

Stephen F. Austin State University  
Student Government Association



Fall Semester  
November 9, 2011

- I. Call to order
- II. Roll call
- III. Pledge
- IV. Approval of Minutes
- V. Executive Reports
- VI. Committee Reports
- VII. Senate Speaker
- VIII. New Business
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  - C. *F11-R3 A Resolution of Congratulation and Support to the Stephen F. Austin State University Ladyjack Soccer Team*
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F11-B15

Bill to appropriate Funds for the SGA Scholarships

*Written and Submitted by: Sergeant at Arms Jarrett Jackson*

Whereas: Student Government Association is an organization “for the students by the students”

Whereas: SGA receives money from student fees.

Whereas: As an organization we would like to promote the awareness of Student Government Association through the campus and show that we as an organization, not only care for the students but would like to see them get involved, to make SFA a better place for all.

Whereas: Every year the number of students are increased but the amount of funding from the state decreases to give to financial aid.

Enacted: Student Government Association will give out 3 scholarships to students, who have not been affiliated with SGA for at least a year, based on a combination of involvement on campus, GPA, and financial need.

Further Enacted: The scholarships will be chosen by a committee made-up of the committee chairs, the Sergeant at Arms, Speaker of the Senate, Vice President, with one member from the Senate appointed by the President.

Further Enacted: Student Government Association will allocate, \$2500, from the legislative budget that will be used for two scholarships.

Further Enacted: Student Government Association will take \$500 from the executive discretionary fund.

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Sean Valdez, Speaker of the Senate

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Sydni Mitchell, President

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F11-B16

Bill to Appropriate Funds  
for SGA Donations for Thanksgiving

*Written and Submitted by: Chairman Matthew Pickens and the Student Affairs Committee*

Whereas: The Thanksgiving holiday is coming soon and it is the time to be thankful for the soldiers who have fought for our country.

Whereas: The Wounded Warrior Project enables us to help the thousands of wounded warriors returning home from the current conflicts and to provide assistance to their families.

Whereas: A turkey hand donation event will allow SGA and the student body of Stephen F. Austin State University get more involved with the soldiers returning home.

Whereas: Students can cut out a turkey hand print and donate money towards the Wounded Warrior Project.

Enacted: SGA allocates \$80.00 for the donations event.

\$30.00 for the purchase of markers and paint.

\$50.00 for SGA donation towards the Wounded Warrior Project.

Any remaining funds for the purchase of markers and paint will be returned to the legislative budget.

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Sean Valdez, Speaker of the Senate

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Sydni Mitchell, President

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F11-R3

A Resolution of Congratulation and Support  
to the Stephen F. Austin State University Ladyjack Soccer Team

*Introduced by Senator Shon Casey, and Chairman Tony Hensdill*

**WHEREAS**, On October 28, 2011, the Stephen F. Austin State University Women's Soccer Team won their sixth Southland Conference regular season title, the first since the 2007 season;

**WHEREAS**, The Ladyjacks set a new single-season record in school history for most consecutive wins, finishing the season with their 12<sup>th</sup> win;

**WHEREAS**, The team finished 14-2-1, 9-0-0, to enter the Southland Conference Tournament as the number one seed;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, The Student Government Association of Stephen F. Austin State University formally congratulates the Stephen F. Austin State University Ladyjack Soccer Team for winning the 2011 Southland Conference regular season title, and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, The Student Government Association congratulates the Stephen F. Austin State University Ladyjack Soccer team members Kylie Louw, Chelsea Raymond, and Jordan King as they have been selected to the 2011 Southland Conference All-Tournament Team.

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Sean Valdez, Speaker of the Senate

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Sydni Mitchell, President

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