UConn Hartford - Undergraduate Student Government (USG) Minutes  
(10/30/19)

I. Call to order  
A. President Day is chairing the meeting and called the meeting to order at 3:30

II. Attendance  
A. Members Present:  
   1. (Insert Present Members)  
B. Members Absent:  
   1. (Insert Absent Members)  
C. Visitors  
   1. (Insert Visitors)  
D. Quorum:  
   1. 5/6

III. Approval of Prior Minutes  
A. President Day suggests a motion to approve final minutes from 10/23/19  
   1. So moved by Senator Paladino  
   2. Seconded by Senator Diaz  
   3. Motion Passes 5/0/0

   Senator Rosario Enters at 3:31  
   Quorum is now 6/6

IV. Old Business  
A. Promotion  
   1. Cant help everyone  
B. Scheduling  
   1. Winter meeting update  
      a) Plan for the next semester  
C.  

V. Public Comment  
A. Limited to ~2 minutes/person—this is an opportunity to introduce yourself to the group, reason for attending, and address any questions, concerns, and/or recommendations...  
   1.  

VI. Presidents Report  
A. Switching up the agenda  
   1. Budget requests are good at the beginning  
B. Scheduling for next semester meetings  
   1. Conflicting schedules make it hard to meet at the normal time  
      a) 2:30-4:30 for the new meeting  

VII. VP Report  
A. Item Arrival Checklist  
   1. Updating for when items come in
2. Working on inventory for the basement

VIII. Communications Report
A. Costume Contest
   1. Voting and how it will go
   2. Judges will pick the top 3 costumes from the day
   3. Students will vote on those best 3
B. Vlog is up
C. RSO Survey is out
D. Showcase sunday
E. Solid compliance is on the website

IX. Programming Report
A. Programming calendar on the website and
B. Movie for Winterfest is elf
   1. Winterfest is 2nd to 6th
C. Gift exchange
D. Cookie Walk
E. Potluck

X. Advocacy Report
A. Heart to Heart event
   1. Went well
B. Looking to the future

XI. Finance Committee Report
A. Still working forward
B. New system

XII. Treasurer Report/ Financial Standing
A. USG Budget is 5,217
B. Club Budget 3,514.64
C. Motion to rescind 808.33 back to the USG account
   1. So moved by senator Ellis
   2. Seconded by senator Diaz
   3. Motion passes 6/0/0
D. If everything is passed today clubs will be under 1000
E. If everything is passed today USG will be over 4,000

XIII. Budget Request
A. Motions
   1. Motion to allocate $250.00 to art club for supplies for their Arts Night event
      a) So moved by senator Ellis
      b) Seconded by senator Diaz
      c) Motion passes 6/0/0
   2. Motion to allocate $145.00 to henna club for supplies for their Henna Coster Making event
      a) So moved by senator Diaz
b) Seconded by senator Rosario

c) Discussion
   (1) Representative is not here to talk about the event
   (2) Motion to amend $145.00 to henna club for supplies for their Henna Coster Making event
       (a) Motion dies on the table
   (3) Motion to table $145.00 to henna club for supplies for their Henna Coster Making event to November 6th
       (a) Seconded by senator Nur
       (b) Motion tabled 6/0/0

3. Motion to allocate $250.00 to USG for food for USG meetings for the rest of the semester
   a) So moved by senator Rosario
   b) Seconded by senator Ellis
   c) Motion passes 6/0/0

4. Motion to allocate $115.00 to Pre Health Society for supplies for their DIY Face Mask Event
   a) So moved by senator Rosario
   b) Seconded by senator Taseer
   c) Motion Passes 6/0/0

5. Motion to allocate $500.00 to USG for supplies for their Janitor Appreciation event
   a) So moved by senator Diaz
   b) Seconded by senator Ellis
   c) Motion fails 0/5/1
   d) Discussion
      (1) USG can spend money only to students that pay the student fee
      (2) Directors office may be able to pay for the event since a similar event went on last year
      (3) It would be against policy to vote for it
      (4) Advocacy needs to work with USG

6. Motion to allocate $415.00 to World Club for their Happy Birthday to All event
   a) So moved by senator Ellis
   b) Seconded by senator Rosario
   c) Motion
   d) Discussion
      (1) USG collab event
      (2) Does Not fit in with what World Club does
      (3) What budget would it be coming out of
      (4) Motion to allocate $415.00 to USG for their Happy Birthday to All event
7. Motion to allocate $60.00 to USG for supplies for their Janitor Appreciation event
   (a) Seconded by senator Diaz
   (b) Motion passes 6/0/0

8. Motion to allocate $210.00 to arts club for supplies for their arts night event
   (a) So moved by senator Ellis
   (b) Seconded by senator Taseer
   (c) Motion passes 6/0/0

9. Motion to allocate $30.00 to Arts Club for supplies for their Arts and Culture event
   (a) So moved by senator Ellis
   (b) Seconded by senator Taseer
   (c) Motion passes 6/0/0

10. Motion to allocate $175.00 to Arts Club for space for their Arts Night event
    (a) So moved by senator Ellis
    (b) Seconded by senator Rosario
    (c) Motion passes 6/0/0

11. Motion to allocate $70.00 to ASA for supplies for their Origami Day event
    (a) So moved by senator Diaz
    (b) Seconded by senator Nur
    (c) Motion passes 6/0/0

12. Motion to allocate $210.00 to World Club for their Happy Birthday to All event
    (a) So moved by senator Ellis
    (b) Seconded by senator Taseer
    (c) Discussion

13. Motion to allocate $60.00 to human rights for supplies for their education event
    (a) So moved by senator Diaz
    (b) Seconded by senator Taseer
    (c) Motion passes 6/0/0
    (d) Discussion

   (1) This event doesn’t follow what Human Rights does
   (2) Human Rights needs to re-evaluate the mission statement
   (3) Can the event be done without the bookmarks
(4) Bookmarks won’t draw in people

14. Motion to allocate $235.12 to Human Rights for their education event
   a) So moved by senator Taseer
   b) Seconded by senator Nur
   c) Discisoopmn

   (1) Motion to allocate $235.12 to Human Rights for their education event pending they change the vendor
   (2) So Moved By senator ellis
   (3) Motion passes 4/2/0
   (4) Discussion

     (a) Food should not be attracting people to the event, the event should

XIV. New Business
   A. Purpose of what Clubs do with money vs what USG does with money
      1. The policy will be made
   B. Sending out budget requests
   C. Budget request policies
      1. Case by case
         a) Table budget request when club representatives aren’t at meetings

XV. Advisors Report

XVI. Final Thoughts

XVII. Adjournment
   A. President adjourns the meeting at 5:30

Minutes created by (CCO Paladino)