tailgate Wars: Sigma Nu won week 1!
  - b. Vice President Uchenna Njoku
    - i. Help with Aunt Flow on Friday
  - c. Speaker of the Senate Emilee Cude
    - i. Internal Affairs Committee stay after

#### **Old Business**

None

#### **New Business**

- 1. Guest Speaker
  - a. Ryder from Jackwalkers
- 2. Confirm a Justice Marin Kumler
  - a. Vote:
    - i. For: 23
    - ii. Against: 0
    - iii. Abstain: 1
- 3. Confirm Committee Chair: Rebekah Cook for Academic Affairs Committee
  - a. Vote: 23-0-0
- 4. Constitutional Amendment to the SGA Minimum GPA Requirement
  - a. Written, Submitted, and Presented by Ares-Jean Sinibaldi
    - i. Speakers For:
      - 1. Ares-Jean Sinibaldi
      - 2. Carlos Salazar
    - ii. Speakers Against:

# 1. Abigail Archibald

- b. Motion to Table
  - i. Allow more discussion before a vote
  - ii. Vote: 17-4-3 (For-Against-Abstain)
- c. Tabled until next Senate meeting
- 5. Appoint a new Vacancy Seat Senator: Aidan Barugh
  - a. Seat: Off Campus 1
  - b. Pass 24-0-0

## **Open Forum**

None

#### **Announcements:**

- National Night Out is October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 5-7 pm
  - o Set up starts at 4pm
  - o See Uchenna if you want to help out
- Sweatshirts Fill out the size form!
- Makeup retreat will be 9/26 at 3pm
- Committee Assignments will go out tomorrow