

**ASUH General Senate Meeting Minutes**  
**#09**  
**October 17, 2024**

**I. OPENING**

A. Call To Order

1. Meeting called to order at 5:08 PM

B. Roll Call - Quorum established

*Senate Members*

(P) President Reed	(P) Sen. Akiu	(P) Sen. Tauala	(UA) Sen. Akwue
(P) VP Crabbe	(P) Sen. Bachiller	(EA) Secretary Roysdon	
(P) Treasurer Pale	(P) Sen. Giardina	(EA) Sen. Kapuni	
(P) SAL Bielawski	(P) Sen. Gomez	(UA) Sen. Watanabe	
(P) SAL Leong	(P) Sen. Li	(UA) Sen. Watson	
(P) SAL Sasaki	(P) Sen. Rosinski	(UA) Sen. Song	

*Advisors*

(P) Healani Sonoda-Pale  
(P) Bonnyjean Manini

C. Reading & Approval of Minutes

1. [General Senate Meeting #07](#)
  - a. Motion to approve and adopt GSM#03 meeting minutes
  - b. Moved by XX, seconded by XX  
*No opposition, motion passes*

**II. REPORTS**

A. Executives

1. President

A. Search Advisory Committee for Vice Provost for Academic Excellence self-nomination

- a. <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSezecinLOfjGP4WxCcwrmeDsVDuOUuLXi6R0O40h1HkqqnWA/viewform>




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- B. Search Advisory Committee for Interim Associate Vice Provost for Student Success and Dean of Students nominee
- C. BTSS: democracy & Power in an Age of Division
  - a. <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/eric-liu-youre-more-powerful-than-you-think-tickets-1027664190257?aff=oddtcreator>
- 2. Vice-President
- 3. Treasurer
- 4. Secretary
- B. Administrative
  - 1. Advisor
  - 2. Operations Manager
- C. Judicial Branch
  - 1. Student Court - Not Present
- D. Standing Committees
  - 1. Campus Life
  - 2. Elections
  - 3. External Affairs
  - 4. Finance
    - a. SCRs have been filed
  - 5. Internal Affairs
  - 6. Investments and Long-Range Planning
  - 7. Student Affairs
  - 8. Undergraduate Academic Affairs
- E. Other Committees

### III. SPECIAL ORDERS

### IV. UNFINISHED BUSINESS AND GENERAL ORDERS

### V. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Ratify Elections Results  Fall 2024 Special Election Unofficial Results
  - a. Sen. Li motions, Sen. Bachiller seconds  
*Motion passes*
- B. Final Reading of  Senate Bill 06-25
  - a. Passes with necessary amendments and approval of Campus Life and Finance committees  
 SCR 06-25 Amendment Form
    - i. Sen. Bachiller motions, Sen. Tauala seconds  
*Motion passes (discharge from CL)*
    - ii. **Voice vote:** majority votes in favor
    - iii. SAL Sasaki motions, Sen. Bachiller seconds

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*Motion passes (SCR 06-25 is approved)*

- b. SB 06-25 Status
  - i. All line items are complete
  - ii. Section IV amendments (refer to SCR 06-25)
    - 1. One lodging fee, one bus rental fee
  - iii. Roll Call by Sen. Bachiller

*Motion passes*

- 1. **Aye(s)**: Vice President Crabbe, Treasurer Pale, SAL Bielawski, SAL Sasaki, SAL Leong, Senator Akiu, Senator Tauala, Senator Bachiller, Senator Giardina, Senator Gomez, Senator Li, Senator Rosinski [13]
- 2. **Naye(s)**: [0]
- 3. **Abstention(s)**: [0]

C. Final Reading of **Senate Bill 08-25**

- a. Accept SCRs prior to motion of acceptance, then second, put to discussion, take a vote
- b. Future reference: In the event that a bill is formulated, committee MUST formulate an SCR associated w/ aforementioned bill
- c. Entailing accuracy of information

*Motion to discharge bill from joint-collaborative committee*

d. **SCR 08-25 Amendment Form**

- i. Sen. Bachiller motions, Sen. Rosinski seconds  
*Motion passes (SCR 08-25 is approved)*
- ii. **Voice vote**: majority votes in favor
- iii. Sen. Li motions, Sen. Giardina seconds  
*Motion passes (discharge from CL)*
- iv. SAL Sasaki comments on CL inquiry, discussion
- v. Sen. Bachiller: recommended amendments look acceptable pending approval

**Supporting Documents**

- vi. **Voice vote**: majority votes in favor  
*Motion passes*
- vii. Sen. Bachiller motions, Sen. Giardina seconds  
*Motion passes (SB 08-25 approval w/ proposed amendments)*
- viii. SAL Sasaki discussion
  - 1. Sen. Bachiller follow-up discussion w/ Supporting Documents document (listed above)
  - 2. SAL Sasaki motions, Sen. Bachiller seconds  
*Motion passes (SB 08-25 approval w/ proposed amendments)*

- ix. Budget increase in terms of food via Sodexo
- x. Budget decrease in terms of honorariums and lei
- xi. Voice vote: majority votes in favor
- xii. Roll Call Vote: via Sen. Bachiller

