**Student Government Graduate House of Representatives Meeting Agenda  
September 25, 2020**

1. Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 1:07 PM by house leader Nishant Gurung.

1. Roll Call

Everyone is in attendance.

1. Approval of Minutes

Motion made my James Dyer and seconded by Jaime Treviño for approval of minutes.

1. Orders of the Day

None

1. Guest Speakers

None

1. Public Forum

None

1. Reports
   1. (a)  Student Government Vice President’s Report: Andrew Florence

Andrew Florence gives us update about an event that has been approved. Also, the student gov. is working with campus police to keep the campus safe. Student gov. is working with students to see what ways the campus can improve. The senate is working on a lot of legislation mainly focusing on student health and safety.

* 1. (b)  House Leader Report: Nishant Gurung

Chief justice speaks to the house about the new attendance policy. Any type of misconduct will be taken to the top of the student government for revision. There’s a new constitution and code. A couple things have changed that allows grad students to reach outside of the graduate house chapter. The new constitution and code allows the representatives to have a lot more opinion within whole student government.

* 1. (c)  House Secretary’s Report: Jokwon Bagby

Nothing to report.

* 1. (d)  House Parliamentarian’s Report: James Dyer

Gives update about the co-chair of the diversity and inclusion committee.

* 1. (e)  Committees Reports
     1. Diversity and Inclusion: - James and I talk about Thi’s past events and what is going on within student diversity and inclusion. A committee chair still needs to be approved.
     2. Social Media and Technology: - Andi and Rex took initiative to look into the social media and technology position. Nishant talks to them about Gato and how to register for the workshops.
     3. Campus Life: Leah Frye: Meeting Monday at 1 pm. Nishant will email everybody the link for the meeting.
     4. Budget and Finance: Nishant Gurung No specific budget right now. Nishant and Prokash will update the house when all funds are known and accounted for.
  2. (f)  University Committee Reports

Morgan Cessac gives a committee update. It’s an advisory group that has asked us to take on initiatives. We have to rename dorm halls and a couple roads on campus. Looking for Hispanic and black community influencers that are suitable for this honor. Round Rock also needs names for their streets. We will submit names to the council after the analysis of the people we advocate for. We are also taking up the voting initiative. October 9th diversity and inclusion zoom call for those who wish to attend.

Prokash gives an update talks about a rise in our student body. Also, a couple things have been rescheduled due to the pandemic, Prokash has all the information about the groups that have had time/schedule changes. Duolingo English test update information will be talked about in the future as its popularity has risen around the country for international students.

Jaime Treviño shows the house the pictures of the gowns people are going to wear for graduation. He gives out the prices for the graduate student’s gowns, but things could change due to other options that can be chosen.

* 1. (g)  Advisor’s Report: Dr. Paulson

Dr. Paulson is not in attendance.

1. Old Business

None

1. IX. New Business

(a) Graduate House Donations (Bobcat Bounty) Discussion – James Dyer talks about Bobcat Bounty and some things that they may need and we can donate.

(b) Graduate House Leader Election

Ashley Brown wins election.

1. Questions

None

XI. Announcement

None

XII. Adjournment

Motion made for adjournment at 2:44 pm by James Dyer seconded by Jaime Treviño.