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ASUM SENATE AGENDA
Mt. Sentinel Rooms
May 1, 1991

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Minutes
4. President's Report
 - a. Strike Complaints
 - b. ASUM Garden
 - c. SAC Assistant Director Committee
 - d. Interview Times
5. Vice President's Report
 - a. Committee Appointments
 - b. Presidential Review
 - c. Provost V-P Forum
 - d. SAAC Report
 - e. Breakfast - Carol
6. Business Manager's Report
 - a. Women's Rugby Special Allocation Request
 - b. Woodsmen's Team Special Allocation Request
 - c. UM Homecoming Special Allocation Request
 - d. MPA Club Special Allocation Request
7. Committee Reports
8. Public Comment Period
9. Old Business
 - a. Resolution to Request Review of Parking Citation Fees
 - b. Resolution to Purchase from State Term Contracts
 - c. Resolution to Oppose Criminalization of Homosexuality in Montana
 - d. Resolution to Rewrite Item D, Section 1, Article VI of the ASUM Bylaws
10. New Business
 - a. Resolution to Create a Homecoming Committee
11. Comments
12. Adjournment

ASUM SENATE MINUTES
Mt. Sentinel Room
May 1, 1991
6:00 p.m.

Chairman Wickstrom called the meeting to order at 6:08 p.m. Members present were Barber, Bennett, Dale, Grubb, Hargesheimer, Hummel, Jackson, Krause, Kuntz, Lewis, Neuhardt, Oliver, Redhorn (7:05), Singer, Tinsley, Warden, West, Wetterling and Zink.

Tinsley - Rosenthal moved to approve the minutes of the April 17, 1991, meeting as written.

President's Report

- a. Hollenbaugh indicated there have been some complaints filed regarding the strike and anticipates many of them will be settled in the early stages.
- b. Hollenbaugh stated that the ASUM Gardens have not been approved by ASUM. A group is filing for recognition and is soliciting fee-paying garden members. They plan to pay for repairs/improvements out of these funds.
- c. Any Senator interested in being on the committee for selecting a SAC assistant director should notify Hollenbaugh.
- d. Please give Hollenbaugh a list of times you are free to meet next week if you are on a committee to interview and select Directors for Programming and SLA.

Vice President's Report

- a. Wickstrom offered the following slate which was approved:

Recreation and Sports - Meg Oliver

No Comm.

~~Campus Safety - Calvin Pouncy~~

University Athletic Committee - Greg Lewis (regular member)

Graduate Council - Suzanne Simpson

Health Services Board - Natalie Grubb

Traffic & Appeals - Dave Robbins (alternate)

- b. Friday, May 3, at 2 p.m. five people who have worked closely with President Dennison the past year are needed to answer questions with regard to the President's evaluation. So far four people have been selected: Jim Parker, J. V. Bennett, John Crocker and Chris Warden.

- c. Provost interview dates will be scheduled soon. Wickstrom requested that Senators give her one question to ask each candidate. Out of these, five will be selected to use.
- d. The Student Affairs Advisory Committee met Tuesday, April 30. There was a discussion on the impact of the strike on students and the Senate. See Wickstrom if you have ideas on how to address strike.
- e. The Breakfast with Dean Hollmann scheduled for May 7 has been rescheduled for May 21.

Business Manager's Report

(These come as seconded motions from Business and Finance.)

- a. Women's Rugby Special Allocation Request for an additional \$950 (Exhibit A). **Hummel - Tinsley** moved to approve. Motion carried.
- b. Woodsmen Team Special Allocation Request for \$200 (Exhibit B). **Tinsley - Wetterling** moved to approve. Motion carried.
- c. MPA Club Special Allocation request for \$200 (Exhibit C). **Zink - Tinsley** moved to approve. Motion carried.

Committee Reports

- a. Peggy Schmidt of the Garden Committee told of their plans to fix the pump, construct a fence and rototill from the fees collected for garden plots.
- b. Julie Kuntz reported that the Publications Board met today and decided to wait to appoint a Business Manager, since applications will be going out in another week for a new editor and business manager for this next year.
- c. Chris Warden reported on the committee studying the student self-insured program. Talk to him for more information.
- d. Ed Zink reported that there will be a rape, assault, harassment hearing Thursday, May 9, from 4-7 p.m. in Main Hall 205. He indicated that written testimony is acceptable.
- e. Winnie West said that SUB is looking at ideas for UC Food Service and the Lodge Food Service to operate in the black.

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Public Comment Period

Jim Blodgett passed out information on Lambda Alliance (Exhibit D) and spoke against criminalization of homosexuality in Montana. Next week there will be information available in the UC on homosexual issues. On Thursday there will be a free film in SS352. Friday through Sunday there will be movies shown at the Crystal on gay and lesbian issues.

Tom and Sara spoke on personal assaults made on them and various issues that confront homosexuals - physical/verbal abuse, discrimination with regard to insurance, rentals, etc.

Dean Hollmann urged Senators to tell friends with problems related to the strike to talk to the professors, department chair and academic dean involved. If resolution can't be found, then the student should come to the ASUM Complaint Officer, who is the official person to handle student grievances, for further help.

