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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. 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. 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. Shean Reiv, Elections Chair
Mr. Neil Harrison, Hospitality Management Representative
Ms. Rasheedah Muhammad, CHUA Representative.
Ms. Nikita Turk, Intern Director
Ms. Mfonobong Essiet, Lower Division Representative
Mr. David Cole, Advisor

Absent:
Ms. Julie Natter, Academic Affairs Chair
Ms. Kattia Latino, Representative at Large

Leave of Absence

Guests
Ms. Denise Dixon

A General Meeting of The Student Government Council was held on October 02, 2002. President Adrian Carter was present, with a quorum present; the meeting was called to order at 3:30 pm.

President's Report

- Grievance meeting will take place October 3 at 4:00 pm.
- Surveys are due next week must include 5-10 questions, which pertain to each persons position.
- Furniture for new office: set up was explained.
Opens in 3 weeks

Payments
- SGC work room $3,901.16
- Vice Presidents and Finance Chair room $5,035.68
- Presidents office $4,840.30

House was requested to pay for work area
What was left over of last year will pay for Presidents office.
Some will pay for Vice Presidents and Finance Chair office.
The General Account will pay the balance.

House Report

- Resolutions
  - Go Gold Campaign
    The motion Passed.
  - Revising of elections code
    The motion failed.
  - Creating Who's Who Magazine
    Tabled for next meeting.
  - Council Bill on Jewish and Muslim dietary needs.
    The motion Passed.

Resolution Go Gold
A motion set to enact Go Gold.
So moved by Ms. Nazly De La Rosa.
The council voted 9-0-1. The motion passed.

Representatives in favor
Mr. Alexander Lewy  Ms. Mfonobong Essiet  Ms. Jennifer Hazan
Ms. Liza Beckerman  Ms. Nicolette White  Ms. Sheaon Reiv
Ms. Rasheedah Muhammad  Ms. Nazly De La Rosa  Mr. Leonardo Scarpati

Council Bills Jewish And Muslim Foods
Motion in support of establishing food services adherent to Student dietary laws.
So moved by Ms. Jennifer Hazan.
The council voted 8-0-2. The motion passed.

Representatives in favor
Mr. Alexander Lewy  Ms. Jennifer Hazan
Mr. Leonardo Scarpati  Ms. Nazly De La Rosa
Ms. Liza Beckerman  Ms. Rasheedah Muhammad
Ms. Sheaon Reiv  Mr. Neil Harrison

Appointments
Mr. Leonardo Scarpati moves to limit debate to 4 questions.
So moved, The motion passed.
Denise Dixon for elections Chair.
The council voted 8-0-2. The motion passed.

Appropriation in support of the West Indians Student Association.

So moved by Ms. Liza Beckerman.
The council voted 4-1-5. The motion passed.

Representatives in favor
Ms. Liza Beckerman Ms. Rasheedah Mahammed
Ms. Nazly De La Rosa Mr. Neil Harrison

Finance Chair
- Gave end of month report.
- Photo ID fee
  - Not used to get ID, but to keep system running.
- Health Fee
  - Proposal Heath Fee raise conference
  - October 9, 2002 at 3:30
  - Wolfe Theater

Lower Division Representative
- Dietary Issue
  - Passed out information on Vegetarian food.
  - Will be working on newsletter to pass out to students.
- Cafeteria
  - Building should start in January
  - Should take 18 months to build

International Students Chair
- Health Care
  - Very costly to have screening on campus.
  - Will make a proposal to have an optional insurance that also haves dental care.

Hospitality Management
- Dental Plan
  - “The Dental Plan Like no Other”
  - Spoke to Mr.. Reed in reference to pan.
    - Covers dental, vision. Prescription and chiropractor.
    - $100 deductible with referral from health center.

Closing Remarks
- Hearing meeting in Wolfe Theater at 3:30
- Mr. Harrison and Ms, Muhammad will create flier for dental plan for following meeting.
- Other chair reports due next week.
The meeting was adjourned at 5:0 pm
Corrected:
[OR]
Approved: