

Montana Associated Students Meeting Minutes

September 24, 2008

- I. Call to Order 5:15 pm
- II. Roll Call
 - a. Present- University of Montana, Montana Tech, Montana State University, Montana State University Billings, Great Falls College of Technology, University of Montana Western, Miles City Community College, Student Regent Mitch Jessen.
- III. Introductions
 - a. Election of MAS Officers
 - b. Motion to Table until later in the meeting when a quorum was present.
- IV. MAS Dues
 - a. Paid- University of Montana, Montana State University- Billings
 - b. Rest still need to pay dues
- V. New Business
 - a. UM held a rally to educate students on the Six Mill Levy
 - i. Taylor Nahrgang asked to be briefed on what other schools are doing to encourage the Six Mill Levy.
 - ii. Montana Tech was to hold a rally the following evening
 - iii. Mark Matheson stated that the Six Mill Levy website only showed support from Great Falls COT.
 - iv. There are a few groups that oppose the Six Mill Levy, work to correct stigmas set by these groups on your campuses.
 - b. Called for other new business
 - i. Mark Matheson proposed an update to the MAS website.
 - ii. Trevor Hunter mentioned that the website is maintained at UM and he would check into updating it.
 - iii. Trevor Hunter asked where the campuses were sitting in terms of hiring a lobbyist
- VI. Motion to move back to the Election of Officers
 - a. President- Maureen Wieland nominated Trevor Hunter; the Nomination was seconded by Sai. No other nominations were made, Trevor accepted presidency.

- b. Vice President- Trevor Hunter nominated Shane Colvin, Steven Olig nominated Taylor Nahrgang, Motion to close nominations, move to a private vote, Vote tied will revote when Miles City is Present.
 - c. Treasurer- Robert Barnosky nominated himself since MSU-B already houses the books for MAS, seconded by Taylor Nahrgang, Robert accepts Treasurer Position.
- VII. Regents Lunch
- a. Discussion on what campuses have and are doing
 - b. Taylor Nahrgang mentioned that last year MAS pushed three main issues, Advising, Transferability, and Affordability, and feels that we should keep touching on those issues.
- VIII. Move to a revote for Vice President
- a. Taylor Nahrgang was elected Vice President
- IX. Trevor Hunter Moved for adjournment, Maureen Wieland seconded.