ASMSU Senate Meeting Minutes for October 6th, 2011

Meeting called to order at 6:03pm

Roll Call:

Review Previous Meeting’s Minutes:

Roden- move to approve Sept. 29th minutes
Seconded by Haskell
9/0/0

New Business:

Roden- This past Monday, Senator Rogala and I met with Stephanie Hanson the marketing manager with Student Services. Using the mug and how it would help the Streamline. Any reusable mug or cup will give you 20% off your drink anywhere on campus starting this spring. Also, they are changing to paper cups instead of Styrofoam.

SWEAR IN NEW SENATORS (By President Blake Bjornson)

ELECT NEW SENATE PRESIDENT

Chad Dawson- I’ll take any nominations at this time.

Rogala- Sen. French
Floerchinger- Sen. Haskell
Lake- Sen. Lawson
Kruger- Sen. Abeh

Chad Dawson- if there are no more nominations we will ask you to step out. Now, we will compose five questions to ask these nominees.

Mains-How are you involved on MSU campus besides the senate?
Floerchinger- How do you think you would be able to act as a role model and provide assistance to senators?
Krueger- What would you like to incorporate into this position to make the senate more productive?
Rogala- what is your level of expertise with parliamentary procedure?

Steffens- How many hours a week do you have for this position?

Bernard- what is your past experience in managerial duties?

Charles French- I have been a senator for the past six months, and I have enjoyed getting to know more about the senate and the campus. And now I have a more educated voice for constituents.

Mains question- I’m part of the Swing Dance Club, and majoring in engineering and political science.

Floerchinger question- I try to hold myself up to that if I was taken a picture at anytime that I wouldn’t be embarrassed.

Krueger question- I’ve had some previous parliamentary procedure experience. I’ve asked what could be done better and what could be done well. Restructuring of meetings and using our time better along with presenters. That specifically could be done with more precision. Our by laws are ridiculously thick, I haven’t taken time to read all of them, I would like to make them more accessible

Rogala question- During high school I went to a government class for a week in the summer, four years in a row. It was education on parliamentary procedure and a competition. I was president of 4H club. I understand the basics.

Steffens question- I will put in what is necessary to do what needs to be done. I’ve currently got holes in my schedule that gives me 12 or more hours, and I’m willing to withdraw from a class because I am expected to do this well.

Bernard- I have served on several boards—4H trustees board, I’m an Eagle Scout, multiple fair commission subcommittees and ASMSU Senate.

French- please elect whomever you deem best for this position. Whoever does not cower from responsibility; we are one of the more powerful bodies on campus.

Dillon Haskell- I’m a sophomore of University Studies. I have been a senator for six months. I’m in the office a lot figuring out what’s going on. I feel I can really benefit from this position and do well. I want to get to know you. I want to figure out what senators want to do individually and reach out to the constituents, and really actually do it. I’ve had a lot of leadership experience. I’m in Sigma Chi (time ended)
Mains question-I’m in Sigma Chi, top five position in the house, I spent time this summer at a leadership convention, I work at the Ask Us Desk as well. I know a lot about the campus.

Floerchinger question- I want to get to know every senator and have meeting times with them to figure out what you want to do and see what projects you want to do. I did a lot in high school with parliamentary procedure; in FFA my team took second at State.

Krueger question- Individual meetings with senators. I came into the office without any direction, I want to give direction and reach out.

Rogala question- I also did parliamentary procedure through BPA and FFA. I have spent a lot of time studying and practicing parliamentary procedure. I need to review, but there are always learning curves.

Steffens question- I’m already in the SUB quite a bit and I’m in the office already a lot. I probably have 15 hours a week, if not more. I want to figure out what the best course of action is.

Bernard question- In high school, I was captain of football and basketball. Sigma Chi—I’m in a top position, recruitment chair and public relations chair for community service. I’m confident in being a leader. I know what it takes.

