MEMBERS PRESENT: Deidre Onishi, Karen Harden, Holly Rice, Sidney McCormack, Waheed Gbadamosi, Cody Jackson, Jennifer Holland, Zeak Naifeh

ALSO PRESENT: Debbie Mefford

MEMBERS ABSENT: Colton Rancourt, Nikki Kirk

I. The meeting was called to order at 3:02 p.m.

II. Paperwork was distributed.

III. Introductions were made

IV. Jennifer Holland went over the committee’s responsibilities as stated in the Student Organizations Policies and Procedures.

V. SSC elected a chair, Waheed Gbadamosi.

VI. Jennifer Holland wanted the committee to review changes that need to be made to the SAFAC Bylaws. The changes detail that rollover funds will no longer be allowed and any remaining funding at the end of the fiscal year will be placed into the general student activity account. Additionally, title changes throughout the document will be made to refer to the appropriate title, either Dean of Student Service or Vice President for Enrollment Management and Student Success.

a. The committee approved the changes to the SAFAC Bylaws as submitted.

VII. Discussion began on the following prospective new student organizations. A memorandum from Zeak Naifeh, Director of Campus Life was presented that indicated the Office of Student Activities had reviewed the four new student organizations and recommended the organizations be approved.

a. Omega Zeta Theta: Lauren Mounts, President of Omega Zeta Theta and their advisor, Rebecca Selstad were present to answer any questions the committee might have about the organization. The committee was encouraged by the growth of Greek Life on campus. They found a typo in the constitution, Article II, had a spelling error that needed to be corrected.

i. The committee voted to approve Omega Zeta Theta with the recommended change.

b. CU Pinterest Club: Macy Garcia, the President of CU Pinterest Club, along with other representatives and their advisor, Leslie Cothren, were present to answer the committee’s question regarding the organization. The committee was quite interested in the club’s activities. The committee requested that the organization make a wording change to their constitution, Article III, Section B: “act” should be changed to “participate.”
i. The committee voted to approve CU Pinterest Club with the recommended change.

c. Cameron University Botany Club: Kathryn Parsley, President of the organization along with other representatives and their advisor, Mike Dunn, were present to answer the committee’s questions regarding the organization. The committee was impressed by the interest of the students and felt the organization would help promote learning.

i. The committee approved Cameron University Botany Club

d. Cameron Association of Magic Players: Ross Holley, President of the organization along with other representatives of the organization and the advisor, Lani Malcolm were present to answer questions regarding the organization. The committee inquired about the word Magic in the title and discovered Magic is a card game that many students enjoyed playing. The committee requested the organization make two changes to their constitution, article III, Section B: The word “act” should be changed to “participate.” And, Article V, Section B: Add a space between “nominated” and “during.”

i. The committee voted to approve Cameron Association of Magic Players with the recommended changes to their constitution.

VIII. Jennifer Holland also shared with the committee about a new service grant funding program. The committee may be charged with reviewing and approving applications.

IX. Jennifer Holland thanked the committee members for their attendance, and told them she would email all the organizations the results.

X. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 4:20 p.m.