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1. Call to Order :
   - Former meeting minutes approval.
   - Motion by Senator Warren to approve Senator Tabitha Plumber. Motion approved.
   - Motion to approve the agenda with amendments. Motion approved.
   - Motion to approve Ms. Plumber as Senator. Motion approved.

2. Motion from the Public: no announcements.

3. Shalin’s Announcements:
   - Email being sent out for google doc. To check in with Senator’s contacts.

4. Katie Coutermarsh’s Announcements:
   - Thank you for all of the support with the Homecoming Week and Weekend.
   - Joint AS-TPB event this past Tuesday to further increase relationship and to promote “Get on the Grass” for students.
   - This Monday, new bins will be brought to campus for fun activities.
   - Personal projects: College Cab program. This program deals with campus cash being used for cab purchases. We are looking to change this with Uber.
   - Update from the Consulting firm presentations. The firm was chosen for the Master Plan, and we are waiting for President Harris’ action on this matter.
   - Auxiliary Services meeting last week. Two students will be sitting on the Aromas renovation design committee.
   - Student issues regarding parking, to-go boxes, trash cans in the Vista apartments, etc.

5. Bryan Fox’s announcements:
   - Research grant applications received this last week. $35,000 allocated.
In the next few weeks, the Torero Spotlight event will start. We will be recognizing Toreros of the Week.

Textbook costs are being reviewed.

6. Pete Greene’s announcements:
   - 12 different organizations were funded this week in the ASBC meeting as well as GBM requests.
   - ASBC Webinar is on the horizon to discuss and tutor the structure of ASBC.
   - Questions about the budget? Please stop by Pete’s office hours.

7. Bryan Tudor’s announcements:
   - The website for AS is currently being worked on.
   - Special recognition to Daniel Geloso and Bret Chavarria on working with Bryan.
   - Upcoming meeting with SDSU comm. Board to discuss and review performance on campus.
   - Polos are here today for Senators.

8. UFMC:
   - Banners have unfortunately been stolen regarding the Language Matters campaign.
   - Multicultural night on December 4th.
   - Senator Campbell’s question: Location? Shiley at 5pm.

   - Let’s Connect office hours last week were very successful.
   - New committee is being formed and we need representatives. This is the Great Grievances committee. All senators can participate.

10. Jordan Rodriguez: Inclusion and Diversity
    - Attended multicultural events last week.
    - Discussion of reaching out to the community regarding the vandalism of the poster.

11. Tori Coleman: Student Life
    - Jack Campbell met with Mission B facilities- developed a 3 step plan.
    - Matt met with students to talk about connectivity.
    - We need to work on promoting sexual assault awareness, and are trying to work with diversity committee.

12. Sonia Aguilar on behalf of Brett Chavarria: Student Orgs.
• Student Orgs. Mixer next week in the UC 128 5-7PM next Wednesday.
• Bryan Fox: Please attend the mixer if you are involved in a org.

13. Mike Mascetti: Changemaking Initiatives
• Attempting to get details down on orgs. Who will participate with athletics and an additional group to create a fun sports event.
• Additional help is requested for this initiative.

14. Sydney Smith: Wellness
• Met with Campus Connections last week. This group is the TPB for the wellness community.
• The student wellness outline is currently underway.
• National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness week next week. Multiple events are taking place.
• 4–6PM wellness check-in.
• Please attend these events next week.
• Please be safe on Fall Break.

15. New Business: 1:03PM
• Please bring up topics that you would like to have discussed.
• Dylan Jones: Please sign up for Parking Appeals committee.
• Kelsea Tower: Please help out with Parking Appeals committee.
• This meeting meets in the SLP tower room.
• Mike Mascetti: Question for Senator Coleman regarding hamocks- talk to Senator Tower.
• Katie Coutermarsh:
• Tori Coleman: Discussion of the vandalism regarding the every language matters campaign.
• Jack Campbell: This is a campus issue regarding the vandalism. Issues with the posters?
Kelsea Tower: Discussion in Student Life: Do the posters take a singular approach, and is anything offensive? There may be issues.

Dylan Jones: Agree with Kelsea on the issue.

Tyler Warren: Two banners stolen in Maher. These posters may jump to extremities, such as “Just get over it”.

Daniel Geloso: Students are not taking the movement seriously since some posters are very offensive, such as the association of Islam with terrorism.

Shalin Shah: Agrees with Daniel, and we cannot merely take one side of this issue. People need to be more mindful.

