IVCRC Minutes- 10/16/07

Location: IVTU 7:15 P.M

Call to Order

Call to Order at 7:24 P.M.

Roll Call

Liz Buda, Chair Konina Biswas, Vice Chair Lindsey Quock, EVPLA Cori, Treasurer Pam Van Dyk, Advisor

Acceptance of Proxies, Tardies or Absences:

Deirdre Mathis, Leg Council Rep- Absent Gerson Sorto, IVTU- Absent

Announcements:

Agenda/ Public Forum:

I. Halloween/Dia de los Muertos Festival [IV Recreation and Park District: Sarah Mckittrick]

The 15th annual festival in Anisq'Oyo' Park on Oct. 27, 2007 for Halloween/Dia de los Muertos to help merge the families and the students in a safe and fun environment. Highlights of the festival are: music and performances in the park, arts and crafts, cultural performances, a children's fair, entertainment, information/educational booths, costume contests as well as other carnival-like things. Requesting funds for the Mariachi Band, flowers, decorations for haunted house and the park, as well as flyers.

Requesting: \$1,500

II. Community Mediation Program[City @ Peace: Nancy Davis]

The Community Mediation Program is aimed towards 13-19 year olds on the South Coast and helps deal with a variety of issues, one of which is gang violence. The program meets on Wednesdays from 4-8pm at the Carrillo Rec. Center (100 East Carrillo St) and helps participants express themselves creatively through theatre, music, dance, etc. The participants learn conflict resolution and mediation skills that can help them in their own lives and in their own communities. The play the youth create will be performed in May 2008 at Center Stage Theatre.

Requesting: \$4,000

III. Mariachi Event an Workshops; MEVA: Oscar Flores and Ferico

MEVA, along with other organizations, is holding a Mariachi event in the MCC on Nov. 2, 2007, as well as workshops to involve the community. A professional Mariachi group will be holding workshops for the community to learn. IV Teen Center has planned to participate—providing space and members to participate. Workshops starting next Thursday, through the weekend. Most workshops to be held on the weekends during the day. Requesting funds to be used for performance fees

Requesting: 10,000

Actions Of The Week:

IVRPD: Dia de Los Muertos:

Motion by Liz: To fully fund requested amount of \$1,500 for the Dia de los Muertos

Festival.

Motion Seconded by Lindsey: Consent

City at Peace:

Motion by Liz to table in order encourage more Isla Vista community involvement before funding the program. Proposed idea to sponsor per youth from Isla Vista. Motion seconded by Konina

MEVA:

Motion by Konina to fund \$1,300 for the Mariachi Workshop. Motion Seconded by Cori

Proposed: Volunteer group by Cori

A group underneath IVCRC that will volunteer at places we give funding to.