

THE UNIVERSITY SENATE *of Montclair State University*

*Montclair, NJ 07043*

- I. The November 19, 2014 meeting of the University Senate was called to order at 1:00pm. (Collins)
- II. Roll Call (Sadowsky) Present: Allen, Alvarez, Ambrose, Benfield, Brook, Chang, Chalot, Chatterjee, Collins, Jerry Cutler, Fails, Gainor, Gardin, Gaynor, Gingerich, Keton, Lal, Lin, Lucas, McCann, Mengara, Montesinos

IX. NAL Report (Benfield)

- a. The Union is committed to a strong Senate. Only through a strong Senate and strong Union can we reach our full potential as a university.
- b. The Union has posted a video on how to read your paystub and will be preparing other videos.
- c. Local negotiations should begin in December. Union officers met with new faculty and

- ii. Senator Wolfson submitted a petition to add to the agenda an amendment to the current Constitution on term limits for the eboard. He also requested that the Senate consider moving the meeting start time to 2:30.
- iii. Senator McAnn raised an issue for CART that there was another ~~miss~~ for a pedestrian crossing Normal Avenue. There is no lighting at the crosswalk and it is very dangerous.
- iv. Senator Sullivan raised an ~~large~~ issue that the Academic Affairs Council has not met in over 6 months and there are issues to address, including the issue of course prerequisites. He asked that a temporary chair be appointed if the current chair is unavailable.
- v. Senator Alvares moved and Senator Kelton seconded to adjourn at 5:13 pm

Minutes Approved January 21, 2015

Respectfully Submitted by Kathleen Sadowsky, University Senate Recording Secretary