Student Life and Development Committee
Minutes of the Meeting
February 20, 2003
Lanier Suite
12:15pm

Members present: Marian Meyers Marolyn Wells
Kyle Bruner (for Shelia Bradley) Debra Snell
Jim Boles Jeannie Barrett
Doug Barthlow Kim Smith
Sarah Jarrett Andrea Trinklein
Ralph LaRossa Justina Emmanuel
Christine Bohuczky

Guests: Wayne Reed (VP, Auxiliary Services)
Keith Traywick (Interim Associate VP, Auxiliary Services)

Members not present: Ki Song Fernando Reati
Heather Housley Guantao Chen
Kathleen Pittman Rebecca Stout

Call to order:
Meeting was called to order by committee co-chair, Christine Bohuczky. Chair, Dr. Stout was at a conference this week.

Approve Minutes:
Dr. Barthlow motioned to approve last meetings minutes, Dr. Snell seconded, January minutes approved unanimously.

Auxiliary Services Presentation:
Wayne Reed and Keith Traywick were present at the meeting to talk with the SLDC regarding parking and transportation at GSU. Wayne told the SLDC that the Parking/Transportation Committee (PTC) is on hold until they fill the position of the Assistant VP of Auxiliary services, however, he explained the charge of the committee. The PTC serves as an advisory committee to the University Administration responsible for short/long term parking policies. The committee does not make plans or set policies, just advises administration. The members of the committee make up a broad representation of university people. The committee will be able to help the parking and transportation system be more effective. The committee will also have a subcommittee to serve as a citation board for faculty/staff appeals; there is a separate student appeals subcommittee already in place. The intended make-up of the committee is as follows:

Asst VP, Aux Serv.
Administrative Specialist, Managerial
Univ Police
Asst Director, Aux Serv.
Parking Operations Mgr
Dean of Students
They are now in the process of reinstating the committee and setting dates for the meetings. The committee will meet twice per semester. The only change in the committee members is the significant increase in student participation.

Question from Kyle Bruner – “How was the make up of the committee determined”?
Wayne responded – “The present composure was based on the previous set up, and they added more students to strengthen the student voice”.

Student Organization Charters:
Leslie Wilson presented the list of groups that were approved by the subcommittee, Dr. Snell motioned to approve the subcommittee’s work, Kim Smith seconded, the committee voted unanimously to approve all but the incomplete charters.

Student Code of Conduct:
Kimberly Smith presented an amendment to the term limits (14.4) in the student code of conduct. The committee read over Kim’s amended code.

Discussion: Jeannie Barrett presented a friendly amendment that in Kim’s revision the statement, “no extenuating circumstances set forth below” does not list any of the circumstances in the amendment, she suggested that it be added. Jeannie also suggested that the grammar is changed in the paragraph (to take away unnecessary hyphens in words). The committee asked if there was a downside to the change in this code, Kim stated that the change would only affect SGA because the process of instating positions in SGA is by student body vote, versus an application process used by other groups. Dr. Snell asked how frequently does it happen that there are no eligible candidates to run for SGA office, Kim responded that is has never happened. Kim also stated that 3000 students voted in last year’s campaign, and usually about 4-5 students run for positions, and that the stipend is $425 per month. Kim Smith accepted the friendly amendments suggested by Jeannie Barrett. Jeannie suggested that she and Kim get together to change the wording and represent to the committee. Dr. Snell motioned to table the amendment until the new draft is presented, Jim Boles seconded the motion, the committee unanimously agreed to table the amendment until the next meeting.

Meeting Adjourned at 1:00pm.
Next Meeting March 20th

Leslie Wilson, Recorder