I. Call to Order 7:00
II. Roll Call
III. Pass last week's minutes 7:04
   1. Pass: 41
   2. Fail: 1
   3. Abstain: 1
IV. Disability Alliance charter 7:05
   1. Because of the lack of a disability studies program, there's no real way of consolidating disabled students at Smith at getting them the support that they need. They've already been working as an org but they're unchartered and very limited right now.
   2. They want to be more student-centered and not through the ODS. ODS can't provide enough funding for events.
   3. Right now they have about 20 members and they'd like to reach out to the rest of campus.
V. Restructure committee 7:13
   1. There's not much formal connecting between Senate and the restructure meetings right now, so this would link the two.
   2. Serena, Grace, Zoe, and Dorie elected with a vote of confidence – 7:22
VI. ORC – 7:23
   1. ORC is changing. They have to keep zeroing budgets because people can't plan them as far in advance as ORC requires, and it's frustrating from an org perspective—it's a lose-lose right now. They want to cancel semester budgets and have everything on a rolling basis. Orgs could apply for funding as far in advance as they'd like. So far, all feedback has been unanimously positive.
   2. Vote of support
      1. In Favor: 39
      2. Opposed: 2
      3. Abstain: 2
VII. Open Forum 7:45
   1. Dining committee met last week to talk about their goals, but they want more student input
      1. Tyler just went nut free but they still have Nutella, which is misleading, there is nut-free chocolate spread available. Also, maybe a different house should be nut free, because the athletes at Tyler need protein.
      2. Morrow House wants brunch but not enough people go to brunch at Morrow. Head of dining suggested that they could do it sometimes, such as family weekend or during finals/midterms.
      3. During J-Term, a group is coming together to plan meals. There will be a drop-box for people to submit their recipes and then here will be polls for “students' choice” dinners.
      4. Some students would like to have peanut butter and jelly/deli supplies at all meals because sometimes the food is too spicy.
      5. Some students are concerned about the amount of tofu served as a vegetarian/vegan option, what about alternative proteins?
      6. Maybe more organic or non-gmo foods? However, this remains a budgetary issue.
      7. Some students suggested that during finals week, there could be a late night dinner
option or extended hours, since not everyone can afford to eat at the CC.
8. Email Rose with more suggestions, and ask your houses for ideas.
9. Also, please swipe your OneCard to help eliminate food waste.

VIII. Quality of Life Committee 7:56
   1. They want to consider pet friendly housing

IX. Announcements – 7:59
   1. On Nov. 11th, Senate will be in the Neilson Browsing Room

X. Adjourned 8:00