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General Senate Meeting #12 of the 108<sup>th</sup> Senate  
Wednesday, October 28, 2020

**OPENING**

**Call to Order**

President Albano called the meeting to order at 6:04 PM on Zoom.

**Roll Call**

Present: [25] President Albano,  
Secretary Gogue, Senators-At-Large Anuszezwska,  
Bowersmith, Kaeo, Senators Baguio, Chua,  
Columbres, Crowell, Garrett, Hokama-Paris, Keim,  
Kirwan, Lee, Pierce, Rabang, Regaspi, Renteria,  
Saari, Sabandal, Seals, Shimizu, Smith, Taira, Tong

Excused Absent: [0]

Unexcused Absent: [4] Vice President Kim, Treasurer Oshiro, Senator  
Basim, Senator Kanemoto

Excused Late: [0]

Unexcused Late: [0]

Excused Early Departure: [0]

Unexcused Early Departure: [0]

On Leave: [1] Senator Heslia

Advisors: [1] Advisor Manini

Guests: [0]

**Reading and Approval of Minutes**

1. General Senate Meeting Minutes #11, 108th Senate - October 14, 2020  
*SAL Anuszezwska* Move to accept the reading of minutes for GSMM #11.  
*Senator Hokama-Paris* Second.

*Vote is unanimous. Motion carries.*

*SAL Bowersmith* Move to approve the minutes for GSMM #11.  
*Senator Hokama-Paris* Second.

*Vote is unanimous. Motion passes. GSMM#11 is approved.*

**Official Correspondence**

**Testimony**

**REPORTS**

**Executive**

**President**

**Welcome New Senators & Introductions**

*President Albano* I first of all want to say welcome we have three new 108th senators. If everyone would please give a virtual round of applause welcoming them, and congratulations! We are looking forward to working with all of you this year.

**PM108#10 Standing Committee Appointments (Fall)**

*SAL Anuszezwska* Motion to accept PM#10 Standing Committee Appointments (Fall)  
*Senator Hokama-Paris* Second  
*Vote is unanimous. Motion passes*

*President Albano* This updates the standing committees. It places our three new senators into their two standing committees as well as updates standing chairpersons and on leave requests. Please if everyone could make sure that you're placed into exactly two committees, and let me know if you have any questions.

*SAL Anuszezwska* Motion to approve PM#10 Standing Committee Appointments (Fall)  
*Senator Columbres* Second  
*Vote is unanimous. PM108 #10 Standing Committee Appointments (Fall) is approved.*

*President Albano* Welcome to the new senators! I will be reaching out to the chairpersons of the committees that you are in to make sure they update their attendance list and things like that for meetings.

**Post Pandemic Hawai'i Reorganization**

*President Albano* There's a couple of things I wanted to mention really briefly. First of all tomorrow Provost Bruno will be hosting a livestream forum basically answering any questions and giving updates to the entire Mānoa campus regarding the Post Pandemic Hawai'i reorganization. They will be accepting questions. It is tomorrow from one to three p.m. You can send in your questions using your UH emails, and feel free to send this to students as well because I know there may be some concerns around this. Questions can be submitted before and during the event to this email here [eforum@hawaii.edu](mailto:eforum@hawaii.edu). You can send it in during the event. Just wanted to share that with everyone. You can watch it on YouTube and I included the link to that in the email I sent to everyone regarding this meeting. If you look up UH news will have the livestream on their YouTube. Feel free to check that out tomorrow from one to three p.m.

The budget team has made updated recommendations for specific academic programs on their website as of October 20th. So I think around last week they made updates. I know there were a lot of student concerns especially with academic units regarding stopping out programs, but I am happy to report that any stop-outs for the most part have been removed there may be a couple but

