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ASUM SENATE AGENDA  
Mt. Sentinel Rooms  
October 23, 1991

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Public Comment
5. President's Report
  - a. Reminder - Thursday Night Reception
  - b. Injunction Against Governor
  - c. Kirk Lacey - MAS President
6. Vice President's Report
  - a. Committee Appointments
  - b. Name Tags
7. Business Manager's Report
8. Committee Reports
9. Old Business

(No resolutions were received by the deadline - 5 p.m. the first working day after the Senate meeting - and thus remain under New Business.)
10. New Business
  - a. Resolution on U of M Maximum Enrollment Survey
  - b. Resolution to Endorse Changes in University Zoning
  - c. Resolution to Preserve Green Space on Campus
  - d. Resolution to Hold a Tuition Increase Opposition Rally
  - e. Resolution to Have an Official ASUM Week
  - f. Honors College Letter
11. Comments
12. Adjournment

## DATE \_\_\_\_\_

# ROLL CALL

Suspend for  
Bad facts  
Article Date  
Comments

Jodie Barber

J. V. Bennett

Gillian Dale

Stacey Hargesheimer

Eric Hummel

Danna Jackson

John Krause

Julie Kuntz

Gregory Lewis

Sol Neuhardt

Meg Oliver

Bill Rathert

## Jackson Redhorn

Nathan Singer

Ed Tinsley

Chris Warden

Winnie West

Brian Wetterling

Ed Zink

## ASUM OFFICERS

Galen Hollenbaugh  
President

Dana Wickstrom  
Vice-President

Paula Rosenthal  
Business Manager

## FACULTY ADVISOR

ASUM SENATE MINUTES  
Mt. Sentinel Rooms  
October 23, 1991  
6:00 p.m.

Chairman Wickstrom called the meeting to order at 6:10 p.m. Members present were Barber, Bennett, Dale, Hargesheimer, Jackson, Krause, Kuntz, Lewis, Neuhardt, Oliver, Rathert, Redhorn (6:25), Singer, Tinsley, Warden, West and Zink. Excused was Hummel. Unexcused was Wetterling.

**Tinsley - Rosenthal** moved to approve the minutes of the October 23 meeting as written. Motion carried.

**Public Comment**

Jim Parker spoke in support of the Health Care with Dignity Resolution to be offered under New Business.

Greg Fine complimented the Senate for their actions regarding the proposed tuition increase.

Randi Erickson is encouraging City Council officials to draft legislation regarding the tuition increase and expressed the need for everyone to attend the noon rally on the tuition increase.

**President's Report**

Hollenbaugh reminded the Senators of the Thursday evening (9 p.m.) ice-breaker reception to be held in the ASUM offices.

ASMSU and others are considering filing an injunction against the Governor in order to force the legislature to reconvene to consider the State budget problems. A lengthy discussion ensued on the merits of ASUM backing the proposal.

Hollenbaugh introduced MAS (and ASEMC) President Kirk Lacey, who announced that the Commissioner of Higher Education has scheduled an open forum on Thursday, October 31, from 10-12 a.m. to hear student opinions on budget cuts. The MAS meeting has been rescheduled for 1 p.m. the same day and will focus on the opinions of schools in the system for solving the crisis.

**Vice President's Report**

Wickstrom offered Greg Davidson to serve as student-at-large on the Budget and Finance Committee. Motion passed.

Senators who have lost and wish to replace their name tags may order them by contacting the Office Manager. There will be a charge of \$6.00 for replacement. They will be furnished to new senators.

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Wickstrom asked for Senators to see her after the meeting to volunteer for some committees which need student members. If there are no volunteers, she will be calling individuals who are not serving on their required number of committees.

#### **Business Manager's Report**

Rosenthal reported on the meeting held today with administrators regarding the tennis courts. At the meeting concerns regarding auxiliary fund use without student knowledge/approval and the commencement of projects before funding is complete were reiterated.

**Tinsley** - Zink moved to approve the Chinese Student Association special allocation request for \$42 (Exhibit A). Motion passed.