Haskell- (review of previously stated information) I’ve spent the last week with Blake at the Board of Regents and getting to know things at the State level. I’m willing to put in the time and effort.

Jenny Lawson- I’ve been a senator for one year. I’ve been VP of Sustainability and VP of Communications both on the IRHA Board. Through that we worked through parliamentary procedure. That is three years of experience. Coordinator of 10,000 Hours Project. I would like to see more accountability of senators and encourage and enforce a lot more of the standard of being a senator and what it takes. Working more outside of the meetings. It’s more than coming to the meetings every Thursday.

Mains question- I’ve been on J Boards, IRHA positions, 10,000 hours project which I feel is most prominent getting to know people and building relationships, I work in the Voice Center, SASA Board, Exponent for a semester.

Floerchinger question- there’s not a whole lot to do to change who I am but I work hard and I will listen to the student voice and working with senators a lot with encouragement. I would like to see accountability for office hours. I’d like to meet with senators regularly during their office hours going over bylaws and constitutions and keep everyone informed on what each other is doing.
Kruger question- Personal relationships would be key and spend a lot of time with students even with emails to check in.

Rogala question- Three years of experience, fairly confident.

Steffens question- I would quit the job I currently have, which is voluntary, and I would be able to put in 17-20 hours.

Bernard question- (stated previously)

Lawson- Regardless, I am really excited for the year to come. For those of you who are nervous, I am here to help you out and to introduce you to faculty members.

Rachel Abeh- I’m the senator for Agriculture. I was an officer in FFA, and parliamentary procedure in FFA, I know how meetings should go. VP for Range Club. I am comfortable in professional settings and with budgeting.

Mains question- I’m also in collegiate FFA, Chi Omega, Colligate Cattle Women’s Society and Collegiate Farmers and Ranchers. If I was elected I would make this my priority.

Floerchinger question- A professional manner at all times and articulate. I am representing myself and representing you I want to promote you and your beliefs when you can’t be there.

Krueger question- More hands on; former senate presidents have had individual meetings with each senator. And I want to stay informed on what is going on in your college and committees.

Rogala question- I am very confident. I have held officer positions and learned parliamentary procedures in FFA, and incorporated that else where. I want to give the voice to the minority and be fair and proficient.

Steffens question- I’m a busy student like everyone else, I have a lot of credits and other things, I am about getting things done. Whatever is asked of me.

Bernard question- Society for Range Management, TNT, Secretary of FFA and 4H. Small clubs and organizations. Dealing with budgets etc and had to be responsible for funds and finances and general business things, I am responsible which is why I was elected to those offices.

Abeh- I urge you to what you are actually looking for in a president. Diplomatic and professional, articulate. I am a newbie, but I can jump into this and it is not a disadvantage for me.
Chad Dawson- We are now open for free discussion. Voiced to me by our attorney, these are hired positions. If anyone has an issue with any of the candidates because it is a hired position. We need to bring it forward to this body.

Bernard- Experience is a big part of this. Experience in the past and at MSU. People who know are campus go a long way. The opportunity cost if you haven’t had previous experience.

Floerchinger- I think Jenny is the only one that has been through a budgeting meeting. I didn’t get a hang of it for two months. I looked up to this position to know what is going on.

Krueger- I think experience is important. I think I will go with Senator Haskell that in the past he is ready for this role, and I think he can make this a powerful body.

Main- I will go with Senator Abeh; I think she is a great resource and role model from what I know of her.

Bernard- I think she is competent, but she seems very busy. She has many time constraints.

Floerchinger- Chad how many hours did you put into this a week?

Chad Dawson- 10-15 hours a week. I think in the stipend it is asked to take 15 hours a week. We would do that in the after hours at night.

Karimian- It takes about 15 hours a week. I think Lawson said she is able to put 17 hours a week. She is willing to quit other jobs.

Lake- I worked with Senator Lawson last year and I think she is willing and will do the job well.

