



**73rd Student Senate
Programming Allocation Committee
November 8th, 2021**

Call to Order: 6:07 P.M.

Members Present: Tyler Roy, Jack Rowan, Sai Devulapalli, Omer Turkomer

Members Tardy:

Members Absent: Aaron Simonson (not excused)

Guests:

Announcements:

- Chair – Tyler Roy
- Vice Chair – Omer Turkomer
- Members – Jack Rowan, Sai Devulapalli, Aaron Simonson

Committee Business:

● **Poetry Club:**

○ **Preliminary Questions:**

- Asking for: 50 T-shirts
- Date Request Submitted: November 2nd
- Date of Event: N/A
- Number of Active Members: 40
- Number expected to come: N/A
- Fundraised: N/A

○ **Notes of the Event/Item:**

- The RSO was requesting funding for T-shirts. The RSO mentioned that the t-shirts will help their club advertise itself as well as create a sense of community for the current members within the club.
- Member Rowan inquired about the quantity of quotes for the t-shirts, as well as the size requirements for the t-shirts.
- Member Rowan suggested that the committee table the organization and hear their request two weeks later which would give the RSO enough time to gather the required quantity of quotes.
- Chair Roy addressed issues regarding the cost per shirt and informed the RSO that PAC can only fund up to \$8 per shirt.

- Chair Roy suggested that the RSO request a higher quantity of shirts since the RSO would have to also distribute the shirts to the student body.
- Due to concerns regarding quantity of quotes, size of shirts, cost of shirts and quantity of shirts ordered, the committee decided it would be best to table the RSO, the representative from the RSO also notified the committee that tabling would not be an issue.
- Motion to table RSO by Member Rowan, seconded by Vice Chair Turkomer

- **Black Law Students Association:**

- **Preliminary Questions:**
 - Asking for: \$800 in the category of expenses
 - Date Request Submitted: November 4th
 - Date of Event: N/A
 - Number of Active Members: 35
 - Number expected to come: 100
 - Fundraised: \$120
- **Notes of the Event/Item:**
 - The RSO is asking for funding in order to purchase T-shirts for their members, they mentioned that this would allow them to promote their organization on campus and reward members and non-members alike for attending their events and participating.
 - Member Sai inquired about the t-shirt design, the RSO mentioned that they had already told the t-shirt vendors.
 - Member Rowan inquired about the quantity of shirts listed in in the quotes.
 - Chair Roy notified the RSO that adding a multitude of colors significant increases the cost of the shirts, and that the RSO would have to cover any additional cost per shirt that is above \$8.
 - Due to concerns regarding the vendors and cost per shirt the committee considered it best to table to RSO in order to give the organization enough time to edit their request. The RSO notified the committee that the tabling would not cause a significant issue for them.
 - Motion to table organization by member Rowan, seconded by Vice Chair Turkomer

- **Sisters to Service:**

- **Preliminary Questions:**
 - Asking for: 220 T-shirts
 - Date Request Submitted: October 11th
 - Date of Event: N/A
 - Number of Active Members: 25
 - Number expected to come: N/A
 - Fundraised: \$700
- **Notes of the Event/Item:**

- The RSO is requesting funding for t-shirts in order to advertise their RSO and in order to provide their members and mentees with t-shirts.
- Vice Chair Turkomer inquired about the different quantities of shirts within each quote.
- Member Rowan notified the RSO that the committee can only fund t-shirts through approved vendors.
- Due to concerns regarding vendors, the committee decided that it would be best to table to RSO in order to give the organization enough time to mend issues with their request.
- Motion to table RSO by Vice Chair Turkomer, seconded by Member Devulapalli.

- **Dental Brigades:**

- **Preliminary Questions:**
 - Asking for: \$3.86
 - Date Request Submitted: October 25th
 - Date of Event: N/A
 - Number of Active Members: 8
 - Number expected to come: N/A
 - Fundraised: N/A
- **Notes of the Event/Item:**
 - The RSO is requesting funding for a ream of printer paper (500 pages) in order to advertise their club and events for the Spring semester.
 - Chair Roy inquired about where and how the printed flyers will be distributed.
 - Chair Roy further inquired whether the organization reached out to Dunder Mifflin for their competitive quotes on paper reams. They did not.
 - Member Rowan discussed whether to call a vote of no confidence on Chair Roy for his incredible sense of humor.
 - Motion to fund \$4 in the category of expenses by Member Rowan, seconded by Vice Chair Turkomer.

- **Investanole:**

- **Preliminary Questions:**
 - Asking for: 21 T-shirts
 - Date Request Submitted: November 1st
 - Date of Event: N/A
 - Number of Active Members: 21
 - Number expected to come: N/A
 - Fundraised: \$600
- **Notes of the Event/Item:**
 - The RSO is requesting funding in order to purchase T-shirts. They mentioned that they had not had shirts since 2019 and that the t-shirts would allow them to grow their organization.
 - Chair Roy addressed concerns regarding quantity of shirts ordered, cost per shirt, as well as lack of vendors.

- Member Rowan mentioned the size requirements for shirts.
- Due to the aforementioned concerns, the committee considered it best to table the RSO in order to give them enough time to fix the issues with their proposal.
- Motion to table organization by Vice Chair Turkomer, seconded by member Rowan.

Current funding amount: \$41,287

Unfinished Business: N/A

Final Budget: \$41,283

Final Announcements:

Chair Roy: We will not be meeting next Monday because it's the transition between the 73rd and 74th Senate. Also, I will look into changing our website to better explain and emphasize that only three vendors can be used for T-shirts, that we can only fund up to \$8 per shirt, and more shirts should be requested than the number of members of one's organization so excess T-shirts can be distributed to the student body.

Date and Time of Next Meeting: Monday, November 22nd, at 6:00 P.M.

Adjourned: 8:00 P.M