February 2019

Meeting Minutes

Member General Meeting

Saturday, February 09 2019 Location: Conestoga College - Kitchener,ON.

VOTING MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Centennial College Student Association Inc.(CCSAI) –Sam Casais Conestoga Students Inc. (CSI)– Aimee Calma Student Union of Confederation College Inc. (SUCCI) – Vignesh Viswanathan Fleming Student Administrative Council (Fleming SAC) –Greg Asselin Sault College Students' Union (SCSU) –Jonathan Nolan Northern College –Timmins (NCSA) – Christian Mollins Koene Cambrian Student Council - Marc Gagne

BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ATTENDANCE:

President – Brittany Greig Vice President – Justin Paolo Lim Director – Andrew Macneil Director – Jecema Hewitt

GUESTS IN ATTENDANCE:

CCSAI – Miguel Meneses, Karamjeet Singh, Randine Fogarthy, Sadaf Hashmi, Taranjeet Singh CSI – Scot Wyles, Angela van Stee, Jack Gaudet, Sharan Kalsi SUCCI – Gaurav Ganjoo, Suresh Prajapati Fleming SAC – Noah Whitmore, Joao Borges, Zoe King, Naman Khandelwal, Narendra Saini, Joel Willett NCSA Timmins – Anna Black, Shereece Copeland CSL - Shannon Saville SCSU - Keaton Schmidt

General Manager – Curtis Bell Director of Advocacy – Abdullah Mushtaq Research & Policy Analyst – Olivia Dagbo Communications Manager – Emmaline Scharbach

AGENDA ITEMS:

1. Call to order:

Meeting of the membership called to order at 9:20AM on Saturday, February 09^{th,} 2019.

2. Confirmation of Quorum

Quorum is declared with member associations present.

3. Adoption of Agenda

Motion: BIRT the agenda for CSA plenary be approved as presented.

Forward: CSI Second: Fleming SAC

No Discussion.

Under staff report, the President: request to add an agenda item: CSA next steps (30 minutes)

All in favor. None opposed. None abstained.

Motion carried.

4. Declaration of conflict of interest

No conflicts declared.

5. Approval of previous minutes— November , 2018

Motion: BIRT the minutes for the general meeting of the membership for November 13th, 2018 be approved as presented

Forward: CSA Second: Fleming SAC

No Discussion.

Changes:

Cambrian Student Life- Cambrian Student Council

Fee structure - is part of finance committee discussion

All in favor. None opposed. Abstained: none

Motion carried.

ITEMS FOR APPROVAL

6. Audited Financial statement

Point of Clarification was raised by SUCCI:

- **Q:** What is accounts receivable?
- A: based on membership fee revenue
- **Q:** What is general assemblies?
- A: FebCon and Maycon

Motion: BIRT the audited financial statement as presented

First:CCSAI Second: NCSA

All in favour None opposed Abstained: none

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

7. P& L Financials Update

Noting the changes in the finances.

Finance Committee Discussion

The committee had a discussion and conversation due to MTCU announcement, about the future of CSA and will brought forward and will be discussed in MayCon.

Motion: BIRT to table the recommendation of financial committee to MayCon

First:NCSA Second: SCSU

All in favour None opposed Abstained : none

8. Board Reports

Board reports provided in Plenary Package.

Ali Hassan is not in attendance, report was given by Britanny Greig. The president also explained letters of support and other ways of getting Ali Hassan to FebCon was done to get him in the conference.

9. Staff reports:

Staff reports provided in Plenary Package

Question for the General Manager:

- Q: Has CSA BoD and Staff been reaching out to non members, how are they going?
 A: The non-member school are interest, and what the CSA future is going. The Curtis Bell is also continuing to connect and have discussions with GTA schools, Niagara College and Fanshawe College, and invitations have been sent to all schools member/ non members.
- **Q**: The status of advocacy scholarships: how many application have been received.

A: 4-5 applications have been received so far

Membership wants to move the advocacy scholarships deadline for another 2 weeks

10. CSA next steps:

The President of CSA proposed to have CSA lead meetings; bi weekly presidential meetings to update the member schools with the announcements and the position of CSA in the incoming weeks.

11. Items for Next Meeting

- Fee structure
- Financial committee discussion (budget)

12. Adjournment

Motion: BIRT the 2018 November meeting of the members be adjourned at 9:53 AM on Tuesday, November 13th, 2018.

Forward: CCSAI Second: CSC

No Discussion.

All in favor. None opposed. None abstained. Motion carried.