**STUDENT GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

**February 22, 2018**

**THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT TYLER**

1. **Call to order**
   * **Time: 12:30**
   * **Total members present: 4/6**
2. **National Society of Black Engineers** 
   * This organization encourages students to actively pursue their education as engineering majors and seeks to give insight into how engineering students can best improve their job opportunities and chances. The purpose of these meetings will be to prepare students for the NSBE’s national convention.
   * Original amount of money requested: $151.76
   * This money will be used to purchase pizza and soda for the meeting in order to encourage students to attend.
   * Membership fee of $25.00 annually.
   * **ALL** UT Tyler students welcome to attend the NSBE’s meetings. This organization is not restricted to students of only one race or gender and is open to everyone who is interested in attending.
   * **Goals:**
     + Around 20 students are expected to attend these meetings.
     + The NSBE typically hold meetings once a month.
     + These meetings will be advertised through student emails and fliers around campus.
   * **Motion**
     + **Motion to approve/deny organization request for $151.76**
     + *Committee approved the request unanimously*
3. **American Society of Civil Engineers**

* ASCE is requesting funds to purchase t-shirts for their members so that they can better represent their student organization to UT Tyler.
* Original amount of money requested: $500.00
* Correct amount of money needed
* This money will be used to purchase t-shirts for the ASCE student organization’s members.
* There is a membership fee of $25.00 annually.
* Although all UT Tyler students are allowed to attend the ASCE’s meetings, only members will benefit from the purchase of these shirts.
* **Goals:**
* There are around 22 members of ASCE who will benefit from this purchase.
* **Discussion**
* These shirts will only benefit the members of ASCE, rather than the entire campus.
* ASCE provided no vendor information, or template of the logo they wanted on the shirt.
* **Motion**
* **Motion to deny organization request for $500.00**
* *Committee denied request unanimously*

1. **Date of upcoming meeting: March 1, 2018**
   * Check emails if there are any changes

**\***Submitted by: Madison Jobe, SGAC Secretary