



6th General Assembly Minutes
April 13, 2008
Houston, TX
Renaissance Hotel at Greenway Plaza

- I. Call to Order-** President, JosephJoshua Fields, called the meeting to order at 8:31 a.m.
- II. Roll Call-** Secretary, Sarah Butler had a roll call and stated quorum had been established.
- III. Invocation-** was led by State Advisor, Phil Sims.
- IV. Pledge of Allegiance/Texas Pledge-** was led by Parliamentarian, Pat Buchanan.
- V. Orders of the Day- TSTC-** Abilene moved that we accept the orders of the day as corrected. Midland College seconded the motion. Motion carried.
- VI. Reading and Approval of the Minutes-** Brookhaven College moved that we suspend the reading of the minutes and approve them as corrected. McLennan Community College seconded the motion. Motion carried.
- VII. Election of Executive Officers**

North Central Texas College moved that advisor elect preside over the ballots and remove the parliamentarian from duty. Texas State Technical College- Harlingen seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Blinn College-Bryan moved that we amend the motion to replace advisor elect with the bulletin school. Houston Community College- Northeast seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Austin Community College moved that reinstate the Parliamentarian to oversee elections. Midland College seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Parliamentarian denied. Bulletin School supervised the election.
- VIII. Unfinished Business**
 - a. Committee Reports**
 - i. Judicial Committee-** El Centro College- The judicial committee convened on a complaint. The judicial committee found that JosephJoahua Fields did in fact move too fast during the meeting. We find that the advisors were not at fault. We feel that the state board should remain neutral. We recommend that the future TJSGA boards apply strictly to Roberts Rules of Order. We cannot

condemn the president and advisors without condemning the delegation.

- ii. **Constitution and Bylaws Committee-** Midland College moved that accept the Odd/Even Convention Years Amendment as written. TSTC- Marshall seconded the motion. Motion carried.
- iii. **Awards Committee-** We forgot to mention that Wharton County Junior College- Fort Bend did get Honorable mention.
 - 1. **Community Service Award-** TCSTC- Waco
 - 2. **Chapter of the Year-** Amarillo College.
 - 3. **Student of the Year-** Seth Christensen, Blinn College- Bryan
 - 4. **Advisor of the Year-** Leslie Way, Brazosport College
 - 5. **Most Professional School-** El Centro Community College.
- iv. **Dream Act-** Discussion. Moved and seconded. Motion passed (no motion form given).

IX. New Business

a. Honorary Memberships

- i. **Damien Tovar-** El Paso Community College
- ii. **Case Hahn-** Blinn College- Brenham
- iii. **Matt Johnson-** Amarillo College
- iv. **David Tufel-** Blinn College- Brenham/Bryan

El Paso Community College moved that we accept all of the members listed to become honorary members. Midland College seconded the motion. Motion carried.

X. Officer reports

- a. **State Advisor Elect- Heather Atchley-** Thanks everybody for your good behavior last night. It has been a great convention. Heather presented her pin to Elizabeth Bauman.
- b. **State Advisor- Phil Sims-** Phil presented his pin to Heather Atchley and Pat Buchanan.
- c. **Host- Tyler Junior College- Royce T. Eller-** Royce presented his pin to Scottie (Tyler Junior College).
- d. **Bulletin- Kingwood College- Brittney O'Rear-** Brittney presented her pin to Brandon Franke.
- e. **Treasurer- Trinity Valley Community College- Nick Curry-** Nick has a budget report to give. Nick gave his budget report. Many of the silent auction items have not been picked up. Nick presented his pin to Courtney Curran.
- f. **Secretary- Amarillo College- Sarah Butler-** Sarah presented her pin to Heather Atchley.
- g. **Parliamentarian- Navarro College- Corsicana- Pat Buchanan –** Pat presented his pin to Jessica Wagner.
- h. **Vice-President- El Paso Community College- Mellissia Troyer-** Mellissia presented her pin to Ms. Arvis Jones.
- i. **President- Blinn College-Bryan- JosephJoshua Fields-** JosephJoshua Fields presented his pin to Charlie (Blinn College- Bryan).

XI. Announcements

- a. Mountain View College-Thank you for supporting my bill
- b. Del Mar College- East-Thank you to the executive board.
- c. El Paso Community College- Recognize the top 1% of Texas college students for learning and growing to make Texas and the future of America better.
- d. Wharton County Junior College- FBTC- GI Bill and Hazelwood Act receiving a makeover. Please see me after meeting for more info.
- e. El Paso Community College- Had members of Armed Forces stand and be recognized.
- f. Blinn College- Bryan- Media competitors post videos on You Tube and send me the link.
- g. TVCC- silent auction winners meet 15 min. after assembly.

XII. Election of Executive Officer Results

- a. **State Advisor-Elect-** Arvis Jones, El Paso Community College
- b. **Advisor-** Heather Atchley, Amarillo College
- c. **Host-** Blinn College- Bryan
- d. **Bulletin-** TSTC- Waco
- e. **Treasurer-** El Paso Community College
- f. **Secretary-** Wharton Community College- Fort Bend Tech Center
- g. **Parliamentarian-** El Centro College
- h. **Vice-President-** Amarillo College
- i. **President-** Navarro College

- XIII. Adjournment-** Joseph Joshua Fields, Blinn College- Bryan, moved to adjourn the meeting. Mellissia Troyer, El Paso Community College, seconded the motion. Motion carried.