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ASUM SENATE AGENDA
Mount Sentinel Room
January 24, 1990
6:00 p.m.

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of January 17, 1990 Minutes
4. President's Report
 - a. ASUM Senator Appointment
 - b. City Council Update
 - c. Programming - Rob Beckham
5. Vice President's Report
 - a. Committee Appointments
6. Business Manager's Report
 - c. Budget and Finance Report
7. Committee Reports
8. Public Comment Period
9. Old Business
 - a. ASUM Programming Resolution
 - b. Amendment to Article 7 of the ASUM Constitution
 - c. ASUM 2000 committee resolution
10. New Business
11. Comments
12. Adjournment

ASUM SENATE TALLY SHEET DATE

1/24/90

SENATE MEMBERS

ROLL
CALL

Concur

Behr, Rob

Berg, Tim

Bernardini, Tracie

Byars, Brandon

D'Angelo, Frank

Dahlberg, Tim

Fairbanks, Lisa

Gay, Carla

Henderson, Cory

Hummel, Eric

Lenhart, Kaia

Moran, Joe

Price, Pat

Sebald, Paige

Sliter, Paul

Smith, Brian

Solem, Ted

Warden, Christopher

Wilkinson, Nathan

Young, Steve

6.13

ASUM OFFICERS

Aylsworth, Aaron
President

Cate, Darren
Vice President

Pouncy, Calvin
Business Manager

FACULTY ADVISOR

Edgar, Pat

ASUM Senate Minutes
Mount Sentinel Room
January 24, 1990

Chairman Cate called the meeting to order at 6:07 p.m. Members present were Berg, Bernardini, Byars, D'Angelo, Dahlberg, Fairbanks, Gay, Henderson, Hummel, Lenhart, Price, Sebald Sliter, Solem (6:13), Warden, Wilkinson, Young, President Aylsworth, and Business Manager Pouncy.

Approval of Minutes

Sliter - Wilkinson moved to approve the minutes of January 17, 1990 as written. Upon vote, the motion passed.

President's Report

1. Byars - Hummel moved to suspend the By-laws. Upon vote, the motion to suspend passed. Aylsworth - Hummel moved to appoint Joe Moran to the ASUM Senate filling the vacancy left by John Pierce. Upon vote, the motion passed.
2. Aylsworth introduced Alice Hinshaw, the ASUM City Council representative. She stated that she is currently working on the housing situation for the Greek houses on campus. The home owners in the area believe that they can work with the houses and they are no as negative as they have been perceived to be. The homeowners are cautious and ready to talk. There is a meeting on February 6 with the homeowners. She stressed that ASUM must have good relations with the city council. Aylsworth stated that on Monday, January 29, 1990 Alice, Darcy Schacher, John Crocker, and himself will have lunch with Mayor Kemmis.
3. Aylsworth introduced Rob Beckham from ASUM Programming. Beckham discussed the funding ideas regarding the grid system for the Field House. He sated that he did not want to have the extra fee attached to the ASUM Activity Fee. He feels that we should form a committee to look into that further. With the grid system ASUM Programming will be able to use the Field House in a more diverse way. ASUM Programming is requesting a \$40,000.00 loan for 10 years that will hopefully not land Programming in debt. He wants to make enough money to pay the loan off before the ten years is up. Beckham responded to questions. Henderson - Sliter moved to suspend the By-laws to vote on the Programming resolution (Exhibit A). Upon vote, the motion to suspend passed. Bernardini proposed a friendly amendment which was accepted. Smith proposed a friendly amendment that was accepted. Sliter - Solem called previous question. Upon vote, previous question passed. Upon vote, the main motion passed as amended.
4. Aylsworth yielded the floor to Senator Warden. Warden is working with the Safety and Security Office on campus for a "Safety Summit". They will be meeting to discuss the lighting on campus as well as other safety times. They will meet Monday, January 29th at 8:00 a.m. and Tuesday, January 30th at 1:00 p.m.

5. Aylsworth stated that they are still working on Reorganization and they will start advertising for the Office Manager position soon.
6. Aylsworth stated that if any of the Senators have questions regarding Budgeting they should see one of the officers.
7. Aylsworth introduced Pat Edgar who announced his candidacy for the 1990-1991 Montana Legislature in District 60 as a Democrat.

Vice President's Report

1. Committee Reports - Sliter - Solem moved to appoint Rich Ellis, Dave Cook, Eric Hummel, and Tracie Bernardini to the ASUM Legal Services Committee. Upon vote, the motion passed.
D'Angelo - Gay moved to appoint Becky Yarborough to the Disabled Services Committee. Upon vote, the motion passed.
Sliter - Solem moved to appoint Joe Moran as the Chair of the Health Service Committee. Upon vote, the motion passed.
Hummel - Warden moved to appoint Nathan Wilkinson as an alternate to the Traffic Appeals Board. Upon vote, the motion passed.
Solem - Wilkinson moved to appoint Paul Sliter to the University Court. Upon vote, the motion passed.
Byars - Young moved to appoint Tim Berg to the Library and Archives committee. Upon vote, the motion passed.

Business Manager's Report

1. Pouncy announced that Budget and Finance will meet on Mondays at 3:00 p.m. He also read the proposed Funding Based Percentages for the funding categories.

