



**Monroe Community College Student Government Association  
Senate Meeting Agenda for Tuesday, August 24, 2011  
10:00 a.m. - Forum (3-130)**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

- A. Roll Call
- B. Approval of the August 2, 2011 Senate Meeting Minutes

**II. SPEAK TO THE SENATE**

**III. REPORTS**

- A. President
- B. Vice President
- C. Senators
- D. Committee Reports
- E. Office of Student Life & Leadership Development Advisor Stewart
- F. Faculty Advisor McCauley
- G. Office of Student Life & Leadership Development Advisor Herzog

**IV. NEW BUSINESS**

**1. ACTION ITEMS (Items requiring a Senate vote)**

**a. Resolution to approve Committee Members**

*Resolved*, that the Monroe Community College Student Government Association Senate approve the candidates to sit on their respective committees for the 2011-2012 Academic Year.

**b. Resolution to amend the MCC Student Government Association By-Laws by changing By-Law 12.3.5**

*Resolved*, that the Monroe Community College Student Government Association Senate approve the changes to By-Law 12.3.5 (see attached).

**c. Resolution to Override Presidential Veto**

*Resolved*, the Monroe Community College Student Government Association Senate overrides the Presidential veto and approves the bundled resolutions effective immediately.

**d. Resolution to Override Presidential Veto**

*Resolved*, the Monroe Community College Student Government Association Senate overrides the Presidential veto and approves the bundled resolutions effective immediately.

**V. QUESTIONS & COMMENTS**

**VI. ADJOURNMENT**

**VII. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**Student Senators:**

At-Large Senator Isaacs  
At Large Senator J. Snyder  
Athletics Senator Lalisie  
Interdisciplinary Studies Senator M. Snyder  
Science, Health & Business Senator Bynes  
Service Clubs Senator Childers

**President:**

Michael Gray, II

**SL&LD Advisor:**

Elizabeth Stewart

**Faculty Advisor:**

Joseph McCauley

**SL&LD Advisor:**

Rebecca Herzog

## **Resolutions for the August 24, 2011 Senate Meeting**

### **Resolution to approve Committee Members**

*Whereas*, under Article III, Section 4E of the MCC Student Government Association Constitution, the President shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint all members of standing and ad hoc committees, and  
*Whereas*, the President has nominated Tessa Ciaccio to sit on the Diversity Committee for the 2011-2012 Academic Year, and  
*Whereas*, the President has nominated Adriana Estrella and Rachel Sparks to sit on the 9/11 Ceremony Committee for the 2011-2012 Academic Year, and  
*Whereas*, the President has nominated Alejandro Tollinchi and Enxhi Panariti to sit on the Travel and Finance Committee for the 2011-2012 Academic Year, and  
*Whereas*, the President has nominated Jason Childers to sit on the Club Constitution Committee for the 2011-2012 Academic Year, be it  
*Resolved*, that the Monroe Community College Student Government Association Senate approve the candidates to sit on their respective committees for the 2011-2012 Academic Year.

### **Resolution to amend the MCC Student Government Association By-Laws by changing By-Law 12.3.5**

*Whereas*, under Article III, Section 6.C.13 of the MCC Student Government Association Constitution, the Senate may determine the rules of its proceedings, and make rules for the SGA as a whole, and  
*Whereas*, under Article IX of said Constitution, the MCC Student Government Association Senate requires a two-thirds vote to change the By-Laws, be it  
*Resolved*, that the Monroe Community College Student Government Association Senate approve the changes to By-Law 12.3.5 (see attached).

### **Resolution to Override Presidential Veto**

*Whereas*, under Article III, Section 6.C.9 of the MCC Student Government Association Constitution, by a two-thirds vote of the Senate present and voting, the Senate may override a Presidential veto, and  
*Whereas*, President Michael Grey II has vetoed the bundled resolutions to approve the amendment of Section 3.4.3 and Section 3.4.4, and to approve the addition of Section 8.3.12 of the SGA By-Laws, and approve the amendment of Section 9.3.6, be it  
*Resolved*, the Monroe Community College Student Government Association Senate overrides the Presidential veto and approves the bundled resolutions effective immediately.

### **Resolution to Override Presidential Veto**

*Whereas*, under Article III, Section 6.C.9 of the MCC Student Government Association Constitution, by a two-thirds vote of the Senate present and voting, the Senate may override a Presidential veto, and  
*Whereas*, President Michael Grey II has vetoed the bundled resolutions to approve Kelly Bynes and Michael Snyder to sit on the Rock the Vote Committee for the 2011-2012 Academic Year, and to approve Tessa Ciaccio to sit on the By-Laws Committee for the 2011-2012 Academic Year, be it  
*Resolved*, the Monroe Community College Student Government Association Senate overrides the Presidential veto and approves the bundled resolutions effective immediately.

## Old By-Law

### 12.3.5 Media Senator

- A. Participate in at least one Senate Committee.
- B. Shall have a seat on the Media Committee
- C. Participate in at least one Faculty Committee.
- D. Hold one office hour per week in Senate office.
- E. Attend Senate and Pre-agenda meetings.
- F. Shall attend Leadership Institute classes.
- G. Communicate regularly w/students, faculty, and staff via personal contact, memos and emails.
- H. Advocate for student issues w/faculty, staff, and administration.
- I. Sit on Student Association Finance Committee.
- J. Be open to any student who expresses opinions, needs, or concerns while in Senate Office.
- K. Work with the *Monroe Doctrine* to complete the Senate report for the paper.
- L. Communicate regularly with the staffs of the *Monroe Doctrine*, *Cabbages and Kings*, and WMCC to share information and gather concerns.
- M. Work closely with the Promotions Coordinator in the Cabinet.

## New By-Law

### 12.3.5 Media Senator

- A. Participate in at least one Senate Committee.
- B. Participate in at least one Faculty Committee.
- C. Hold one office hour per week in Senate office.
- D. Attend Senate and Pre-agenda meetings.
- E. Shall work towards a Leadership Certificate.
- F. Communicate regularly w/students, faculty, and staff via personal contact, memos and emails.
- G. Advocate for student issues w/faculty, staff, and administration.
- H. Sit on the Student Association Budget Committee.
- I. Be open to any student who expresses opinions, needs, or concerns while in Senate Office.
- J. Work with the *Monroe Doctrine* to complete the Senate report for the paper.
- K. Communicate regularly with the staffs of the *Monroe Doctrine*, *Cabbages and Kings*, and WMCC to share information and gather concerns.
- L. Work closely with the Promotions and Physical Activities Coordinators.