ASUM SENATE AGENDA  
September 11, 1996 - 6 p.m.  
Mt. Sentinel Room

1. Call Meeting to Order

2. Roll Call

3. Approval of Minutes - September 4, 1996

4. Public Comment

5. President’s Report
   a. Senate Appointments
   b. Introduction of Dean Hollmann and Associate Dean Couture
   c. Swearing-in Ceremony - Dean Hollmann
   d. Motor Voter
   e. Retreat
   f. Carol - Breakfast sign-up
   g. ASUM Survey - David Jackson
   h. Miscellaneous

6. Vice President’s Report
   a. Committee Information
   b. Committee Appointments
   c. Miscellaneous

7. Business Manager’s Report
   a. Senate Retreat
   b. Miscellaneous

8. Committee Reports

9. Unfinished Business

10. New Business

11. Comments

12. Adjournment
## Senate Members

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## TACULTY ADVISORS

- **PROFESSOR AUSLAND**
- **MERRITT JOHNSON**
- **LINDA KENNEDY**
- **KRISTIE KRINOCK**
- **ANGELICA LONGACRE**
- **JAMIE LUKE**
- **JEFF MERRICK**
- **BRITT REED**
- **MATT SHIMANEK**

## ASUM OFFICERS

- **JASON THIELMAN**
  - President
- **BARBARA O’LEARY**
  - Vice-President
- **KARA HARTMAN**
  - Business Manager
Chair O’Leary called the meeting to order at 6:07 p.m. Present: Thielman, O’Leary, Hartman, Alexander, Arnold, Bartkiewicz, Foote, Freeman, Gardner, Skinner, Henderson, Iacopini, Johnson, Kennedy, Krinock, Longacre, Luke, Merrick and Reed. Excused was Shimanek. Resignation of Bradley was previously accepted.

The minutes of the September 4 meeting were approved.

Public Comment
*Jon Lindsay, COT student, was an unsuccessful applicant for an open Senate position. He appealed to Senate to reconsider choices and reiterated his qualifications.

President’s Report (change in order from agenda)
a. Under seconded motion status, Thielman moved to approve three names to fill the open Senate positions. These were offered one at a time:
1. Michael Mathern - Answered questions from Senators. Foote called the question. Since there was an objection, it was voted on and passed. Upon immediate vote, the motion to seat Mathern failed 12-7. (This vote tally was later found to be incorrect and is addressed.)
2. Michelle Hinkle - not present, so not considered at this time.
3. Tom Wenz - Answered questions from Senators. A motion by Iacopini-Hartman to table the motion so that a presentation on an ASUM Survey could be made to accommodate the presenters passed. The second presenter had not arrived, so a motion was made by Hartman-Iacopini to resume consideration of Wenz, which passed. Thielman withdrew his recommendations for Senate.

The results of an ASUM Survey were presented by David Jackson of Forestry and Dan Doyle of Sociology. They explained the process and the results. Six hundred twenty-eight students were surveyed Spring Semester 1996. A comprehensive copy of the survey will be available at ASUM soon. Partial information is available now in Thielman’s office.

c. Iacopini gave a point of information on the need to vote on Thielman’s withdrawal of his Senate recommendations since there were objections. Thielman concurred, and a vote supported the objection, leading to further consideration of Wenz.

BREAK

A motion was made by Merrick-Iacopini to consider Michelle Hinkle with Wenz as a slate. Iacopini called the question, to which there was an objection. Iacopini again called the question, and a vote to consider these two as a slate passed. A question arose on the vote count for Mathern. Only 18 votes were possible, and the tally was 19. Upon questioning, Freeman abstained. Krinock-Thielman moved to add Mathern to the slate for the vote. Gardner called the question, to which there was no objection. Upon roll call vote, the motion to add Mathern to the slate passed 10-8. Foote-Thielman called the question. A roll call vote on the slate of three failed 10-8 (2/3 needed). Thielman-Merrick called the question on a vote for the slate of Wenz and Hinkle. The slate passed 12-6 on a roll call vote. Iacopini-Hartman moved to reconsider the vote on Mathern. Merrick called the question. The motion to reconsider the Mathern vote passed. Krinock called the question. Student Elder objected with a request for the dissenting committee members’ stance on Mathern. Hartman called the question. A roll call vote on the motion failed 11-7.

d. Thielman asked Senators to sign up for election sites for Monday (16th) and Tuesday (17th).
Mayor Kadas will be on hand tomorrow to register voters between noon and 1 p.m. The Mayor supports motor voter - issuing registration forms when people apply for a driver’s license.

f. Dean Hollmann and Couture were introduced, and Dean Hollmann swore in the new executives and senators.

g. Thielman distributed a questionnaire for senators to complete for use at the retreat this weekend.

h. Carol distributed sign-up sheets for senators to attend one of two breakfasts to be held with the Deans and President Dennison.

Vice-President’s Report

a. O’Leary informed the Senators that they are required to serve on a minimum of two committees - either ASUM or University committees. She asked them to look at the book on committees available at the ASUM front desk and have ideas on their interests when they attend the retreat.

b. The following committee appointments were approved as a slate: ASUM Affairs - Jason Thielman, Barbara O’Leary, Kara Hartman; Radio Board - Craig Altmaier, Susie Jewett, Rob Bourriague, Kelly Murphy; Diversity Advisory Council - Ann Matney, Lewis Rusk; University Court - Karen Foote, Angelika Longacre; Night Court - Tammi Boushard; Drug and Alcohol Advisory Board - Jeremy Hueth; ASCRC - Melanie Kovarik, Jason Thielman, Kathleen Kennedy; International - Ann Matney; Campus Development - Melanie Kovarik, Alan Miller; Scholarship and Financial Aid - Ann Matney.

Business Manager’s Report

a. Hartman requested that those going on the retreat sign up and note whether transportation is needed. All will meet at 8:30 a.m. Saturday in the ASUM office. All were advised to bring sleeping bags and towels. Return is slated for 4 p.m. Sunday.

Committee Reports

a. Sarah Ann Hannah announced the Elections Committee will meet at 9 a.m. tomorrow morning in the ASUM office.

Unfinished Business

a. A motion by Thielman-Hartman to reconsider SB1-96/97 Resolution for a Student Referendum on an Academic Facility Fee passed. Thielman moved to change "$300 per academic year" to "$89.62 per semester". Iacopini called the question, and the motion passed.

New Business - None

A motion was made by Iacopini-Merrick to adjourn before comments. Hartman called the question, and the motion passed.

The meeting adjourned at 8:49 p.m.