Cabinet Minutes

Monday, November 23rd, 2015

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| Attendees |

**Present: Absent:**

Harry Edwards - Chief of Staff

Houston Summers - President

Lee Beckman - Treasurer

Eric Lee - Student Engagement

Rachel Gogal - Vice President

Paige Waltz - Secretary

Diana Dayal - State & External

Andrew Brennen - Senior Advisor

Cecilia Polanco - Senior Advisor

Sowmya Mangipudi - Academic Affairs

Jared Picot - Environmental Affairs

Bradley Opere - MADO

Debanjali Kundu - Safety & Wellness

Kate Friedheim - Environmental Affairs

Spencer Goodson - SPO

Jessica Porter - RHA Liaison

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| Welcome  |

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| Old Business |

* **Chancellor’s Public Forum**
	+ productive meeting later for the latter half, good turn out
	+ lots of items that will be taking implementation in the future
* **Board of Trustees**
	+ graduate enrollment fee was focused on
	+ GPSF issues moving forward for cohesiveness for collaboration
* **Student Government**
	+ working on the t-shirts for both the general and for us
* **SAFO**
	+ taking a backseat for GPSF
	+ But there will be discussions in the future and reform but won’t be until 2017

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| New Business |

* **Academic Affairs**
	+ rained out so being rescheduled, probably early next semester
* **Feedback/ RSS Demands**
	+ many demands that can’t be met and the costs would be too much
	+ Student gov will make things known that parts of those demands have already been met or are illegal to implement
	+ CAPS doesn’t have an 8 meeting limit and there are policies for those that need long term attention
	+ need to focus on what Student government can do to help BSM and NPHC and find solutions to make change
	+ start putting what Student Government is focusing on for the RSS DEMANDS in Houston’s Highlights
* **Graduate and Professional Students**
	+ Student Congress and GPSF have been having some struggles
	+ GPSF want to split from Student Government and have their own student government
	+ working on the representation through the students and faculty
* **Uber**
	+ meeting with student legal services on Wednesday and will meet with Uber, and have them work out the details
	+ will then approach media source to publicize the service
* **GBM MEETING**
	+ discussing how to go about the meeting
	+ expectation for all members to be there
* **Environmental Affairs**
	+ planted new plants in front of lenoir
	+ worked with edible campus and the Chancellor fellows
* **Finance**
	+ moving along on the textbook initiative and meeting with many professors
	+ meet with Eliza and faculty counsel
	+ met with most of the committees and will have to focus on getting a budget together
* **Committee Applications in Spring**
	+ definitely will be a possibility but will look at the student life
	+ would look into getting the app out in the beginning of the next semester

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| Action Items |

* **Project Management**
	+ look at the document and make sure that all the projects are listed on there
	+ Fill out deadlines and October status, or make sure that existing data is correct
	+ December report- give a summary
* **Administrative report**
* **Set up meeting with Ally to talk about Committee’s budget for the Spring semester**

**ATTACHMENTS**