

1. CALL TO ORDER

Call to Order - 10:33 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	Committee	Comp	osition
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VP Finance (Chair)	Baljinder Bains
VP University Relations	
Ex-Officio	Hangue Kim
At-Large Representative	Jaskarn Randhawa
Board of Directors Representative	Gini Kuo
Board of Directors Representative	

3.2 Society Staff

Chief Executive Officer	. Martin Wyant
Finance Coordinator	. Kurt Belliveau
Administrative Assistant	Zoya Nari

3.3 Regrets

Board of Directors Representative	. Gini	Kuo
Board of Directors Representative	. Yun	Oh

4. RATIFICATION OF REGRETS

4.1 MOTION FAC 2018-02-19:01

Jaskarn/Erwin

Be it resolved to ratify regrets from Yun Oh (academic) and Gini Kuo (illness).

CARRIED

5. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

5.1 MOTION FAC 2018-03-19:02

Erwin/Jaskarn

Be it resolved to adopt the agenda as presented.

CARRIED

6. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

6.1 MOTION FAC 2018-03-19:03

Erwin/Jaskarn

Be it resolved to receive and file the following minutes:

• Finance Committee 2018-03-05

CARRIED



7. NEW BUSINESS

7.1 Training Program – MOTION FAC 2018-03-19:04 Erwin/Jaskarn

Whereas the Finance and Audit Committee is required to make complex decisions in regards to the society's finances;

Whereas the average student does not possess the type of expertise required to make these decisions;

Be it resolved to task staff to recommend a training program (external group) for the incoming Finance and Audit Committee.

Be it further resolved to bring the recommendation to the committee within the next two weeks.

WITHDRAWN

- An external group to train the Finance & Audit Committee all the aspects of finance; such as internal monitoring, statements, etc.
- Committee members are not required to know more than the basics to be on the committee since the Finance Coordinators relay related information
 - o Reviewing monthly statements, budgets, and all related information
- Suggestion:
 - Training to be dispersed throughout the term as an ongoing learning process
 - Committee to conduct further research on the possible training options from external groups before making a final decision

7.2 Budget Reallocation – MOTION FAC 2018-03-19:05 Jaskarn/Erwin

Be it resolved that the Finance and Audit Committee approve the reallocation of \$7,000 from line item 5000/C, Departmental SU Core, to line item 5000/G, Student Union Grant.

CARRIED

7.3 Budget Reallocation – MOTION FAC 2018-03-19:06 Jaskarn/Erwin

Be it resolved that the Finance and Audit Committee approve the reallocation of \$1,152.92 from line item 700/46, Advertising/Promotions, to line item 911/46, Assistant Wages.

CARRIED

- Communication Assistant to work on projects for the Student Union Building
 - o Consists of promotional items as part of the transition

8. DISCUSSION ITEMS

8.1 Capitalization Policy

- Insurance application is required for the upcoming year, which will be based on the estimated amounts
 - Capitalization policy will be brought back to the committee at a later date, with a complete draft by the end of the week

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- Currently working on the monitoring report and amortization policy
- Document to be sent to Board members for review before the next Board meeting

8.2 Board & Operating Budget

Draft will be complete by the end of the week

8.3 Financial Information Transparency

- Multiple students have requested the past 10 years of financial statements to be made available for members
- Concerns:
 - o May make the SFSS website too crowded and limit storage
- Suggestions:
 - To set a cap on how many years be made available, anything more than that can be provided through requests

9. ATTACHMENTS

- SFSS Budget Reallocation Dept 12 03-14-2018 (1).pdf
- 2018-03-15 Budget Reallocation Form

10. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION FAC 2018-03-19:07

Jaskarn/Erwin

Be it resolved to adjourn the meeting at 11:19 AM.

CARRIED



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Operating Budget Amendment Form Budget Reallocation

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Budget Amendment Initiator/Dept.:				
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