Steffens- I don’t think we should consider a candidate who is willing to quit another job.

Mains- What happens when there are other things that are important is she willing to put this on the back burner?

Floerchinger- She said the other job was optional.

Steffens- Did she say it was optional or volunteer?

Chad Dawson- Maybe with SASA, but I am not positive. French and Abeh have both talked to me about this position and are very interested.

VP Steffens- Not appropriate to point out to candidates to promote them.

Chad Dawson- Now it is time for dump truck voting.
Charles French-2
Dillon Haskell-5
Jenny Lawson-7
Rachel Abeh-3

Chad Dawson- Senator Lawson will be your Senate President.

**ELECT NEW SENATE VICE PRESIDENT**

Chad Dawson- Nominations?

Steffens- Derrick Krueger.
Karimian- Charles French.
Kolar- Rachel Abeh.

Chad Dawson- we can use the same questions or use the same ones. This is also a chair of finance board and a chair on Con Audit board and can also vote, is a paid position and takes the role as president if they cannot be there.

Bernard- maybe where they would feel comfortable with allocating money on finance board?

Karimian- Any budgeting experience?

Floerchinger- would it be smart with how well you work with a group and others?

Bernard- how to phrase that?

Chad Dawson- what do you see as most beneficial as working in groups

Rogala- remove the parli pro question.

Karimian- communication skills with others?

Mains- communication with other senators?

VP Steffens- Is Sen. Lawson officially the new pro tempore now? You cannot vote now, but count votes with Chad.

Derrick Krueger- I pretty excited to get to know you all. I have been a senator for two years. ASMSU has been awesome for me, I love everything about it. My knowledge has grown
tremendously. I have been VP of senate since last January. I plan on making a few changes this year. I want to continue my job.

Duker question- ASMSU does take a lot of time. I am in the management club for public relations chair. It does not have as much time commitment as ASMSU. I put a lot of my time into ASMSU. Also the College of Business Dean Search Committee which will be weekends.

Floerchinger question- Con Audit and Finance Board which as my main duties. I have been communicating better with finance board we just elected the new students. Fridays at 5:30 are the deadlines to put in supplementals. To communicate better, you will receive the information before senate meetings. I am here to help make bills constitutionally sound. I am always in the office when I am not in class or in committees. I know who to go to and where to go.

Bernard question- we raised the supplemental budget from 30,000 to 50,000 which makes a big difference. We can now take requests from other student organizations besides ASMSU. I am hoping to form a subcommittee to determine better the role of finance board and make it more accessible to senate with communication. They put a lot of their own thoughts into it and we need more of a voice as well.

Steffens question- budgeting last year was my first budget. It was a lot of long hours, but it went very well. I will be in the office anytime after classes and homework. It is a big commitment. I am currently in the office 12-16 hours a week for meetings or being available for anything. This position helps senators, and I do everything you do to get a lot of work done.

Peck question- I am fairly likable. I work well with all groups, and if it is not working then we work something out. We collaborate, its key. As a business major this is about all we do.

Krueger- Thank you for consideration. I think I do a great job and I’m looking forward to get to know all of you. I will be helping jenny a lot as well. We will co team and help the senate get along. I think we will do some awesome things this year, it’s up to you.

Charles French-I give up my time.

Duker question- I am in swing dance club.

Floerchinger question- VP has to be the transfer between the boards and the senate.

Bernard question- there is some definite restructure as far as finance board concerns. Cleaning up by laws and making them to the point.

Steffens question- I’ve done budgeting for my 4h board, we never went over budget. 10-12 hours a week. I would also consider dropping a class.
Peck question- I work well with groups. I have been here for the past six months, and in engineering we work in groups.

French- I would really appreciate the opportunity to be senate VP.

Rachel Abeh- I think the same follows for VP as president of senate and understand the procedures of the meeting and acting professionally.