they might be more related to graduate programs. If you check out the planning for post pandemic Hawai'i website, it lists all of the different updates, including those prior suggestions, and also on the website they have the budget committee meeting notes that they've met with different departments. What I'll do really quickly, just to provide some context, is to show you that link. Just for a little bit of background, the planning for post pandemic Hawai'i is basically a reorganization of different aspects of the University. That includes changes to academic programs, and that has been the main concern so far. Because COVID-19 has impacted the financial situation of the university, they are trying to reorganize different academic programs to promote enrollment. Because we're in a budget crisis we need to cut back on programs and make different reductions to different programs. This website here, provides all of the information. This is basically used as the update tool between the administration and the Mānoa budget team. If you scroll all the way to the bottom, you'll see all of the different colleges, and they have different recommendations based on the Mānoa budget team's plans for those prospective academic programs. Especially if you're a college senator, I highly recommend you take a look at these suggestions. Especially those of the former recommendations with the revised ones. If you have any concerns, I encourage you since in ASUH you advocate on behalf of the student body especially those within your college, feel free to reach out to your deans and things like that because if students have concerns, I think it is important to do so. The updated recommendations are included on here, and if students ever feel they want to provide feedback on any aspect of the budget planning situations or anything like that, you can redirect them to send an email to this email here. Feel free to take a look at this. This is really important because the reorganization and things like that affect starting the next school year, and basically trying to prepare to address the crisis financially that'll start happening in the upcoming fiscal year and beyond.

Senator Renteria and I have been attending the consultative body meetings with Provost Bruno and the other consultative bodies like GSO, the Mānoa faculty senate, the Mānoa staff senate, and the unions. Today we had one providing some updates. Many of the concerns will be brought up tomorrow. There have been a lot of concerns mainly with faculty and staff particularly. With students I think if you take a look at those updated recommendations, you'll find that the rhetoric has changed into finding ways to promote enrollment in different departments to get more students to pursue those majors.

Feel free to check out that forum if you can tomorrow.

#### UHM Response to DHS Rule on Exchange Students

*President Albano*

I wanted to share with you folks that Provost Bruno did send, if you aren't familiar with it there's a new proposed rule by the Department of Homeland Security regarding international students. Basically there's a new proposed rule that talks about a proposed elimination of duration of status for international students, and it proposes a fixed duration or stay for students on F1 visas that they can only stay either two or four years, and if they need to stay longer they need to apply for an application of extension for that. Again this is just a proposal, but this is important because it does affect undergraduate students. We do have some international students in ASUH as well and since we approved a resolution urging the university to become a sanctuary campus to protect undocumented and international students, I think this is important to share. You'll notice in the agenda that I included a link to the response that Provost

Bruno sent in opposition to the school. Basically describing protection for international students.

I am happy to see that Provost Bruno and UH Mānoa have responded in this way. I just wanted to share that with you folks

Advisor Manini

I just wanted to note that I skimmed through the response by Provost Bruno and he did emphasize that graduate students take up to 7.3 years at a time, and if they are international up to 7.5 in the PhD program. From my recollection undergraduates also take more than four years to complete their bachelor's degrees, and there is no mention of that. In terms of your constituents coming in and in terms of international students coming in, it would be very difficult if our average is longer than the period of time that they would be provided access to the university even for a bachelor's degree. I don't know why he did not emphasize that for undergrad, but I think it is important that if ASUH says anything that you look at the averages, and you articulate that. Perhaps when you have an opportunity to meet with him, reinforce it with him as well that it's not just graduate students that might take longer, but the average undergrad is taking x amount of years. If we are seeking to have international students diversify the population, we should be advocating for that amount of years as well. I just wanted to make that note because I did not see anything about that.

President albano

Thank you Advisor Manini. I actually didn't catch that either. I think that's a very important point to make, so thank you so much. If anyone would like to work together to work on any kind of initiative related to this, please feel free to let me know. I will be more than happy to discuss this with Provost Bruno because I think it is important that that language isn't there as well and Advisor Manini is right. In my capacity as a Mānoa peer advisor, I have met with international students and most of the time or some of the time their projective graduation is prolonged for various reasons, and I think that is definitely an important thing to bring up.

**Vice President**  
*President Albano*

Regarding Vice President Kim's report, I do want to share with everyone that they will be in the process of planning a new senator orientation for our new senators and also we are planning a media correspondents workshop. I'm hoping to do that within the next couple of weeks.

**Treasurer**  
*President Albano*

No report.

**Secretary**  
*Secretary Gogue*

No report.

**Administrative**

a. Advisor

Advisor Manini

No report

b. Operations Manager

**Judicial Branch**

- a. Student Court

**Standing Committees**

**Campus Life**

*Chairperson Seals*

*Our Progress*

- Halloween Post Today & On Halloween
- Making a Bill for Cash Prizes

*Our Plans*

- Getting in touch with Shirt Shops

*Issues*

*Advisor Manini*

I'm not sure if you're all aware that quite a while back, it was weeks ago when the mayor released a multi-tier document that addresses how many people can gather, indoor outdoor kind of thing, and the tiers are based on the number of cases that the island has over time. The intention of the administration, the city and council administration, and they did have the blessing of the governor to move the island along in the tiers as the cases went down, the average weekly cases went down. Any gatherings are dictated by that. The university is not going to override the mayor's guidance for social gatherings. With the classes that are face-to-face, no doubt the university has an exemption, but when it comes to the social types of activities, I do not believe there's any decisions to override the mayor's guidance and office of the city and county. If you don't have a copy of the tiers, we're going to have to find that and get that to you. I'm not sure are you familiar with that at all?