Old Business

- a. Resolution to Request Review of Parking Citation Fees. Tabled until next week.
- b. Resolution to purchase from State Term Contracts (Exhibit E). **Grubb - Hollenbaugh** called previous question. Carried. Upon immediate vote, resolution passed.
- c. Resolution to oppose criminalization of homosexuality in Montana (Exhibit F). **Hummel - Zink** called previous question. Failed. **Zink - Hollenbaugh** called previous question. Carried. Upon immediate vote, resolution passed.
- d. Resolution to Rewrite Item D, Section 1, Article VI of the ASUM Bylaws. Tabled until next week. **Rosenthal - Tinsley** moved to take off table. **Hollenbaugh** objected to consideration. Passed.

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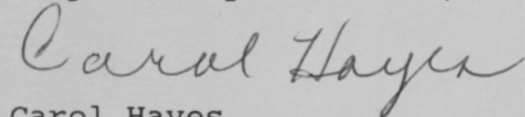
New Business

- a. **Rosenthal - Lewis** moved to suspend Bylaws to consider Resolution to Create a Homecoming Committee. Failed. Rosenthal withdrew the resolution.
- b. **Bennett - Jackson** introduced a Resolution to designate a Day as Office Manager Appreciate Day.
- c. **Tinsley - Grubb** introduced a Resolution on Decal Accessibility Parking Act.
- d. **Rosenthal - Wetterling** introduced a Resolution to Oppose Student Fee Increases to Supplement MPEA Wage Hike.
- e. **Rosenthal - Warden** introduced a Resolution to make the Senate the Standing Committee of ASUM. **Zink** objected to consideration. Resolution was removed.

Comments

Wickstrom adjourned the meeting at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Carol Hayes
ASUM Office Manager

Date Submitted 1-21-91

ASUM REQUEST FOR SPECIAL ALLOCATION

EXHIBIT
A

NAME OF ORGANIZATION Women's Rugby
ORGANIZATION NUMBER 7565 TOTAL AMOUNT REQUESTED \$300.00
BREAKDOWN OF REQUEST: \$300.00

Object Code	Description	Amount
2415	OUT OF STATE Air Transportation MOBILE, ALABAMA	500.00

PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCOUNT MARSHALL HARRISON

REASON FOR REQUEST :

The University Women's Rugby Club
has won the right to advance to
the National Collegiate Championship
in Washington D.C. The members of the
team are fundraising presently and will
contribute themselves.

Procedures: All requests for special allocations must be filled out and submitted to the ASUM offices preceding the week's Board on Budget and Finance meeting. As outlined in the ASUM Fiscal Policy, all special allocations must be entertained by the Board on Budget and Finance at least one week prior to the introduction of the requests to Senate. (An enactment of the ASUM Bylaws, approved by 2/3 majority vote by the Senate, may allow a request to come before the Senate the same week as it was presented to the Board on Budget and Finance.) The Senate must approve each special allocation request by a majority vote. The Senate may override a disapproved request or amend an approved request of the Board on Budget and Finance by a majority vote.

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300.00
APPROVED
BUDGET AND FINANCE
4-29-91

BUDGET AND FINANCE

APPROVED

4-29-91 Additional allocation of 950.00 (total lodging)

ASUM REQUEST FOR SPECIAL ALLOCATION

EXHIBIT B

NAME OF ORGANIZATION UM Woodsmen's TeamORGANIZATION NUMBER _____ TOTAL AMOUNT REQUESTED \$ 200.00

BREAKDOWN OF REQUEST:

Object Code	Description	Amount
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PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCOUNT Joe Schneider

REASON FOR REQUEST University of Montana banners are needed for the upcoming
woodsmen's team competition. The banner will be used at our meet each year.

This will attract outside interest and other teams to Missoula to compete.

In 1993, we are bidding to have the AWFC Regional Conclave at the University

of Montana. This would bring approximately 15 teams from the region to

Missoula for a week.

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ASUM REQUEST FOR SPECIAL ALLOCATION

NAME OF ORGANIZATION UM HomecomingORGANIZATION NUMBER _____ TOTAL AMOUNT REQUESTED \$ 500.00

BREAKDOWN OF REQUEST:

<u>Object Code</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
	Entertainment	\$500.00

PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCOUNT Paula Rosenthal/Alumni Association

REASON FOR REQUEST To offset the deficit from 1990 Homecoming. Due to
lack of communication and fault of the behalf of Alumni, UC Catering, and
the student coordinator, the deficit is shared by the three departments.
Alumni is paying \$550.00, and UC Catering is paying \$300.00.

