

*Environmental Affairs Board (EAB) Minutes of Proceedings*

*4/20/2009*

*Manley Co-op*

The *EAB* was called to order at 8:06 p.m., by Maile Smith Co- chair

ROLL CALL

Maile Smith: Co-chair

Jill Tiegs: Treasurer

Eli Krispi: Campus Affairs

Nick Allen: CSSC

Russell: Hiking Coordinators

Corie Radka: Secretary/ Historian

Lisette: Foods Co-C hair

Kevin: Foods Co-Chair

Tyler: publicity Co-Chair

Tiffany Renee Mayville: Social Co-Chair

Sarah LaForge: Social Co-Chair

Simone Stegger: Earthday Co-Chair

Evanne St. Charles: Earthday Co-Chair

Violetta Muselli: Publicity Co-Chair

Teal: Environmental Education

Nick A-J: Academic Chair

## ACCEPTANCE OF PROXIES TARDIES, AND EXCUSED ABSENCES

Quentin Gee: CSSC rep, Coastal Fund Rep

Anthony Tong: Co-chair

Lisa Do: Volunteer Coordinator

Farris: Leg Council rep

## ANNOUCMENTS

UCSB Greenhouse and Gardens is have a concert at the UCSB garden this Saturday

Chillavista

May 31<sup>st</sup>

IVCRC - IV Carnival

May 31<sup>st</sup>

## REPORTS

Renee - Environmental Justice

- a lot of people are on board including Just Communities\*\*\*
- Want input for workshops

- Just Communities said they wanted to get a broad look at what people think Environmental Justice is by going around to different groups

- **Questions**

- o What does the term Environmental Justice mean to you?
  - Environmental consequences that disproportionately affect poor neighborhoods of color because they are not represented politically
  - Poor neighborhoods do not have the means and access to healthy, environmental friendly and organic means of life.
  - Education is also not equal among demographics
- o Is Environmental Justice something that your group is interested in?
  - Yes
- o How do you view Environmental Justice?
  - As a goal
- o Do you think an Environmental Justice workshop would be beneficial?
  - Yes
- Make Environmental Justice a working group
- \*\*\* Just Communities in an Organization in Santa Barbara/ Goleta advances justice by building leadership, fostering change, and dismantling all forms of prejudice, discrimination and oppression.

#### Tyler and Violetta - Publicity

- Table to get the EAB name out there to give EAB exposure
- 10am April 21,22,23
- Also to publicize the cleanup for the next floatopia
- o Have two blow up rafts that were recovered from the last floatopia to get noticability

### Maile - Cigarette Butts

- Update the by-laws
- EAB accepts to participate in Adopt-a-block, which includes emptying, and cleaning the ash urns in the Pandal loop.

### Teal - Environmental Education

- Wants to expand to more schools
- Maybe make a workbook to distribute to all the schools in the area

### Kevin - Sustainable Foods

- Reinvesting in a Garden plot with Food Stuff
- Tabling in the dining commons this Wednesday

### Tyler - Floatopia

- Making a recycle store for the beach
- Make a big sign (reuse the sign from Earthday)
- A.S. recycling not going to be there that weekend?
  - o So we have to make sure we coordinate with A.S. recycling and other groups (Coastal Fund, Excursion Club, Surfrider) to get the receptacles out there and cleaned up
- This is going to be a working group tomorrow

### Sarah and Renee - Social

- May 15<sup>th</sup> we are camping near the Harder Stadium with Relay for Life

### Eli - Student Sustainability Conference this June

- Motion to fund at least 5 people for Student Sustainability Conference by Maile

- Motion is approved unanimously

## ACTION ITEMS

Motion to fund \$1000 at least 5 people for Student Sustainability Conference by Maile,

Motion is approved unanimously

MS Motion to adjourn at 9:00 p.m.

MSC The motion is approved by consent.

## **\*\*EAB GENERAL MEETING\*\***

EAB meeting April 21, 2009

Location: AS main office

40 people present

Meeting began at: 7:07pm

Break out groups began at: 7:45pm

## Announcements

A.S. Elections - Elizabeth

Get online (Gold) and vote

All the candidates mission statements and lock-ins

TGIF - Quentin

Just came out with projects they are going to fund

Shower minder projects

Going to install in one of the dorms as a test run

Save A Tree Stop Junk Mail

Reduction in Organic Solvents from the Chemistry Lab

Install LED Lights in Embarcadero Hall

Solar System for the SRB Children's Center

Anyone interested in TGIF Rep talk to Maile

Sustainability Conference - June at UCSB

Sign up if your interested

Floatopia 2 - Tyler

We are tabling the arbor to get out the word to take responsibility

Sign up with Tyler

CSSC - this weekend

if you want to go or have already signed up then go to the working group with Nick

### Activities this week/coming up

Wednesday

Adopt A Block 4 at IV food co-op every week

Friday

Environmental Ed. 1:45pm

Saturday

Greenhouse Care work with Goleta

Leaving the Co-op ant 8:50

Sunday - Hike

Meet at the Co-op at 12:00

Monday

At IV Theater to discuss Floatopia 2

Thursday

Film Screening 7p.m. on the Lagoon Lawn -

ELECTION Nominations

CSSC

Tiffany

Corie

Campus Affairs

Publicity - 2 positions

Andrew Dunn

Marina

Social Co-chairs

Marissa

Alexia

Cassidy

Amanda

Secretary

Emma

Historian

Tiffany

Michelle

Environmental Ed

Teal

Rilan

Simon

Russell

Andrew

Daniel

Sustainable Foods

Jess

Anna

Jessica

Danny

Jenn

Earth day

Evanne

Michelle

Russell

Corie

James

Violetta

Elizabeth



## Academic Affairs

Kristen

Elizabeth

Co-Chair

Nick

Violetta

Tiffany

Treasurer

Alexia

Michele

Taylor

Elizabeth

## Working groups

Sustainable Foods with Kevin

Floatopia Cleanup/Planning with Tyler

Sustainability Conference with Nick

CSSC with Nick