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## Agenda

- I. Call to Order — 6:35 pm in-person and online via Zoom
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Land Acknowledgment
- IV. Swearing-In of new Senator and Associates
  - 3 new Senators and Associates sworn-in
- V. Beginning Roll Call — Clerk took attendance on a separate spreadsheet
- VI. Consent Agenda
  - Move Lex #5414 – LSAB Lex to the beginning of old business — PASSED
- VII. Gallery Input — None
- VIII. Guest Speaker — None
- IX. Executive Reports
  - Vice President Dietz
    - Tomorrow Vice President Dietz is meeting with the UFAB Board which is donating money to the Glover renovations. The meeting is tomorrow from 3:00 – 4:00 pm, if you have any ideas for Glover renovations, text Braxton or show up!
    - The Albert C. Yates Scholarship is open and awarded to those who are:
      - Juniors and seniors
      - Been at CSU a year or longer
      - Have a 3.0 or higher GPA

- Considered pace setters and create change in CSU
- Awardees will be recognized at the march to victory parade and Homecoming game
- Planning an outreach initiative with Cultural Resource Centers, Adult Learner and Veteran Services, and Academic Advancement Center
  - Senator Monanti: Next semester would likely be a better time to meet since many centers already have events planned this semester.
  - Would be for Senators, Associates, and anyone associated with these centers.
- Director of Governmental Affairs Wilkins
  - This Friday, Polly Baca will be speaking in the Senate Chambers at 3:00 pm. It's a great opportunity so come out and watch.
  - Next week is voter registration week so Governmental Affairs will be tabling and encouraging civic engagement on campus, it is the last week for paper registration.
  - Next Wednesday from 4:00-6:00 pm in LSC room 324 ASCSU and the Straayer Center will be hosting a ballot forum
    - 1 local one and 2 states ones
      - School choice and ranked choice voting
- Director of Basic Needs Whyte

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- Cans Around the Oval
    - Box in office near front desk
  - October 12<sup>th</sup>: Tabling at King Soopers to gather donations. Please come and volunteer!
  - Conversations are discussions on food insecurity and other similar topics
  - ASCSU's Basic Needs and Housing Caucus will be hosting one October 14<sup>th</sup> from 12:00-1:00 pm.
    - Each person from our team who participates gets us 50 points
  - More details to come.
  - Chief of Staff Nunley
    - Working on a program called Organizational Wellness. There is a QR code on the Chief of Staff door with more information.
      - Will be finding a time to speak to Senate to discuss more details.
    - Academic Affairs Director Ozor is working on the academic wellness portion of the Organizational Wellness Program.
    - Planning an ASCSU Spirit Week! Themed days, ram ride, and more.
      - If you have any ideas, reach out to Chief of Staff Nunley.

X. Judicial Reports — None

XI. Legislative Reports

- Officer Reports

- Speaker Taylor
  - There will be a meeting next Monday at 2:00 pm in the ASCSU Conference room for those interested in new legislation, the Constitution, and Amendments code.
- Parliamentarian Kamberg
  - Working on making weekly information from the ASCSU newsletter more accessible.
  - The ASCSU now has a button for “This Week in ASCSU” which includes the newsletter. The Senate tab also has a preview for recent newsletters and a newsletter archive.
  - The Ram Police Advisory Board allows campus community members to inform police of how national and domestic affairs are affecting relations between police and citizens. Trying to foster relationships with the CSU community and bolster mental health initiatives.
    - If interested in joining, the meetings are once a month (probably the third Thursday of each month). Reach out to Parliamentarian Kamberg if you are interested.
  - Larimer County Food Bank is matching donations to Cans Around the Oval which is cool.
- Speaker Pro-Tempore Reese

- BSOF recent had an informational event, registered student organizations attended and became more informed on BSOF procedures.
- Mock Senate is scheduled for next Thursday evening, October 10<sup>th</sup> in the Senate Chambers.
- For Senate attendance, text or email Speaker Pro-Tempore Reese that you will be absent.
- If you have missed Committee hours twice in a row, you will receive an email with a strike.
- Come talk to Speaker Pro-Tempore Reese if you were recently sworn-in for onboarding information.
- Committee and Caucus Reports
  - Chair Miller — University Affairs Committee
    - Meet Thursdays, 12:30-1:30 pm
    - Elected a vice-chair, Senator Luna
    - Expressed gratitude to the members of University Affairs Committee
  - Chair Meyers — DEI Committee
    - Meet Tuesdays, 12:00-1:00 pm

