

Merrill Student Government April 30, 2015

Meeting called to order at 8:02pm by Chair Victor Garcia

Roll Call

- ✓ Marin (Vice Chair)
- ✓ Eddie (designated alternate)
- ✓ Chandler (SUA)
- ✓ Feriha (SUGB)
- ✓ Kartik (SUA)
- ✓ Cole
- ✓ Jason
- ✓ Kenley (Core Council)
- ✓ Morgan
- ✓ Tepp
- ✓ Veronica (Advisor)
- ✓ Lily (Community Service)
- ✓ Courtney (Funding Request)
- ✓ Tanya (Funding request)
- ✓ Ben
- ✓ Emma (SCOC)
- ✓ Kimberly (PR)
- ✓ Mario (Academic Senate)
- ✓ Victor (Chair)
- ✓ Itai
- ✓ Gillian (Treasurer)
- ✓ Hannah (MAC)

Funding Request

Cesar Chavez Convection

Ben: Chico Latino Resource center, located at the career center. Cesar Chaves activist did work in the valley. 12 years ago created to recognize his accomplishment. Bring to light injustices for farmers. Annual event. Guest speakers that are recognized and are community leaders. May 12th

Tanya: Daniel Andrade's, help youth violence and prevention against crime.

Ben: Important to recognize people of color and recognize struggles. Different issues affecting society like military complex. This is how we do this.

Victor: sponsorship?

Ben: men distribution of fliers. 700 individuals come to this event.

Deciding to Fund

Marin: I motion to fund

Eddie: I second

Motion passes

How much

Mario: I motion to fund \$200

Chandler: I second

Cole: I object

Victor: Have a lot of IB540 students, students of color etc so I do think that this event would benefit the Merrill Community even though it will not happen at Merrill.

3 yes, 11 no, 3 abstain Motion does not pass

Marin: I motion to fund \$100 to Cesar Chavez convocation

Chandler: I second

Motion Passes no objections

CAC

Relay for life

Courtney: Funds go to Cancer patients and institution and also make overs for women to make them feel beautiful, different orgs come, award the longest runners. Requesting \$150 to get the stage which we use for ceremonies and stories for Cancer.

Katrik: I motion to fund

Kenley: I second

Kenley: I motion to fund full

Chandler; I second

14 yes, 1 no, 2 abstain

Motion passes \$150 for Relay for life

FILM

Jared: Film production Coalition. Make 5-6 short films every quarter, going towards funding film festival, show case work, asking for \$50. Merrill Students I am Merrill Students, get students outside of comfort zone, gain experience and network. Film festival every quarter moved it to the humanities lecture hall. Free event.

Marin: Sponsorship on Pamphlets.

Jared: Haven't seen something like that yet.

Itai: When?

Jared: June 6th. Fundraiser in the Quarry

Deciding to Fund

Chandler: I motion to fund

Katrik: I second

Motion passes

Chandler: I motion to fund 50

Eddie: I second

No objections motion passes funding \$50 to film production coalition

POI

-1 Merrill Student

-intersectionality, fliers, tabling,

-Ethos: intersectionality all identities and how they interact with each other, college 9 and 10. May 14th and 28th tentative dates.

Chandler: I motion to hear

Eddie: I second

Motion passes to hear them

NSBE

-information about black engineers

-cost varies

-Facebook

-ethos: exposed to activities of only black engineer org on campus

-May 30th

So no funding because already passed

Officer Reports

Academic –nothing

CC-nothing

SCOC- Kresge fair on Sunday 3-6pm, may 2nd Music festival 3-5, Sunday 1-4 Stevenson Craft fair funding by SCOC, Crown all game turn on Sunday, Sign up for committees for next year

PR-Sign-up for relay for Life

SUGB-7 million for retrofitting, student green fee debating if it should happen after, Air conditioning, debating one gender neutral bathroom,

SUA-movie event got fully funded and it is on May 6th, funding request for watching the movie Jaws while in the pool requesting \$350 paying for public property rights, SUA passed everything SOFA requested, tomorrow first day of campaigning for SUA

SFAC-not here

MAC-CPC fully funded the jar event so more money goes back to Merrill, Mondays 7-8pm, Glitter ball tomorrow, Casino night get in for Free Friday the 15th, Saturday is Game day, start tabling now for MSG positions, Sunday Mirror maze, May 9th fight night in the Cultural Center

CSP-Red cross fundraiser for the victims, emailed them, table at the dining hall and get spare change and sent it to them, veronica- most of the funds go towards the people who work for Red Cross as opposed to the victims, In & out event and get it the extra funds for this cause

RA- In & Out event, Oakland Ace game 10 spots left, May 29th playing the New York Yankees, \$20 per student,

Secretary-funded Caesar Chavez 100, Film 50, and Relay 150

Treasurer- 184 left and still have sponsorship money, bake cookies, next Saturday at 7 Indonesian gamelan performance at the music center

Vice Chair-nothing

Chair-Merrill email the alumni directly, thank you letter,

Constitution

-adding table of contents to the constitution

-fixed Leave of Absences- under Chair discretion if the excuse is valid

-Election Procedure for Spring-declare your candidacy email, "solicited within the MSG body"

-Sub section B, No positions that are filled then nomination will take place during the first meeting of MSG after the declaration period

-Talk about changing elections process

-"Candidate statement" instead of letter of intent

Hannah: I motion to vote on three items

Marin: I second

Motion passes

Hannah: I motion to approve amendments

Mario: I second

Motion passes

Notice of Project

-bike trail

-modification for bike safety

Spirit Week Budget

-order for cookies for townhall meeting, tea and coffee,

-Monday and before that advertising

-Tuesday College night

-Wednesday highlight events for RA

-Thursday-town hall meeting

-Friday-Casino night

-Sunday- Brunch 11am-1pm, muffins, cookies

Hannah: I motion to extend 15mins

Marin: I second

Council of Chairs

-May 17th 6pm/7pm

Retreat

-June 4th

Advisor-Mural going up in a week, help for Glitter ball set-up, May 12th street party college night

Adjournment

Mario: I motion to adjourn

Itai: I second

Meeting adjourned at 10:07pm

Funding for the night: \$100 to Cesar Chavez convocation, \$150 for relay for life, \$50 for Film production coalition festival. \$184 left for the quarter for funding