

**UConnPIRG Core Meeting**  
Thursday February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2016  
Student Union Room 324

Attendance

*Voting members:* Abby Katz, Casey Tortal, Kharl Reynado, Jordyn Styczynski, Saman Azimi, Francesca Chan, Colleen Bogucki, Cynthia Garcia, Emmett O'Donnell, Alex Pawlak

*Nonvoting members:* Sarah Emigh, Michaela Poppick, Michelle Kim

*Guests:* Donna Farvard (Campus Organizer), Gina DeVivo-Brassaw (Advisor)

Meeting called to order at 7:05 by chair Jordyn Styczynski

I. Introductions

II. Overview of Agenda

III. Reaffirmation Drive Overview

A. Field Work Update - Donna Farvard

- i. Have talked to 17% of campus as of today 2/25 (over 3,000 students)
  - a. Observations
    1. Poor weather held us back – prevented us from accessing Fairfield Way
    2. At this point we are starting to saturate campus
  - b. Tactics Debrief
    1. Tactics were effective → Reinforce waving
    2. Most people felt good about the work

B. Get Out the Vote (GOTV) Drive Plans - Donna Farvard

- i. 50 hours of phonebanking Monday, 30 hours Tuesday to hit goal
- ii. Databasing session 6:00 – 9:00 PM on Monday 2/29
- iii. Social Media and Campus Relations - Saman Azimi
  - a. Everyone will adopt new Facebook profile pictures/cover photos on Wednesday
  - b. If you are in another student organization, tell Saman so he can get in touch and coordinate endorsements/member activation
    1. Alex – Outing Club
    2. Michelle – Covenant Chapel Fellowship
    3. Casey L. – SSDP
    4. Michaela – EcoHusky, Wildlife Society, Beekeeping Club
    5. Emmett – Bad Movie Club
    6. Kharl – Filipino Student Association
    7. Cindy – Wildlife Society

C. Reimbursements

- i. Saman entertains a motion to reimburse Jordyn Styczynski \$42.90 for the purchase of hot chocolate and apple cider for the Solar Campaign Solar Café on 11/6
  - a. Jordyn recuses herself from the vote
  - b. Abby motions
  - c. Alex seconds

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- d. Passes unanimously
- ii. Jordyn entertains a motion to reimburse Donna Farvard \$14.86 for the purchase of spray paint for painting the rock during the kickoff meeting visibility blitz
  - a. Saman motions
  - b. Francesca seconds
  - c. Passes unanimously
- iii. Jordyn entertains a motion to reimburse the UConn Co-op for \$4.94 for printer paper purchased 2/2, \$62.79 (\$52.55 for color printer ink and organizational supplies and \$10.24 for Save the Bees Campaign propmaking supplies) purchased 2/19, and \$16.95 for black printer ink purchased 2/24
  - a. Saman motions
  - b. Alex seconds
  - c. Passes unanimously

Submitted by Saman Azimi