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Florida International University

Student Government Council

AGENDA

SGC MEETING
September 25, 2002
3:30PM – 5:00PM

- I. Call to Order/Sign In *President Carter*
- II. Approval of Minutes *President Carter*
- III. Committee Reports
 - 1. Academic Affairs *Chairwoman Natters*
 - 2. Campus Life *Chairwoman Frankson*
 - 3. International *Chairman Moleton*
- IV. President's Report *President Carter*
- V. Vice President's Report *Alexander Lewy*
- VI. Finance Chair *Nicaise Parillon*
- VII. House Report *Chairwoman Latino*
 - A. Legislation
- VIII. New Business
 - 1. FSA
 - 2. Appointments
 - 3. Town Hall Meeting
- IX. Old Business
 - 1. FSA
 - a. Class size bill
 - b. Disseminate information
 - c. October 18, 2002
 - 2. Town Hall Meeting review
 - 3. Intern Program
 - 4. Standing Committee progress
 - 5. Review meeting time
 - 6. Football Game Saturday – go gold
- X. Community Comments
- XI. Adjournment



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Student Government Council
Office of the President

SGC General Council Meeting 9/25/02

In Attendance:

Mr. Adrian Carter, President
Mr. Alexander Lewy, Vice President
Ms. Nicaise Parillon, Finance Chair
Mr. Hank Schramm, Director of Student Lobbying
Ms. Juliana Arias, Clerk of Council
Ms. Kattia Latino, Representative at Large
Ms. Thatine Camargo, Chief of Staff
Mr. Sheldon Moleton, International Student Chair
Ms. Ruth-Allyson Webster, Director of Special Events
Ms. Liza Bekerman, Representative at Large
Mr. Leonardo Scarpati, Arts and Sciences Representative
Ms. Mfonobong Essiet, Lower Division Representative
Ms. Jennifer Hazan, Lower Division Representative
Mr. Tyrik Mckeiver, Athletic Director
Ms. Kristin Frankson, Campus Life Chair
Ms. Nicolette White, Representative-at-large
Ms. Terriane Campbell, Director of Public Relations
Ms. Nazly De La Rosa, Journalism and Mass Communications Representative
Ms. Julie Natter, Academic Affairs Chair

Absent:

Mr. Neil Harrison, Hospitality Management Representative
Ms. Rasheedah Muhammad, CHUA Representative.

Leave of Absence

Guests

A General Meeting of The Student Government Council was held on September 25, 2002. President Adrian Carter was present, with a quorum present; the meeting was called to order at 3:35 pm.

Academic Affairs

Ms. Julie Natter

- Scholarships
 - 1. Discussed issue about dates and deadlines
 - 2. On Monday's meeting survey to pass out will be discussed
 - 3. Student Grievances has been delayed due to departure of a committee member.

Campus Life Chair

Ms. Kristin Frankson

- Renovations for Academic 1
 - Colors are from Sherwin Williams paint.
 - We will be responsible for logo.
 - Will be meeting with president to show him the new schemes
- Fashion show by Carrier services
 - Was very successful.
- Football game
 - Game on the 28th against Georgetown.
- Homecoming
 - Will be coming real soon.
 - Committee will be meeting on Monday.

Chief of Staff

Ms. Thatine Camargo

- Interns
 - Please contact your interns.
 - If there are any questions get in touch with Ms. Nikita Turk.

President's Report

Mr. Adrian Carter

- Surveys
 - Questions asked
 - Get more information
 - How many surveys will be made
 - And questions of how surveys will be made either one big one or many different ones.
- Grievance hearings
 - When a student has an issue with a grade they file a grievance.
 - People on the committee will review the case.
- Health Fee Committee Meeting
 - Will be held on Friday
 - There is a proposal to increase fee by \$10.00
 - The proposal should hold over 3 years.

Vice President

Mr. Alexander Lewy

- University Wide Issues
 - CATS
 - Will be discussed in the next meeting with Parking and Traffic Committee.
 - Looking at getting a trolley rather than a bus.
 - Looking to see if all the staff spaces in parking lot that are not used can be changed to spaces for students.
- University Wide Website.
 - Looking to see if we can get a UW website in addition to the UP website and BBC website.
- Events.
 - The president of Czechoslovakia was at our university.

Finance Chair

Ms. Nicaise Parillon

- Discussed getting committee members appointed.
Motion was set.

Motion to appointment Ms. Liza Beckerman and Ms. Jennifer Hazan to the Finance Committee.

The council voted unanimously. The motion passed.

House Report

Ms. Kattia Latino

- Positions were decided.
 - Ms. Liza Beckerman-Vice Chair
 - Ms. Mfonobong Essiet- Secretary
- Representatives Campaign
 - Pictures of the representatives will be displayed throughout the college.
 - Pictures will be taken today.
- Meeting will be held on Mondays at 3:30 pm.
- House Bill Resolution
 - Decision was made.

The representatives voted 5-1-0 for the president **OR** vice president to receive housing.

Resolution on table pertaining class size reduction. Sponsored by Ms. Liza Beckerman and Mr. Leonarndo Scarpati.

- SGA does not support bill.

Motion for amendment on bill.

Ms. Liza Beckerman so moved.

Ms. Liza Beckerman accepts amendment.

Motion on favor of new amendment on bill.

The council voted unanimously, 7-0-0. The motion passed.

- FSA
 - is open to interns.
 - 2 interns are welcome.
 - Oct. 17 and 18 at Ft. Myers.

Appointments

Ms. Shaon Reed for Housing Representative.

Approved by Housing Representative rule on Bylaws.

Town Hall Meeting

- Dietary Issue
 - MS. Jennifer Hazan will provide research on vegetarian food in all mailboxes.
- Costumer Service
 - Next week the President will draft a proposal
- International Student Fees.

- Mr. Sheldon Moleton will give an update on feasibility to provide a secondary insurance.
- Peer Advisors and free housing.
 - At University Park Peer Advisors get free housing for Summer B.
 - Discuss on getting same plan at BBC.
 - Argument given is that Peer Advisor at University Park work harder than peer advisor at BBC.
- Non Residential Financial Aid Fee
 - Ms. Nicaise Parillon will give update next week.
 - Is a state fee.
 - Mr. Tyrick Mckeiver will look up information.
- Housing Drink Water and Filtering System
 - Looking into figuring out how feasible getting a filtering system in rooms is.
- Water
 - It's circulating.
 - Looking into figuring out where it runs through.
- Bugs
 - They are bugging.
 - Look into Industrial Bug Zappers.
- Barber Shop
 - Question up is will WUC generate the money.
 - Will be left to Mr. Bill Williamson.

Mr. Alexander Lewy moves to adjourn the meeting
The council voted unanimously. The motion passed

The meeting was adjourned at 5:05 pm

Corrected:

[OR]

Approved: