Student Government Graduate House of Representatives
Meeting Agenda
March 13, 2020

I. Call to Order
   1:11 Pm meeting called to order on Friday March 13, 2020 by house leader
   (Quorum met)

II. Roll Call
   A. Thi Nguyen absent
   B. Jessica Chung absent

III. Approval of Minutes
   Motion made by Taylor Mireles & 2nd by Prokach

IV. Orders of the Day

V. Guest Speakers
   (a) Dani Artaza, Recruiting Coordinator, The Graduate College
       Proposing new topics for incoming graduate students. Talking with the house about ideas that we could have for future grad students.
   (b) Ethen S, Pena
       A part of the Texas State Employee union. Concerned about the pay of employees. Tuition reimbursements are a benefit that we should be looking forward to. High health insurance prices should be taken into consideration. What are steps that we can do to fix these situations?

VI. Public Forum
   University Star representative.

VII. Reports
   (a) Student Government Vice President’s Report: Tucker Thompson
   (b) House Leader Report: Nishant Gurung
       Corona Virus. March 27th house meeting will be on zoom due to the virus. Important date because that is the day, we have to approve the house code.
   (c) House Secretary’s Report: Jokwon Bagby
       New committee chair wanted- See if anybody is interested in this position. Also, a new GATO web position needed.
   (d) House Parliamentarian’s Report: James Dyer
       Nothing to report
   (e) Committees Reports-
       i. Diversity and Inclusion: Thi Nguyen and Taylor Mireles
          Nothing to report
       ii. Social Media and Technology: Jorlanditha Austin and Taylor Mireles
Looking for things to spend money on for the house as far as budget purposes.

iii. Campus Life: Leah Frye and Joanna Fohn
   Lunch with the deans is cancelled.

iv. Budget and Finance: Nishant Gurung and Jorlanditha Austin
   Spend money on merchandise. On March 27 we will vote on what specific items we would like to purchase.

(f) University Committee Reports

Alexis Hawley Her 1st VAC meeting and they are very excited with having a grad student on board to work with them for future endeavors.

(g) Advisors Report: Dr. Paulson

Textford affordability committee that is determined to maintain affordability within the university while keeping up good quality. We are looking for a house member to sit on that committee. Meet once a month on third Friday March 27 (April meeting & maybe a May meeting) at 3 o’clock in JCK. Mistakes on the grad house web page and we will revise these things soon.

VIII. Old Business

IX. New Business

(a) Graduate House Code Update Bill 2019-2020.01
   Taylor Mireles is the author of the bill.
   Revision of House code for March 27th vote.

(b) Spring 2020 House Meetings: Schedule, Meeting (March 27th)

(c) Spring 2020 Budget Plans

X. Questions

XI. Announcement

XII. Adjournment

   Motion by Jorlanditha and 2nd by Joana.