



DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION CABINET

Minutes

Date: February 23rd, 2026.

Call to Order: 8:00 p.m.

Members In Attendance: Hayden Kirkhart, Evelyn Greer, Brady Roehm, Atley Thompson, Ilayda Hacıoglu, Emma Haley, Mikayla Kloth, Cooper Mercier, Keirra Birch, Jamaal Bryant, Isabella Llano.

Advisor in Attendance (Non-Voting): Dr. Eddie Lovin.

Members Not In Attendance: Aidan Hayes.

Guest: Peyton Bevan.

Call to Order: A regular meeting of the Student Government Association Cabinet was held in the SGA Office on February 23rd. The meeting convened at 8:00 p.m. with Hayden Kirkhart presiding.

Approval of Minutes.....Hayden Kirkhart

Minutes were not approved at this meeting.

Introductions and General Overview of Items.....Hayden Kirkhart

The BGE was published and we need to start promoting people to sign up. Next week we will be doing awareness days to accomplish this. Show up to required events. Thanks for putting all of the work into last weeks events. I received positive feedback from President Ennis about Legislative Day. At Presidents Cabinet we went over all proposals for strategic enrollment; everyone please begin thinking of other possible retention ideas. This Friday we are playing Mississippi College in Basketball at 5:30 pm.

Selected Topic/Issue for Cabinet Discussion

- None.

Business

Action

The Big Green Event Awareness Week Materials.....Hayden Kirkhart

On motion by Hayden Kirkhart to spend up to \$150 on the materials for TBGE awareness week and seconded by Kiersten Bible. All members present and participating voted unanimously to approve spending \$150 for the awareness day materials.

SGA Election Awareness Day Materials.....Hayden Kirkhart

On motion by Hayden Kirkhart to spend up to \$300 on the materials for the SGA election awareness day and seconded by Kiersten Bible. All members present and participating voted unanimously to approve spending \$300 for the materials for the awareness day.

Change on the Ramadan Quote.....Ilayda Hacıoglu

On motion by Ilayda Hacıoglu to add \$930 to the original Ramadan Dinner Quote, and seconded by Kiersten Bible. All members present and participating voted unanimously to approve adding \$930 to the Ramadan Quote.

SNA Appropriation Request.....Kiersten Bible

On motion by Kiersten Bible spend up to \$1,445 on the SNA Appropriation request, and seconded by Evelyn Greer. All members present and participating voted unanimously to approve spending \$1,445 for the appropriation request with one abstention from an SGA SNA member.

Discussion

The BGE Awareness Week.....Hayden Kirkhart

Discussed times and dates for when small BGE sign up awareness days will be.

Cooking Workshop Idea.....Ilayda Hacıoglu

Discussed ideas on a potential international cooking workshop and possibly using the Statesman Food Shelf for this idea.

International Coffee Hour.....Ilayda Hacıoglu

The idea for one traditional international coffee hour was brought up and had approval around the table.

Constitution Changes.....Hayden Kirkhart

Next week will be the last opportunity for constitutional changes.

Cabinet Reports

- President:
 - Getting more info on a Pilates with Pike event.
 - Springfest will be posted tomorrow.
- Vice President:
 - Many people were out last meeting.
 - Midterm Anonymous Evaluations should be finished writing their resolution tonight.
 - Graduation Regalia has begun research.
 - Ride-share has also begun research and will be in contact with Mrs. Johanson.
 - Greek Life is waiting to hear from Mrs. Nikiki.
 - Next meeting is tomorrow at 6:00 pm.
- Chief of Justice:
 - Next meeting will be tomorrow at 7:30 pm.
- Athletic Affairs:
 - Softball is tomorrow at 2:00 pm and 4:00pm
 - Softball and Baseball will be playing Friday.
 - Basketball has a game Friday.
- Spirits and Traditions:
 - No report.
- Public Relations:
 - No report.
- Attorney General:
 - Review the constitution.
- Director of Engagement & Advocacy:
 - Echoes of Excellence will be on February 25th.
 - The Peace Walk; promoting peace and unity on campus; will be on February 26th meeting outside the Stateroom.
- International Affairs:
 - No report.
- Director of The Big Green Event:
 - Waiting of ideas and requests for different sites.
 - Some people have already signed up.
 - Keep spreading the word about TBGE sign ups.
- Chief of Staff:

- No report.
- Director of Health and Wellness:
 - Love Doesn't Hurt went well.
 - The first edition of the Okra Fit class went well and we will have another class on March 5th at the racquet ball quarts.
- Secretary/ Treasurer:
 - No report.

Information/Calendar items and announcements:

Adjournment: 9:17 p.m.

- Next Cabinet Meeting- Monday March 2nd, @ 8:00 p.m.
- Topic: TBD.

