

Cornell University University Assembly

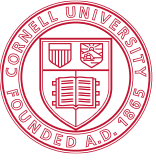
Cornell University's University Assembly

Minutes of the October 1, 2024 Meeting

4:45 pm – 6:15 pm

401 Physical Sciences Building | Zoom

- I. Call to Order
 - a. A. LaGressa called the meeting to order at 4:49pm.
 - i. *Members Present:* M. Benda, J. Butcher, Z. deRham, E. DeRosa, E. Gainor, A. Haenlin-Mott, O. Karim, A. LaGressa, N. Maggard, S. Matan, S. Modadugula, C. Tarala, W. Treat
 - ii. *Members Absent:* D. Bateman, N. Brennan, E. Crawley, D. Dinner, S. Resue, A. Vinson
 - iii. *Also Present:* R. Platt
- II. Land Acknowledgement of the Gayogoho:noꝓ (Cayuga Nation)
 - a. A. LaGressa stated the UA's acknowledgment of the Cayuga Nation.
- III. Approval of the Minutes from the September 17th Meeting
 - a. W. Treat put forward a motion to amend Section IV of the minutes to read "Approval of the Minutes from the September 3rd Meeting."
 - i. The motion **passed** with unanimous consent.
 - b. A. LaGressa put forward a motion to add "A. Haenlin-Mott" to the list of members absent in Section I, line item (ii).
 - i. The motion **passed** with unanimous consent.
 - c. A. LaGressa put forward a motion to remove " and" from the end of Section VI, line item (ii.b) and replace it with "."
 - i. The motion **passed** with unanimous consent.
 - d. A. Haenlin-Mott put forward a motion to approve the minutes from the September 17th meeting.
 - i. C. Tarala seconded the motion.
 - ii. The minutes were **approved** with unanimous consent.
- IV. Call for Late Additions to the Agenda
 - a. A. LaGressa called for late additions to the agenda. None were proposed.
- V. Committee Reports
 - a. Executive Committee



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- ii. J. Withers stated that the GPSA is missing representatives for the Campus Planning Committee.
- b. Coalition for Sexual Violence Prevention
 - i. Nothing to report
- c. Student Health Benefits Advisory Committee
 - i. Nothing to report
- d. Sustainable Cornell Council's Carbon Neutral Campus Steering Committee
 - i. Nothing to report
- e. Sustainable Cornell Council's Education & Engagement Steering Committee
 - i. Nothing to report
- f. Sustainable Cornell Council's Campus Operations Steering Committee
 - i. Nothing to report

VIII. Open Discussion

- a. The UA discussed the role they should play in the Expressive Activity Policy, whether they should vote on approving it, and the procedure the policy will go through in its passage.
 - i. A. LaGressa stated that the policy will be further discussed at the UA's November 12th meeting, at which Dean Barry will present.

A. LaGressa adjourned the meeting at 5:36pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

P.J. Brown

Clerk of the Assembly