A BILL TO FUND STUDENTS UNITED FOR REPRODUCTIVE AND GENDER EQUITY

WHEREAS, the Preamble to the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states, “the Student Senate shall work to enhance the learning experience of all KU students both in and out of the classroom,” and

WHEREAS, Students United for Reproductive and Gender Equity (SURGE) is a student organization, open to all students, that is registered with the Student Involvement and Leadership Center, and

WHEREAS, SURGE is a feminist student organization. They work toward social and political equality throughout the gender and sexuality spectrum while seeking reproductive justice for all, and

WHEREAS, SURGE has invited Leslie Morgan Steiner to speak as a continuation of their Jana Mackey Distinguished Lecturer series on February 11th, 2016 from 4 to 5:30pm in the Commons in Spooner Hall. The event is open and free to the public with an estimated attendance is 400 people, and

WHEREAS, The Jana Mackey Distinguished Lecture Series is a dedicated series to a late University of Kansas student. Jana dedicated they short life to pursuing social justice and true equality for all women, and

WHEREAS, Leslie Morgan Steiner is a nationally-known speaker and advocate on issues related to domestic/intimate partner violence, having been a victim themselves, and

WHEREAS, The total event cost is $10,180. SURGE has raised $2,500 so far and is requesting $2,197 from Senate. This money will solely be used for guest speaker honorarium fee, and
WHEREAS, Domestic violence is a prevalent issue on campus in need of conversation, and

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the sum of $2,197 be allocated from the Student Senate Unallocated Account to SURGE for the following:

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Jessie Pringle  
Student Body President

Veto:

Isaac Bahney  
Communications Director

Zachary George  
Student Body Vice President
The University of Kansas
STUDENT SENATE
FINAL BILL No. 2016-074

Date Approved
November 18, 2015
Submitted by
Onobeoghene Oghenekaro, Freshman Senator

A BILL TO FUND KU MINDFULNESS AND MEDITATION CLUB

WHEREAS, the Preamble to the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states that it is the responsibility of the Student Senate “to work to enhance the learning experience of all KU students both in and out of the classroom,” and

WHEREAS, the KU Mindfulness and Meditation Club is a registered student organization with the Student Involvement and Leadership Center, and

WHEREAS, the KU Mindfulness and Meditation Club is open to all students, and

WHEREAS, the mission of KU Mindfulness and Meditation Club is dedication to helping students learn and practice mindfulness and meditation techniques

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate, here assembled, that the sum of $100 allocated from the Student Senate Unallocated Account to the KU Mindfulness and Meditation Club for the following:

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Zachary George
Student Body Vice President

Veto:

Isaac Balney
Communications Director
The University of Kansas
STUDENT SENATE
FINAL BILL No. 016-081

Date Approved
November 18, 2015
Submitted by
Nicholas Latimer, School of Engineering Senator

A BILL TO FUND KU BELIEVE AUTISM MATTERS (KU B.A.M)

WHEREAS, the Preamble to the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states, “the
Student Senate shall work to enhance the learning experience of all KU
students both in and out of the classroom,” and

WHEREAS, KU Believe Autism Matters is a student organization, open to all students,
that is registered with the Student Involvement and Leadership Center, and

WHEREAS, the purpose of KU Believe Autism Matters is to educate, create awareness,
and provide support for those on the Autism Spectrum not only at KU, but
also within the Lawrence Community as well, and

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here
assembled that the sum of $100.00 be allocated from the Student Senate Unallocated
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Student Body Vice President

Veto:

Isaac Bahney
Communications Director
Date Approved
November 18, 2015
Submitted by
Nora Neary, Journalism Senator

A BILL TO FUND STYLE ON THE HILL

WHEREAS, the Preamble to the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states that “The KU Student Senate shall work to enhance the learning experience of all KU students both in and out of the classroom and shall work to build a vital and thriving University community encompassing students, faculty, staff, and administration.” and

WHEREAS, Style on the Hill is an undergraduate student organization, open to all students, that is registered with the Student Involvement and Leadership Center, and

WHEREAS Style on the Hill is a student-run publication dedicated to documenting the fashion, culture, and lifestyle of the KU campus and city of Lawrence. Published as a website rich with content and a digital magazine each semester, Style on the Hill and The Hill delivers engaging, interesting, and unique perspectives as well as creative visuals to the style-minded students at KU.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the sum of $100.00 be allocated from the Student Senate Unallocated Account to Style on the Hill for the following:

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Signature: Jessie Pringle
Student Body President

Signature: Zachary George
Student Body Vice President

Veto:

