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Student Government Council Office of the Vice President



SGC MEETING August 8, 2001 3PM – 5:00PM

- I. Call to Order/Sign In
- II. Approval of Minutes
- III. Appointment
- IV. Old Business
 - 1. MPAS Computers
 - 2. Web page (<u>www.consumer-site.com/sgc</u>)
 - 3. New Golden Panther Mascot
- V. New Business
 - 1. PRSSA
 - 2. Softball Game (Approve Resolution)
 - 3. Assigned Roles and Responsibility
- VI. Acting President's Report
 - 1. Change Meeting Time (FALL)
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VII. Advisors Report/Community Comments

VIII. Next Meeting: Aug. 15, 2001 - Adjournment

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Student Government Council

SGC Meeting August 8, 2001

IN ATTENDANCE

Mr. Adrian Carter, Vice-President Ms. Diana Stevens, Director of Student Lobbying Mr. Robin Miller, Panther Power Coordinator Ms. Carolina Bustamante, Clerk of Council Ms. Toshka Knight, Student Union Board Chair Ms. Danielle Sherriff, Academic Affairs Representative Ms. Rose Gaston, Elections Chair Ms. Marline Polisaintvil, Judicial Board Chair Mr. Alexander Lewy, Campus Life Board Chair Mr. Jean Longchamps, Broward Representative Mr. Rasheed Oshokoya, Graduate Representative Mr. David Edwards, Hospitality Management Representative Ms. Jenice Harris, Housing Representative Mrs. Natalia Flores, Journalism and Mass Communication Representative Ms. Ireka Hamilton, Lower Division Representative Ms. Kerry Brown, Representative at Large Ms. Nikka Scott, Representative at Large Mr. Rafael Zapata III, Advisor

<u>ABSENT</u>

Mr. David L. Cole, Advisor

Mr. Corey Riley, Finance Chair

Ms. Lilliana Ponce, Intern Coordinator

Ms. Sherilyn Lukas, Public Relations Chair

Mr. Keler Gilet, Student Services Chair

Mr. Kyle Solomon, International Students Chair

Mr. Casty Guillaume, Business Administration Representative

Ms. Nicaise Parillon, Lower Division Representative (Leave of Absence)

Mr. Angel Garcia, Representative at Large

GUESTS

Mr. Raul Moncarz, Vice-Provost of Academic Affairs

Mr. Yatir Nitzany

Ms. Shanequa Rice

Ms. Albert Bennett, Vice-President of PRSSA

Ms. Ginea Wilson, Pesident of Hospitality Mgmt. Grad tudent assoc.

Call to Order

Mr. Adrian Carter called the meeting to order at 3:30p.m.

Approval of Minutes

Ms. Ireka Hamilton moved to approve the minutes from last week's meeting with the corrections specified by the council members. Mrs. Natalia Flores seconded that motion. The Council unanimously approved the minutes.

Appointments (None) Old Business

- 1. MPAS Computers
- 2. Web page (<u>www.consumer-site.com/sgc</u>)
 - a. Please bring up any suggestions you might have for the web site.
 - 1. Mr. Raul Moncarz suggested information on possible times and courses students might be interested in, in order to make the program better.
 - b. Be aware of the added link for a survey section on the web site.
 - c. There is also scholarship information on the web site.
- 3. New Golden Panther logo
 - a. There is a contest online where the student body can name the new logo since it will no longer be named "Pete the Panther."
 - b. Be aware that as the days go by the new logo will begin to appear more clearly on the web site.

New Business

- 1. PRSSA
 - a. Mr. Albert Bennet, Vice-President of PRSSA, requested financial assistancen for the 2001 National PRSSA Conference for 10 members.
 - 1. Estimated value of \$340 per member.
 - 2. The FIU PRSSA chapter is up for the "Chapter of the year" award.
 - 3. The program gives students a balanced look at public relations from nationwide leading Public Relations practitioners.
 - Ms. Nikka Scott moves to discuss the allocation of funds to PRSSA. Ms. Natalia Flores seconds that motion.
 - Ms. Nikka Scott moves to make a decision on PRSSA at next meeting in order to for PRSSA to solicit funds from other companies such as Emery College. Ms. Ireka Hamilton seconds. The council voted 6-0-1 to make a decision concerning the allocation of funds toward PRSSA at the next meeting.
 - o Information from Emery College will be facilitated through Mr. Muhammed Malik.
 - Ms. Ireka Hamilton moves to cover the full cost of the PRSSA Conference. Ms. Natalia Flores seconds that motion. The council voted 1-4-2 to cover the full cost of the event.
 - Ms. Nikka Scott makes a friendly amendment to change "full cost" to "sponsor" with the exact number to be agreed on at the next meeting. Ms. Ireka Hamilton did not accept.
- 2. Softball Game (see attachment)
 - a. The Resoultion is set to bring both councils together. It supports a student government cross campus softball game. The event will be a form of team building which in turn creates an effective work force for both campuses.
 - Ms. Natalia Flores moves to accept Resolution 01 and to vote on Resolution 01. The motion is seconded by Mr. David Edwards. The council voted unanimously to accept Resolution 01.
- 3. Assigned Roles and Responsibility (see attachment)
 - a. Goals and expectations were presented.
 - b. Issues that should be completed were assigned to different individuals.
 - c. Each issue assigned must be presented in each report.
 - d. Issues=Responsibilities=Must be done.
 - e. We must be productive.

Mr. Adrian Carter stated that the standings of Tito Omaghomi are unknown and that if he returns then it is his right as president to make changes. Mr. Carter has current responsibility towards the student body as acting president.

Acting President's Report

1. Changing meeting time for fall

- a. Pros: no classes, more flexibility for schedules.b. Cons: Travel plans might interfere, Commuting, Religious conflict.
- Ms. Natalia Flores moves to continue our scheduled meeting on Wednesdays at 3:00pm.Ms. • Jenice Harris seconds that motion. The council voted 5-1-1 to continue meetings on Wednesdays at 3:00pm.
- 2. Robert's Rule of Orders
 - a. Reminder-LEARN IT!
 - b. Read and re-read Robert's rules of order.

Announcements

1. August 10, 2001 at 12pm is priority registration for all council members.

2. Dr. Rasheed Oshokoya is still on board.

3. August 17, 2001 there will be an all clubs meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 5:10 pm.

CEREMON LINEAR

Student Government Council

RESOLUTION

Agenda Item:	In support of student government cross campus softball game.		
Sponsors:	Adrian Carter Acting Student Body President, Carol Bustante Clerk of Council		
<u>Committee:</u>	Special Events Committee		
Date:	August 7, 2001		

In support of A Cross Campus Student Government Softball Game.

Whereas,	It had always been a goal of the Student Government in Biscayne Bay to improve relations with our University Park counterparts.		
Whereas,	An event between both Councils will give us the opportunity to exchange ideas and establish contacts.		
Whereas,	This event would be a form of team building which would in turn create an effective work force for both campuses. THEREFORE BE IT		
Resolved,	That Student Government Council supports a Softball Game between the Biscayne Bay Campus and University Park Campus Student Governments. BE IT FURTHER		
Resolved,	That the time and place for this game will be announced on a future date.		

PASS	IN FAVOR OF:	7	DATE: 8-8-01	
FAIL	ABSTAINED:	0	R 01	SAC.
	OPPOSED:	0	01	Adrian Carter, Acting SGC President

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