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ASUM REQUEST FOR SPECIAL ALLOCATION

EXHIBIT C

NAME OF ORGANIZATION

MPA Club

ORGANIZATION NUMBER

TOTAL AMOUNT REQUESTED \$200⁰⁰

BREAKDOWN OF REQUEST:

See attached

Object CodeDescriptionAmount

Dues

Office Supplies

PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCOUNT

Dr. Patrick B. Edgar (Faculty Advisor)

REASON FOR REQUEST

See attached

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ASUM USE ONLY

Budget and Finance Action:

200⁰⁰

Amount Approved

Date: ☒

Request Denied

Date: _____

Senate Action:

Amount Approved

Date: _____

Request Denied

Date: _____

REQUEST FOR SPECIAL ALLOCATION

1. EXPLANATION OF THE REQUEST:

THE MPA CLUB IS REQUESTING \$200 FOR ORGANIZATION START-UP COSTS. THE ORGANIZATION WILL USE THE FUNDING TO PARTICIPATE IN ACTIVITIES WHICH ARE OF INTEREST TO THE ORGANIZATION, SUCH AS INFORMAL ENGAGEMENT WITH PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND SOCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR STUDENTS IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION.

2. ALTERNATIVE FUNDING SOUGHT:

THE MPA CLUB HAS RECEIVED SPONSOR DONATIONS FOR THE SOFTBALL LEAGUE, AND THE CLUB WILL BE COLLECTING NO LESS THAN \$10 PER PERSON FOR DUES.

3. BENEFITS TO STUDENTS/PROGRAMS, AND/OR CAMPUS:

THE MPA CLUB PROVIDES THE NECESSARY ENVIRONMENT FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION STUDENTS TO INTERACT ON AN INFORMAL AND FORMAL BASIS WITH OTHER STUDENTS AND PUBLIC OFFICIALS. THIS INTERACTION WILL PROVIDE ADDITIONAL RECOGNITION IN THE COMMUNITY OF THE MPA PROGRAM WHICH WILL BENEFIT THE CAMPUS AND THE PROGRAM. THIS CLUB WILL ENHANCE THE LINKAGE BETWEEN STUDENTS OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATORS WHICH WILL IMPROVE PUBLIC RELATIONS FOR THE CAMPUS.

4. INITIAL ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES:

SOFTBALL LEAGUE FEES - \$435
STATIONARY/OFFICE SUPPLIES - \$50
ASPA CHARTER - \$100
COMMUNICATIONS - \$75

5. FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

REVENUES:

DUES -	\$220
ADVISOR CONTRIBUTION -	\$35
SPONSOR DONATION -	\$250
TOTAL REVENUES	\$455

EXPENDITURES:

LEAGUE FEES	\$435
CORRESPONDANCE	15
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$450
BALANCE	\$ 5

APPROVED BY FACULTY ADVISOR DR. PATRICK B. EDGAR

Lambda Alliance

Friendship & Support

P.O. Box 7611
Missoula, MT 59807

Programs with a Purpose

Lambda Alliance is dedicated:

- To the positive support of all individuals who wish to understand the Gay, Bisexual and Lesbian life-style.
- To the reversal and opposition of all discriminatory laws on the basis of sexual orientation.

Community Action:

- Lambda Alliance is involved in the community with a variety of community service and political-action activities. In addition, Lambda Alliance works with Missoula Aids Council, Missoula Health Department, Names Project Aids Memorial Quilt, Women's Resource Center, and National Gay & Lesbian Task Force.

Gay & Lesbian Film Festival:

- Lambda Alliance sponsors the Missoula Gay & Lesbian Film Festival, promoting films on Gay & Lesbian history, culture and life choices.

Sexually Transmitted Disease Education:

- Lambda Alliance provides free community workshops and lectures on STD on a year-round basis, with over 1,000 individuals participating to date.

Lambda Alliance provides:

- Weekly meetings open to those individuals who wish to understand the Gay, Bisexual and Lesbian life-style—various topics including self-esteem, marriage, child rearing, drug abuse prevention.

RESOLUTION TO PURCHASE FROM STATE CONTRACTS

Objective: To purchase quality computer equipment for ASUM and associated groups.

Whereas, ASUM has had problems with computer purchases in the past;

and

Whereas, state purchasing at the University of Montana receives education incentives and warranted computer equipment through various vendors under state contract;

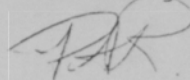
and

Whereas, many local vendors refuse to bid against the university term contracts;

Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED...

.... that the Associated Students of the University of Montana purchase computers and related equipment directly through state purchasing term contracts in University Purchasing.

Sponsored and authored by Paula Rosenthal



- Objective: Resolution to support the decriminalization of homosexuality in the State of Montana.
- Whereas: Violence has been directed at the Lesbian/Gay/Bisexual community based on ignorance and homophobia.
- Whereas: The American Psychiatric Association deems Homosexuality no more deviant than left handedness, and the National Association of Social Work's code of ethics deems its members not practice, collaborate, or facilitate any form of discrimination, including sexual orientation.
- Whereas: The criminalization of homosexuality in Montana leads to job, health, and housing discrimination and violence, which lead to many other forms of oppression against a legitimate segment of the population.
- Whereas: This oppression aggressively hinders the academic pursuits of an estimated 10% of the ASUM constituency.

Therefore, be it resolved that...

ASUM recognizes the academic needs of its Gay/Lesbian/Bisexual constituency, and supports the decriminalization of consensual adult homosexual activity in Montana.

Resolution authorized and sponsored by: Julie Kuntz, ASUM Senator