



Cornell University Student Assembly

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Minutes of the Thursday, July 1, 2021 Meeting
4:45pm via Zoom

I. Call to Order & Roll Call

- a. A. Ononye called the meeting to order at 4:49pm (EST).
- b. Roll Call
 - i. Members Present: M. Baker, J. Bansah, D. Cady, D. Ilango, A. Lampert, C. León, Y. Logan, J. Mullen, A. Ononye, N. Overton, N. Reddy, K. Santacruz, L. Smith, C. Tempelman, V. Valencia, A. Williams, E. Yan
 - ii. Members Absent: P. Gronemeyer, M. Louis, H. Wade
 - iii. Excused: E. Bentolila, D. Eisman, A. Gleiberman, J. Jiang

II. Land Acknowledgement of the Gayogohó:nq' (Cayuga Nation)

- a. Cornell University is located on the traditional homelands of the Gayogohó:nq' (the Cayuga Nation). The Gayogohó:nq' are members of the Haudenosaunee Confederacy, an alliance of six sovereign Nations with a historic and contemporary presence on this land. The Confederacy precedes the establishment of Cornell University, New York State, and the United States of America. We acknowledge the painful history of Gayogohó:nq' dispossession and honor the ongoing connection of the Gayogohó:nq' people, past and present, to these lands and waters.

III. Open Microphone

- a. A. Ononye reminded assembly members to continue checking Slack as that will be the means of communication this year.
- b. P. Mehler, Director of Elections, thanked all who attended the Elections Town Hall and offered to be available for anyone would like to speak with him regarding the rule changes.

IV. Approval of the Minutes

- a. Motion to approve the June 24th, 2021 – **approved** by unanimous consent

V. Business of the Day

- a. **SA R1: Proposed Charter Amendment for the 2022-2024 Byline Funding Cycle**
 - i. Abstract: This resolution extends the preliminary application due date for Byline funded organizations and interested applicants from April 25th to July 30th in order to allow student organizations to receive funding for the 2022-2024 Byline Funding Cycle.
 - ii. M. Baker motioned to amend line 50 to read “4:00 PM” – **amended** 14-1-2.
 - iii. Motion to approve Resolution #1 – **approved** by a vote of 16-0-1.

VI. Adjournment

- a. A. Ononye adjourned the meeting at 5:00pm (EST).

Respectfully Submitted,

Wendy Treat

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