I. **Call to Order/Roll-Call/Quorum**

   The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. Quorum was met with 8 Senators present.

II. **Swearing in of Senators**

   None

III. **Singing of the OSU Alma Mater**

   Senator Jordan: I move to forgo the singing of the Alma Mater.

   Senator Del Moro: Second

   Senator Cushing: Do we have a meeting next week?

   President Pro-Tempore: Yes

   Senator Cushing: I want to sing it next week.

   Senator Coon: We should make a resolution to sing it on the last meeting.

   President Pro-Tempore: This is not the House. We can’t make resolutions.

   A voice vote was taken. Motion passed.

IV. **Approval of Minutes from Tuesday, May 17, 2011**

   Senator Jordan: I move to approve the May 17, 2011 minutes.

   Senator Coon: Second.

   Senator Deedon arrived at 7:02 p.m.

   President Pro-Tempore: Late!

   A voice vote was taken. Motion passed.

V. **Standing Committee Reports**

   - Oversight and Ethics
   - Student Government
   - Student Academic and Activities

VI. **Joint Committee Reports**

   - Joint Committee of Congressional Correspondence
Senator Cheney: Nothing to report.
President Pro-Tempore: Did they have quorum?
Senator Cheney: I’m not sure I was hoping he would show up. He’s been good about that these last few weeks.
Senator Kennemer arrived at 7:04 p.m.

VII. Delegate Reports
None

VIII. Old Business
None

IX. New Business & First Readings

HR-02.08 “Support the Energy Storage Act”
President Pro-Tempore: Should I make her read it? I feel bad.
Senator Coon: I can read it.

"WHEREAS Energy storage provides a solution for integrating intermittent forms of renewable energy into the energy grid;
WHEREAS Oregon’s Renewable Portfolio Standard states that Oregon will generate 25% of its electrical energy by 2025 from renewable sources and has created incentives such as tax breaks and grant funding for the following forms of energy generation: Solar Thermal Electric, Photovoltaic, Landfill Gas, Wind, Biomass, Hydroelectric, Geothermal Electric, Municipal Solid Waste, Hydrogen, Anaerobic Digestion, Tidal Energy, Wave Energy, and Ocean Thermal;
WHEREAS the above listed sources of renewable energy are intermittent sources of energy and cannot provide a sufficient base load for the consumers of energy without the introduction of energy storage;
WHEREAS the RPS goals of Oregon should include explicit goals for integrating energy storage in order to effectively reach the stated goal of 25% by 2025;
WHEREAS technologies developed by Oregon State University professors and students need comparable incentives as the above stated energy sources to effectively commercialize said technologies;
WHEREAS commercialization of said technologies will provide a boost to the local economy with the creation of construction jobs and additional research programs.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE 2nd ASOSU HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THAT:
ASOSU supports the involvement of students in the upcoming process deciding the revision of the Renewable Portfolio Standards during the next session of the Oregon Senate;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:**
ASOSU supports the introduction of energy storage as a solution for integrating renewable energy into the energy grid.

*President Pro-Tempore:* Thank you Mr. Coon. Any questions? We have Mr. Hatlen here who I’m sure is here to answer questions.

*Speaker Hatlen:* Is she ok?

*Clerk Wolff:* I love my voice. That’s why I didn’t read it.

*Senator Cushing:* isn’t 50% for hydro?

*Speaker Hatlen:* That I have no idea. This bill is the exact resolution that the gentlemen from SSI formulated. We passed it under new business in the hopes that after it was formatted you could pass it too. I wasn’t sure what you did last week as a vote of support. It should just say an ASOSU resolution.

Red is there a typo?

*President Pro-Tempore:* It would technically be the second House. It was just the Senate up until two years ago.

*Senator Del Moro:* What are we putting on campus?

*Speaker Hatlen:* This is just a voice of support saying we want student involvement in the rewriting of the statues. It didn’t say how that application process would go with students. It’s just to give SSI more weight behind them when they lobby. It’s not changing anything of the university. It’s just the fact of us saying we support students being in the process.

*Senator Coon:* It’s just us saying yay, go do this.

*President Pro-Tempore:* Is there further discussion?

*Senator Coon:* Can we have the students that have a basic understanding be involved in this? Because I don’t want an art major with free time on their hand just going in and saying oh this is all a great idea.

*Senator Jordan:* I’m not worried about that because it’s in the university’s best interest to send someone that knows what they’re doing.

*Senator Coon:* Sounds good let’s pass it.

*Senator Deedon:* I move to go into second reading.

*Senator Cheney:* Second

A voice vote was taken. Motion passed.
Senator Deedon: I move to approve.
Senator Cushing: Second
Senator Coon: Let’s endorse the shit out of it.
A roll call vote was taken. Motion passed.

X. Other New Business

None

XI. President’s Announcements

Inauguration Tonight at 8 p.m. in the MU Lounge
President Pro-Tempore: Watch all the people who got voted get sworn in and stuff.
Senator Jordan: Or don’t.
Senator Del Moro: Is their speech going to be long tonight?
President Pro-Tempore: I don’t know. I prefer it to be a surprise.

XII. Senator Comments

Senator Boyd: Did anyone get the email. I sent out? Has anyone submitted their application?
Senator Coon: I will in the summer.
Senator Jordan: I’ll do the same thing.
President Pro-Tempore: Very good.
Senator Cheney: And an update on JC. They had quorum but a short meeting.
Senator Deedon: They had quorum.
Senator Jordan: Baby steps.

XIII. Gallery Comments

Speaker Hatlen: Definitely come to the inauguration. There will be cheesecake.
President Pro-Tempore: Will there be a ball?
Speaker Hatlen: I’m not sure but I know I’m going to be dancing afterwards. And lastly, you guys as a body need to approve for another year that ICQ will be renewed if you find it useful. I definitely think it’s useful for communication. It’s on an annual basis unless you change the statues to keep it permanent.
Senator Cheney: We don’t get to write anything up for that.
Speaker Hatlen: You can vote that.
President Pro-Tempore: I’d really rather not. We’re on a forward momentum of progress.
Senator Cheney: I move to approve to.
Senator Cushing: You have to move to go back to new business first.
Senator Cheney: I move to go back to new business.
Senator Cushing: Second

Senator Coon: I think we wait until the next one so we have something to do.

Senator Del Moro: I’ve only got another 15 minutes until I have to feed the meter.

A voice vote was taken. Division.

A hand vote was taken. Motion passed.

President Pro-Tempore: Back to new business. Is there any new business?

Senator Cheney: I don’t know is there? I move to approve ICQ for another year.

Senator Redman: Second

A hand vote was taken. ICQ was approved for next year.

XIV. Adjournment

Senator Cushing: I move to adjourn.

Senator Coon: Second

Acclamation occurred and the meeting adjourned at 7:16 p.m.