

- I. Opening Prayer
- II. Roll Call
 - A. Roll Call Question: If you had a million dollars and 6 hours to spend it, what would you do?
- III. Approval of Minutes - [10 January 2022](#)
- IV. Executive Announcements
 - A. Reminder about Elections/Endorsements
 1. [Student Union Constitution](#), pp. 33-34
 - a) David Haungs: No member of the Senate can endorse candidates.
 - B. [Walk the Walk Week](#) Events
 1. Matthew Bisner: There will be an open workshop and focus group next week on Tuesday the 25th at 4 p.m. with the architects working on the new diversity center.
 - C. Social Concerns Fair - Tomorrow, 5-7p
 1. Matthew Bisner: This will be in Dhanke in Duncan. There will be community organizations and campus organizations.
 - D. Resignations and Vacancy Elections
 1. Matthew Bisner: In Duncan Hall and in Alumni, we now have two more vacant positions in the Senate.
 2. David Haungs: Only one person chose to run in the Cavanaugh Hall election. You can vote this order onto general orders so your new colleague can be sworn in next week.
 3. Maclane Farrell: Motion to bring that to general orders.

V. General Orders

A. Apparel Straw-poll/Discussion

1. Submit sizes [here!](#)

B. Discussion on Spring Semester COVID Concerns

1. Matthew Bisner: The administration is very confident we will meet the booster requirement. February 4th is when we're expected and they are confident we will get there by then.
2. Maclane Farrell: I know they didn't give exceptions to kids who has COVID over break.
3. Matthew Bisner: Attitudes have shifted that we don't want anyone with COVID to we don't want to overload the St. Joseph County Hospital.
4. Mary Devoe: Some people were concerned that if you have a booster, they won't test you. I was wondering if there were any confirmations about what their policies are?
5. Matthew Bisner: The trends are it's getting harder to get a test every semester. Some dorms are also not listed on USPS, which makes it harder to get a test.
6. Maclane Farrell: I feel like a quick fix would be if someone put out an announcement for anyone seeking tests, because you get four.
7. Veronica Slevin: Maybe we could do a donation drive. I would feel bad if tests I had expired. Maybe people could coordinate a drive or giveaway.
8. Allan Njomo: Make sure to coordinate with roommates because you get 4 tests.

9. Maclane Farrell: What has the administration told you guys about their thoughts given the deadline is coming up?
10. Matthew Bisner: I haven't heard of potential changes after February 4th, just confidence we'll get there by February 4th.
11. Thomas Davis: Has the university moved on from large scale surveillance testing?
12. Matthew Bisner: That seems to be the case.
13. Tavin Olea Martin: What is the University's quarantine policy?
14. Allan Njomo: Right now it's 5 days if you are asymptomatic. If you are symptomatic, you will quarantine and isolate off campus. I predict numbers will rise because we all just came back from traveling. We'll know better what February will look like from this third week.
15. Michael Jekot: If there are 300 rooms available for quarantine, that's only 4%, and positive rates have been 20%, so those numbers don't match.
16. Matthew Bisner: I don't know if they plan to rent out a hotel again.
17. Thomas Davis: It concerns me that a lot of students are off campus, getting tests off campus, and the University doesn't know they are testing positive. Is there a contact I can bring these concerns to?
18. Matthew Bisner: Ed Junkins.
19. Tavin Olea Martin: Is there a reason the university is not letting students join through Zoom given that cases are rising?

20. Matthew Bisner: I don't know that they have a reason. We are going to do our best to advocate with administrators. Veronica, I can talk to you and coordinate strategy.

21. Abraham Figueroa: Is it foreseeable that the University will do an online 2 weeks like we did last year

22. Matthew Bisner: It's not foreseeable to me, I will not say it's impossible, but improbable.

C. [SO 2122-06](#)

1. Questioning

a) David Haungs: This is suspending the Cavanaugh Hall election and declaring one the winner. They were given 48 hours for candidates to come forward.

VI. New Business

A. Maclane Farrell: Hopefully in the senate next week we will have a meeting time for the resolution on Residential Life and the extra move in day.

VII. Announcements

A. Kate McLaughlin: Acousticafe is tomorrow.

B. Daniel Schermerhorn: The Engineering Expo is on January 24th on the second floor of Duncan. It will be a 2 hour event and attire is business formal.

C. Allan Njomo: I am part of the provost search committee and we continue to look for feedback. The email is presprovostsearch@nd.edu.

VIII. Adjournment