

## **Kresge Parliament – 3/7/13**

Start: 6:32 Quorum: 11 Ice Breaker: What was your favorite board game as a kid?

### **Budget Requests:** Eye Candy Academic Film Journal - Zach

A student run Film Department effort and the only film journal on campus. They publish in color early spring quarter and distribute campus wide. Also on-line with web features. Requesting \$150. for publication expenses.

### Alay: Filipino Student Association publication – Arnel & Christine

Asking Parliament for funding because they have received funding before and our college theme Power and Representation matches their efforts. All are welcome to submit = deadline is 3/15. Spring printing in color and B/W with a kick off event in Kresge Town Hall on May 16<sup>th</sup> to hand out copies. Requesting \$400.

### SUA: Constitutional Amendment - Max & Vanessa

Back this week to ask for sponsorship for the spring ballot. Recap: Changing the current chair positions to a presidential system. Creates a hold (not veto) option for the officers. Grammar updates and changes to the discrimination policy. College reps will remain unchanged at three. The Sofa Committee would become a Finance Board that could handle all funding requests in an attempt to provide more up to date approvals. Campaign will let students know of the changes in a clear and concise manner before the vote.

### **Deliberations:**

#### SUA – Constitutional Amendment

There were concerns about an efficient campaign to get the details out to the student population (specificity and simplicity) but Parliament is in support of the Amendment getting on the spring ballot. Lucas motions to support. Jansen 2nds. 11 Hoots = Approved.

#### Eye Candy: Kresge students on staff and publication will benefit the community

Lyle motions to fund \$100 Lucas 2nds. 6 Hoots. 5 Abstain = Approved

Alay – Somewhat confused about their advertising and distribution but in support of student publications Kelsey motions to fund \$100 Lucas 2nds. 6 Hoots. 5 Abstain = Approved.

### **Budget Requests for Next Week**

Mariah discussed the need for more Parliament shirt sizes and suggested we make a budget request next week for a Print Gallery Order. Only L and XL shirts available. 50 shirts cost \$473 in 2011. Pam will bring quotes for various shirt quantity orders. We may decide to use some of the carry forward budget, if the cost savings is significant with a larger order.

### **Parliament Updates**

Mariah invited Dining Services to our last winter quarter meeting to discuss our Town Hall Mtg. poll regarding the Owl's Nest Café. If not next week, the first meeting spring quarter. Members agree an on-line poll for all Kresge affiliates is our next move, if needed.

Winter Sock Drive – quality wool socks were ordered from a local homeless advocate vendor for \$2. each = 108 pairs donated – Good job Parliament!

No Swing Force report – Lucas – Regroup spring quarter.

A Police Advisory Committee meeting with all student government Chairs has been called for Thursday 3/14 4 – 5/6 p.m. (?) at the Global Village Café. Chief Oweis will attend and provide coffee. Mariah is unavailable so we need a Kresge rep.

The Library Measure 42 Rep – Annette – would like to know if any members would like to help with the get out the vote campaign spring quarter? Bailey, Kelsey and Lucas volunteered. Pam will forward their contact info – thank you!

**Approval of minutes:** 2/28/13 Approved with corrections detailed by Lucas - Kelsey motions, Lucas 2nds. 5 Hoots, 6 abstain = Approved

### **Committee Report Backs**

SCOC: Lucas – 7 of 10 attended discussed and voted on whether to help fund the new Fiscal Manager position requested at 6%. Decided to fund the position but at a more equal percentage, to SCOC = 2.5% of the expense and the salary (expense) will go up annually.

SUA: Lyle & Kelsey – Guest Alison Galloway, Campus Provost & Executive Vice Chancellor, was introduced and discussed the campus budget forum held Wed. 3/6. Discussed student insurance cap issue, Library Measure 42 - Alison supports but thought there should have been a sunset clause – too late now, Kresge presents PRIDE funding request with the theme “Pride Wherever You Are” SOFA recommendations for winter funding requests approved after a long discussion, Slug Shuttle not discussed due to incomplete data(?) Constitutional Amendment discussed a long time – meeting ran over 9:30 p.m. = lost quorum.

Core Council: Lyle - Meet tomorrow on Friday 3/8

SUGB – Kelsey – Meeting location was not at Student Union – no update

Academic Senate – Rachel is not available to attend the Friday 3/8 meeting. No other members are available so Pam emailed the Senate to let them no we have no Kresge representation at this meeting.

### **Announcements:**

Photo Co-op Show – Friday 3/8 8 – 9 p.m. in the Student Lounge - refreshments

Late Night Breakfast Study Break – Sunday 3/17 11 pm in the Town Hall

Meeting Adjourned: 7:47pm. Good Luck on Finals!