*Chairperson Seals*

I did hear about that, I know the university was going along with what the mayor concerning the things. That's why I didn't want to chance it and do any events so far. That's why I talked to some of the higher ups on campus to see what they would say. It was just an idea that I had. I know we're kind of moving up in tier, I think we're tier two now, or something along those lines because cases are kind of low right now and Christmas is coming up. I just wanted to see how much area we have to play with, but we don't want to do anything to get the school in trouble.

*Advisor Manini*

We need to get a hold of, I don't have it right at my disposal right now, but I can get it easily tonight and send it to you. Definitely use that because that is what is going to be used. If you try to reserve a space, it is highly unlikely you would get the space reserved. No matter where you wanted it on campus. Until those tiers go up and it seems safer for everyone to gather and so forth. Everyone is following the guidance because this virus is so unpredictable. And you know if you follow the news, a couple of European countries, France and Germany are going back into lockdown because the numbers are climbing in those areas. I think if you get a hold of that you'll have some guidance, so as you plan, the ideas that you and the committee have, you'll have these guidelines to help you along. I'll try to find it after the meeting and shoot you an email.

**Elections**

*Chairperson Columbres*

*Our Progress*

- Schedule a meeting next week
- Planning for Spring Election

*Our Plans*

*Issues*

**External Affairs**

*Chairperson Chua*

*Our Progress*

- Voter education event cancelled
- Voter education resources available through social media

*Our Plans*

- Meeting next Tuesday, November 3rd at 6:00 p.m.
- Advertise Campus Life's Halloween Costume Contest

*Issues*

- Time sensitivity

**Finance**

*Chairperson Anuszezwska*

*Our Progress*

- RIO Bill Passed through Executive Committee and Finance Committee

*Our Plans*

- Award Packet + Getting Paperwork to Office Staff

*Issues*

- Open Communication so RIO's can get final steps to receive their appropriations

**Internal Affairs**

*Chairperson Keim*

*Our Progress*

- No report

*Our Plans*

- Meeting Tomorrow at 4

*Issues*

**Investments and Long Range Planning**

*President Albano*

*Our Progress*

- No report

*Our Plans*

*Issues*

**Student Affairs**

*Chairperson Crowell*

*Our Progress*

- Kate Crowell = Chairperson and Elizeh Basim = Vice Chairperson

*Our Plans*

- Meeting Soon

*Issues*

**Undergraduate Academic Affairs**

*Chairperson Bowersmith*

*Our Progress*

- Finished Scholarships

-Doubled Faculty Reviewers  
*Our Plans*  
-Send out reviews to scorers  
-Research award interview  
*Issues*

**Other Committees**

**SPECIAL ORDERS**

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS AND GENERAL ORDERS**

**NEW BUSINESS**

**SCR 07-21 Related to Senate Bill 05-21 (Finance)**

*SAL Anuszezwska* Motion to accept SCR 07-21 Related to Senate Bill 05-21 (Finance)  
*Senator Hokama-Paris* Second  
*Vote is unanimous. Motion passes*

*Senator Pierce* This is just going over the RIO funding about the Bill that SAL Anuszezwska wrote and the finance committee put together. The total amount of funding for this semester that we want to approve is \$7662.96. We decided to waive the community service requirement for this semester.

*SAL Bowersmith* I just noticed that the date for one of them is October 26th and the other two dates say October 28th on the paper. I don't know if that's intentional just because maybe the 26th was the day it was reviewed and the 28th was the day it was submitted. I was just wondering if that was a typo or not.

*Senator Pierce* Yes that was intentional. October 26th was the date of our meeting.