Signature: Isaac Bahney
Communications Director
The University of Kansas
STUDENT SENATE
FINAL BILL No. 2016-083

Date Approved
November 18, 2015
Submitted by
Brett Wagner, Engineering Senator

Sponsor(s):
Nitin Kanukolanu, Engineering Senator
Katlyn Meggers, Engineering Senator

A BILL TO FUND KU ENGINEERS WITHOUT BORDERS QA/QC

WHEREAS, the Preamble to the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states, "the Student Senate shall work to enhance the learning experience of all KU students both in and out of the classroom," and "further the cultural, social, and political growth of the KU Students," and

WHEREAS, the KU chapter of Engineers Without Borders is a student organization, open to all students, that is registered with the Student Involvement and Leadership Center, and

WHEREAS, KU Engineers Without Borders is an organization dedicated to providing community service through engineering on a local, national, and international scale, and, and

WHEREAS, KU Engineers Without Borders needs QA/QC (Quality Assurance and Quality Control) review for their project implementation trip to Kaliro, Uganda which will be performed by Engineers Without Borders USA professional engineers. The review session will include KU Engineers Without Borders members and their technical mentors, and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the QA/QC process is performed to ensure sustainable, safe, and successful projects which must be performed by licensed, professional engineers, and

WHEREAS, the total cost of the QA/QC process is $4,900, $3,690 of which will be provided by an Engineers Without Borders USA grant, and

WHEREAS, the total budget for KU Engineers Without Borders for the 2015-2016 school year is approximately $46,000, and the amount requested will be less than 3% of their annual budget.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the sum of $1,210 be allocated from the Student Senate Unallocated Account to KU Engineers Without Borders for the following:
QA/QC
TOTAL

Jessie Pringle
Student Body President

Zachary George
Student Body Vice President

Veto:

Isaac Bahney
Communications Director

$1,210.00
$1,210.00
A BILL TO FUND INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION

WHEREAS, the Preamble to the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states, “the Student Senate shall work to enhance the learning experience of all KU students both in and out of the classroom,” and

WHEREAS, the International Student Association is an organization, open to all students, that is registered with the Student Involvement and Leadership Center, and

WHEREAS, the International Student Association strives to provide activates and support for international students at the University of Kansas, and

WHEREAS, the International Student Association is applying for general funding and funding for their International Student Thanksgiving event on November 20, 2015, and

WHEREAS, this event is free and open to the public and it is meant to allow international students the opportunity to experience an American Thanksgiving, and

WHEREAS, International Student Association is asking for 100 dollars of General Funding, and

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the sum of $100.00 be allocated from the Student Senate Unallocated Account to The International Student Association for the following:

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Zachary George
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Veto:

Isaac Bahney
Communications Director
A BILL TO FUND THE GRADUATE ENGINEERING ASSOCIATION

WHEREAS, the Preamble to the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states: "The KU Student Senate shall work to enhance the learning experience of all KU students both in and out of the classroom," and

WHEREAS, the Graduate Engineering Association is a registered graduate student organization with the Student Involvement and Leadership Center, and

WHEREAS, the Graduate Engineering Association is open to all students, and

WHEREAS, the Graduate Engineering Association is the only graduate student organization in the School of Engineering; includes over two hundred members; and furthers the professional development of all students through workshops, guest speakers, research competitions, and networking events.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate, here assembled, that the sum of $100 be allocated from the Student Senate Unallocated Account to the Graduate Engineering Association for the following:

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Signed:

Jessie Pringle  
Student Body President

Zachary George  
Student Body Vice President

Veto:

Isaac Bahney  
Communications Director
A BILL TO FUND THE COMMUNICATION STUDIES GRADUATE STUDENT ORGANIZATION

WHEREAS, the Preamble to Student Senate Rules and Regulations states, "The Student Senate shall work to further the cultural, social, and political growth of KU students," and

WHEREAS, the Communication Studies Graduate Student Organization is a graduate student organization open to all students and registered through the Student Involvement and Leadership Center, and

WHEREAS, the Communication Studies Graduate Student Organization is an organization that promotes the study and practice of superior communication skills across the gamut of communicative events and supports graduate students in the Communication Studies program, many of whom teach undergraduate course, and

WHEREAS, the Communication Studies Graduate Student Organization hosts the Linkugel Speech Festival each semester, which enhances and recognizes the public speaking and critical analysis skills of students across the university.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the sum of $100.00 $170.00 be allocated from the Student Senate Unallocated Account to the Communication Studies Graduate Student Organization for the following:

