I. Call to Order  
   a. Meeting called to order at 4:42pm.

II. Roll Call  
   a. 8 out of 11 senators, meet quorum.

III. Approval of the Minutes  
   a. Minutes approved with 0 corrections.

IV. Communications and Announcements  
   a. Senators  
      i. Early: SG Six Appeal at 7pm and other homecoming events see on Facebook. Basketball game Saturday.
      ii. Christopher: Use UNO book page on Facebook. Check it out. Saves you money! Good page
      iii. Lee: Trivia night on Thursday at 7pm. Bringing my A game.
   b. Non-Senators

V. Presiding Officer Communications and Announcements  
   a. VP Willis presiding report. *Report attached* Read email from someone who is looking for SG help for money. If anyone is interested in helping write bill let me know.
   b. Hollis: Would like more information on library bill.
   c. Lee: Will address in my bill in the follow week.

VI. President Pro Tempore and Committee Reports  
   a. President Pro Tempore  
      i. *Report attached*
      ii. Early: general questions about committee and they are empty what student affairs can be used
      iii. Chirs: student affairs use for any issues that don’t go any where, right issues, do outreach to student body, it was a committee I did last year and wrote a lot of legisltrue. Get in contact with senator president. Rap committee. Publicity committee sent to get people.
      iv. Willis: look over rules and procedures.
b. Committee Reports
   i. Lee: Chair of Finance- been in communication with Hollis, last week was finishing incompletes lot on my plate, incompletes have been scheduled out. Hollis did catch me up on what happened on meeting. Finance committee report- supporting International Night. Committee supported the bill.
   ii. Hollis: apologizing for previous meeting report. Have printed and email the major changes the constitution is looking for. Is not set in stone.
      *report attached*
   iii. Johnson: why did yall decided on Friday at 2pm
   iv. Hollis: fewest classes scheduled, from senate they are unable to attend meetings because of classes,
   v. Early: 2pm time because of work schedules, most people have work during this time because of work
   vi. Hollis: we felt we would lose more people due to class than work
   vii. Lagona: Criminal activity reviewed UNO judicial code
   viii. Hollis: Teagle had no objection with the listed things
   ix. L: how would you know of any of this.
   x. Hollis: the first section
   xi. L: anything with a conviction of finaly, and are embedded in university and have full of students, wanted to know if it was checked
   xii. Hollis: yes
   xiii. Clloat: background check to join SG. Hwo to inforce things?
   xiv. Hollis: May I address Teagle? Amy we address in open form
   xv. Christopher: governance committee report attached*

VII. Executive Reports, Judicial Reports, Advisor Reports
   a. President
   i. Teagle: good afternoon everyone, I’m sure everyone is tired as I am. Today is kick off for homecoming, nominated by yall so thank you for that but show up for HC events so that it shows support of your candidate and as SG we need to get out there and not look like bank. We talked about fees and the next morning after the meeting the announcement of the amounts are being proposed of budgets by states, say higher education is not accurate enough, since last Wednesday we have been trying to come up with solutions. What I’ve come up with so far is self-asset fees. I am putting a committee togther and will consist of an ungrad and grad from each college- will be appointed by deans from collegfes and will have appoints from me, Sac, alethhics and greek like and other appointments I will make. This committee will analyze the possibility of self- asset fees of specific areas of university. Self-asset fees are protected in a much great
exitent than other fees. When all of this is done, the purpose of this committee is to make the hard decisions, this will create a unique opportunity to the rest of the state that the students have the power to choose what is important by students and chose what is important to pay for. Unique opp. For students to take control of funding. This is the proposal I have on the table. Willing to talk about any issues or complaints about it. Making contact with other student body presidents, slow process, we are trying to put together a plan of action and we want to force the state to recognize what we laid out, basically the state legislature of paying for higher edu. There is no more excuses. The key is the students extended time by 2 minutes 9-yes 2-no. the concept is student president are going to make legislatures to answer for their lack of action and we have seen this coming for 8 years and haven’t done anything. Its time for people to start answering it. No formal plan of action. The other thing is that its really simple to give into fear. It looks bad but the fact is we should fight and not surrender. UNO should fight and tell parents, people who pay tuition the people in charge pf state is doing a bad job. I put this on all of you

ii. Early: thank you.

iii. Lambart: when is committee going to be running?

iv. TEagle: the staff council has put a budget committee and I have to overlook student collection. Unfortounate that has distracted me. I have already put forth some feeling and we are starting the applicaiton process. By midfeb or faster

v. Aucoin: do you know why we don’t have president F to student government about budget

vi. Teagle: I have talked to Dr. F today and it is evolving. The fact is that Dr. F is keeping on top of it and we only have meeting oppurnityes since last week. He told me today he is releasing an email about what is going to be happening

vii. Lee: stay after meeting to talk about this

viii. Teagle: If I can I will

ix. Chris S: email sent to faculty

x. Teagle: Havent looked at yet. He is drafting a student verison.

