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1. Standard procedure (18 min total)
 - a. Roll Call (Charlotte Selover, 3 minutes)
 - b. President's Report (Stephen Daniels, 10 minutes)
 - i. Upcoming Meetings
 1. CPUC tomorrow (2/20)
 2. 1 on 1 with VP Calhoun
 3. 1 on 1 with Dean Dunne
 4. VP Klaus (University Services)
 5. AVP Siddiqui (Campus Dining)
 6. Nic Voge (Supporting students with religious absences)
 - ii. Expansion and Dining
 1. Dining halls are significantly busier
 2. More expansion coming with Class of 27
 3. Possible solutions
 - a. Frist Gallery
 - b. Food trucks
 - c. Temporary expansion of spaces
 - iii. Something fun!
 1. Eagles lost :(
 - c. Questions and Comments (5 minutes)
 - i. Uma: The DEI Committee will be hosting a workshop with the CJL on inclusion and antisemitism. Thank you to Judah for helping to organize the event. We will be sending out info soon and please come if you can.
 - ii. Stephen: I've appointed Dillion to serve as U Council Chair
2. Committee member approvals (2 minutes)
 - a. Judah Guggenheim motions for a vote, Braiden Aaronson seconds
 - i. Vote: 23 in favor, 0 against, 2 abstaining
 - ii. *The vote passes*
3. Committee Chair presentations (10 minutes)
 - ☐ Committee Chair Slides
 - a. Social
 - i. Lawnparties
 1. In process of announcing date and sending bid letters
 - ii. Dean's Date Celebration
 - b. USLC



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- i. Ned: Are there any updates on the Campus Pub?
 - ii. Braiden: Have there been particular developments with campus safety?
 1. Cait: VP Calhoun has not given many updates. They are working on lighting and planning to release a Google Form where you can report outages or places where lighting is lacking
 - iii. Noah: The Mental Health Initiative has worked with Campus Club to set up a wellness space, but there were issues with it, so we should connect on that
- c. DEI
- i. Samiksha: Does TigerHub gender students?
 1. Uma: Yes. We are talking about the administration and faculty who can see your profile and pronouns. It's about the faculty side, not the student side. We want to make it so that you can add your pronouns and professors will be able to see without you having to have a conversation with them about your pronouns since they will already know
- d. CCA
- i. Ned: I've heard that Pay with Points can be used to pay for sophomore dues for students in Eating Clubs. How does that work?
 1. Stephen: That is true. You'd have a max of \$300 that could be applied from Pay with Points, if you didn't use any from the fall or spring.
- e. Communications
- i. Aishwarya: Is there going to be a process for getting information on the newsletter or Instagram?
 1. Yes, we are going to have a form for you to fill out
- f. Academics
- g. Sustainability
4. Projects Board approval vote (5 minutes)
- a. Walker: What is the allocation?
 - i. Melissa: There will be \$1100 coming from USG
 - b. Aishwarya: What do you expect attendance to be?
 - i. Very high
 - c. Avi: I know the guy that they want to bring here for this event and he's really funny and highly recommended. This would be a great success
 - d. Stephen: What is the communications strategy to students?



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- i. It will primarily be posters and social media and hopefully included in the CJL newsletter. There might also be a co sponsorship with Whig Clio
 - e. Daniel: Will the show be free to attend?
 - i. Yes
 - f. Genevieve: Which budget does this come out of?
 - i. It comes from the pre approved Projects Board budget. We have to vote simply because it's greater than an \$1000 dollar allocation
 - g. Sean Bradley motions for a vote, Uma Fox seconds
 - i. 23 in favor, 0 against, 2 abstaining
 - ii. *The vote passes*
5. Second budget approval vote (Walker Penfield, 3 minutes)
 - a. Braiden: Has the budget been changed since last week?
 - i. Walker: No
 - b. Walker Penfield motions for a vote, Braiden Aaronson seconds
 - i. 23 in favor, 0 opposed, 2 abstaining
 - ii. *The vote passes*
6. MHI Renewal Vote (5 minutes)
 - a. Advocating for Students
 - i. Clarifying University policies
 - ii. Expanding Mental Health week
 - iii. Working with TigerWell
 - b. Looking forward
 - i. COS 333 Website
 - ii. Working with SHAC/CPS more finely
 - iii. Communication with admin on what Mental Health week is and how to address it
 - c. Projects
 - i. Wintersession on MH
 - ii. Collaborate with Body Positivity
 - iii. More advertisement on what the group is and how to connect students with the people for their projects
 - d. Goals
 - i. Expand policies and projects
 - ii. Passive access to MH resources
 - e. Stephen: To be clear, while we are moving towards a core committee, today we are just voting to make this an ad hoc committee



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- f. Aishwarya: With the Princeton Perspective Project, would you combine websites with what's already there?
 - i. Noah: We haven't heard from PPP in a while, but we will be in touch with them
 - g. Sean: Have there been conversations about providing the support resources form to students in bathrooms or other places?
 - i. Noah: We should do that and will look into it
 - h. Genevieve: What would this look like as a Core Committee?
 - i. Stephen: It would make a lot of sense, we've always had groups for it and it depends on administration to administration how this group operates. It's always a priority for USG and having one body for it would be valuable. It would lead to more long term progress then one off task forces. There is no timeline right now, but we know that process would require the draft of a charter and then possibly a referendum.
 - i. Mariam: How do you get feedback?
 - i. Noah: The luncheons have been our main source of feedback because we get to talk to students. We learn what they want from MHI and Princeton in general
 - j. Sean Bradley motions for a vote, Ned Dockery seconds
 - i. 23 in favor, 0 opposed, 2 abstaining
 - ii. *The vote passes*
7. Discussion of Mental Health Work Organization (20 Minutes)
- a. Policy
 - i. Using existing resources
 - 1. Working with data team
 - ii. Pass mental health support
 - iii. More info in annual DEI report
 - iv. Leave policy
 - b. Programming
 - i. Luncheons
 - 1. Two this semester, plus a dinner
 - ii. Mental health week
 - iii. Publicizing TigerWell
 - iv. Aishwarya has been leading Inter-Ivy coalition