

# Associated Students of Montana State University Billings

February 6, 2017- Minutes

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**I. CALL TO ORDER** – Political Action Director Thomas Spencer called the meeting to order at 5:00pm

#### II. ROLL CALL

PRESENT- President Dicharry, Bus. Mgr Coomber, SRO Focht, PAD Spencer, Senator Baker, Senator Cattaneo, Senator Keltner, Senator Marquez, Senator McCracken, Senator Merritt, Senator Neff, Senator Secrist, Senator Shay, Senator Smith

**EXCUSED- VP Burk ABSENT-**

- III. PROXIES
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES –1/30/17
- V. PRESENTORS/REPRESENTATIVES-Student United Way & Intervarsity
  - More than 40 volunteers in less than 20 minutes to complete homeless packets
  - -Jazz Club
  - Jazz Festival went better than last year
  - Very helpful for young students in performance
  - 450 Total Attendees
  - -Dr. Hoar (Equipment Fee)
  - Student equipment Fees for new equipment to keep up-to-date in programs and to replace worn out or damaged equipment
  - Reviewed and endorsed by ASMSUB
  - -SAAB
  - Sip and Paint
  - Winterfest
- VI. ADVISOR REPORTS Interim Chancellor Larsen
  - -Dr. Joe Oravecz/Kathy Kotecki
    - International Students hosted for coffee and cookies to show we are supporting them
    - Students are given I-20 to carry with them to show they are here for educational purposes
    - How to get more students enrolled by creating energy and excitement
  - -Dr. Bill Kamowski
  - -Lance Mouser
- VII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
- **VIII. OLD BUSINESS**
- **IX. NEW BUSINESS**



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#### FB#24: Travel funds for American Indian Business Leaders: Senator Shimmeri Secrist

That the sum of \$2508.00 be allocated from Contingency index #630200 to American Indian Business Leaders, index #630315 for travel funds to attend the American Indian Business Conference in Chandler, AZ, April 13-16, 2017.

TOTAL REQUEST FROM STUDENT SENATE	\$ 2508.00
Less money raised:	<u>\$ (1000.00)</u>
Total:	\$ 3508.00
Other costs: (registration, shuttle)	\$ 700.00
Lodging expenses:	\$ 1350.00
Meal expenses:	\$ 272.00
Transportation expenses:	\$ 1186.00

Moved to Financial Board

#### X. EXECUTIVE & STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

## President Greg Dicharry

- Fee Forums, Feb. 8<sup>th</sup>, Sub Atrium, 12:00-1pm Fee Forums, Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>, CC Commons, 12:00-1pm Please attend if available
- Armory update-
  - Check-In Check-Out Process almost completed with policy
  - o Cabinets are being installed
- Student Leadership Market, Thurs. Feb. 16<sup>th</sup>, LA/LI lobby, 10am-12pm Tabling for Senate positions for 2017-18

#### **Vice President Kennedee Burk**

Senate meeting cancelled, Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> and no meeting, Feb. 20th

#### **Business Manager:**

- Chelsie Coomber: Meetings, Monday's after Senate
- Northcutt Steele and HEROES budget presentations

#### **Student Resolution Officer:**

- Katelyn Focht: Meetings, Monday's at 3pm
- > Outstanding Faculty nominations due Feb. 17th
- CC Student Appreciation Day, Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup>, CC Commons, 9 am (donuts, coffee and OJ)

### **Political Action Director:**

- > Thomas Spencer
- ASMSUB Elections will be changing from GID & PIN (Myinfo login) to



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NetID (login used for campus computers, D2L, etc.)
ASMSU had also requested the sign-in for their voting be changed

- ➤ 2017-18 Pres/VP/Senator applications due by Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>, 5pm Applications available at SUB or online at: <a href="https://www.msubillings.edu/asmsub">www.msubillings.edu/asmsub</a>
- ➤ Elections are March 22-23

### **XI. SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS**

 Senator Marquez: Declined IPad for undergrad research, Gave History Club \$1000

#### XII. SENATE & ACADEMIC CONCERNS

- Last day to drop classes with refund, Feb. 7th
- President's Day NO CLASSES, OFFICES CLOSED
- > Summer registration begins, Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>

## XIII. WORDS ON CAMPUS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

- MSUB "ONE IN FIVE" Film Festival, Feb. 6-8; 5:30pm -7:30pm, LA 205 Sponsored by Women's & Gender Studies Center
- Cadet Corps Benefit Dinner, Feb. 10<sup>th</sup>, Radisson Hotel, \$25/person (silent and live auction, raffle, door prizes) Speaker Colonel Jess
- ➤ Winterfest, Feb. 21-24

#### XIV. PUBLIC COMMENT

XV. ADJOURNMENT at 5:58 PM