*Senator Renteria* Motion to approve SCR 07-21 Related to Senate Bill 05-21 (Finance)  
*Senator Hokama-Paris* Second  
*Vote is unanimous. SCR 07-21 Related to Senate Bill 05-21 (Finance) is approved.*

**Senate Bill 05-21 To Appropriate Funding for the Fall 2020 RIO Funding Cycle**

*SAL Kaeo* Motion to accept Senate Bill 05-21 (Finance)  
*Senator Hokama-Paris* Second  
*Vote is unanimous. Motion passes*

*SAL Anuszezwska* Before I start talking about the actual bill, I wanted to speak a little bit about the process of RIO funding and how the finance committee goes through it because we have new senators and some are not aware of it. First we basically advertise it. We do that by sending out emails to a list of the registered RIOs we obtain from the student life development center. We go through that and we email those RIOs and promoting it in other ways. After that we send out the application and based on the registration, we host an orientation to get RIOs

familiar with the process and what is going to happen, what their requirements are. That orientation is mandatory and once that is done, the RIOs sign up for interviews. Where they are interviewed for about ten minutes by the finance committee and present a budget, what the RIO does, their mission, how many members and other fun things like that. Once the RIOs have completed that process the finance committee then has a meeting to decide on what should be funded. This year the process has changed quite a bit unfortunately. Normally we advertise in person, we host orientations in person, the interviews we usually rent out a room in campus center to conduct those, but we couldn't do any of that because of the pandemic. That brought challenges of its own. Not only that we did see a significant drop in the numbers of RIOs applying. We ended up with five RIOs. that completed the entire process and fulfilled all of the requirements. We had ten applications in total.. Probably the drop, a lot of that has to do with funding requests usually goes to in person related events and activities like ceremonies or trips. Like advisor Manini said we can't override state guidelines, so of course those potential events cannot break those guidelines. I think RIOs were not applying as much because the things they normally ask for would break those guidelines, but we still push through.

The purpose is to appropriate funding for the FALL 2020 funding cycle. We do this every semester so hopefully next semester we'll see a more normal amount of RIOs applying and we can allocate more funding. We have a total of \$7,662.96. If you look at the list of RIOs, the RIO name is in bold so we have the International Student Association, Athletic Training Student Society, Manoa Scholars Club, CTAHR Student Ambassadors, and Marine Robotics. In the italics right under the name is the event name, this is what they are requesting funding for. The line items are basically what they need for the event, and what they asked for. We kept the process mostly the same. If anyone has any questions about more specific details about the funding please reach out to me, I'm willing to go through and talk about what each of these entail. But this is just a basic breakdown. As for provisions, we kept in the rules, I modeled this bill from past RIO funding bills..basically everything is the same. The only thing that changed and was added into provisions was the change in community service. Normally we require an hour of community service for every \$100 they receive, but as a result of the pandemic, we don't want to put students in danger. We're changing that community service requirement to not be mandatory unless ASUH provides them with opportunities for community service. Meaning they are let off the hook unless ASUH provides them with opportunities. That will be included in the award packet, and again we will try to be transparent and make sure they understand everything.

*SAL Bowersmith*

I understand waving the community service, I'm just looking at the numbers here and seeing the different events. I'm located in California and have not been keeping up with the changes in Hawai'i as far as different mandates going on, but when I'm looking at an event that is almost \$2,000 for food, I guess I'm a little concerned that that event may or may not be violating some guidelines that are in place. And I wonder what the implications are if we are funding something that may or may not be abiding by the state's guidelines while excusing community service.

*SAL Anuszewska*

Yeah, are you talking about the *Cook With Us* and *Paint With Us* for the CTAHR events?

*SAL Bowersmith*

Yeah it looks like a lot of them are going to be in person, but with smaller budgets I can imagine that being an appropriate amount of people. When it says *Cook With Us*, *Paint With Us*, and the amounts are that high, I'm wondering if these are going to be in person and how many are going to be in attendance.

*SAL Anuszezwska*

These actually aren't in person. *Cook With Us* is an event they are hosting online. They are getting a bunch of ingredients and recipes online, then they are delivering the food to the club members participating in their event. They're not in person, they are cooking on their own. It is kind of like a Zoom *Cook With Me*, and it's the same for the *Paint With Us* and *Grow With Us*. To answer your question about the budgeting, because we only had five RIOs we did have a little more leniency that we could fund. We did make some cuts to what CTAHR requested. Our justification was that because there was such a low amount, we have those funds to allocate to the RIOs that requested it. It does seem like a little much, but I think we went through the process in detail enough to understand what they are doing and making sure it's safe. Again when we were conducting the interviews and orientations, we specifically said, we're not going to fund anything that breaks guidelines. All of these should be online.

*SAL Bowersmith*

Thank you so much for answering that, I think it is really cool that different organizations are taking initiatives to try new things and do stuff like that virtually.

*SAL Anuszezwska*

Yeah totally, they definitely got creative and it was really cool to see.

*Advisor Manini*

Thanks Hannah for asking that question because knowing what student organizations are doing to still be able to create student life for each other like across the distance is good information and great examples. Especially when other groups may be challenged, these can be used as examples as ways that organizations have tried to still build community among their fellow students.

I have a question about the equipment though. I vaguely recall there being a rule among the RIO rules saying that ASUH doesn't buy equipment. Rental is fine, but with Marine Robotics at UHM, there is an equipment line item, and I believe there is a rule that says you don't buy equipment. That rule came out years and years ago. ASUH used to buy equipment and so forth like computers because some groups had their own rooms like engineering and business and those types of things. Because equipment would go missing, decades ago, they decided to write in a rule to say ASUH wouldn't buy equipment. If ASUH bought equipment there would be accountability. ASUH might buy the equipment for the department and then the department would be responsible for the equipment and loan it out to the RIO whenever the RIO wanted to use the equipment. Just some clarification, one what is this equipment, two did you guys go through the rules carefully to make sure if there is equipment in the rules anywhere that you guys are following the rules? I'm going to try and pull up the rules while this meeting is going on.

*SAL Anuszezwska*

The equipment was for a team laptop, and I talked to the representative of the RIO and she told me that basically the computer would be used mostly for the RIO but it would be accessible for all undergraduate students who want to use it or would want to rent it out. I'm not sure if that changes anything, but obviously I can get more information. I'm not sure, I thought as long as it serves all undergraduate students that's fine, but if there is a rule specifically about not

making purchases then I can reach out to them and ask if renting would be any different.

*Advisor Manini*

I'm trying to pull up the RIO rules right now, so if anyone else can do it as well. It was exactly this type of situation which is why this rule was created. I know that the Senate has been fiddling with the rules for the past few years, and changing things here and there, so my memory might not be perfect. I believe there is a rule saying you aren't allowed to purchase equipment. The only way you would be able to buy it if the rule was still in place is if they are associated with a department such as Marine Biology or an engineering department. If there's an engineering department that does the robotics. Then ASUH writes a bill and purchases it for the department, and the department is responsible for renting it out and taking it in. Then you would know that the equipment is going to be safe, or there is going to be accountability. With RIOs because they are independent of the University, they could basically just take the laptop and walk. That's why there were rules put in there that equipment wasn't allowed.

I found it, it is rule 49-2A "Appropriation shall not be awarded for salaries, wages, fund-raising events, membership drives, daily operations, and equipment purchases" What I would recommend scratching the \$1500 and for temporary purposes, I would say go back to them and see if they are affiliated with a department that can take responsibility for loaning out the laptop and taking the laptop back in. ASUH can write legislation for that purchase. Any student would be able to reserve the laptop and sign some kind of contractual agreement of responsibility. If they bring the laptop back they would be fine. I hope I'm explaining this clearly.

*SAL Anuszevska*

We should take it out and get more information.. If we got more information to understand that it is going to be safe, it is going to be with a department and safe for the rest of the undergraduate students, could we do that?

*Advisor Manini*

The Senate could, but I would write it out of the University programs. The student services instead of out of the student funding allocation. The general student services types of line. You know in account c, there is a general student services line. It is still the same account, but I would take it out of a different line item. It would be for a broader use than just RIOs for one reason. Also you can't, as long as the rule is in place, you can't buy any equipment for any RIO.

*Senator Saari*

I'm curious to see if RIOs are required to provide proof of expenditure and if so what is that process for that?

*SAL Anuszevska*

It depends on their way of funding. If they don't provide credit card statements, it's more like a detailed line report of what they are asking for, and then they submit it. It is either reimbursement or direct payment. Reimbursement is preferred, and that is paying the cost for the event and submitting the original itemized receipts. I don't know if that is what you mean.

*Senator Saari*

Yeah that is what I mean. You guys don't give out money to RIOs without knowing what the money is going to.

*SAL Anuszevska*

Yes everything that we're funding has to be very detailed. They go through a rigorous process so we know where the money is going.