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Jessie Pringle  
Student Body President

Veto:  

Isaac Bahney  
Communications Director

Zachary George  
Student Body Vice President
A BILL TO FUND KU STUDENT SPEECH-LANGUAGE-HEARING ASSOCIATION

WHEREAS, the Preamble to Student Senate Rules and Regulations states, “the Student Senate shall work to enhance the learning experience of all KU students both in and out of the classroom,” and

WHEREAS, The KU Speech-Language-Hearing Association is a registered student organization through the Student Involvement and Leadership Center, and

WHEREAS, The KUSSHA is open to all students, and

WHEREAS, The KUSSHA is for undergrad and graduate students involved in the SPLH major/program who would like to get involved with the department, meet faculty, learn about graduate schools, and make new friends within their department.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the sum of $100.00 be allocated from the Student Senate Unallocated Account to KUSSHA for the following:

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Zachary George  
Student Body Vice President

Veto:

Isaac Bahney  
Communications Director
A BILL TO AMEND STUDENT SENATE RULES AND REGULATIONS ARTICLE VI SECTION 7.9.1A TO REDUCE THE GENERAL ELECTIONS SPENDING CAP

WHEREAS, Rock Chalk Invisible Hawk is a student organization that has demanded action from the Student Senate and University administration, and

WHEREAS, Rock Chalk Invisible Hawk has issued fifteen demands for changes on campus, of which the seventh demand relates to revisions to the Student Senate Election Code to bring the newly increased $2,000.00 campaign expenditure cap back down to the previous $1,000.00, and

WHEREAS, the students have expressed disapproval of the spending cap increase since the legislation passed and the Student Senate owes it to its constituents to reexamine this dramatic change to election rules.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled, that Student Senate Rules and Regulations Article VI Section 7.9.1A be amended as follows:

7.9.1A A coalition or independent Presidential/Vice-Presidential ticket shall not spend more than one thousand dollars ($1,000.00) in a General Election. Coalition spending limits include expenses incurred by all individual members of the coalition.

Jessie Pringle
Student Body President

Zachary George
Student Body Vice President

Isaac Bailey
Communications Director
The University of Kansas
STUDENT SENATE
RESOLUTION No. 2016-301

Date Submitted
November 18, 2015
Submitted by
Stephonn Alcorn, Government Relations Director
Angela Murphy, Graduate Affairs Director
Tomas Green, Policy and Development Director
Gabrielle Naylor, School of Business Senator
John Rebein, Interfraternity Council Senator
Daniel P. Summers, Jr/Sr CLAS Senator
Nick Steiner, School of Business Senator

Sponsors:
Adam Moon, Chief of Staff
Harrison Baker, Jr/Sr CLAS Senator
Adam Steinhilber, Fr/Soph CLAS Senator
University Affairs Committee
Ramiro Sarmiento, Multicultural Greek Council Senator
Camille Douglas, National Pan Hellenic Council Senator
Sophie Wang, On-Campus Senator
Mady Womack, Panhellenic Senator

A RESOLUTION OPPOSING HOUSE BILL 3403, THE SAFE CAMPUS ACT

WHEREAS, University of Kansas Student Senate Rules and Regulations Article I Section II implores that “The Student Senate shall work to ensure that the learning opportunities at KU are open to all students without exception. This includes but is not limited to: race, religion, sex, gender identity and expression, color, disability, national origin, ancestry, sexual orientation, political affiliation, marital or parental status, socioeconomic status and to the extent specified by law, age or veteran status,” and

WHEREAS, the Preamble to the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states “Student Senate shall work to represent students on university, local, state, national, and international levels,” and

WHEREAS, The United States House of Representatives House Bill 3403, The Safe Campus Act, states, “if an institution of higher education which is subject to this part receives a covered allegation, along with written consent to proceed from the alleged victim, the institution shall report and refer the allegation to the law enforcement agency of the unit of local government
with jurisdiction to respond to such allegations in the location of the institution immediately, but not later than 48 hours after receiving written consent from the alleged victim,” and

WHEREAS, The Safe Campus Act further states “If an individual provides a notification to the institution under this paragraph with respect to an allegation, the institution may not initiate or otherwise carry out any institutional disciplinary proceeding with respect to the allegation,” and

WHEREAS, Many victims’ rights groups and sexual assault victims strongly oppose this bill, including Know Your IX and organizations represented by the National Task Force to End Sexual Assault and Violence Against Women, and

WHEREAS, By requiring victims to first go to law enforcement, The Safe Campus Act strips away victims’ rights to decide which entity they should report to, and

WHEREAS, Victims of sexual violence deserve to have the autonomy to report their allegations however they see fit.

