Associated Students of Boise State University
Assembly Meeting
September 14, 2016

I. Call to Order
   a. The Vice President called this meeting to order at 4:33 pm

II. Welcome

III. Officer Updates
   a. Academic Affairs
      i. Bronco Happy Hour on September 20, 5 pm
      ii. Looking for 5 members to sit on Faculty Senate
   b. External Affairs
      i. National Voter’s Registration Day on September 27
      ii. Looking for volunteers to work with School of Public Service LLC during NVR
   c. Organizational Affairs
      i. Homecoming is on October 10
      ii. Volunteers are needed to help Wes with cart decorating for parade float
   d. President
      i. Programming Assistants thanked ASBSU for generous donation to Splatter Party
      ii. Meal Share project is underway for FY 2018.
         1. Would like feedback as to how many meals would be fair to be given for the Meal Share plan.
            a. Suggested to give a maximum of 5 unused meals at the end of the week from each student
         2. Would like feedback as to how many meals a student without a meal plan could receive per week,
            a. Suggested to be able to receive up to 5 meals per week.
            b. Suggested to be able to receive up to 3 meals per week in case there are weeks with a low amount of meals that are given.
      iii. Quad activities possibly being moved to the SUB
         1. Bad idea – quad is great place to get information
         2. Bad idea – SUB is already crowded enough
         3. Bad idea – Quad activities are the only reason why the quad is a cool place to be
         4. Bad idea – SUB events always have less foot traffic than quad events
      iii. Looking for a student to sit on the Campus Recreation Advisory Board
         1. If interested, please speak with Rebecca after SA
iii. Looking for a student to sit on the Campus Recreation Advisory Board
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v. Looking for several students to eat lunch from 12-1:30 on Thursday to hear President Kustra’s University address
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e. Vice President
   i. Food vouchers were a huge success at the football game
   ii. #NameThePregame towels were cool, but nobody sent in submissions
      I. Possible gift cards to be given out as reward for submission with the most votes
   iii. Please come to Jade if interested in It's On Us sexual assault campaign

III. New Business
   a. Lobbyist
      i. Presented “Resolution to Set a Policy Platform Regarding Higher Education in Idaho.”
      ii. Hayden Rogers motioned to vote, Forrest Burt seconded. The resolution passed at 45 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstained.
      iii. This will be the first resolution of many to come in the future, after more knowledge is gained through attending State Board and other state funding meetings.

   b. External Affairs
      i. Presented a bill for “National Voter’s Registration Day” ($706)
      ii. Adam Andersen motioned to vote, Emily Dick seconded.
      iii. 44 in favor, 0 opposed, 1 abstained
         I. Need to clarify:
            a. Out-of-state voting
            b. Does voting make you an Idaho resident?
            c. Having volunteers at the event to help reiterate why voting is important
            d. Have a short advertisement posted on ASBSU social media

V. Announcements
   a. Stacy Pearson – VP of Finance and Administration
      i. BSU’s funding from the state of Idaho per full-time student in FY 2017 is only 63% of what the University of Idaho is receiving.
      ii. ISU received over twice as much in general fund appropriation per Bachelor’s Degree than Boise State received this year.
      iii. If this funding disparity can begin to close, Boise State tuition would freeze, as opposed to continuing to increase.
      iii. Possible additional revenue could come from “professional fees” being charged to members of the 4 major Engineering programs.
   v. What is needed from students: Student leadership representing well at State Board and other state funding meetings.

VI. Meeting Adjourned at 5:58 pm

MINUTES APPROVED BY MILAUN DANCLAR, ETHICS OFFICER, ON SEPTEMBER 15, 2016