

## **Kresge Parliament – 05/30/19**

Start: 6:32pm

Quorum: 9 Ice Breaker: Which fictional neighborhood to live & rent?

**Guests:** Mike Yamauchi-Gleason – Senior Director Porter/Kresge Colleges

Mike's spring visit to Parliament. He addressed our provided questions:

Housing Points: they seem to have worked this year.

151 guaranteed students on the waitlist, 76 non-guaranteed. Up from last year but a lot of movement - depends on student flexibility on placements.

Staff shortage: ongoing process, average year for turnovers apparently. Only three vacancies this year but across campus there's a lot of vacancies. Three Senior Director positions open.

Diversity in CRE's: Mike asked for clarification – what do you identify as diverse – Chair's response was people of color. Hiring waxes and wanes, Kresge staff overall is diverse. Diversity is always kept in mind. Example 7 candidates for CPC were POC, 5 female and a non-binary applicants.

CPC Search: 1<sup>st</sup> time campus wide joint search to fill four vacancies. (not college driven) Open forums did not have enough outreach for students and scheduled during class time. Will work on student piece. Student Affairs has an issue trying to hire on a quarter system: semester schools hire weeks before. Rush to compensate left less time for student outreach. No one happy with results

Housing office out of J floor after redevelopment? Nope. It provides offices for both Porter and Kresge, there's no funding to move it or build a new space. Care got old Housing space. After construction 602 beds, 444 new in frosh multi story suites building.

Finishing up Kresge Renewal design, actual building documents next piece. Phase I starts in September with demolition. Included will be R7, Rec Room, Triplets and Town Hall. Some additions if able, R4, R6 & R8 - saves \$/inflation if we move along bringing beds on line.

Student Housing West: stalled, two lawsuits regarding the great meadow housing addition \$\$\$

**Debrief:** Still have questions about J building utilization taking 18 bed spaces? Seems as though the living room space is wasted. Also have concerns about Kresge Redevelopment, seems a lot of the college has been given away to academics and a SHOP building?

### **Parliament 2019-2020 Election**

Running for Chair: Quinn C. & Anna R. Quinn prepared a speech, Anna conceded Candidates left the lounge, members discussed their qualifications. Bradley motioned to elect Quinn as Chair, Linda 2<sup>nds</sup>, 6 Hoots, 1 Screech = Approved

Running for Vice Chair: Nick Z., Karlee S. & Anna R. Nick and Karlee spoke of commitment, Anna conceded. Candidates left the lounge, members discussed the qualifications. Quinn motioned to elect Nick, Bradley 2<sup>nds</sup>, 4 Hoots, 2 Abstain = Approved

Parliament Commencement Cord Request: Former member Toan Vo would like a cord for commencement? Parliament does not have anything in the constitution about Sr. cords. The membership discussed the individual request and due to Toan's past service to the community and "because Pam is Pam, we have enough cords." Bradley motions to award a cord, Nick 2<sup>nds</sup>. 5 Hoots, 4 Abstain = Approved.

**Kresge Retreat Planning Fall 2019** – Committee met before meeting, Bradley reporting from guiding document that was created. Thinking workshops or modules and collaborations. Should also not be too serious, informational to help attract new members and retain power/community at

Kresge. Next steps include reaching out for collaborations and volunteers now, A mass email to recruit interested parties? Plant a seed to help build community during construction. Need to decide on location, utilize Provosts House?

**Chairs closing remarks:** Michelle Hua – Michelle presented personalized certificates of appreciation and reminded members they will be in Santa Cruz next year, feel free to reach out any time and thank you for making their senior year better!

**Approval of minutes:** 5.23.19 Ian motions to approve, Nick 2<sup>nds</sup> 6 Hoots, 2 Abstain = Approved

**Report Backs:**

-SUA: Anna - Ongoing BSOE professor allegations. CalPIRG annual report. Lost quorum for a bit. 2019-2020 budget discussion ongoing and approved. Need quorum next meeting to vote on Parliamentarian, "President address on SUA Space" "Attendance was shameful." Controversy regarding housing committee for new bylaws: put Big 5 on without asking. Meeting stalled while talking with Big 5. Four hour meeting... Nameplates – each member has them...

-SCOC: Karlee - SUA carryover grab still an issue – they want the \$. Tabled some applicants, need clarification.

SFAC: Ian – Rep. needed to replace Ian, please apply. 2-year paid position. Ask Ian about it.

SUGB: Danny - Not here.

AS/SAS: Nick - Didn't meet.

Current Affairs: Jos – N/A

**Announcements:**

SUA election results are out, constitutional amend. to SUA passed. Referendums next week

Sat. 6/1 Slug Stand-Up/Open Mic 8-10 p.m. Town Hall – refreshments

Tues. 6/5 – Kresge Pizza Party, 5pm, Town Hall

Sun. 6/9 Last Late Night Breakfast – 10 p.m. Town Hall

Thurs. 6/13 Kresge Commencement Rehearsal 2-2:45 p.m. Quarry Amphitheater

Senior Party to follow 3 – 4 p.m. Redwood Lounge

Meeting Adjourned: 7:56pm