

**VICE PRESIDENT FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS**

Kristen Denzer

**Monday, December 04, 2006**

Madame President and Distinguished Assembly Members:

The following is my report for November 9<sup>th</sup>- December 6<sup>th</sup>:Thursday, November 16<sup>th</sup>

SSCC meeting was canceled

SCC meeting Highlights

- Discussion with UMM Chancellor Johnson
  - UMM has a wind turbine that provides for 60% of campus power needs; they plan to add another turbine and sell the surplus power. They are also working on biomass power, and plan to be energy self-sufficient by 2010.
- Discussed whether there should be CAPA, Civil Service, and Student Senate reports at the University Senate. It was decided that other means for communication would be investigated, and the respective committees would only report on action items.

Wednesday, November 29<sup>th</sup>

GAPSA Executive Meeting

Thursday, November 30<sup>th</sup>

Student Senate

- Student appointments to the Student Senate were increased from one year to two years.
- Dan Moore was elected as the new Student Senate/SSCC chair.
- Project Recell, a project that collects used cell phones from students and recycles them, was discussed. It was decided that instead of the Student Senate looking at this, it would be better for groups on the individual campuses should take this up.
- University Sustainability Report

University Senate

- Student appointments to the University Senate were increased from one year to two years.
- Disabilities Issues Committee increased their purview to include “guest of the University” with disabilities.
- Statement on Tuition Benefits was passed, includes recommending increasing tuition benefits to include dependents.

Friday, December 1<sup>st</sup>

Helped with GAPSA Family Night

Wednesday, December 9<sup>th</sup>

Public Affairs Presentation on Transportation (Taxi Cab Transportation Plan)



ANNOUNCEMENTS:

I will be in Costa Rica from January 2<sup>nd</sup> through January 16<sup>th</sup>, and will be checking e-mail infrequently.

Thank You,

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