

STUDENT SENATE MINUTES

September 16th, 2025

Senate President Seifer called the Senate meeting to order at 7:38 pm and announced that the meeting may be filmed or audio recorded and may be available to the public. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. A land acknowledgment was given.

ROLL CALL:

Roll was called and quorum was established with a total of 68 senators present.

Not here for roll call:

- Antevy
- Archelus
- Baddam
- Bennett
- Boullosa
- Bravo
- Chhabra
- Cumpstone
- DiCampli
- Eisenberg
- Epstein
- Feldstein
- Golesorkhi
- Jacobson
- Johnson
- Ryan Katz
- Kushwaha
- McCracken
- McNamara
- Papa
- Raveendranath
- Runyon
- Sabadash
- Salvador
- Schramm
- Shah
- Sharma
- Simon
- Trower
- Wolsonovich

PUBLIC COMMENT:

- There was one member of the public that gave public comment including Coe Leavengood.

AMENDMENTS TO THE MINUTES:

- There were none.

AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA:

- Senate President Pro Tempore Rubaii moves to add SSB 2025-1175, SSB 2025-1176, SSB 2025-1177, and SSB 2025-1178 under Second Reading by unanimous consent. The motion passes.
- Senate President Pro Tempore Rubaii moves to make a bloc of all legislation under Second Reading by unanimous consent. The motion passes.
- Senate President Pro Tempore Rubaii moves to pass the bloc of legislation under Second Reading by unanimous consent. The motion passes.
- Majority Party Leader Khan moves to adopt the agenda by unanimous consent. The motion passes.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

- Marian Enriquez speaks on behalf of the ROOTS Agency and shares a video from Thaisha Calixte.
- Senate President Seifer expresses appreciation to agency heads for their work and thanks senators for their attendance.
- Senate President Seifer announces the cancellation of the September 30th meeting and reminds senators to follow proper procedures for excused absences related to the upcoming holiday.
- Senate President Seifer discusses constituency.
- The chamber celebrates Senate President Pro Tempore Rubaii's birthday.

REPLACEMENT & AGENDA

- Senate President Pro Tempore Rubaii announces that R&A will be meeting this weekend and encourages senators to apply to the open seats.
- **Open Permanent Seats:**
 - Veterinary Medicine
 - Medicine

JUDICIARY:

- Vice Chair Melamed shares their committee will meet September 21st, encourages senators to submit legislation, and delivers a message from Chairman Bravo.

BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS:

- Chairwoman Idiculla announces a meeting for tomorrow and discusses clerking opportunities.

RULES & ETHICS:

- Chairwoman Filoramo shares that probation emails were sent out earlier today and clarifies constituency and absence procedures.

INFORMATION & COMMUNICATIONS:

- Chairwoman Finfrock discusses the upcoming Senate Retreat.

MENTAL HEALTH AD-HOC:

- Senator Prieto shares that their mental health event will be combined with the Senate Retreat.
- Senator Andrews discusses additional committee plans.

CAMPUS MOBILITY AND SAFETY AD-HOC:

- Senator Metchick shares plans to begin presentations next week.

FIRST READING:

- There were none.

SECOND READING:

- There were none.

THIRD READING:

- There were none.

BILLS PENDING SIGNATURE

- There were none.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Senator Nadeau announces that the IRHA meeting will be at 5:15 PM in Honors Village Building 5.

ADJOURNMENT:

- Senate President Pro Tempore Rubaii clarifies the voter record.
- The meeting was adjourned at 8:02 pm.