*Motion passes*

- 1. **Aye(s)**: Vice President Crabbe, Treasurer Pale, SAL Bielawski, SAL Sasaki, SAL Leong, Senator Akiu, Senator Tauala, Senator Bachiller, Senator Giardina, Senator Gomez, Senator Li, Senator Rosinski **[13]**
- 2. **Naye(s)**: **[0]**
- 3. **Abstention(s)**: **[0]**

D. Final Reading of **Senate Bill 09-25**

a. **SCR 09-25 Amendment Form**


- i. Sen. Watson motions, Treasurer Pale seconds  
*Motion passes (SCR 09-25 approval)*
- ii. **Voice vote**: majority votes in favor
- iii. Sen. Bachiller motions, Sen. Giardina seconds  
*Motion passes (discharge from CL)*
  - 1. SAL Sasaki discussion, verbal report via Sen. Bachiller
  - 2. Recommendations and amendments look acceptable via Supporting Documents (listed above)
  - 3. **Voice vote**: majority votes in favor
- iv. Sen. Watson motions, Sen. Bachiller seconds  
*Motion passes (SB 09-25 approval)*
- v. Discussion
  - 1. Sen. Watson clarification, budget in the event it is not fully expended, returns to line item C2 (via ASUH Budget '24-'25)
  - 2. Sen. Bachiller motions, Sen. Watson seconds (SB09-25 amendment hearing) **Supporting Documents**
    - a. Update of new costs, reference Supporting Documents (listed above)
  - 3. Sen. Bachiller motions, Sen. Watson seconds  
*Motion passes (amendment approval)*
  - 4. **Voice vote**: majority votes in favor
  - 5. SAL Sasaki commentary: combination of UARC and Palestine events, possible dilution of the two events
  - 6. Sen. Bachiller commentary: related struggles, supplement of Palestine weapons via U.S.; relation of military fueled-research entity

- a. polarizing issues
- b. Environmental awareness, context of Hawaiian land
- 7. ASUH stance on opposition of UARC
  - a. long standing opposition, BOR consideration is not indicative of ASUH views in this capacity
  - b. keeping in mind the moral ground that the issues sit on
  - c. Aloha ‘āina, Native Hawaiian Place of Learning, the definitions and implications that are present within the current dynamics
- 8. Sen. Watson: credit to SAL Sasaki and Sen. Bachiller, to be careful of how we go about it
- 9. Sen. Giardina: goal of helping people to see the intersection between the two issues, value for students, people present within UH, complicity in Palestine, belief in enhancement of solidarity in this capacity
- 10. Treasurer Pale: disagreement w/ SAL Sasaki and Sen. Watson, in agreement w/ Sen. Bachiller and Sen. Giardina, elected stances within ASUH, student representatives, technically correct, hitting two birds with one stone
- 11. Sen. Watson: make sure to do them with justice
- 12. SAL Sasaki: public place of learning
- 13. Sen. Bachiller: appreciation of giving each movement the proper space and energy, how to already the student body, continue discussion w/ the student body moving forward
- 14. Sen. Bielawski: understanding of opposition, within the current resolutions, does not see the opposition as invalid?
- 15. Roll Call Vote: via Sen. Bachiller


*Motion passes*

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- b. **Naye(s)**: **[0]**
- c. **Abstention(s)**: **[0]**

E. Final Reading of  Senate Bill 10-25

- a.  SCR 10-25 Amendment Form
  - i. Sen. Bachiller motions, Sen. Giardina seconds  
*Motion approved (SCR10-25 approval)*
  - ii. **Voice vote**: majority votes in favor

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- iii. SAL Sasaki motions, Sen. Watson seconds  
*Motion approved (discharge from CL)*
  - 1. SAL Sasaki: note verbal report from CL Committee
  - 2. Sen. Akiu: reference Supporting Documents in terms of amendments (same document, listed above)
  - 3. Sen. Watson: asking for clarification on aforementioned sources
- iv. **Voice vote:** majority votes in favor  
  -  Supporting Documents
- v. Sen. Akiu motions, Sen. Bachiller seconds  
*Motion approved (SB10-25 amendment acceptance)*
- vi. Sen. Watson: asking in reference to listed amendments
  - 1. removal of movie night
  - 2. update of honorarium
  - 3. update lei for 3 speakers, 2 community members, 1 faculty member
  - 4. bentos via Sodexo
  - 5. promotional materials -> one section overall via Campus Center Graphics
  - 6. update to aforementioned promotional material budget
  - 7. preface: Treasurer and office collaboration of expenditures for aforementioned events in terms of clarification and follow up
- vii. Sen. Watson: mālama the PURPOSE Section
- viii. Roll Call Vote: via Sen. Bachiller  
*Motion passes*
  - 1. **Aye(s):** Vice President Crabbe, Treasurer Pale, SAL Bielawski, SAL Sasaki, SAL Leong, Senator Akiu, Senator Tauala, Senator Bachiller, Senator Giardina, Senator Gomez, Senator Li, Senator Rosinski [13]
  - 2. **Naye(s):** [0]
  - 3. **Abstention(s):** [0]

## VI. OPEN FORUM

President Reed: Thanks for your accountability, hard work for the following committees:  
Elections  
Campus Life  
Finance

**VII. CLOSING**

A. Adjournment

*SAL Sasak motioned to adjourn the meeting. Senator Watson seconded. Vote was unanimous; Motion carries.*

*General Senate Meeting #06 was adjourned at 6:23 p.m.*

Respectfully Submitted,

D Sasaki  
Senator-At-Large