

GLENVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

7 September 2023

- I. Meeting has been called to order at 12:36PM
- II. Attendance was collected by Parliamentarian Tanner and Quorum was met
- III. Amendment to the Agenda:
 - i. Resignation of Charles
 - i. Representative Bennett motioned for the resignation.
 - ii. Representative Gibson seconded the resignation.
 - iii. The Assembly unanimously approved the resignation of Senator Charles Copeland.
 - ii. Swearing in New Members
 - i. Senator Alfred “Fredo” Menjor appointment
 - i. Representative McDermott motioned for the appointment.
 - ii. Representative Devins seconded for the appointment.
 - iii. The Assembly unanimously approved the appointment of Alfred “Fredo” Menjor as a Senator.
 - ii. Justice Charles Copeland
 - i. Representative Bennett motioned for the appointment.
 - ii. Representative Cutright seconded the appointment.
 - i. Representative Lynch inquired about which group appointed Charles Copeland as Justice. The recommended

appointment was not disagreeable; however, wanted clarification from the executive cabinet.

- ii. Parliamentarian Tanner answered that Representatives nor Senators appointed Copeland and was selected by the Executive Cabinet despite already appointing appointed the required number of Justices.

- iii. The Assembly unanimously approved the appointment of Charles Copeland as a Justice.

iii. Treasurer Liam Fultineer

- i. Senator Guy motioned to for the appointment.
- ii. Representative Bennett seconded the appointment.
- iii. The Assembly unanimously approved the appointment of Liam Fultineer as Treasurer.

IV. Minutes & Approval:

- i. Senator Morgan motioned for approval of the minutes.
- ii. Representative Crites seconded the motion for the approval of the minutes.
- iii. Minutes for the 8-31-2023 meeting were approved.

V. Presidential Report:

- i. Committees: Within the handout that was given to everyone, on the third page there is a list of every member in SGA and the committees they were assigned to. Please start attending the committee meetings that you have been assigned to and if there are any questions then do not hesitate to reach out.

- ii. Homecoming: The budget is still being improved and will be presented during the next meeting.

VI. Executive Reports:

- i. Parliamentary Report: Parliamentarian Tanner stated that the attendance policy will be enforced and encouraged everyone to reach out if they were going to miss a meeting. Then addressed that people need to go to the committee meetings when they start up and more importantly fulfilling their responsibilities.
- ii. Treasurer Report: Newly appointed
- iii. Secretarial Report: As committees start meeting up and discussing, if a member of the committee could inform myself of the designated time. It will be put into the schedule and not overlap with other meetings that need to be made.
- iv. Public Relations Report: Absent

VII. Committee Reports:

- i. Online Course Support Committee: Currently exploring a free alternative towards QM training qualifications for professors require to teach online courses. The resource is free and could potentially be an alternative for professors that did not necessarily like the QM processes.
- ii. Homecoming: Budget is still in the process of being evaluated and approved. However, the budget will be presented and voted on next meeting.
- iii. Academic Policy: Went over the policies regarding graduation and threat assessment was able to be provided. Public Safety has already assigned to help with the Recycling Club in transportation of recyclable material.

VIII. Assembly Report:

- i. Representative Bennett reported that the Criminal Justice Department is growing, and the department will be hiring a new professor for the master's program in the future. The Honors Group for the Criminal Justice Department wants to participate within Homecoming. There are currently two events that anybody can attend such as a live autopsy. Beyond this, Representative Bennett and Parliamentarian Tanner have commenced working on a project for volunteering at the Nursing Home.

IX. Old Business:

- i. Homecoming: Vice-President Miller reminded everyone that the budget should be ready and available next meeting.
- ii. Formation of Committees: Vice-President Miller also reminded the formation of committees is now official and the in-house committees need to start meeting. Homecoming will be amazing, and the more work conducted prior allows the student body to enjoy it more.

X. New Business:

- i. Special Elections: Liaison Ferguson was granted the floor and conducted an election for assembly leadership positions.
 - i. President Pro-Tempore was contested by Representative Lynch and Senator Guy.
 - i. Representative Lynch was elected for President Pro-Tempore.
 - ii. Speaker of the House was contested by Representative Cutright, Representative Crites, and Representative Bennett.

- i. There was a tie between Representative Cutright and Representative Crites.
 - ii. Representative Cutright was elected for Speaker of the House
 - iii. Majority Leader was contested by Senator Morgan, Senator Waggoner, and Senator Guy.
 - i. Senator Guy revoked their nomination for Majority Leader before the voting.
 - ii. Senator Waggoner was elected as Majority Leader.
- ii. Demos (Political Science Club) Constitutional Review:
 - i. Justice Copeland spoke on behalf of Demos and stated that there have not been a proper political science organization since young republicans. Demos is meant to provide a neutral ground for politically interested students.
 - i. Senator Hypes motioned for approval for Demos.
 - ii. Representative Devins seconded approval for Demos.
 - iii. The Assembly unanimously approved Demos to be an organization for Glenville State University.

XI. Advisor & Administrative Liaison Updates/Comments

- i. Liaison Ferguson congratulated all the newly elected Assembly Leadership position holders on taking the next big step in SGA. Reminding everyone on the line of succession in place for SGA as Vice President Miller announced his resignation during the meeting. The newly elected President Pro-Tempore Lynch

will be succeeding Vice President Miller. That means the Assembly needs to pick out a new President Pro-Tempore

XII. Adjournment

- i. Representative McDermott motioned.
- ii. Senator Morgan seconded.

XIII. The meeting ended at 12:58PM