Meeting called to order at 7:38

I. Opening procedures:
Approval of previous weeks minutes:
motions
seconds
*NOTE: WE FORGOT TO GO BACK TO THIS*

Approval of the Agenda:
motions
seconds
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II. Funding Requests: $315 in general fund
Korean American Student Association:
Presentation:
Rep: We’re asking the Council for $100 to fund our 3rd annual banquet on campus. This banquet celebrates Korean culture and support Korean students. We use the banquet to raise funds so we can do programming in the future. It’ll consist of dance and food that are all traditional Korean style. Any questions?

Michael: What will our money be going to? And is there an entrance fee?

Rep: The $100 is going to fund the cost of the banquet and we are charging about $12 per student/person coming to the event. We will be asking all 10 colleges for funding.

Jewel: Have you asked other places besides the other colleges for funding? and How many people attended prior?

Rep: We have going to CEP, the Provost, Core Council, and SUA. Last year we had about 150 students there who bought tickets. Also we’re pretty certain that the Korean Consul General will be attending. And our event will be May 31st.

Jewel: How will you be outreaching?

Rep: We usually work with APISA to do outreach.

Discussion:
Michael: I feel like it’s a reasonable amount.

Diana: I like it too

Christine: Can we have a recap of the proposal for the people that weren’t here.
*Recap of proposal happens*
Sam: I motion to fund $50 because we don’t have that much money

Jewel: I second

Gandhi: Can we also encourage them to come back when we have more money next quarter?

Christine: We don’t want to keep doing that because we won’t have that much money in Spring.
10 in favor, 1 opposed, 3 abstentions
Motion passes

$265 left in General Fund

College Office:
Christine: I’m presenting, because Gustavo asked me to. The College office wants to buy a Smart TV for the room it’ll cost around $2077.99 not including tax and shipping. People will be able to display things from their computer on it. It’s not a smart Board but it’s a Smart TV. I’m not entirely sure what this difference is.

Andrew: Will it be secured?

Christine: Yes it definitely will be

Gandhi: I like the idea and it’ll be beneficial for a lot of people like us and for Core classes.

David: I think it’s something we really need and I definitely want it.

Anahi: Do we have the money for that? Can’t we get someone else to fund it? I feel like we could use our money in a better way.

Lila: Well our prior account is for the purpose of making improvements to Stevenson and we have about $36,000 in it. So we have the money and I feel like this falls in our jurisdiction.

Jewel: I motion to approve the money for the Smart TV with tax and shipping to be added

Carolyn: I second

11 in favor, 3 abstentions
motion passes

~*~ WE’RE GETTING A SMART TV~*~

III. Presentations:
Commissioner of Academic Affairs:
No Show :( 

GROW:
Presentation:
Reps: So we’re both interns are the Kresge Garden and we’re proposing the GROW fee again it’s a fee of $2.95 per quarter. We’ve been approved by SFAc and we’ve received sponsorship from Crown. The fee goes to help achieve the goal of Zero Waste by 2020 by providing smaller projects to help. But also the fees goes to more student employment on campus gardens to go to more sustainable projects. It’ll do more on campus and off campus gardening. The fee will provide a tool library so all gardens have equal more access to tools for gardening.
*goes in depth about budget breakdown*
If you have any question e-mail Austin, his e-mail is on the form. I don’t remember it off the top of my head.

Discussion:
Jewel: I think we should let the students vote on it
Gandhi: I like this one
David: Yeah me too
Andrew: They’re just asking for Sponsorship right?
People: Yupp!
Gandhi: Motion to sponsor
Diana: I second
11 in favor, 3 abstentions
motions passes, Grow is Sponsored.

IV. Announcements:
David: College night is next Wednesday. It’s City by the Sea themed and it’ll be a lot about the history of the sea. *reads off menu and everyone groans in hunger/desire of delicious food*

Gandhi: The ABC Conference is happening this week!
Christine: I met the new CAO for Cowell/Stevenson and I have a question. Do we want to renovate the library and if so how much?

V. Reportbacks:
SUA:
David: Shaz wants to move $4000 from the Womyn of Color conference to SUA Programming. The conference isn’t happening this year but there’s already a line item for it.
*straw poll* All council members are in favor
Also the IVC and COD are working together for UCSC’s Got Talent and Holy Fest which is like a color run but for UCSC and they want to get money out of the student life fund.
*straw poll* All Council members are in favor

Gandhi: I sit on two huge committee called CBP and CAFA and we looked into the problem of the Summer School Session and under enrollment and why not many people take these classes.

Sam: We had two Resolution introduced to the body. One was calling for education reform from law-makers. It was very well written but had a lot of information. It calls for the Master Plan, which was a promise to make our education affordable or free. It also called for the creation of the UC we want. Also we hired an Associate Elections Commissioner, And we hired Lila.

SOFA:
Sam: We heard a lot of proposals, and some people are asking for a lot of money. But we’ll be meeting next week to figure out how money will be divided up.

SCOC:
Diana: Yeah Crown and Merrill had their Sister College Outreach event and it was really successful and fun. A lot of people showed up. We’re going to be continuing with these outreach events and I believe the next one will be a dance/casino night at Oakes/8.

Core Council:
Isabel: Yeah we met and heard all of our funding proposals, but we’re meeting again to discuss who think should be funded and how much. But there wasn’t any proposal that we were really against.

SUGB:
Lila: We met and discussed what sort of event we want to have for next quarter. We want to hold a luncheon for our tenants and see if they have any complaints about the buildings and such. But that will be at the beginning of next quarter. We also talked about going on a “field trip” to the buildings and seeing if there are any improvements we think we can make.

Lobby Core:
Lizzy was Absent :(
VI. Projects:
Oakes and Stevenson Collaboration:
David: I want to get the ball rolling on this but I’m definitely overloaded
Lila:
Christie: I can get you that information
David: Do you want to be the lead for the Stevenson end?
Lila: Sure!

Breakfast for Finals:
David: We’ll be doing the Finals breakfast again and this time we’ll be getting sausage and no vegan eggs because they weren’t popular.
Christine: If you sign up you had better commit to it!
Kelly: I think it was really cool and successful but it was so cold.
David: If it rains we’ll just move into the event center or the fireside and then have people there to direct people.

Study Break:
David: We reserved the Event center in order to give students a space to study in during Finals week. It’ll just be for one day but we can stay there until Midnight and we’ll be lining up the tables as a study space. And we’ll be getting snacks from Costco, preferably healthy brain food snacks.
Anahi: Can we give out Blue Books and Scantrons?
Kelly: That would be awesome!
David: Yeah sure we can definitely do that too.

VII. Adjournment:
Isabel motions
Carolyn seconds
no objections
motion passes
Meeting Adjourned at at 8:41pm