

## Student Finance Committee Minutes

February 21st, 2023

1203 Northern Center

- I. **Call to Order**
  - a. Meeting called to order at 6:33 p.m.
- II. **Public Comment**
  - a. No public comment
- III. **Approval of Minutes**
  - a. *Olivia* motioned to approve the 02/07 minutes
    - *Spencer* second; passes unanimously
- IV. **Chair Report**
  - a. ***Eli White*- Chairperson**
    - ASNMU has the United Conference this weekend in Mt. Pleasant. All of the university student governments in Michigan are meeting up and discussing a variety of topics that affect us all. Of course with the recent events, we will have a lot to talk about. ASNMU has \$11,772 in its account. The SFC account number is not updated as of right now. In personal news, I twisted my knee and am walking with a limp; I'm fine but if you see me limping around, just know that I'm all good.
- V. **Advisor Report**
  - a. ***Kash Dhanapal*- Faculty Advisor**
    - All of the EFGs should have their money in their accounts. The results of the EFG last semester had us absorbing almost \$8,000 from Campus Cinema and the Student Art Gallery, but after that all the money is set for the semester. ONce that's done, money should be done moving around for the semester.
- VI. **New Business**
  - a. **Northern Michigan Artist Discovery (NoMAD)**
    - *Emma Davis (NoMAD Co-President)*: We are no longer able to afford Peach Pit, we're now looking to bring a lineup of queer punk artists. The month of April is Sexual Assault Awareness month, so we were looking at possibly hosting a fundraiser along with our show for the Womens' Center and partnering with Feminsim for All.
    - *Sarah Gimpl (NoMAD Co-President)*: How do you guys navigate donations?
      - a) *Kash*: As long as the fundraising is not coming from the money that SFC provides, it's fine.
      - b) *Emma*: We were thinking of doing a recommended donation upon entry.
      - c) *Kash*: That is fine.
    - *Emma*: Our new request is for \$42,000.
    - *Kash*: Do you have names for the new artists?
      - a) *Emma*: We're looking at possibly bringing Destroy Boys, Cherry Glazerr, and Sorry Mom, and then possibly a local artist.
    - *Kash*: Is the budget updated aside from this change?
      - a) *Emma*: Our allocation was changed, but aside from that it should be the same.
    - *Olivia*: Is the budget request including wiggle room?

a) *Emma*: There is, depending on what we're able to offer groups. A few artists are between \$5,000-\$8,000, and a local band shouldn't be more than \$1,000 though.

- **SFC Deliberation**

a) *Olivia*: I think \$42,000 is reasonable. I think that the artists make sense for the people that like to go to NoMAD shows. I also like the concept of collaborating with other groups on campus.

b) *Kash*: It's also free, which is good.

c) *Olivia* motioned to approve NoMAD's budget in full for \$42,341.00

- *Kobie* second; passes unanimously

**VII. Old Business**

a. No old business

**VIII. Good of the Order**

a. *Olivia*: The Black Student Union Comedy Show got moved to Friday, March 24th.

b. *[The committee talked about the upcoming headshot sessions. All new photos coming to the SFC website soon.]*

c. *Eli*: I'm going to be giving a short presentation to the Intro to Stats class about SFC.

**IX. Adjournment**

a. Meeting adjourned at 6:57 p.m.