Duker question- (previous question, same answer)

Floerchinger question-I think if I were elected, I would communicate with everyone by being present and being involved and going beyond what the duty is outlined like. Immersing myself in that and bringing it back to the senate.

Bernard question- I would be working closely with president of senate and Pres. Bjornson and VP Steffens. I would also work with college deans and the Dean of the University. Also communicate with senators.

Steffens- my experience with budgeting has not been this large, but smaller budgets and funds. I have a busy schedule but I will put in the time that is required and more.

Peck- I work really well with groups. I have been involved with many organizations. I don’t have an issue with communication, I am respectful and listen to others even when I don’t agree. It is important in a position like this to be tactful and listen to others.

Abeh- I feel well qualified and I hope to be considered.

Chad Dawson- Open discussion.

Townshend- How has senator Krueger done in the past?

Kolar- I don’t know about others but Derrick is always in the office during the day and night. He is a great presence. He really welcomed me when I was new. And he does a great job and has the experience with con audit and finance board.

Lake- year in school of each candidate?

Chad Dawson- Derrick Krueger is a junior, Charles French is a junior and Rachel Abeh is a sophomore.

Duker- because of a new senate president I think his experience is a great match with a new president.
Floerchinger- I think that the others would do well. But derrick has done a great job. He is very helpful. I will vote for him.

Townshend- experience is key.

Derrick Krueger-15

Charles French-0

Rachel Abeh-1

Chad Dawson-Senator Krueger will continue to be your Vice President of Senate.

ELECTION OF CON AUDIT MEMBERS

Pres. Bjornson- Traditionally, this group is made up of the 3 senators who have been around the longest.

Krueger- the role of Con Audit is that they go over bills to make sure they are constitutionally sound before it comes to senate as a whole.

Duker- Senator Rogala.

Haskell- Senator Rogala.

Karimian- Senator Floerchinger.

Rogala- Senator French.

APT Kruger- any more nominations?

PT Lawson- can I have the three nominees step into the hall. Discussion? Move into a vote.

Shelby Rogala- 18

Cody Floerchinger-18

Charles French-16

Presentations:

Laura Frazee and Healy Lyons- Spirit and Elections

Laura- I have several different duties, outreach, homecoming, Cat/Griz. A run down on homecoming. We fed 1500 students at the BBQ. We started the bonfires again. We guessed 1500 but could not monitor it. The parade, there were 55 applicants. Next is Cat/Griz which is the blood drive and Undie Run. We will work with the campus entertainment next. Also Can the Griz for community involvement. Cat/Griz tee shirts. I want to talk about bonfires. This is brand
new and is not in the budget. We spend over 1200 for it and I will be submitting another supplemental for the Cat/Griz bonfire. The homecoming bonfire was denied. I didn’t really have the budget for that with everything else that I do.

Healy- we just did events with homecoming and elections last week. Now to get ready for presidential elections.

Bernard- what is new about presidential elections this year.

Healy- we don’t know what to expect with elections this year because it will only be presidential in the fall.

Floerchinger- do we have an attendance count for the comedian?

Healy- 20-30; there were not a lot of people.

Jon Stiles- Campus Entertainment

Jon- I do Campus Entertainment, lectures and lively arts. We have an open door policy. We are keeping you informed this year because we value your input. I had a good conversation with SNL producers, Saturday night lives, at Montana State University. I would most likely be a sellout Fieldhouse show. We are looking at a concert date December 9th. 189,000 dollars which exceeds our budget. It works that we put down a 10% budget, and we should not be out because wiring takes place after the show, so if we sell out then we would not lose money. But there is a chance of losing money; I want to know if you are willing to take that risk. 20 dollars for students and 35 for others. It would be marketed in the general area in all schools etc. we have severe liability risk if we choose to proceed.

Floerchinger- if we do take a hit on that does it come out of reserve?

