STUDENT SENATE MEETING MINUTES

5 October 2026

BUILDING 1 ROOM 131

CALLED TO ORDER {4:01pm} | ADJOURNED {4:41pm}

ATTENDANCE

Office/Seat	Member	Attendance Status
President	Fred Astbury	{PRESENT}
Vice President	Diamond Garcia-Alvarez	{PRESENT}
Secretary/Treasure	Justin Rydalch	{PRESENT}
Parliamentarian	Emma Brown	{PRESENT/ONLINE}
Senator	{NAME}	VACANT
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QUORUM ESTABLISHMENT

- 4 MEMBERS
- 4 PRESENT
- 3 IN-PERSON}
- 1 VIRTUAL
- 0 ABSENT
- 0 VACANT

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

Previous Meeting 28 September 2026}

- APPROVED AS AMMENDED/= Approved at 4:07pm
    - Minutes from last meeting were reviewed

GUESTS & ADMINISTRATORS PRESENT

- Hailey Mack
  Dean of Student Affairs
- Bailey Winn
  Student Senate Administration Liaison
- Quincy R
  Robotics Club Representative
- Ryan G
  Robotics Club Representative

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Advisor Announcements:

- A local Dental Clinic emailed Bailey asking if there was any interest in partnering for a Trunk-or-Treat, CEI would not have to host anything but most likely be handing out candy. No commitments made at this time

Administrative Information

- CEI staff will be dressing up for Halloween on the 29th of October.

Upcoming Events

- Stress relief week for midterms
- Transfer Fair on the 8th of October
- Graffiti sticker drop on the 14th of October
- Pin Drop on the 20th of October

NEW BUSINESS

Robotics Club members attended the meeting for request for funds for fall semester 2026

Purpose

The club will use the funds for pizza parties as well as parts for their robots

Discussion Highlights

- There are open to any kind of partnership between themselves and other clubs on campus
- Any specific Hardware needed for the build? Ans: None at this time

Action/Consider

- {MOTION WAS MADE to approve funds for club for fall $500}
- Moved by: {Fred motioned for approval, Diamond seconded]

{VOTE MENTIONED BY: VOICE}

(Roll Call Records: Complete when applicable)

Senator	Status
President Fred Astbury	{YEA}
Vice President Diamond Garcia-Alvarez	{YEA}
Secretary/Treasurer Justin Rydalch	{YEA}
Parliamentarian Emma Brown	{YEA}

Vote Tally:

YEA: {4}

NAY: {0}

ABSTAIN: {0}

Follow-up: Not Applicable

MATTERS FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION

Identified matters that have not yet become formal Senate business. Examples below:

- Online hosting/meeting for CEI Student Senate, Diamond will submit Written guidelines to Fred by this Friday 9 October no later than 5pm so it can be discussed in session next week.
- Diamond mentioned organizing a possible event for Blindness-Awareness month (which is in October), Bailey suggested sometime during the week of Oct 26th-30th.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to Adjourn

- {4:41pm}

Next Meeting

- {Oct 12th}
- {4:00pm}
- {Bldg 1 rm 131}