# Kresge Parliament - 5/24/12

Meeting Start: 6:36 Quorum: 9 Ice Breaker: Time machine road trip – where would you go?

**Budget Request:** Indian Student Assoc./Mastane – no show(?)

**Budget Requests for next week:** Tracy Beltran requesting \$100 for Transfer student graduation cords. Justin moves to invite, slippery slope, would we fund all graduate cord requests? We could only fund students who are Kresge affiliated? They're expensive. Motion dies. In an honest effort to be consistent with our funding, Parliament will not invite this request to present.

Justin R. would like to request funds to recognize the graduating seniors who have served Kresge in Parliament with orange cords. A purchase of 5 chords for 5 graduating seniors (\$4.49 each) plus shipping = Total \$26.94 Justin motions to invite the Kresge seniors to present, Lisa 2nds – 6 Hoots, 1 Screech, 3 Abstentions – Approved.

### **Parliament Updates:**

- -Parliament was awarded their second UCSC Community Service Award on May 23<sup>rd</sup>. Nominated by Franklin Williams for the student organization category, the certificate was accepted by Will Estell. Also in attendance; Anna Lingel and Pam Ackerman
- -Porter Senate Chair wants to know if we would like to hold a joint meeting on the last week date. With no agenda, Parliament decided against a joint meeting.
- Chair nominations: Kevin moves to nominate Mariah Babin (absent this quarter). Britny moves to nominate Lyle. Lyle accepts. Will nominates Lisa Standke. She declines. The nominees need to be prepared to speak to the group next week on their eligibility to be Parliament Chair.
- -Community Service- Will, Pam and Justin can go. Anyone else??? Anna is making posters for the event. 9:30 to 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 2nd. We might go for lunch afterwards. Have 5 people, need 5 more. Will will email out information about this service opportunity dress appropriately (layers, hat, sunscreen, and water bottles).
- Anyone need a Parliament shirt? Sheet being passed around sign in with size for next week.
- Remaining funds should be purchase items four outreach more gavel pencils? How about Parliament magnets? Pam will research costs for next meeting.

#### Outreach for next year:

For next year: Mariah and Lyle talked about what to do, but haven't come to conclusions. Should go to Core Night again and handout shirts. Tabling possibly; ask people what they want to know about the Swing Force. Get magnets to put in the apartments; stickers, belt buckles and/or bolo ties? Get new pool balls that say Kresqe Parliament with an owl.

## **Report Backs**

Swing Force: should we write proposal now or at the beginning of next year? Draft one now and we'll go over it. Should get the ball rolling now...

- SCOC: Lisa - Next Friday C4, doing tacos June 1st from 5-7 Namaste Lounge; Latrice requesting money to update filing system (digitized), needs to make sure SUA is prepared for internal audit wants \$35,000 from SUA and \$18,876.52 from SCOC; wants to buy Mac mini next to server (plus accessories), wants to hire intern to do this work (\$7,000). Parliament tells Lisa to say No. Lisa very angry about this, as well as Parliament. IVC contributes a lot of their time to SCOC but this is too much. Last year, Will suggested the idea to get Time Capsule program to put files on to make things easier and more efficient But no, same expensive plan for the past 3 years.

- SUA- Lyle – Notes attached. On going budget discussion; R-permits for officers approved –yeah! – No double paying for USSA dues - \$4000 savings, Elections Commissioner resigned and we put new people in those positions. Justin wants to recall the newly elected Elections Commissioner and Associate Elections Commissioner because they are still not following code correctly. Tried to set-up fair judicial process for elections, newly established. Legal council will be involved in this. If people will be here over the summer, they could be a part of the hiring for the officers.

SUGB- Misha - art gallery is up at the SOAR building. They're going to have a dinner. No meeting yesterday, it was cancelled. Not many people showing up for meetings.

SFAC- Edward - haven't been able to have quorum this entire quarter. Going to have secondary meeting to actually have quorum and to legitimately funding matrix. Going to have dinner for associated students under Dean of Students, which includes SFAC. On the SCOC site, it's open now for applying for committees for next year.

Academic Senate – Lucas - They talked about faculty and grad student welfare issues, applauded people for their good work. Chancellor presented Excellence in Teaching awards.

#### **Announcements:**

Wednesday May 30<sup>th</sup> Snow Cone Social upper street, 1-2 pm Friday, June 1<sup>st</sup> - Outdoor movie night - Wizard of OZ to the album of Dark Side of the Moon 9 pm. Lower Street - refreshments Tuesday, June 5<sup>th</sup> End of year pizza party - Town Hall - 7 pm

NOTE: Taking Parliament picture next meeting!!!

Meeting Adjourned: 7:50 p.m. Will motions Britny 2nds.