Jon- we have 60,000 left in our budget. We look at this concert show, and we have determined ticket revenue about 3000 tickets. We could potentially lose 50-60,000 budget. It would come out of our funds first, and if it is over 60,000 then yes it would be.

Haskell- in order to break even what is the minimum ticket price for a sellout show? What is the buffer zone for this $20 ticket?

Jon- we wanted to make it affordable to students but protect our interests. We would need to sell 4200-4400 tickets. The field house holds 9300. Helena had a similar concert with similar acts and they sold out with 3800 tickets at a higher price. Our break even structure is very sound, and we could potentially make some money.

Murakami- could you potentially sell 9300 tickets?
Jon- it’s a risky business I can not guarantee anything, but i want to sell out. It’s hard to judge student expectations.

Haskell- marketing line?

Jon- we are working with PR and maybe making an app. We think that Facebook and social networking is making a big difference. Also radio spots and TV spots and executing this to the full potential.

Lake- specific date and another event near there?

Jon- it’s a different genre from country we have two country acts and its December 9th.

Steffens- will you make different accommodations for the set up if you do not sell out?

Jon- we can easily adjust to the ticket sales, but we are going for full house sales for now.

Haskell- what’s the deal with selling a week before the event?

Jon- no a week before general sales, not the event itself. We trust the advice of those who have been in the concert business for quite awhile

French- when will tickets go on sale?

Jon- we have to go through a lot of agreements and contracts but it will be out in plenty of time. At least a month. We have to run tickets through tickets west. We want them out as soon as possible.

Mains- do you have marketing plan to let students know that they have this special chance?

Jon- yes students will get a special email from sports facilities about this chance. And we want to regulate it to students and it will be well marketed across campus.

Duker- who is performing?

Jon- Nelly is the headliner, and 3!oh!3 and cobra starship. We don’t want to spend more than we need to.

Duker- what are the numbers for the bigger country artists?

Jon- Dierks Bentley is almost sold out right now. What we heard from the last senate is that we need bigger headliners. It’s a very cutthroat business. It takes time and much preparation. If we don’t do this it will be next spring.

Duker- any recent non country artists?

Jon- Snoop Dogg in 2002. He sold 7000 tickets alone. We will do the best we can.
Abeh- with a country artist we have a larger demographic, to get to your goal of selling out then what is your marketing plan for a specific age group?

Jon- if it’s a student show and students putting on a show, we have been shown that students don’t want country. A college population to a degree supports the acts and the show. It puts MSU on the map, especially with all the country artists we have. We are looking at a financial perspective as well.

Karimian- mobile app development?

Jon- it will not be used for this show but we hope to promote it during the show to use in the future. It will show what is happening every day at MSU with ASMSU. And it will give us feedback as well. It’s invaluable to what we are doing.

Karimian- my high school used an app my senior year it went from 50% to 75% in attendance using the technology.

**Admin Reports:**

Pres. Blake Bjornson- MSU Committees is not ASMSU but we have student representatives on (read those committees). Please sign up for committees. And please go to the committees. We will be asking for feedback. Sub Advisory board is students and staff in the building. Feedback for how we operate the SUB. No one uses the Rec Center; we want to work on that. Students Needs Assessment is developing a list of questions for a student wide survey. What students love and don’t love, what students want and need from their student government.

Marsh- how long?

Bjornson- no longer than an hour. I’ve been working with the mayor of having a joint meeting with ASMSU senate and city council. To discuss student and city issues. Monday October 24th 5-7. The danger of reckless biking on campus has been a concern with Dean Matt Caires. He wants to have students come to a meeting with the chief of police and other community members.

Yesterday was University Council; it involves the who is who of MSU not just the Bozeman campus. The Tobacco Ban is officially passed and moving forward. From now forward is education and awareness. We also talked about the new code of conduct, previously a lot of it had to do with sexual harassment, and it is now an official policy. And lastly we talked about identity theft. There has been a concern about using a little bit of information about a student and use it around campus. There is now a student identity protection program.

