I. CALL TO ORDER – Vice President Savannah Merritt called the meeting to order at 5:00pm

II. ROLL CALL


EXCUSED - Senator Omar, Senator Peterson, Senator Prasadi, Senator Wheelock

ABSENT -

III. PROXIES

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES - 11/5/2018

V. PRESENTORS/REPRESENTATIVES

-Stephanie Cowen, Director of Student Services
-One Stop Shop: financial aid, student support, recruiting, new student specialists, advising, and career services (some specialists for topics, but cross training is also important for their roles in helping students)
-Around 95% of their students find careers after graduation
-SAB
-Jackets for Jackets: collecting coats, boots, snow pants for the Billings Public School District, Sip ‘n Paint in the Glacier room next Tuesday, Mascaraed Ball (11-30), first week in December is ‘stress less week’
-Rebekah Reger, Interim Director of ASC
-Keenan Weatherford
-Taking his ethics class as an honors class, looking to complete his ‘bringing change project’
-start a dialogue with ASMSUB and the community to work towards fare free bussing
-help students navigate the city
-$1/semester service fee (possible option/idea)
-mission statement of the school: civically engaged and responsible

VI. ADVISOR REPORTS – Chancellor Edelman
-Mr. Buckingham/Kathy Kotecki
-additional Identity Evropa posters were found around campus and the Chancellor sent out an email regarding it.
-meeting with cabinet: How to increase occupancy?
-transportation, dining (late night dining hours), cost (lowering fees); this spring semester they are looking to pilot late night dining hours.
-visited the Little Big Horn College
-Dr. Paul Pope
-Register for classes!
-Lance Mouser

VII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
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VIII. OLD BUSINESS

IX. NEW BUSINESS

FB#7 Travel Funds for OUT @MSUB to attend MBLGTACC in Wichita, Kansas: Senator Laci

That the sum of $1,579.62 be allocated from Contingency index #630200 to OUT, index #630934 for travel funds to attend the MBLGTACC (Midwest Bisexual Lesbian Gay Transgender Asexual College Conference) in Wichita, Kansas February 14 through February 18, 2019.

Transportation Expenses: $729.86
Meal Expenses: $540.00
Lodging Expenses: $534.76
Other Costs: $375.00
Total: $2,179.62
Less Money raised: $600.00
TOTAL REQUEST FROM STUDENT SENATE: $1,579.62
-bill is moved to financial board

X. EXECUTIVE & STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

President Halle Keltner
- Helping out with Jackets for Jackets
- Safe Travels and have a happy Thanksgiving!

Vice President Savannah Merritt
- MAS/BOR Update
  - MAS fee, move to a tier system which would be dependent on the number of students
  - involvement in 2-year colleges has decreased; look to reach out to students and encourage them to work towards a degree
- possible Christmas dinner on Monday December 10th
- Senator Recognition: Congrats Sari!

Business Manager Kaelen Shay:
- Financial Board Meets tonight at 6:30pm in the Madison Room

Student Resolution Officer Taylor Kurkoski
- Received an $85 check from Better World Books (goes into Future Leaders Scholarship Fund)
- Spirit of Giving
- Jingle and Mingle December 7th (Holiday part, Jackets only will be performing)
- Faculty Awards (nominate your faculty, deadline: Feb. 1)
- Movie in the Pool (11/29) at 7pm, popcorn provided

XI. SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS
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- Gen Ed. Committee meeting: getting rid of foundations of art and combining it with another course, they will also be writing new objectives
- Library Committee: they would like to know what we’d like to see

XII. SENATE & ACADEMIC CONCERNS

- No classes November 21-23, 2018
- Register for your Spring Classes
- Last Day to drop classes with advisor and instructor approval is November 20th

XIII. WORDS ON CAMPUS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Men’s basketball game (11/19) at 7pm, at rocky
  - Women’s Basketball Game November 23, 2pm Alterowitz Gym
  - Men’s Basketball Game November 23, 7:30pm Alterowitz Gym
  - Men’s Basketball Game November 24, 7:30pm Alterowitz Gym
  - Women’s Basketball Game November 25, 2pm Alterowitz Gym
  - Sip & Paint November 27, 6:30pm Glacier Room
  - Academic Support Center Chili Competition Tasting, November 28, all day
  - Masquerade Ball November 30, 8-12pm Glacier Room

XIV. PUBLIC COMMENT

XV. ADJOURNMENT 5:47