Mike Mascetti: Topic of the Tobacco Free-Smoke free environment issues.

Sydney Smith: I would not use a majority of the words that are on these posters. Some of the posters promote good rhetoric and positive ideas.

Motion to continue the conversation, since we are exceeded 10 minutes.

A motion made by Senator Coleman to extend the discussion. The motion was approved.

Katie Coutermarch: Looked over senior exit surveys. Almost 40 percent of students have stated that they have been offended by some form of language on this campus during their time here. We must work to stop this.

Kelsea Tower: While the words on the poster were harsh, and I agree with Sydney on working on posters that discuss positive stances. Let’s try to be optimistic.

Tori Coleman: Please think about your words and the privilege that you have, while others may not have this necessity. We need to address the smoking issue as well and maybe work on creating a specific area.

Dylan Jones: Mike is very correct on the smoking area, and we need to listen to all constituents.

Motion to extend the discussion for 5 more minutes. Approved.

Jake Fobean: It is only real life, and people are being overly sensitive.

Dillon Olagaray: Discussion of breath easy in the past and the fact that smoking harms other individuals.

Mike Mascetti: We cannot merely just ban smoking off the campus entirely, since it does not solve the problem of encouraging students to end smoking. We may need new programs to help with overcoming addictions.
• Katie Coutermash: There are resources available on campus for overcoming addiction.
• Ashley Joshi: We should support smokers on campus as well as we help them transition to quit their habit of smoking.
• Bryan Fox: I strongly encourage all of you to bring these issues to the student population, and talk to your committees and please come back with a much more formalized argument so we do not merely discuss this issue of smoking continuously.
• Katie Quinn: Smoking- Will students honestly be ostracized if we keep smoking off campus. It is a small campus environment. As for the UFMC, let’s please reword our poster announcements.
• Kelsea Tower: The model of a smoke-free campus was designed off of other state systems. Please be cautious of the things you say regarding the smoking issue since we have supported and continue to support it in the past.
• Jawara Mills II: Further discussion of UFMC.
• Dylan Jones: While we need to remain consistent about our stances of initiatives, is it right to exclude a constituent group?
• Shalin: This discussion will be “tabled” for a later time”.
• Motion made to refer these issues to the committees

16. Re-approval of Student Organizations
• Sonia Aguilar: Re-approval of Student organizations: For full list, please see the agenda.
• Motion made, and all existing clubs have been re-approved.

17: Approval of new clubs:
• USD Consulting: Concerns raised by Mike Mascetti and Dylan Jones.
• Motion has been made to approve, and the club is approved.
• USD Board Riders Club: Jawara Mills II concerned with the function of this org.
• Motion made and approved.
• Pre-Vet: Motion made and approved.
Angling Society: Concerns raised by Jawara Mills II on how many people want to participate in this.
- Motion made and approved.
- Vegans United: Motion made and approved.
- Men’s Volleyball: Is this a club team? Yes, it is. This club has been established, but they did not register last year.
- Motion made and approved.

18: Senator Chris Nelson:
- USD Men’s Lacrosse Team is running a fundraiser to help increase awareness of underlying conditions that may lead to untimely deaths. Hopes to raise $5,000 to try to enhance awareness tactics. Members of the USD Lacrosse family have succumbed to heart disease.
- Shalin Shah: This event will be discussed next week in further detail. We should discuss whether or not we would like to make a donation to this event.
- Pete Greene: The AS Budget is comprised of Student Activity Fees. If we donate to specific events, we would be voting in favor of taking undergraduate student money and allocating it towards a fundraiser that students don’t have a say in.
- Katie Quinn: Will the Lacrosse Team be attending senate to discuss this issue in greater detail?

19. Matthew Beasley: Revising the election bylaws.
- Changes regarding social media and opening up greater marketing for elections.
- This event of revision will be opening up next week, so please take it into account.
- Will this be posted on the USD website for senators to access? This needs to be posted for 5 days before voting.

20. Lavanya Sridharan: Thank you for talking about the language matters campaign. This event is a collaboration of numerous organizations. Also, please educate yourself much more on issues regard the Language Matters campaign before we make a decision.

21: Last comments: Dillon: Please stay on track with your office hours (I will be contacting you if you are not meeting your requirements). We will also start using twitter accounts to post pictures with our constituents. Make sure you do Let’s Connect. We will begin surveys soon.

Motion to adjourn made and approved. Meeting adjourned at 2:01PM.