Rosenthal offered the following addition to Fiscal Policy as approved by the Budget and Finance Committee:

- 8.7 No group that did not participate in the fiscal year's formal budgeting process will be granted any funds from the Special Allocations fund. Exceptions may be made for groups that received their ASUM recognition after formal budgeting.

(**Krause - Kuntz** called for a five-minute recess.)

Addition to Fiscal Policy passed.

#### **Committee Reports**

Danna Jackson reported that the SLA Committee posted signs on campus informing students about the tuition increase rally.

Student Union Board member Julie Kuntz encouraged Senator participation in the ACUI conference to be held this Thursday through Saturday at the University.

Julie Kuntz reported that the Rape and Sexual Assault Task Force is looking into grant funding for projects and may do a campus survey on student opinion and experiences.

**Old Business** - None

#### **New Business**

- a. Resolution on U of M Maximum Enrollment Survey - Tabled.

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- b. Resolution to Endorse Changes in University Zoning - Tabled.
- c. Resolution to Preserve Green Space on Campus - Tabled.
- d. Resolution on Tuition Increase Rally (Exhibit B). **Rosenthal - Jackson** moved to suspend the Bylaws to consider. Carried. **Tinsley - Jackson** moved to approve. Passed.
- e. Resolution to Have an Official ASUM Week - Tabled.

Wickstrom passed the gavel to Rosenthal.

- f. Honors College Letter. Wickstrom announced it would be ready for consideration at next week's meeting and encouraged the Senators to read excerpts regarding Honors College (Exhibit C) which she handed out.
- g. Resolution Supporting the Missoula Pesticides Right-to-know Ordinance (Exhibit D). **Bennett - Tinsley** moved to suspend the Bylaws to consider. Carried. **Kuntz - Krause** called previous question. Carried. Upon immediate vote, resolution passed.

Rosenthal returned gavel to Wickstrom.

- h. Health Care with Dignity Resolution - Bennett/Jackson. Motion to suspend Bylaws to consider resolution failed.

**Hollenbaugh - Tinsley** moved to suspend Bylaws to vote on injunction support. Failed.

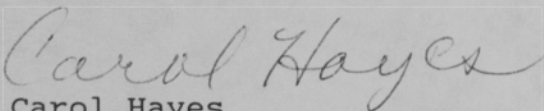
**Tinsley - Hollenbaugh** moved to hold a Special Session of ASUM Senate on Thursday evening. Motion failed.

**Rosenthal - Tinsley** moved to hold a Special Session of ASUM Senate on Monday evening. Motion failed.

#### Comments

Wickstrom adjourned the meeting at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Carol Hayes  
ASUM Office Manager

Date Submitted Oct. 22, 1981

ASUM REQUEST FOR SPECIAL ALLOCATION

NAME OF ORGANIZATION Chinese Student Association at UM

ORGANIZATION NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL AMOUNT REQUESTED \$ 42.00

BREAKDOWN OF REQUEST:

<u>Object Code</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
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PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCOUNT Xin Yu, Jin Guo

REASON FOR REQUEST We've just got two Chinese films which are new and popular in China. We want to present them to our students and they are also open to the whole campus. The schedule will be this weekend, 7:00 PM, Sunday, Oct 27, on the Underground Hall.

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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**BUDGET AND FINANCE**  
**APPROVED**

Budget and Finance Action:	_____	Amount Approved	Date: _____
	_____	Request Denied	Date: _____
Senate Action:	_____	Amount Approved	Date: _____
	_____	Request Denied	Date: _____

TUITION INCREASE OPPOSITION RALLY

WHEREAS, all proposed tuition increases will adversely affect the student population;

WHEREAS, decisions made at the Regents' meeting on October 31, 1991 will dictate these increases;

WHEREAS, students' opinions and concerns should be heard by the Regents and considered at the October 31st meeting,

WHEREAS, most students will not be able to attend the Regents' meeting in Bozeman;

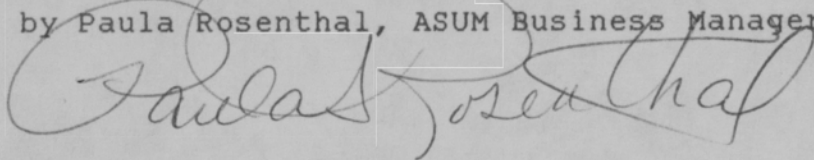
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED.....

