

ASA Minutes 10-30-06

Attendance: Mike Shaw, Mike DeGraw, Dennis, Lauren, Alex, Aaron, Jen, Tim Lau, OBrad

Guests: President of GSC- Erick and VP of UA- Ruth

GSC perspective on ASA bylaws:

The authority to remove people from the ASA. Neither the GSC or UA can order the ASA to do anything. In theory, they could deny us money.

There's a feeling of more integration with the GSC than the UA. There seems to be a lack of communication with the UA.

The ASA feels that pressure should not just be in the form of money transfers.

In the UA, sometimes we're identified as a committee and in other cases we're not.

How can we be better integrated with the UA. The ASA is not on the UA bulletin board but on the GSC bulletin board.

What do we want out of the UA?

We found out by accident about the student groups' activities during the summer- block party of T party.

Anything involving student groups in a significant capacity would be a nice thing to bring up before the ASA.

Better communication would be liked or appreciated..

What physical resources do we have a right to from the UA.?

Why don't we have staff? Again, brought up.

We can make requests to Ruth, who is the UA office manager for certain tasks.

The UA can possibly help us with their office staff.

Questions for us: What do we do?

We mostly allocate resources. We can mediate between groups, but it's not too often. We offer things such as the midway and bulletin board space.

It might not be the worst idea for us to meet up more often.

It might be good to have a GSC or UA officer at one of our meetings? Hmmmm... maybe not so much.

BUT, we've got to have more communication.

Erick and Ruth depart.

We'll vote on bulletin board schedule next week. The issue is that we don't do allocation according to the guidelines. We're going to make it reflect what we actually do. We'll look at the legislation next week.

GBM Agenda

LEF/Funding issues from James

Show them how to enter stuff in the database.

Make them aware of our arbitration and that they can appeal our decisions.

Maybe bring up student life fee. Maybe have it a motion.

Potential questions: What do you think

Alex to make a slide and propose a motion.

Open Floor

Not really a huge need for a paper handout agenda.

Meetings

Phil Walsh has offered to meet with us again. Let's maybe have 2 or 3 people meet with him.

Who at CAC is coordinating the network drop installations?

Office hours: As per agenda.

Next office hours at 8:00 PM on Tuesday.

Open Floor:

Property tags. Property should still be there unless it has been stolen. Might also be useful for Finboard inventory. Maybe, not a good idea to ask for groups' inventories of property.