April Meeting Minutes

- I. Attendance/ Brief Introductions
- II. New Student Groups
 - A. Secular Legal Society
 - 1. Presentation by Jagjit Nagra
 - 2. Questions
 - a) Discussed what the events would look like, lunchtime discussions perhaps.
 - b) Want, at minimum \$500.
 - c) Not sure of the interest, because they haven't done much advertising.
 - d) There is a national umbrella group, the Secular Student Alliance.
 - e) No faculty advisor yet.
 - B. Student Family Society of L & C Law School
 - 1. Presentation by Brandon Foy and Silvia Tanner
 - 2. Questions
 - a) Funding? \$1200 would be the top.
 - b) There will be some focus on students who are married or in other serious relationships.
 - c) There was some discussions about other resources for parents and how this is different.
 - d) Faculty support? Dean Spence will be advisor and suggested that some other faculty will be supportive.
 - C. Voting!
 - 1. SLS
 - a) Aye: 13
 - b) Nay: 7
 - c) Abstention: 8
 - d) Approved!
 - 2. SFS
 - a) Aye: 26
 - b) Nay: 1
 - c) Abstention: 4
 - d) Approved!
- III. Budget
 - A. Report from Maryam on remaining amounts
 - 1. General: \$1710
 - 2. Travel: \$627
 - B. SSDP Request from travel fund
 - 1. Shanna Fricklas presented info
 - 2. Voting on giving \$350 to SSDP
 - a) Aye: 20
 - b) Nay: 2
 - c) Abstention: 6

- 3. Authorize internal budget committee to approve the rest of the travel funds
 - a) Aye: 24b) Nay: 2
 - c) Abstention: 0
- C. General Funds
 - 1. Request for up to \$750 for massage therapist to come to LRC with discretion to internal budget committee.
 - a) Aye: 24b) Nay: 1
 - c) Abstention: 0
 - 2. Vote to give internal budget committee discretion to spend the rest of the money on two SBA events.
 - a) Aye: 25b) Nay: 1
 - c) Abstention: 2
- IV. Revisions to SBA Bylaws
 - A. Proposed revisions to Budgetary Rules
 - 1. Copy of this was sent to us by Maryam
 - 2. New budget guidelines.
 - B. Vote to approve bylaw revisions with changes discussed
 - 1. Aye: 24
 - 2. Nay: 0
 - 3. Abstention: 0
 - C. Separate issue, § 5.02(a)(7): salary for the NEDC clerk, we don't want to change it today, but next year's SBA should look into it.
- V. Finis!