That the ASUM Senate <sup>and student</sup> a "rally" to voice concerns about this issue. This will take place on the UM oval in front of main hall.

Media from around the state will be contacted to air this event on television and radio airways. Newspaper reporters will also cover this event.

Desired outcome of these actions will be to make students' voices heard by those who are vital in determining the outcome of the tuition increase debate.

Authored and Sponsored by Paula Rosenthal, ASUM Business Manager

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Paula Rosenthal", is written over a rectangular stamp area.

# Honors College kicks off 1st quarter

By Nicole Marlenee  
Kaimin Reporter

The UM Honors College is on its feet and looking for highly motivated and talented students who want to get the most out of their classes, the dean of the college said Wednesday.

Professor John Madden, who has directed the honors program for the past 10 years, said UM is an "incredibly good university with an excellent education to offer."

Incoming freshmen will be evaluated for motivation and talent and are expected to have a G.P.A. of 3.0 or higher. He added that those students must have been in the top 10 percent of their class.

But, Madden said, the college will be flexible in its requirements for accepting students. Nontraditional and transfer students must convince the college that they want to learn, but their high school records will not play a significant role, Madden said. Instead, what they have learned since high school in their life experiences will play a greater role.

Madden said honors classes will differ from traditional ones by limiting class sizes to 15 to 25 students and emphasizing direct contact between the student and professor. The format will be more of a seminar than a lecture class with an emphasis on oral and written skills, he said.

Professor David Emmons, who will be teaching the honors section of American History 152 this winter, said he will treat the smaller honors class differently than the larger, 500-student section offered to all students. Emmons said he will require students to meet with him once each week, do more reading and participate in class.

"I'm very excited for the Honors College and its magnificent start," Emmons said. He said it is important for the honors students to have a special sense of community and he hopes that many "good friendships" will be formed.

During the first year, Madden said, the main goal will be a revision of the curriculum for the Honors College. More courses will be made available, especially in the professional schools and in the science courses, he said.

Madden said he would like to offer more "capstone" classes--upper-division courses in one's major that would link and sum up what the student has learned and connect it with other areas of study.

Honors professors also want to establish some clustered courses in lower-division general education classes, he added. He said the same group of students would enroll for a cluster of three courses in different academic areas. This would enable those students to make connections from one class to the next.

One of the long-term goals, Madden said, is to ensure that the students grow as people and become contributing members of society.

Exhibit C  
Thurs. Sept 26, 1991  
Wed. Oct 21, 1991  
KAIMIN

## Honors College Retreat

*Saturday, October 5*

**Lubrecht Forest Conference Center**

• Meet Friends • Debates • Workshops • Activities  
• Barbeque • Dance

• Incoming freshmen in Honors College: PLEASE ATTEND!  
• Other new and transfer students: PLEASE ATTEND!  
• Returning Honor Students and Faculty: Cordially Invited

**FREE!**

**Meals and Transportation  
Provided**

**Dress Warmly for Cold Morning**

**New Honors College T-Shirts on sale at retreat!**

• Meet in front of Field House at 7:45 AM

Registration forms and directions available at Honors College Office,  
303 Main Hall • 243-2541

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING  
THE MISSOULA PESTICIDES RIGHT- TO- KNOW ORDINANCE**

WHEREAS, there is currently a great deal of concern nationwide about the effects of lawn care pesticides to the health of the environment, including the human species; and...

WHEREAS, we believe that citizens should have the right to know when and where pesticides have been sprayed in areas greater than 50 square feet so they can take reasonable precautions to minimize exposure to themselves, their children, and their pets; and...

WHEREAS, the Right-to-know ordinance provides an effective and inexpensive way to do this simply by requiring that homeowners post two warning signs for a day before and two days after the pesticides are used; and...

WHEREAS, the general election will take place on November 5, 1991...

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED ....

that the Associated Students of the University of Montana endorses the Missoula Pesticide Right-To-Know Ordinance, and strongly encourage Missoula's citizens (students and non-students) to vote for the ordinance on November 5.