



RHA

The Voice of the Residents

RHA General Council Meeting

January 31st, 2024 7:00 pm- LLC Performance Hall

Introduction

- 1) The meeting of the University of Oregon General Council will now come to order as of 7:01 p.m. (2 taps)

Roll Call

The Assistant Director of Administration and Finance (ADAF) will now call the roll.

- a. Call each hall and have the two reps raise their hand, say “here”, name/pronouns/position
- b. After going through each hall, ADAF will declare whether or not we have met quorum

We have met quorumn 16/18.

As the Meeting Minutes were distributed from the last General Council meeting to the Microsoft Teams chat, are there any corrections to the minutes? (If there are no corrections, say a, if there are corrections to be made, say b)

- a) If there are no corrections, the minutes are approved as distributed
- b) If there is no objection, the ADAF will make the correction(s) [the correction proposed]. If there are no further corrections, the minutes are approved as corrected

Executive Member Reports

- a) Director: The first food forum was today. Was not able to go, so hopefully will hear how it went soon. Have been going to petitions committee and that has been going great. Also have been finalizing elections. Starting to work on transition retreat, including have a house booked! Also wrote a bid for Eric for RBC. Also working on the hall council banquet.
- b) National Communications Coordinator: Working on RBC.

- c) Assistant Director of Administration and Finance: Keeping track of the last budget items for Leadership retreat and the last budget items for Karaoke. Also had a meeting with Lynn and decided the route to go down with their next budget/legislation proposal.
- d) Assistant Director of Leadership: Retreat is this weekend. Trying to figure out an in-service before the end of the term.
- e) Assistant Director of Programming: Full planning of Dux n Tux. Winter term events are almost all done planning wise. Working on getting a band for Dux n Tux. This Monday will be going to Fred Myers to buy more things for Karaoke.
- f) Assistant Director of Public Relations: Making a lot of posters. Ordered the Valentines Day Poster. Making the Laser Tag & Pastry posters. Had some difficulties with the videos on the website. Posting every Monday about the info sessions.
- g) NRHH Representative:
- h) Advisor: Teaguen and Lynn are working on the financial pieces of the policy book. All the election legislation got amended, and we now have an updated version of the policy book. Amiya and Lynn worked on the item-check out form for RHA which is now live as well.

Hall Council Reports

- a) Global Scholars Hall: Just did a mocktails event and it went well. Planning a karaoke event that will be in a few weeks.
- b) Justice Bean Hall: Working on Valentine's day goodie bags. Just approved a chili and cinnamon roll night.
- c) Unthank Hall: Had to postpone dinosaur drawing event, but hopefully this will be next week in the Unthank common room at 5pm. There will be a dino drawing contest and you will be entered into a raffle to win a plushie.
- d) Hamilton Hall: Holding a karaoke night, right now! Looking at potential service events and looking into putting on a talent show.
- e) New Residence Hall (B): Just finished up the clothing swap and donation drive. Donated 67 pieces of clothing. Working on a Shirly Temple and self care night.
- f) New Apartment Style (C): Just confirmed budget for Minecraft decoration night and will be getting materials soon. Also working on planning an educational event.
- g) Living Learning Center: Had a bracelet making social event. There were 30-40 people. Currently planning an educational event with therapy dogs and the counseling center. Will be around week 6. Also planning a canned food drive, which would potentially be the same week. If anyone would like to collab, that would be awesome.
- h) Carson/Earl Hall: Just planned Superbowl party. There will be pizza!
- i) Barnhart/Riley Hall: Just finalized Valentine's event and brainstormed potential events.