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- Met yesterday and saw LSAB lex, no edits were made so it was sent
  - Still looking for a secretary and DEI chair, if you're interested tell Chair Meyers or come to Committee.
  - Chair Davis — Housing Caucus
    - Meet Fridays, 9:00-10:00 am
    - An important meeting for goal setting and resetting the Caucus
    - Housing Caucus is collaborating with the Basic Needs Department for the Conversation on Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup>
  - Chair Friske — Women's and Social Justice Caucus
    - Meet Mondays, 12:10-1:10 pm
    - Please come to Caucus!
  - Chair Fasy — Budgetary Affairs Committee
    - Meet Mondays, 4:00-5:00 pm
    - Met on Monday and had no bills to look at
    - Please come to Committee!
  - Chair Lutz – Internal Affairs Committee
    - Meet Mondays, 3:00-4:00 pm
    - Please come!
  - Senator and Associate Senator Reports

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- Chair Friske — SAFE Center
    - This month is Relationship Violence Awareness month
      - You can get a pink ribbon pin from the SAFE Center to show your support for relationship violence survivors
    - October Events can be found in previous Senate Session minutes and on the SAFE Center’s website and Instagram
  - Senator Buschow — APACC
    - Pacific club ice cream social is tomorrow
    - Henna night is this Friday
  - Senator Greene — Pride Resource Center
    - Working on a week of love celebration for next semester and in need of help
      - If you have any interest contact Senator Greene

### **Confidence Business**

#### XII. Old Business

- Lex #5414 – LSAB Lex
  - Final reading
  - Edits
    - “Members” to “officials”

- “Non-ASCSU official appointments will be appointed by the  
ASCSU President with the consent and advice of the Chair and  
Vice Chair of the Legislative Strategy Advisory Board.”
- Lex PASSED with unanimous consent
- Lex #5412 – Amending the Terms of office for ASCSU Officials
  - Final reading
  - Edits
    - DEI edited the second and third therefore clauses
    - “The next Speaker of the Senate is sworn in” to “May 31<sup>st</sup>”
    - “The next Senate is seated” to “May 31<sup>st</sup>”
  - Discussion and Debate
    - Speaker Taylor: Doesn’t accept edits because the way the lex was written was to create consistency in the legislative leadership positions. The procedures for an emergency session at the end of the academic year is already outlined in the Constitution.
    - Chair Friske: How does this lex affect positions’ salaries?
    - Speaker Taylor: From the time the academic year ends and fiscal year ends, the payment period comes into effect. The fiscal year ends May 31<sup>st</sup>.

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- Speaker Taylor: The Senate can only make decisions related to their Senate. I.e. the 54<sup>th</sup> Senate can't influence the 55<sup>th</sup> Senate and vice versa, this is in the Constitution.
  - Lex PASSED by placard vote (15-2-8)
  - Lex #5413 – Amending the Method of Appointing LSAB Members
    - Final reading
    - No edits
    - Discussion and Debate
    - Lex PASSED via unanimous consent
  - Resolution #5402 - Calling for an Establishment of a School of Law & Policy within the CSU System
    - No edits
    - Discussion and Debate
      - Senator Falbo: In favor of this lex since he sees a need for a School of Law & Policy within the CSU System.
    - Lex PASSED by placard vote (20-0-5)
  - Lex #5408 – Bylaw Transparency Act
    - Second reading
    - No edits
    - Discussion and Debate

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- Senator Monanti: Approves and believes the lex will increase transparency and accountability.
  - Lex will be sent to University Affairs
  - Lex #5409 – Internship Transparency Act
    - Lex pulled out of Committee via placard vote (18-3-3)
    - Second reading
    - Discussion and Debate
      - Senator Monanti: Believes it would be beneficial to have the lex tabled for now until the judicial provides more input to Internal Affairs Committee.
        - Senator Isaacs concurs
      - Chair Lutz: The opinion discusses how long it would take for an intern to be confirmed by Senate after their approval as an intern. There was a concern that swearing in an intern too quickly after getting accepted would deter potential applicants. Speaker Taylor and Chair Lutz agree that a Supreme Court opinion isn't needed with this lex.
      - Senator Monanti: More so concerned about not hearing this information earlier.

- Speaker Taylor: This is because the discussion was held two weeks ago in Committee.
- Chair Davis: Seems that the Senate wants more advice from the judiciary.
- Chief Justice Wright: Will an opinion help the process of moving this piece of legislation along? There's an option to pass the lex now and file for an opinion later.
- Lex will be sent back to DEI

XIII. New Business

- Bill #5405 – A Change to the Executive and Legislative Job Descriptions
  - First reading
  - Abstract: “”
    - There are some issues and inconsistencies with this bill that will be shared with Committees
    - Chair Davis wanted to write this bill to encourage more student's participation in ASCSU
  - Will be sent to University Affairs, Internal Affairs, and DEI

XIV. Ending Roll Call — Clerk used beginning roll call as ending roll call with the exception for new Senators and Associates who entered session later

XV. Adjournment — 8:15 pm