

## **SRC COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA**

**DATE: TUESDAY 22 MARCH 2022**

**TIME: 18H00 – 23:14**

**VENUE: RA ROOM**

### **AGENDA**

1. Attendance
2. Matters Arising:
3. Housekeeping
4. Feedback
5. Student Body Meeting Preparation
6. Revised Back to School Proposal
7. SPVM Proposal and Sanitary Pad Proposal
8. Staff Toy Drive Proposal
9. Rat and Parrot Ban
10. Date and Time of Next Meeting

#### **1. Attendance**

- The following Councillors were present for the meeting

-President: Mr. Botlhale Modisaotsile

-Vice President: Ms. Tinashe Hlako

-Secretary General: Ms. Nobesuthu Mnkandla

- Treasurer General: Ms. Palesa Makoli
- International Affairs: Ms. Rumbidzai Gondongwe
- Postgraduate Affairs: Ms. Vuyelwa Moyo
- Academic: Ms. Sisenalo Onica Makwedini
- Activism & Transformation: Ms. Lebo Ramohapi
- Community Engagement: Ms. Panashe Maneya
- Environmental: Mr. Anda Mtshintsho -  
Oppidan: Ms. Omphulusa Nengwekhulu
- Residence: Mr. Mlungisi Dindili
- Sports & Societies: Mr. Asanda Kubheka
- Student Benefits & Sponsorship: Mr. Pfano Mulaudzi
- Treasurer General: Ms. Palesa Makoli

### **Apologies**

- Media: Ms. Lerato Pae
- Student Development and Support: Mr. Eric Ofei.
- Projects Manager: Mr. Bongani Pellemu

### **2. Matters Arising:**

#### **SAUS**

- The Council was informed that the SRC has been added to the database along with the emails of the President and Secretary General. However, the former councillors' names were still there and they will replace them with the names of the current councillors.

### **3. Housekeeping**

- The Council was informed that minutes are unrefined as one of the minute takers was occupied with academics.

### **4. Feedback**

- Councillors confirmed that masks have arrived and would request the projects team to assist in packing the masks.

- A letter was to be sent to students stating that dining halls underwent a review and the Council considered whether the letter should be adopted by the council. Councillor's stated that the council needed to see reports substantiating the statements before the council adopts the letter.

- The Council stated that the residence operations team needs to apologize to students and conduct training to improve standards. Furthermore, an inquiry should be made about having professional chefs in every dining hall as having on in just one dining hall is concerning and unfair.

- Council requested that council members who are around town during graduation should come to support those who are graduating.

- Council were commended for their enthusiasm and support for the Human Rights Day event.

### **5. Student Body Meeting Preparation**

- The Council spoke to the student body meeting agenda.

- The following items were adopted into agenda item 6, Student Parliament:

- Conduct of SRC members and relationship with student leadership substructures
- Minutes and term report
- SRC 2022 budget allowances
- The announcement by SDB and SDC

- Councillors requested that Mr. President should speak on the Constitutional review process on agenda.

- Council was encouraged to be prepared, to be on time and to support Mr. President and enlightened council on some AOB items which might come up.

### **6. SPVM Proposal and Sanitary Pad Proposal**

- Council suggested that the project deadline should be the 3rd term, before the intervarsity.

### **7. RU Adapting Proposal**

- The project date had moved to Wednesday, 20th of April.

### **8. Staff Toy Drive Proposal**

- The proposed date was moved to the 21st of march and the collection would occur the entire week of the 11th of April. However, the event date was the 16th of April.

- Councillors requested that the date be extended as the council would only have 1 week until the 11th of April.

- The Council suggested that the Oppidan mailing list could be used as a mode of communication.

- Councillors requested that the name should be changed to "SRC Toy Drive" and that the project be open to students.

### **9. Rat and Parrot Ban Decision**

- Council noted that the conduct of the Rat & Parrot after the council meeting indicated that they were not sorry and that hampers for 6 students would not be impactful after all that had occurred.

- Council highlighted that the issue must be clear and should be dealt with in a principled way.

- Council voted on the issue. The resolution was that the Rat & Parrot would be banned for 1 year. This issue would be revisited the following year by the 2023 Council.

## **10. Date and Time of Next Meeting**

- The next meeting would be on the 28th of March at 18:00.