

# 1. CALL TO ORDER

Call to Order - 10:31 AM

## 2. TERRITORIALACKNOWLEDGMENT

We acknowledge that this meeting is being conducted on the unceded territories of the Coast Salish peoples; which, to the current knowledge of the Society include the Squamish, Musqueam, Stó:lo, and Tsleil-Waututh people.

# 3. ROLL CALL OF ATTENDANCE

3.1 Board Composition	
President (Chair)	Hangue Kim
VP External Relations	Prab Bassi
VP Finance	Baljinder Bains
VP Student Services	Jimmy Dhesa
VP Student Life	Alam Khehra
VP University Relations	Erwin Kwok
At-Large Representative	Raajan Garcha
At-Large Representative	Jaskarn Randhawa
Faculty Representative (Applied Sciences)	Jeffrey Leung
Faculty Representative (Arts & Social Sciences)	Jackson Freedman
Faculty Representative (Business)	
Faculty Representative (Communications, Art, & Technology)	Juvina Silvestre
Faculty Representative (Education)	Jamie Zhu
Faculty Representative (Environment)	
Faculty Representative (Health Sciences)	Aarushi Sharma
Faculty Representative (Science)	Parham Elmi
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3.2 Society Staff Chief Executive Officer	Mortin Wyont
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Campaign, Research, and Policy Coordinator	
Administrative Assistant	Zoya Nari
3.3 Regrets	
Faculty Representative (Environment)	Yun Oh
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3.4 Guests	
Student	Kiarash Mirsalehi

# 4. RATIFICATION OF REGRETS

## 4.1 MOTION BOD 2017-08-21:01

Erwin/Raajan

Be it resolved to approve Yun Oh's regrets from Monday, July 24th, 2017.

**CARRIED** 



#### MOTION BOD 2017-08-21:02

#### Baljinder/Raajan

Be it resolved to ratify regrets from Yun Oh.

**CARRIED** 

## 5. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

#### 5.1 MOTION BOD 2017-08-21:03

#### Juvina/Jamie

Be it resolved to adopt the agenda as amended.

• To amend the motion in 7.1: change September 6<sup>th</sup> to September 5-8<sup>th</sup>

#### **CARRIED AS AMENDED**

## 6. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

#### 6.1 MOTION BOD 2017-08-21:04

#### Baljinder/Jeffrey

Be it resolved to receive and file the following minutes:

- BOD 2017-08-14
- Finance Committee 2017-07-21.pdf

#### **CARRIED**

## 7. NEW BUSINESS

# 7.1 Surrey Campus Committee Week of Welcome – MOTION BOD 2017-08-21:05 Alam/Raajan

Be it resolved to approve up to \$1232.50 for the Surrey Week of Welcome event on September 5<sup>th</sup>-8th. 2017

#### **CARRIED**

- See attached documents for further information
- Proposal: to have cultural and carnival snacks instead of the barbeque that SFU will be doing

# 7.2 Freebie Fridays – MOTION BOD 2017-08-21:06 Baljinder/Jamie

Be it resolved to approve up to \$2400 from the membership engagement line item (741/20) for Freebie Fridays.

#### **CARRIED**

- Suggestion: to have bi-weekly meeting times for members to suggest agenda items and to possibly implement Freebie Fridays at the other campuses
- It is noted that the starbursts that was given out during exams were a success

## 8. DISCUSSION ITEMS

<sup>\*</sup>Prab Bassi arrived at 10:40 AM\*



#### 8.1 Annual General Meeting

- AGM to tentatively occur on September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 2 PM
- Suggestion: to increase member attendance, the AGM to portray the four pillars, and to possibly invite speakers that can align with the AGM's theme
- Note: inviting specific politicians may rise some conflict of interest
- Action item for Board members: to send their suggestions of possibly themes

#### 8.2 Ancillary Group Benefits

- To make sure that the external groups pay their share of benefits
- No agreements or cost recoveries were implemented in the prior years
  - o Hence the discussion to draft one
  - o Currently 3 out of the 5 ancillary groups have confirmed their agreement

## 9. IN-CAMERA

MOTION BOD 2017-08-21:07

Alam/Jeffrey

Be it resolved to go in-camera for discussion for the remainder of the meeting.

**CARRIED** 

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## 10. EX-CAMERA

MOTION BOD 2017-08-21:08

Alam/Jeffrey

Be it resolved to go ex-camera.

CARRIED

## 11. ATTACHMENTS

• Weekly engagement proposal.pdf

# 12. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION BOD 2017-08-21:09

Jeffrey/Juvina

Be it resolved to adjourn the meeting at 11:40 AM.

**CARRIED** 



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**Project lead:** Parham Elmi (Science Representative)

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#### Timeline:

- Purchase goods
  - Include what goods
    - Budget: based on our trial run, it will cost approximately \$75 per week on average, leading to an annual cost of \$2400.
      - Subject to change based on interest
- Scheduling time-line (I understand that there are pro-d days and exams in between, but this is just for scheduling, if the board sees no purpose the current week, we will skip it.)
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