

SBA FINANCE COMMITTEE AGENDA

October 3, 2007

Meeting discussion in italics taken by Paula Holt

I. OLD MATTERS –

a. Tae Darnell –

- i. \$250.00 airfare to Sports and Entertainment Conference in New York
 1. Was allocated last week \$400.00 for ABA conference this summer.
 - a. *Committee was apposed to funding this trip, and would prefer funding trips of students on behalf of student organizations.*
 - b. *May not able to bring back internships like he proposes, it should be the internship program that seeks these out.*
 - c. *Already funded two others to go.*

II. NEW REQUESTS –

a. Sports and Entertainment Law Journal –

- i. *Amount: \$1,000 (with the hope that most will be recouped)*
- ii. *Reason: Hockey Night, Co-Sponsor with BLS, SELS*
- iii. *SBA Account: General Funds/Student Org?*
 - a. *500 dollars would be consistent with other similar events we funded.*
 - b. *If it comes out of seed money, it would have to come back to us, on the idea that we are encouraging fundraising.*
 - i. *Not necessarily wanting to Co-sponsor on behalf of SBA*

b. Employment Law Association–

- i. *Amount: \$177.57*
- ii. *Reason: Lynn Fieger, employment attorney speaking on sexual harassment in the work place.*
 1. *50 people, chipotle (@3.55 per person)*
- iii. *SBA Account: Speaker*
 1. *Where'd get #?*
 2. *3.55 is a fair amount per person*

III. BUSINESS MATTERS –

a. By-Laws –

i. Proposed changes/caps, discussion

1. *Should require receipts of all SBA allocated funds*
2. *Next week everyone should have some written proposals*

b. Proposal to SBA –

i. Allocation of more money to Student Org account

1. *We turned down proposals due to lack of concrete plans, and we told them to come back mid-year, but we have nothing to give them when they come back.*
2. *37,000 unallocated in our budget.*
3. *Would like 20,000 – 17,000 padded into*
 - a. *Propose that we have a limit per month as to make sure we have enough all year.*
4. *It is their money they paid in student fees, the money is here for this purpose.*
5. *Nothing else pressing to spend it on.*
6. *Give detailed budget report*
7. *Looks poorly upon the SBA that we are out of student org. funds by October.*

ii. Reallocation of HLS LSF budgets