WHEREAS, Involving the police or law enforcement in cases of sexual or domestic violence has the potential to put the victim in greater danger, and

WHEREAS, Law enforcement officials lack the resources and authority to carry out university-specific sanctions such as no-contact orders, class switches, and revising housing accommodations, and

WHEREAS, the lobbying efforts of the National Interfraternity Council and the National Panhellenic Council to pass this measure are in conflict with the opinions of their constituents, university students still in residence on campuses across the country, and

WHEREAS, Leadership in many fraternity and sorority chapters across the University of Kansas oppose this measure in favor of more meaningful, actionable prevention and education programs across campus,

WHEREAS, The implementation of The Safe Campus Act would serve to delegitimize the sexual assault safety entities that have been established throughout campus which serve to protect victims and associates of sexual assault,

THEREFORE, be it resolved by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that we urge, in the strongest terms possible, that Bill H.R. 3403 be voted against, or killed in the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.
THEREFORE, be it further resolved upon passage, copies of this bill be sent to the following entities:

Kansas Board of Regents  
Chancellor Bernadette Gray-Little  
Provost Jeffrey Vitter  
University of Kansas Interfraternity Council  
University of Kansas Panhellenic Association  
North-American Interfraternity Conference  
National Panhellenic Conference  
The Honorable Representative John Kline  
The Honorable Representative Pete Sessions  
The Honorable Representative Kay Granger  
The Honorable Representative Brenda Lawrence  
The Honorable Representative John Garamendi  
The Honorable Representative Lynn Jenkins  
The Honorable Representative Kevin Yoder  
The Honorable Representative Mike Pompeo  
The Honorable Representative Tim Huelskamp  
The Kansas City Star  
The Lawrence Journal-World  
The University Daily Kansan

[Signatures]

Jessie Pringle  
Student Body President

Zachary George  
Student Body Vice President

Isaac Bahney  
Communications Director
A RESOLUTION TO POSITIVELY ADDRESS THE LIST OF DEMANDS PRESENTED BY ROCK CHALK INVISIBLE HAWK AT THE KU TOWN HALL MEETING ON NOVEMBER 11, 2015

WHEREAS, the Preamble to Student Senate Rules and Regulations states, “The Student Senate shall work to further the cultural, social, and political growth of KU Students,” and

WHEREAS, the Rock Chalk Invisible Hawk student activist group made a speech at the KU Town Hall on November 11th, 2015 regarding how marginalized students are treated at the University of Kansas which included a list of fifteen demands, two of which were directly addressable by the Student Senatebody, and

WHEREAS, we as a student body have the ability and the responsibility to meet some of these needs in a timely matter, and

WHEREAS, the demands are as follows:
  1. Director of OMA hired by December
  2. Mandatory, intense “inclusion and belonging” training for all levels of students, staff, faculty, and administration
  3. Issue Campus climate survey by February
  4. Train and rehire IOA staff and implement accountability measures.
  5. Increase consistent hiring of diverse faculty and staff
  6. Increase the percentage of underrepresented domestic and undocumented students
  7. Immediate amendments to Senate election code
  8. Increase aid and assistance to active military and veterans
  9. Establish team of multicultural counselors to specifically address severe mental illnesses and the needs of students of color by Fall 2016
  10. Ban concealed weapons from campus
  11. Remove all professors who assault, sexually harass, or engage in abusive relationships with students. Apply this policy retroactively as well, specifically to immediate expulsion of those that commit sexual assault.
  12. Open investigation into Grant, Starling et al. case as hate crime beginning with IOA
  13. Reopen investigation into the murder of Rick “Tiger” Dowdell
  14. Establish Multicultural Student Government independent of current University of Kansas Student Senate
15. Thorough plan of action from Administration by January 19, 2016

THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED the University of Kansas Student Senate issues a full declaration in support of the fifteen demands, and pledges to ensure the specific needs of multicultural students at this University are met in a timely fashion.

THEREFORE IT ALSO BE RESOLVED that a forum in which the demands of Rock Chalk Invisible Hawk may be discussed directly with Student Senate be scheduled, immediately

FURTHER IT BE RESOLVED upon passage, copies of this resolution may be sent to the following Entities:

Chancellor Bernadette Gray Little  
Provost Vitter  
UDK  
VP of Diversity and Equity  
University Senate

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Jessie Pringle  Zachary George

Student Body President  Student Body Vice President

Veto: ______________________

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Isaac Bahney

Communications Director