Minutes of MATC EC Meetings  
December 5, 2007  

Location: Angell Hall Classroom  

1st EC Meeting  

EC Members Present: Stephen, Bob, Ciro, Heather and Lisa  
Quorum was met.  
Call to Order: Stephen called the meeting to order at 8:30 PM  
Call and set agenda:  
1. Deadline to not accept further contentions for EC candidates.  
2. Review recent contention of Aleric’s teaching dance lessons.  
3. Revote to hold elections on December 5, 2007 at 9:00 PM – 10:00 PM  
4. Decide on which ballot set to use.  
5. Decide if the EC will count ballots after the election or wait.  
6. Campaign Zone discussion revisited.  
Motion to set and approve the agenda. Motion approved.  

1. Discussion and motion to not accept further contentions for EC candidates after 9:00 PM on December 5, 2007. Motion approved and signs posted in the hallway next to the door of the election room.  

2. The EC called Vice Presidential candidate to the meeting room to discuss the contention regarding his experiences teaching paid dance lessons both inside and outside the club operations. Candidate reaffirmed that the MATC Board has approved the teaching of dance lessons within club operations. Candidate then responded to all EC member questions. Motion: EC reviewed the dance lesson teaching complaint as of 12-05-07 and found the notation on the election ballot for this candidate satisfactory. The complaint was dismissed. Motion approved.  

3. Discussion and motion to hold club elections on December 5, 2007. Approved  

4. Decide on which ballot set to use of pre-printed ballots regarding any contentions on candidates. Discussion and motion to use the pre-printed ballot set which indicates the eligibility of one candidate’s application is still under reviewed. Motion approved. Candidate’s eligibility contention reason was posted during the elections.  

5. Discussion and motion to count ballots after election polling is completed at 10:00 PM. Motion approved.  

6. Campaign Zone discussion revisited. Discussion and motion of not posting Campaign Zone restriction signs in hallway unless negative comments are heard or written materials are distributed. Motion approved – 1 abstention.  

Meeting was adjourned at 8:52 PM  

Club elections were held between 9:00 PM – 10:00 PM
2nd EC Meeting

Location: Angell Hall Classroom
EC Members Present: Stephen, Bob, Ciro, Heather and Lisa
Quorum was met.
Call to Order: Stephen called the meeting to order at 10:02 PM
Call and set agenda:
   1. Verify 20% of club members voted per club constitution.
   2. Discuss the contention regarding Aleric Soan’s candidate application status.
   3. Call to count the ballots.
Motion to set and approve the agenda. Motion approved.

1. Discussion on the verification of 20% of club members voting to meet the club constitution requirements. 33 members checked in to vote out of 79 members on MATC Voter Registration List. 41% of members voted in the election thus meeting the requirements of Section V.1-f(iv) Validation of Election. Motion to approve statement. Motion approved.

2. Discussion and motion to defer the Vice President election candidate decision and get more information from the community regarding the contention on Aleric Soans by Luigi Franchi sent in an email to the Election Committee on Tuesday, December 4, 2007 at 5:30 PM with twelve attachments. The committee chose to obtain information from the community by sending emails to selected people to include the aforementioned persons. Once the EC emails are sent out, then the community members have a deadline of Sunday December 9, 2007 at 12:00 Noon to respond to all group and or individual Election Committee members questions. Motion approved.

3. Call to count election ballots. 33 ballots were counted and this number matches the 33 members checked off on the voter registration list. The ballots were counted and recounted twice.

Election Winners are:

   President - Hirak Parikh
   Treasurer – Solveig Heinz
   Registration Officer - Rahul Mhaskar
   Director of Operations - Anjali Purkayastha

Vice President election results to be announced later.

Current election results minus the Vice President candidate election decision were verified and placed in an envelope which was signed and sealed by various EC members. One copy is to be sent to SAL and the other copy is for MATC records.

Election Committee Chair made announcement to the club members present at the Practica of the current election results.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:20 PM.