

COGS Full Council Meeting
February 16, 2022
Chittenden 110 and Zoom
6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Attendees: ART, ENT, KIN, EC, FOR, SW, ANP, CEM, GEO, MANRRS, RW, CMSE, ISA, HRT, ANS, PSMS, GLG, OM, NEU, CJ, BIPOC CVM, THR, SOC, HDFL, HRLR, NUR, MBA, MTH, HM, ENG, FSHN, GEN, CEE, CMB, PRIME, COMM, STT, CSUS, FW, PDC, LIN, TE, MMG

Non-voting attendees: Deanne Arking, Aaron Reifler, Carl Grondin, Dr. Allyn Shaw, Dr. Laura McCabe, PRES, VPIA, VPEA, SEC, TRES, LAWLI, MEDLI, PARL, EVENT

Start at 6:34

1. Approval of the agenda
 - a. Motion was made to approve the agenda by Rep. Roberts and seconded by Rep Jefferey.
 - b. Motion passed with 34 in favor, 0 opposed, and 1 abstentions.

2. Consent agenda
 - a. Approval of December meeting minutes
 - b. 22-SS-25: Professional Development Awards
 - c. 22-SS-26: Conference Awards
 - d. 22-SS-27: GSO Event Funding
 - e. 22-SS-28: Technology Awards
 - f. 21-SS-29: Committee Placements
 - i. Motion was made to approve the minutes by Rep. Roberts and seconded by Rep Frans.
 - ii. Motion passed with 34 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstentions.

3. Welcome new representatives
4. Remarks from the Graduate School
5. Remarks from Student Affairs and Services
6. Remarks from COGS Advisor

7. New Business
 - a. Constitutional Amendment
 - i. Motion was made to beginning discussion on the amendment by Rep. Frans
 - ii. Seconded by Rep. Jeffery, Rep. Zahorec, Rep. Kruger, Rep. Barbosa, Rep. Harris, Rep. Kloboves, Rep. Groeller, Rep. Roberts, Rep Wilcox, Rep Pittenger, Rep Marshall, Rep. Siddanth



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- b. 22-SS-30: UACOR Funding
 - i. Motion was made to support the UACOR Events was made by Rep. Roberts and seconded by Rep. Siddanth.
 - ii. Motion passed with 28 in favor, 1 opposed, and 5 abstentions
 - c. 22-SS-31: HIVES Funding
 - i. Motion was made to sponsor the Spring 2022 HIVES Programming was made by Rep. Roberts and seconded by Rep. Gallina.
 - ii. Motion passed with 32 in favor, 0 opposed, and 4 abstentions
 - d. 22-SS-32: COGS Tax Renewal
 - i. Motion was made to renew COGS taxes was made by Rep. Roberts and seconded by Rep. Siddanth.
 - ii. Motion passed with 31 in favor, 0 opposed, and 4 abstentions
 - e. 22-SS-33: COMS and OGA Tax Renewal
 - i. Motion was made to allow COMS and OGA referendum for tax collection was made by Rep. Roberts and seconded by Rep. Frans.
 - ii. Motion passed with 31 in favor, 0 opposed, and 4 abstentions
 - f. 22-SS-34: 3 Minute Thesis Funding
 - i. Motion was made to support registration of the 3-Minute thesis was made by Rep. Roberts and seconded by Rep. Siddanth.
 - ii. Motion passed with 23 in favor, 0 opposed, and 3 abstentions
 - g. 22-SS-35: Tax Webinar Funding
 - i. Motion was made to support a Graduate and Professional Tax Return Webinar was made by Rep. Gallina and seconded by Rep. Suarez.
 - ii. Motion passed with 33 in favor, 0 opposed, and 3 abstentions
 - h. COVID Discussion
8. Executive reports
 - a. Treasury Update
 9. Committee reports
 10. Representative's Privilege
 11. Upcoming Events
 - a. 2/17 (every Thursday) Zoom Yoga 5:30 pm
 - b. 2/19, Graduate Academic Conference, 9 am – 5 pm, MSU Union
 - c. 2/27, Women's Basketball Game, Sunday, TBA
 - d. 2/28, Coffee and Connection, Zoom, Monday 4 pm
 - e. 3/14, Coffee and Connection, Wells Hall, Monday, 4 pm
 12. Adjourn
 - a. Motion was made to adjourn by Rep. Roberts and seconded by Rep. Fran.
 - b. Motion passed unanimously.

End at 7:51



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