A.S. Womyn's Commission October 13, 2008

Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 5:04 P.M.

Introductions/Ice Breakers

Stated our name, year, and major

Business

1. Announcements

- -Jakriza gave a reminder that we are still working on against prop 4 and 8.
- -She also announced that tonight (10/13) there is an opening ceremony and workshop on Indigenous Resistant Week outside of the Storke Tower. It will be at the MCC at 8:30 P.M. Mujeres will be doing a theater act. There will be an open night mic, and KP will be playing a film.
- -Alex made an announcement about A.S. Congress dinner tomorrow night (10/14), 5-8:30PM at the Faculty Club.
- -Feminist Majority—Get Out Her Vote Campaign. Working on a stance on NO on Prop 4 and 8.
- Jakriza announced that CYPHER is held every other Thursday at Berrylicious.

2. Funding Requests

- -No funding requests
- -Jakriza reminded everyone that those who request funds must have a copy of the budget, it is needed by Thursday before Monday meeting. Since it is specifically Womyn's Commission, the fund must be relevant to only womyn's issues or events.

3. Recap

- -Patty Monroy was funded for "Students Stopping Rape." The organization wanted to bring Angie Evans to perform for their event, a quarterly campaign called "I want a truce," to have a free weekend of sexual violence. The total expense was \$250.
- -"Stop the Hate, Spread the Love Ralley"—5:30 PM at Storke Tower, students and staff coming together to speak/march out against recent incidents in IV involving hate crime that occurred against a student.
- -"Vote to Bowl" October 17th by BPRO, KP, and HaU, in order to get students to come out and vote.

4. A.S. 101

- -Paulina went over A.S. Legislative Council—reps are elected during spring. They approve minutes and funding. Senate is also elected. Organizations can turn their issue/project for legislative members to present to the campus. They are located near the UCEN and MCC.
- -Alex went over A.S. Finance Board—in charge of funding. Require a lock in fee of \$156 per quarter, which goes to A.S., part of it goes to BCC and staff. Any registered groups can request funds. They can only fund events, not meetings. In order to request for funds, you must be part of a group, or OSL group. The group must be around for at least 3 years.

-Paulina also went over A.S. Boards Committees and Commission. Groups that are included in B.C.C. are: Womyn's Commission, S.C.O.R.E., IV Tenant Crew, CAB, EAB. There's also the Advisory Administration Committee, they recognize the status of womyn, they work with faculty, and bring up problems, issues to talk about. Senate Committee—must apply in order to join. They talk about all issues ranging from student health to financial issues.

-Paulina and Alex also went over what A.S. Administration was. There is a large staff that helps students. They have a web manager and students can borrow equipment as well.

Budget for A.S.

-Paulina: make sure you use the resources offered by different groups, such as the B.C.C. groups! A.S. helps with funds, and makes events such as concerts possible.

Round Table

Defining yourself as a womyn, what you expect from Womyn's Commission, why you're here.

Next Meeting

Come with ideas about how you want to deal with certain issues.

<u>Adjournment</u>

5:51 PM