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Student Advisory Committee to the Board of Regents for Higher Education
Regular Meeting
Friday, May 11th, 2012
Adanti Student Center Room 301, Southern Connecticut State University
501 Crescent Street, New Haven CT

1. **Time meeting called to order:** 4:39pm
2. Roll Call and Declaration of Quorum by Interim Secretary Krysten Gilbert and Quorum is confirmed.
3. Previous meeting of April 13th, 2012 Minutes are not confirmed- to be determined.
4. Opening remarks by Chairman Alex Tettey- Expresses thanks and states he would like to formalize a specific goal for the Student Advisory Committee.
5. Vice Chairman Michal Fraser reports the recent program approvals for Gateway Community College, Western Connecticut State University and Quinebaug Valley Community College by the Academic and Student Affairs Committee.
   a. Alex suggests that the topic of arming campus policemen be put on the Academic and Student Affairs Committee agenda to inform and determine if students support this decision.
   b. Discussion regarding the pros and cons of the arming of campus policemen.
   c. NVCC is having an issue regarding full time veteran’s officers, to be further discussed.
6. Bylaws Committee Co-Chair Shaun Bingham reports Bylaws progress.
   a. Alex suggests putting S.A.C. members on ConnSCU Student Government Associations.
   b. Discussion on when S.A.C members’ terms officially began.
   c. Discussion regarding the positions of the S.A.C.’s Executive Board.
7. Legislative update by Legislative Liaison Krysten Gilbert, Alex and Mike.
   a. Discussion regarding the formation of a Legislative Action Committee

**Recess 6:09pm-6:34**

8. **Information Items**
   a. A. It is determined that the S.A.C will receive thirty minutes of time at the biannual Joint Meeting with the Board of Regents for Higher Education.
   c. Arming of campus police was not reviewed as it was earlier discussed.
   d. The floor is opened for questions:
i. Discussion regarding issues and talking points for Joint Meeting with the Board of Regents

9. Alex and Mike inform members that the Listening Tour of ConnSCU will continue in the fall of this year.

10. Matt motions to adjourn. Shaun seconds the motion. Unanimous vote.

Adjourned at 6:59pm