Old Business

Undergraduate Symposium Line Item

- I. Reading of the Legislation
- II. Presentation- 5 minutes- **Speaker: Teaguen**
- III. Q&A- 5 minutes:
 - a. Unthank: who qualifies?
 - i. **Any student who is currently living in the residence halls**
 - b. Building B: what is the award about? Never heard of it
 - i. **Undergraduate research symposium promotes research amongst undergrads. In 2017 or 2018 RHA decided to sponsor 2 \$500 scholarships. It's a "people's choice award" for the research. Could be a presentation, poster session, mixed media, etc. Anything is eligible. Currently working on a rubric and reviewers.**
 - c. **LLC Motions to end Q&A. Unthank seconds.**
- IV. Discussion-5 minutes:
 - a. C: this will greatly benefit our residents
 - b. Unthank: agreed. This will benefit residents
 - c. Carson/earl: agreed. It will promote research

If there are no more questions, is there a motion to end discussion?

GSH motions to end discussion. C seconds.

- V. Vote: With a vote of 17 (Aye)-0 (Nay)-0(Abstain),(1 tap) legislation slate passes/fails

New Business

GSH Hall Council Funding Request

"GSH is hosting a stay safe mixer for national cocktail week. This will be held the 20th in the GSH kitchen in conjunction with UOPD to discuss safe drinking and signs of alcohol poisoning. The RHA funding will be used to purchase mixing supplies - 2 sets which include, 2 jiggers, 2 mixing glasses, 2 mixing spoons, 2 strainers. These will be returned to RHA and not to GSH for other hall councils to use. This will benefit the prevention and education events for future hall councils."

Reading of the Funding Slate

- I. Presentation- 5 minutes- **Speaker: Ella Kuhn**
- II. Q&A- 5 minutes:
 - a. LLC: How much did GSH spend on the materials?
 - i. **Unknown.**
 - b. Carson/Earl: Are there any events that you were wanting to use these for or did you just want to have them?
 - i. **The event already happened, so this would be a reimbursement from the capital account. Could be used for a variety of mocktail/drink based events.**

If there are no more questions, is there a motion to end Q&A?

Unthank motions to end Q&A. Building C seconds.

III. Discussion-5 minutes:

- a. Building B: Thinks this is a fair thing to do and a good idea.
- b. LLC: Agrees with Building B.
- c. **Barnhart/Riley: Thinks we should reimburse the amount that it cost them.**
- d. **Caarson/Earl: Agrees with Barnhart.**
- e. **Unthank: Thinks this will benefit everyone in RHA.**

If there are no more questions, is there a motion to end Discussion?

Building B motions to end discussion. Unthank seconds.

Unthank motions to move forward with \$100. Hamilton seconds that motion.

Barnhart/Riley motions to reimburse the full amount.

Building B: motions to reimburse them for the exact amount. Hamilton seconds.

IV. Vote: With a vote of 15 (Aye)-0 (Nay)-1(Abstain),(1 tap) funding slate passes/fails
Funding slate passes.

Upcoming Events

RHA Executive Elections Season is Here!

- Bid Intents are now open until February 9th at midnight!
- “How to Write a Bid Info Session”
- Assistant Director of Leadership (ADL) Info Session”
- Assistant Director of Administration and Finance (ADAF) Info Session”

If you continue to have issues viewing the info sessions, please reach out to rhaelections@uoregon.edu!

We now have an RHA item-check-out form. This is for if there is anything you would like to use for one of your events. Please fill it out at least a week before your event. It will only be used by hall council executive members or advisors. A general member cannot fill this out. Also, filling out this form does not guarantee you can use it.

Leadership Opportunity of the Week

There is a “stress-less Monday” where you hike to Spencer’s Butte on Monday February 12th from 3pm to 6pm. Reach out if you would like the QR code to join.

Are there any other announcements to come before the chapter?

The next meeting will be Wednesday, February 7th at 7:00 pm in the LLC Performance Hall

Is there any further business to come before the chapter?

- a. If not, I need a motion for the meeting to adjourn
 - I. Do I have a motion? Carson/Earl
 - II. Do I have a second? Building C
 - III. Is there any discussion?

- a. If not, we will move into a period of voting
- IV. All in favor, raise your hand and say “Aye” 17
- V. All opposed, raise your hand and say “Nay” 0
- VI. Motion carries, Meeting adjourned as of 7:35 pm (1 tap)

Adjournment