Service Saturday is this Saturday meet at the Ask Us Desk at 9:45am. Also commissioner sterns will be in Bozeman October 13th with two others will meet at 1:00pm to discuss the Montana university system beyond MSU.
The classroom conduct committee has a guideline for each classroom on campus. I will send you that packet and are looking for responses by tomorrow.

VP Steffens- liaising and I thank those of you for contacting your directors. If you have not please do so. Please represent them well and communicate. Tobacco Free Campus passed in university council going effective august 1st 2012. MSU supported it and Cruzado wanted more voices from the constituents. We gathered many surveys and polls and it was almost unanimous to be tobacco free.

French- as far as other campuses where are we as tobacco free?

VP Steffens- we are number six to do this, UM Missoula, UM Tech, UM Helena, UM Dillon, Fort Peck Community College.

Karimian- where are the rules posted?

VP Steffens- university council page, go to proposed policies, and it is in there. It has everything.

Steffens- plan to enforce this policy?

VP Steffens- education first and foremost. Peer to peer influence is the biggest change. Which is what makes the biggest difference to enforce this. The power of peer influence is great and makes a big difference.

Abeh- so this ban includes smokeless tobacco? Is it also implemented?

VP Steffens- yes it does and it has been implemented.

Duker- is there any more information and help with liaising?

VP Steffens- the most formal it will get was from orientation last night, but going to the meetings makes a difference and being active.

Steffens- enforcing the peer to peer help? That only goes so far. Is there a fine?

VP Steffens- there has been no talks on a fine. If a student is continually violating a policy, is also a violation of student conduct.

Dean Matt Caires- in Missoula there has been an enforcement board.

Floerchinger- I read something in the chronicle about repeat staff offenders.

Dean Matt Caires- we will not do that, but employees who do not take direction will have consequences.
Abel—there are cigarette receptacles will they be removed?

VP Steffens—yes I is expensive to up keep those.

Abel—so students who live on campus? What happens to them?

VP Steffens—that is their choice they have to go else where.

Abel—what about chew? Addressed the same way.

VP Steffens—yes.

Marsh—what about the other businesses around us?

VP Steffens—they have to implement their own policy on their property.

Krueger—in the state there is a 20 foot smoke free zone around businesses, we need to have discussions with our neighbors and community members.

Abel— the way this was written and is being promoted is it like smoking is bad for you and others? And what’s this have to do with smokeless tobacco?

VP Steffens—tobacco free versus smoke free is the health concern of tobacco itself as a whole. The smokeless use number goes up if we use only smoke free. If you think of more questions there is a board Monday at noon in sub 235 to answer questions and address concerns.

Bethany Cordell our public relations director said she wants to help you address your constituents, and she wants to use your emails. I hope that is ok. The adventure is Sunday. Meeting at 7:30am in the south loop.

Pres. Bjornson—please bring a vehicle if you can drive and so we can carpool. Gas will be dealt with.

VP Steffens—Campus Entertainment. It is very important at the end of the day that senate is okay with expenses. This body needs to be active so there is no confusion. Are there any objections to this?

Kolar—from what I understand, if it doesn’t go as well as we want it to go it will deplete the CE budget for the rest of the year? Does that mean no more events at the end of the year?

Jon—yes it would.

VP Steffens—the execs are all for this.

President Bjornson—I am in support but it was a tough decision, if the concert doesn’t go as planned, then we will pay out of that budget. Our budgets are constantly borrowing also year. At
the end of the fiscal year, our books are balanced. At the end of the year it would come out of the reserve budget if necessary.

Jon- you have a reserve account now, and we are not planning on a loss but we need to have this okayed by you. This needs to be a secure decision.

Duker- why Nelly and the demographics as they are here? Would you take that risk if it was out of your own pocket?

