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I. Call Meeting to Order at**II. Roll Call #1****III. Minutes Approved****IV. Open Forum**

Joe – UT Libraries: last time I was hear there were a few comments made about the FAC, I have brought them up but that is still an open issue; also we are working on the queing system in the FAC, there is a proposal in the works with ITAC

Arun – Longhorn Speak: the point of the organization is to create an open, non-partisan organization on campus through which we will be able to discuss issues on campus for example the university college, there will be an informational meeting next Wednesday, www.longhornspeak.org will be up by the end of the week

Andrea Ballard – Apple: Appple will be putting on a party tomorrow from 9-12pm at Club Deville on Red River, live music, free food, will be giving away many items, you may bring one guest, all you have to do is email iparty@myappleaustin.com, if you are interested in being a campus rep, Apple is currently recruiting

Megan – SG Polos: polos have been ordered, they will be \$20 each

Judy Feng – VASCON: we would like to thank you for your contribution, we will be reprinting our first magazine

Jennifer Harris – LRA: Washington was great, LRA was able to meet with many members of congress

V. Guests**VI. Ex Officio Reports**

Student Events Center: thank you so much to everyone in SG for the support you have given to the university this year, there are three more events for the year through the SEC, Wednesday the Asian American Culture Committee is putting on Playstasian, Thursday the African American Culture Committee will be having its last Soul Night of the semester, the Music Committee is having an 80s dance party, next week we will have some concrete numbers for the events and attendance we have had this semester

VII. Executive Reports execsg@lists.cc.utexas.edu

President: Omar Ochoa - omar.ochoa@bba02.bus.utexas.edu

-There is a possibility that SG will be able to charter a bus for students to travel to the Rose Bowl, if you are interested in this, please let me know

-UTPD, Presidential Searches: thank you to everyone who was able to come out to the president forum, the Board of Regents will be meeting soon to confirm Dean Powers' appointment; the search for the UTPD chief is finished, the final decision has not been made, if you have any comments that you would like to make send those to Pat Club or Bob Harkins

Curriculum Reform: this is going to be a long process, there will be a long period of input from students, it is really important that we all stay on top of this, make sure you are out there talking to people

Hinchey: Is there any way we can have another forum with Dean Powers?

Ochoa: He has made it known that he wants to continue to meet with students, we can talk about that more later.

Stanis: Can we try to make the meeting after 5:00pm?

Ochoa: We will work with his schedule and see what we can do.

Vice President: Elizabeth Brummett - ebrummett@mail.utexas.edu

Course Instructor Survey: the faculty councils resolution did pass concerning course instructor surveys, if there are things that could be better addressed through the surveys, we will try to find solutions to replace this

Food vendors: if there are areas of campus that do not have food vendors, let Elizabeth know, currently working on this for colleges on campus, just another option for students

Ebus: will be meeting December 7 with CapMetro to make the case for having a north campus Ebus

Wear business casual!!!

Rep of the Week: Kimberly Shipman fir her work with the consolidated funding application

Executive Director: Dan Paschal - dapaschal@mail.utexas.edu

SAC Campaign Meeting: Wednesday at 8:00pm in the SG office, planning for what will need to be done, everyone is invited

Student Discount Program: the contract will be signed tomorrow morning, the program will begin in the spring

Housing Guide: there will be a mock-up of the longhorn living website next week

There is no campaign activity in the office!

Internal Financial Director: Henna Tayyeb - hennat@mail.utexas.edu

Consolidated Funding Application: this is happening and will be ready to go next semester, there will be many players involved, currently finalizing the application

December 9 is the last day any organization can use appropriated money

DOS Search: finalist will be visiting the campus soon, look out for emails for more information

External Financial Director: Clayton Stewart - cstewart@mail.utexas.edu

Student Council Workshop: went extremely well, all the evaluations came back with excellent ratings, will possibly expand the program next year

No fundraising committee this week

Boots: there is a market and an interest, this will take a lot of work, there will probably be a subcommittee for this project, this would be a form of a fundraiser for student government, this would be a UT boot made available to the public

Communications Director: Stacy Torres - torres_sm@mail.utexas.edu

Bulletin Boards: we are looking for different places for SG to publicize in colleges, email Stacy if you have any ideas

Cactus Yearbook Picture: we will be placing names on the picture tomorrow

Updates on Projects: I need updates from projects, especially from college reps

There will be a possibility of having separate blogs for agencies, exec, etc

If you did speaker circuits and are not on the list, let Stacy know asap, thank you to all of the agency directors and reps that attended

There will be an elections forum Thursday night

There is a way you can track your press through the SG website

Secretary: Stephanie Weaver - stephanie_weaver@mail.utexas.edu

Holman: Move to suspend the rules and move appointments to the next item on the agenda

Seconded

Motion carries

Appointments

Pete Christianson – Geology Representative

We have about 163 undergrads and over 100 grad students, we are having to redo all of our policies in the turnover from becoming a part of Natural Sciences to our own college, there are three main majors in the college, they have not yet determined how admission will work for the college, Jackson's main idea was to make UT the best geology school in the country

Solomon: Is there a geology council?

