

Kresge Parliament – 11/15/12

Meeting Start: 6:30 Quorum: 10 Ice Breaker: What is your Patronus?

Budget Requests: Cruz Fit will be invited to attend our next meeting 11/29

Budget Request for 11/29: Queer Student Union (QSU) requesting \$200. for Western Regional LGBTQIA Conference being held @ UCSC 2/15 – 17/13 10 Hoots = **Approved**

Approval of minutes: Both 11/1 & 11/8 are approved with on typo correction. Daniel motions, Lucas 2nd 8 Hoots, 2 abstain = **Approved**

Parliament Updates: Our fall community service event is tomorrow – The Something Collective Reggae Concert is 10 – 12 a.m. in the Town Hall. Two shifts 9 – 11 p.m. & 11 – 12:30 a.m. Working set up/concert & concert/set up. Current sign up is heavy on the 9 shift, anyone willing to change shifts? Please be on time.

Outreach: Three days of Dining Hall tabling at dinnertime in support of the Homeless Garden Project Raffle brought in \$84.00. Ticket sales will continue at the concert.

Report Backs: SUA – Daniel/Lyle

Discussed retreat that was not well attended - communications issues – rude exchange from officers to members not warranted. Head CSO Adam Snook was a guest – discussed safety and Night Owl Shuttle service – he loves feed back from students @ snook@ucsc.edu. USSA update regarding Bills coming up that need to be approved or will be dropped by legislature. Examples; Pell Grants, Stud. Loan grace period, Dream Act, Fair Min. Wage Act. Stafford loan Interest rates. Two new resolutions: Support for AFSCME Union members who are renegotiating their contract in 2013 and support for Univ. of Texas regarding a student lawsuit regarding their admissions policy around affirmative action – a white student did not get admitted. A funding request for \$550. from Ivan Medina – Golden Pacific Chair – would like to attend conference at U of Mass. 11/28-12/2 and use unused budget money from empty intern positions in SUA.

Deliberations: How does Parliament want our members to vote on these issues – AFSCME – need more info on contract details, U of Texas – support the Universities admissions policies, Medina's Funding Request – unclear on funding availability/interns – not supporting

Core Council – Anna

Transition period was discussed by Supervisor Sayo - is Core necessary as it has been out of commission for two years. Issues – way more student orgs now and SUA has funding body in new SOFA Committee. Should it be dissolved or evolved – stream line funding process, give money to SOFA/SUA, make another subcommittee in SUA, Divide carry forward between colleges and units. Holding another meeting 11/28 to discuss with follow up meeting in December to vote.

Parliament is requesting a budget report to include the carry forward numbers from the last two years, leaning towards new management of Core or dividing funds between colleges / units.

SCOC – Lucas

C4 is coming up (Cross Committee Communication Caucus) Nov. 30th at College 8 Red Room Good food budget for this gathering – 5-7 p.m. All are welcomed

Porter/Kresge Reps. are planning their outreach event for January 2013 – Carnival in Kresge Town Hall – shared budget is \$1000.

Guest: Shaz Umer – Internal Vice Chair – SUA

Announcing “Slug Shuttle” a new transportation system between UCSC and the S.J. Airport for the end of the quarters/Thanksgiving. Working with TAPS/OPERS to get the buses rolling – need permanent funding. Creating Referendum of .20 per quarter, per student to cover expenses of 30 person shuttles going 3-4 days with 3 trips per day. Shaz provided the preliminary cost estimate – annually at \$7,470. Using current rates and enrollment figures.

Holding campus wide Town Hall meeting Wed. Nov. 28th 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. at Stev. Event Ctr. \ Hopes Parliament will support the referendum come spring 2013. Shaz concluded by saying is always available and willing to come back to Parliament. Email: ivc.sua@gmail.com

Announcements:

Planning for the Party – Tonight 8 p.m. – i Lounge – great prizes – Mariah hosting
Something Collective Concert – Friday 11/16 Town Hall – 10 – 12 a.m. – Reggae
Ritmo Caliente – Dance performance – Sat. 11/17 Town Hall – 6-7 p.m. – multicultural
Turkey Lanterns – Monday 11/19 Town Hall 6-7:30 p.m. – supplies provided
Community Dinner – Tuesday, 11/20 P/K Dining Hall – 5-7 p.m.
Winter Cocoa – gifting event – Wed. 11/28 i Lounge 6-7 p.m. supplies provided

Meeting Adjourned: 7:45 p.m.