Jon- yes I would take the risk. That is also why we have a three act show, and that it would definitely be covered.

APT Krueger- we were all in support of this. Campus entertainment has been doing great this year and PR as well. This is high stakes. But this gets us closer to getting into concerts that we want to get into for the future. Many offices are investing in this in the university and outside the university. Demographics are coming from around the state as well.

French- I think this is great. It takes money to take money. We need to take this risk to change things. We have to cross the bridge at some point, and we should do it now while we are financially sound.

Abeh- how did you get in contact with the artists? If it works out well will you work with the same artists of that stature?

Jon- we are working with an agent who is part of MSU. The artists, and this agent and us are all working together. It is good cohesiveness, and we will definitely work with them again. We want ASMSU as a whole working together.

Mains- with bands like this and more than one act, this brings in more than one group of people.

McLaughlin- it seems as if you have done a ton of research. Anytime anyone big is coming to Montana people are interested no matter who it is. You would be surprised.

Jon- if we get a consensus on this tonight then we can begin to book this tomorrow. Things are locked in

Lake- would weather be one major problem because of the date?
Jon- we are working with CE depts. Across the state, and we are talking about bus shuttles etc down to Bozeman. I think we will get great support. The weather will do as it pleases.

Combs- I am in support because of student feedback and what our students want. We can get further feedback after this, and go from there. This is a good starting point.

Kolar- do you think that your staff can handle this, or will this be a whole ASMSU project.
Jonathan: The field house is turn key for us, and promotion will mostly be ASMSU, and tickets with tickets west. Everything is taken care of besides the hotel and personnel.

Steffens: I support this, if Helena can draw 4000 people Bozeman can easily draw 6000.

Townshend: Why December 9th and what were the alternative dates?

Jonathan: We have been working out dates since March. We are block booking them at a reduced rate. That is why we settled on the 9th. They will be in the vicinity.

Townshend: Can they perform anywhere else near here so we lose money?

Jonathan: We have a contract for that.

Bernard: We have horrendous weather, people will come regardless of the weather.

Abel: If we experience bad weather don’t we already have the money from the tickets?

Jonathan: Yes it is a non-refund policy with weather.

Kolar: Are you going to allow students to purchase only one ticket with the student price?

Jonathan: Yes.

Kolar: Is there sitting on the floor?

Jonathan: No chairs on the floor. No one but college level students will be allowed on the floor. The student section is the floor.

Krueger: It would be wise of us to approve our support of this concert and understands full risk and liability.

French: I second this.

17/0/1 (Lake abstains and Bernard abstains)

BM Jackson: Next week I will probably present budget from last year and reserves.

Townshend: Is budget info somewhere we can have access for it?

Pres. Bjornson: I am working on that.
Chad Dawson—Placards, please use them during the meetings, to get on the list to speak. I am currently serving to student conduct board and the peer gold committee. I would like to continue with those committees because I really enjoy it even though it is ADHOC.

PT Lawson—Thank you for bearing with me. I would like to say that the VOICE Center would like to meet with senators and to see the senates view on the voice center. Also I will be getting times together for the retreat to meet with you all later this next week.

APT Krueger—tomorrow is the deadline for supplementals requests. One supplemental on lacrosse bus, and a supplemental for the msu films committee. Something for you to keep in mind. Senate hours need to be posted on your locker soon.

Senate Reports:

Bernard—The classroom committee—we are deciding which halls and which classrooms to deal with first. We are looking at renovating classrooms in different tiers.

Steffens—What is the student input on the renovations?

Bernard—The input we receive is constant griping and unhappiness with the classrooms.

Rogala—The Sustainability Center which is a dollar committee. They are looking at hiring a student position sectioning classes that have to do with sustainability.

Announcements:

Bernard—on Monday there is the LI topic lunch in the SUB to hear about many concerns on campus.

Adjourn Meeting:

Krueger—move to adjourn

Seconded by french