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**