b. Treasurer

i. Gleason: needed to report that senate budget is 11,359.95 operating. Money includes from fall and spring and the president account 15, 526.24

ii. Willis: 29.

iii. Gleason: Totals 41, 704.95.

iv.
c. Secretary of State
   i. Trahan: Hey guys! Sorry for not emailing, but as last semester about the
   retreat it is this Sunday January 25 at Innsbruk at 12-4:30pm. How to get
   approval, how to write a bil. Great for new senators. This is a really tight
   schedule please be on time. Be aware that. Haven’t gotten about election
   time line. Be ready on first week of March if you are running for election.
   In april will be election time. No late forms. TURN THEM IN ON TIME.
   New EC since most are senators. Also, LeeAnee has talked about
   transcript fee and interested in listening in on that and want to be a senator
   and help please email me, location will probably be SG office. Will be
   doing 2 open forum with Dr. F. and will plan out dates and students can go
   and talk to him about anything. See yall this weekend!

   ii.

d. Judicial

e.

f. Advisors
   i. No report.

VIII. Old Business

a. B.S15A023 – ISO Annual International Night
   i. Aucoin: is there an admission fee to event?
   ii. Committee: yes $5
   iii. Lee: I thought that you were taking funds from SG you cant charge
       students for fee
   iv. Advisor: you cant make a profit off the funds, you are either zero or in the
       hole
   v. Willis: either donate or for engienerring.
   vi. Committee: most popular event, attacts people from UNO and other areas,
       is an event that brings students from all around the world to one place.
       Helps promate global uno event studnets currently enrolled. Event is
       runned by studnrts and I believe it is our respobility to go.
   vii. Teagle: Voice my support to international night, fantastic event for locals,
       vistors, people from UNO and anywhere to get a real understanding that
       UNO is a global school. This is one of our main focuses that involve
       studnets whom are gloabal studnets only expans the horization for
       studnets. Worth the cost
   viii. Advisor: international night is totally student organized and only student
       organized. There is no other ting we sponsor other than suck off. This is
       UNO trafition.
   ix. Lee: restate the finance committee has already supported. I think it’s a
       great thing.
x. Roll call vote: 11- yes 0-no bill is passed 0 abstention

IX. New Business
   
a. B.S15A024 – Tocqueville Project
   
i. This is the latest and greatest bill and is becoming a UNO tradition and
   brings lots of people around the area to UNO. Master level seminars. The
   first event is coming up this week.
   
ii. Surprenant: we have these great scholars to give a public lecture. And we
   will be providing free lunch for anyone whom attends. We are doing more
   things that’s why we asked for more money.
   
iii. Aucoin: where is this located
   
iv. S: this in LA 236, and lunch time in LA 234 because of some classes, this
   is because it is recorded because some students work during time.
   
v. Le: is there any provision and contact disability services for lecture?
   
vi. S: in what way?
   

vii. Le: if needed required put on flyer so they can contact
   
viii. S: there is information on flyers to contact if have any questions
   
ix. La: just to conver UNO put on flyer
   
x. Hollis: yall have received 1,000 over last year.
   

xi. S: I was going by semester.
   

xii. Christopher: suspend rules and procures to move to Old business and have
   it remove to limitation the budget request.
   

xiii. Aucoin: what topics will speakers be speaking on?
   
xiv. S: will be on Philopshophy and Health care and weather drs should care
   on health care. Titles are on top of cards and on all attenedees and any
   additional info will end up on card.
   
xv. Aucoin: can you send a budget request?
   
xvi. S: don’t really know about those? I can always do that or come in and tell
   you guys about what’s going on
   
xvii. Lee: how are they paid?
   
xviii. S: What’s the difference of speakers is the distance of traveling. I am
   fundraising.My goal is to come under budget. I can let you know how
   much we are issueing.
   
xix. Lee: $4,00 is not that much.
   
xx. S: Every semester it has been $16-17,000. I tr to spend your money less
   and try to return you money. Not every SG can support. Some should
   ocmne to event. I would like to return money if I can, SG does a lot of good
   things and I would like to use as less as possible.
   
xxi. 9-yes 0-no 0 abstention bill passed.
b. PA.S15A025 – Yea-Nay
   i. Christopher: changes from yea-nay to yes and no.
   ii. Teagle: Is it being considered to be allowed for as yes-no or I and na? A lot of places allow for either because of transfer students moving into this?
   iii. Christopher: this is for the clerk for recording. We just need yes or no.
   iv. UC

   c. PA.S15A026 – Nominations and Appointment Discussion
      i. Christopher: this has been requested many times, this is debate for appointments this would make it so that during the questioning then we could debate cycle then vote.
      ii. Lee: So on the nominations I know there is spor for recommending senaor shouldn’t they be mor erespoible for this nominaee.
      iii. Christopher: Adds this now. Unless they ask a reound about wuestion.
      iv. Lee: this way we hold who ever to take an extra minute to get to know
      v. Christopher: ask they should speak? We could look at in governance.
      vi. Teagle: Will the candidate be present during debate
      vii. Christopher: no
      viii. UC