Christianson: There is the undergraduate geological society that is turning into the college council

Sworn in by executive director

VIII. Representative Privilege and Committee Reports sgr@lists.cc.utexas.edu

Stanis: Two of the bills that were in committee last night have been tabled for this week, we will be meeting on Monday to continue discussion of these bills, the Aim reading room will now have a swipe card system so only business students will be able to use the room

Holman: If you have any interest in writing a resolution honoring Dean Brette, please let me know

Sanchez: A new form of the DREAM Act has been introduced in Congress, this may be the year that it will actually pass, I have been working on getting shuttle routes to students that do not have cars to places like Walmart or Target, PTS will begin those routes in the spring

Falola and Golden: We have been working on an SG accessibility packet, we will be having a meeting on Monday to discuss ways to make students more involved, working on a natural science study snacks, this will be in Welch next Thursday morning from about 8-10am

Diaz: This Thursday is Worlds AIDS Day, the event will be 10-5 on the ground floor of the SSB, there will be free HIV testing on Thursday

Ceniceros: Still working on getting student opinion on curriculum reform, there are numerous safety projects going on, please get involved

IX. Agency and Director Reports lga@lists.cc.utexas.edu, sgcom@lists.cc.utexas.edu

Harris: Need project forms

Jamie: LLAs have been working really hard this past week

Bagin: Will be submitting a bill for fast-tracking for the students with disabilities, had the first students with disabilities forum last week, still in need of \$5,000

Miller: This Thursday is World AIDS Day, people will be in the west mall with red ribbons, free HIV testing will be offered, ¼ of the people with HIV don't know they have it, the agency met last night, looking at having a pride week in the spring semester

Davidson: Talked to URHA about suggestion boxes in the dorms, still putting together questions for the elections forum, Rita and I will be working on the UT Direct calendar

FLO: FLO is having a fundraiser at Pizza Hut on Thursday from 4-9pm, the last FLO meeting will be a talent show

Hudleston: Blitzed west campus last Monday with safety flyers, great reception from the Austin community, thanks to everyone who came out, will be working on expanding the program next semester

Norton: Elections Forum, Thursday at 7:00pm in the Lonestar Room, there will be pizza, trying to get the system opened to as many people as possible

Jim: Looking at trying a system of meters in West Campus, students that live in the area would receive vouchers, there has been an introductory bus route to basketball games (corner of MLK and Red River), looking at putting more transportation kiosks up around campus, working on no right turn on red areas

Mechler and Catrina: We went to over 30 organization for speaker circuits, thanks to everyone who came out

Regina: Everyone has been sent a copy of the survey results, we have numerous initiatives that students want to have addressed

X. Roll Call #2 for Agency Directors

XII. Unfinished Business

AR 19: Resolution to Thank President Faulkner and the Office of the President for Their Continued Support in Creating a Student Activity Center

Paschal: In order to do feasibility study, we have to hire a consultant, the president's office paid for the entire bill of the feasibility study, Dr. Gonzalez has also been very helpful in the process, this is just a way to thank them for all they did

Stanis: Move to approve by acclamation

Seconded

No Objections

Approved

AB 23: UT System Student Regent Selection (tabled this week)

AB 24: Student Leadership Board (tabled this week)

AB 25: Strengthening the University of Texas at Austin: Establishing an Agency and an Ex-Officio Position to Handle the Issues of Out-of-State Students

Stanis: The rules committee suggested some changes to the bill, the bill passed unanimously 6-0

Modi: This creates an agency for all of the students at the university that are from out of state, there have already been some suggested initiatives, would work on raising the awareness of the university throughout the country

Stanis: Move to approve by acclamation

Seconded

No Objections

Approved

XIII. New Business

XIV. Announcements

Vaqueros & Delta Phi Beta's "Cry No More" Service Week @ 3 pm at Heart House, Wednesday

Dance Marathon Fundraiser @ 5-9 pm at Taco Cabana, Wednesday

GSC's Our Very Own Heros and Sheroes: Someone to Look Up to @ 7:00 pm in Texas Union Sinclair Suite (3.128), Wednesday

Texas Union Student Events Center Asian American Culture Committee hosts Asian Games Night @ 7:00 - 10:00 pm, CBA, Wednesday

School of Music hosts Symphony Band @ 8:00 -10:00 pm, MRH, Wednesday

Vaqueros & Delta Phi Beta's "Cry No More" Benefit Concert @ 7 pm in UTC 2.112A, Thursday

Palestine Solidarity Committee and SEC Events Co-Sponsorship Committee hosts Stav Adivi @ 7:00 pm, WEL 2.246, Thursday

Student Event Center African American Culture Committee hosts Soul Night Presents: Winter Wonderland "So Icy" @ 11:00 pm, Texas Union Showroom, Thursday

Holman: Anyone who wants to help on the Dean Brette resolution will be meeting on Friday

XV. Roll Call #2

XVI. Adjournment