Committee Reports

1. Wilkinson announced that he met with Sue Vining regarding selling meal passes. Also, at 3:00 January 25, 1990 he will meet with Ken Stolz regarding backing into parking spaces.
2. Bernardini announced that she will be forming a committee to look into putting peepholes in the doors of the dorm rooms.
3. Warden announced that the Student Union Board and the University Administration is conducting a survey on the services in the University Center and that report will be made available.
4. Gay announced that the Athletic Director Search will have two candidates here next week on Monday and Tuesday at 3:00 p.m. in the Field House room 231. She encouraged the Senators to speak with them.

Public Comment

1. Michael Hall - Exhibit B

Old Business

1. Amendment to the ASUM Constitution - **Sliter - Hummel** called previous question. Upon vote, previous question passed. Upon vote, the main motion failed (Exhibit C).
2. ASUM 2000 Committee resolution - **Young - Dahlberg** called previous question. Upon vote, previous question passed. Upon vote, the main motion passed (Exhibit D).

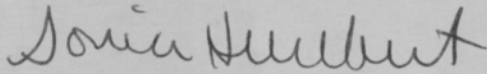
New Business

1. **Smith - Byars** resolution regarding legal services. **Smith - Gay** moved to suspend the By-laws. Upon vote, the motion to suspend failed.
2. **Warden - Wilkinson** moved to look into all university fees.
3. **Gay - Smith** moved to examine hate crimes on campus.

Adjournment

Moran - **Sliter** moved to adjourn at 7:26 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Sonia Hurlbut
ASUM Administrative Assistant



Associated Students
University of Montana

Exhibit A

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University Center
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ASUM Programming Proposal

That ASUM approves a long term loan to ASUM Programming to be used for a concert grid system.

The loan should be for ten (10) years with a payback of \$4,000.00 a year, unless ASUM Programming has an adequate reserve fund enabling Programming to pay back the loan sooner. If ASUM Programming is unable to establish an adequate reserve fund, the \$4,000.00 will be taken from the ASUM Programming budget annually. If the cost of the grid system is less than \$40,000.00, the excess will be returned to the ASUM General Fund. The monies for a grid will total \$40,000.00.

Sponsored by: Cory Henderson

passed 1/24/90

Aaron E. Aylsworth
Aaron E. Aylsworth, ASUM President

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Exhibit B

January 24, 1990

Lambda Alliance
P.O.Box 7611
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ASUM SENATE
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On Sunday, January 14, 1990, two students were brutally beaten because they were perceived to be gay. The attackers were college-age men; and it is possible that they attend the University of Montana.

The occurrence on January 14 is only the most recent of many such attacks, which usually go unreported. Many victims would rather forget the incident than suffer further humiliation. As an ASUM Student Organization, we feel compelled to speak out and take a stand against this cycle of violence.

We acknowledge that the student code of conduct, as well as this body, does not condone violence or the actions which took place on January 14; however, the need exists to recognize the assault and other such violent crimes for what they are. They are hate crimes and as such are abhorrent.

Our goal is to prevent further hate crimes. To do this, we find it necessary to educate and inform the public. Therefore, we ask the Associated Students of the University of Montana to take this opportunity to speak out against hate crimes by:

- 1) Adopting a resolution condemning all hate motivated crimes and specifically the assault of January 14, 1990.
- 2) Expanding the non-discrimination clause of the ASUM Bylaws to include sexual or affectional preferences.
- 3) Begin an education campaign which will combat hate crimes with information.

Ignorance is the parent of fear and fear is the parent of hatred. Through education, we may be able to remove the hate. We ask for your help and support in this effort.

Respectfully,
The Membership of the Lambda Alliance.

RESOLUTION TO AMEND ARTICLE SEVEN OF CONSTITUTION

Sponsored by: Brandon Byars and Carla Gay

- Whereas, ASUM is the official voice of the entire student population at the University of Montana; and
- Whereas, ASUM must represent all classifications of students in an equal manner; and
- Whereas, All students should be allowed to represent their particular interests at the highest level;
- Therefore be it resolved that Article Seven, section four, part (b) of the ASUM Constitution be amended to read as follows:

The Senate will be composed of the five students representing the dorms, five students representing the Greek system, five non-traditional students, and five "at large" students who receive the largest number of votes in the March elections. If there are less than five candidates running for the Senate from the dorms, the Greek system, or non-traditional groups, the remainder of vacant Senate seats will be filled by the "at large" pool.

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SAMPLE BALLOT

GREEK

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AT LARGE

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DORMS

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NON-TRADITIONAL

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Resolution before the University of Montana Student Senate

Sponsored by: Tracie Marie Bernardini

Whereas; ASUM understands the necessity of reforms being made in the higher education system of Montana; and,

Whereas; Governor Stan Stephens has asked for the creation of the Commission for Higher Education in the Nineties to critically analyze Montana's higher education system; and,

Whereas; ASUM cannot afford to ignore the ensuing critical analysis of Montana's higher education system.

Therefore, be it enacted: that a special committee, hereafter referred to as the "ASUM 2000" committee, be established to formulate an official position of aSUM on higher education reforms for the nineties.

1. The chairman of the committee shall be John Crocker, the Student Legislative Action Director.
2. The body of the committee shall be formed by three ASUM Senators.
3. The position of ASUM will be completed in the form of a written report to be distributed to each member of the Commission for Higher Education in the Nineties.

passed 1/24/90

Aaron E. Aylsworth
Aaron E. Aylsworth, ASUM President

SENATE:resol32
01/24/90