X. Nominations and Appointments
   a. Christina Early, Historian
      i. Early: College of LA I want to be historian for SG. And SG has the face of scary people. Some don’t know what SG does. I would like to be historian to promote what great SG does and keep track of the great thing we do. Did this in high school in Key Club.
      ii. Roll Call vote: 7-yes 0-no and 0- absentions she is appointed.

   b. Joy Ballard, Governance
      i. Teagle: technically senate has the right to question an appointee and also has a right to vote for person of absence.
      ii. Christopher: Josh had a proxiy form for Joy. I cant pass the bill if I cant meet quorum. If you are going ot table nominations then you could ask them yourself.
      iii. Lee: No disrespect I just want to be fair.
      iv. Roll call vote:

   c. Joshua Lambert, Governance
      i. Lee: objeciton

   d. Denise Bauer, Senate
      i. Moved to next agenda.

   e. Pemba Sherpa, Senate
      i. Sherpa: Want to join because a nice oppurtunity for fill this space.
      ii. Early: What is your college?
iii. Sherpa: Science.
iv. Roll call vote: 7-yes 0-no 0 absentions. He is appointed.
f. Himal Sapkota, Senate
   i. Himal: Form college of engineering. I would like to join because it would be a lot of fun and meet more people and connect students with SG and fix problems.
   ii. Lee: there is a bit of time committee for SG. Are you aware fo absences and tardies?
   iii. Himal: not familiar
   iv. Lee: cant miss 2 meeting. Always proxy
   v. Aucoin: would you make time to meet with colleges? Did you meet with any of them before?
   vi. Himal: No
   vii. Christopher: who is your referring senator?
   ix. Roll call vote: 7-yes 0-no 0 absentions he is appointed.
g. Tony Collado, Justice
   i. Collado: What do you want to know? I was the treasurer but resigned result of conflicts. I was chief of justice at one point. I know the rules until they changed it.
   ii. Hollis: We are both in edu and will you be able to do your duties due to education major?
   iii. Collado: they work around muy schedule justice is a little leasurey.
   iv. Roll call vote: 7-yes 0-no 0 absentions he is appointed.

XI. Open Forum
   a. Willis: I would really like you all the look over committee requirement. Reports have certain cretia must be typed and sent. Sec. of state and retreat I would like everyone to go. We really need to transition everyone motivated and knowledagle to middle senators. The retreat will get the training going. The transcript fee we dropped the ball and the senators never answered. They are coming to us and they are asking us and we should have to run after people. Repond to my emails because people need help! Talk to Sec. of state and do this really awesome thing.
   b. Lee: Is this retreat was there a notice was sent last semester?
   c. Willis: yes
   d. Collado: background check for sneators?
   e. Hoolis: question was relating to SG code of conduct. I asked everyone what they wanted to see in it. How would this be workable?
   f. Lee: I would like to point out what happened last semester?
   g. Willis: we cnat just do background checks on everyone, but if someone finds out something then its just for judicial grounds.
h. Collado: currently seated
i. Willis: yes
j. Teagle: the concept is the judicial branch turned to us about SG does not have a code of conduct, things happen outside of meetings and chambers. We aren’t checking up on senators. We need something incasesomething happens. We are still working on the specifics. What conduct requires specific things. The conduct doesn’t require background checks. This doesn’t imply until part of SG. Would be up to senate.
k. La: How do you go through legal process before SG. I realize it is a working pathway.
l. Teagle: the concept is that the due process at the judicial branch and they would be resposible for depretmning if they are respoible for code of conduct.
m. Collado: is judicial the one that determines punishment?

n. Teagle: as Sneator Chris was stating that we haven’t tackled the judicial branch. But we were talking about judicial deciding with a very set in stone process.
o. Christopher: we were starting to write code of conduct before branch was set up. We were talking about multiple courts. Come to meetings give ideas
p. La: another point that was brought was the time of SG meetings. I take responsible of Tuesday at 430 because we had extended hours on Tuesday for people in grad school could participate. University has gotten away form that.
q. Christopher: the day with the least amount of stuff is Tuesday after 2. We are working with people work schedules.
r. Aucoin: I feel like I wanted Firdays because of engeinerring is because this is prime time of classes.
s. Collodo: edu. Has a 2pm class
t. Hollis: if we don’t change it I will leave next semester
u. Lee: we cant please everyone.
v. International student organization: thank you for everyone, it was a great opp. And getting to know process of SG. I don’t think scary. I think all of you are very friendly and get to know all of you better. I just think its because we don’t know you not that you are scary. Invite you to international night march 21st
w. Teagle: please go to HC events and sign in. we need to have apresnece there. Voting is aside and we have a team and be there as well.
x. Christopher: I will pay for trivia night and we need to go
y. Teagle: SG gets bonus points for next week.

XII. Adjournment
a. 6:17pm.