
Regrets: Anoop Atre, Linda Hanson

I. Updates and Announcements
   • Budget-Ryan Y. proposed to use $1,000 for the welcoming committee to hire a diversity speaker for orientation
   • Judy Shephard to speak tonight in CSU Ballroom at 7pm
   • Asian-Pacific Weekend Activities begin tomorrow through Saturday
   • Friday, April 9th the Somali Consulate will be in Mankato. Dinner and a reception is planned at 5:30pm. Contact Tonya Phillips
   • International Festival Sunday, April 11

II. Reports from Sub-Committees, Charges 1-5
   • Charge 1 (Retention and Graduation Rates Underrepresented Students): In review
   • Charge 2 (Research National Best Practices): Members not present to report
   • Charge 3 (Maverick Alliance): Have not met
   • Charge 4 (Diversity Summit): Proposed not to do a Summit due to budget concerns. Committee to consult with the President concerning the focus of the Summit. The committee recommends the Summit be delayed until new Dean is in place. The Summit could be a rally for the new Dean of Institutional Diversity
   • Charge 5 (Website): Limited resources to generate content. The content is currently being edited. The committee suggests that the website content ties directly to the President’s office. Integrated Marketing is changing our website to a tier-3 platform. Recommends the President engage Integrated Marketing to build a Diversity Portal where the Commission on Diversity is part of the source within the website portal. The costs involved are high for site construction. *Priority for President to allocate resources for the project
II. Other

- Review prior recommendations from previous years
- Next meeting to collect information from each sub-committee to present to President Davenport
- Commissioners requested that the Commission have more dialogue with the President regarding the charges

*Next meeting Tuesday, April 20, 2010 from 10:30 am-12 pm in CSU 204*