- Advisor Manini* I just wanted to add on that cash is never transferred from ASUH to any organization in this nature. It is always for directly purchasing items that ASUH allocated for. If there's enough time before their event, once the awards are made and minutes are approved. Whatever you approve tonight, the minutes will not come out for another two weeks at the general. Sometimes there's not enough time for us at the office to do any payments so reimbursement will be their only option. Sometimes certain items are items we would not take liability for, so it would have to be by reimbursement. Cash is never given to a third party organization. It's always more product based like tangible items and they need a paper trail.
- Senator Renteria* How long would RIO's have to wait for ASUH to provide volunteering opportunities?
- SAL Anuszezwska* That would probably be done pretty early. Once this is done, it would be done by next semester. So by the end of the semester with enough time for them to do it if we were to provide opportunities.
- SAL Anuszezwska* Motion to remove the line item titled equipment under Marine Robotics for \$1500.  
*SAL Bowersmith* Second  
*Vote is unanimous. Motion carries.*
- Secretary Gogue* Wouldn't that strikeout affect the general total, so wouldn't that number have to be changed as well?
- President Albano* Yes that is a good point.
- SAL Bowersmith* Motion to change the total to reflect the last motion to remove equipment rental.  
*SAL Anuszezwska* Second  
*Vote is unanimous. Motion carries.*
- SAL Anuszezwska* The amount is \$6,162.96.
- SAL Bowersmith* Motion to approve Senate Bill 05-21 (Finance)  
*Senator Pierce* Second  
*Vote is unanimous. Senate Bill 05-21 (Finance) is approved.*

**ROLL CALL VOTE TO APPROVE SENATE BILL 05-21 TO APPROPRIATE FUNDING FOR THE FALL 2020 RIO FUNDING CYCLE**

**Aye(s): [24]** Secretary Gogue, Senator-At-Large Anuszezwska, Senator-At-Large Bowersmith, Senator-At-Large Kaeo, Senator Baguio, Senator Chua, Senator Columbres, Senator Crowell, Senator Garrett, Senator Hokama-Paris, Senator Keim, Senator Kirwan, Senator Lee, Senator Pierce, Senator Rabang, Senator Regaspi, Senator Renteria, Senator Saari, Senator Sabandal, Senator Seals, Senator Shimizu, Senator Smith, Senator Taira, Senator Tong,

**Naye(s): [0]**

**Abstention(s): [0]**

**OPEN FORUM**

*Advisor Manini*

I did want to share some positive good news with all of you. I need to come to a general meeting sometime this semester to share information about the food vault which is our student food pantry. Regarding the year two data we have in terms of numbers and all of that and to give you all an update in year three

especially because we are dealing with COVID and wanting to be safe in terms of distribution. I do need to do a report and I will work with Donovan to get that on the calendar.

I wanted to share something positive. In the past two months, I've been working with our landscapers at the Campus Center Complex as well as CTAHR where they have a seed laboratory. They make seeds because they are the college of tropical agriculture and human resources. We're experimenting in making a small garden to raise vegetables. At this point we're not going to use fertilizer or anything like that so it's technically going to be organic vegetables that we can distribute through the pantry. The demand for food is low because there's not a lot of foot traffic on campus. So it seems like a good time for us to try to do that and see if there's interest in fresh vegetables that we can grow. We've set up some planters that were made in house up on the roof of the WRC which is actually a green roof. When the building was constructed, it was constructed to be a green roof, but we haven't used it for a green roof in the complex. Our landscaping and maintenance folks, we have a student there who has agreed to be a fellow for the pantry, he has worked with folks and build planters. They brought in soil and the planting is supposed to be starting this week and into next week. It will take at least a couple of months for everything to be growing and stuff like that. I wanted to tell you that because it is really positive and hopefully when we do get vegetables, students that are food insecure and interested in getting some fresh grown vegetables. Our collaboration from CTAHR is so we can get seeds from them regularly. They will give us more seeds, so we can continue to plant for as long as this project seems to be working out. If for some reason there is a high demand we will add more planter boxes. For now we want to see if we can do it and if students have an interest in receiving. We're excited about it and ASUH was the initiator of the pantry, so I wanted to let you guys know about that.

*President Albano*

Thank you advisor Manini, that's great news! Thank you so much for sharing. I'm looking forward to learning more about that.

**CLOSING**

**Announcements**

**Adjournment**

*SAL Anuszevska*

*Senator Hokama-Paris*

Move to Adjourn.

Second.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:41 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Mikaelyn Marie Gogue  
Secretary, 108<sup>th</sup> Senate