

ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
ROCHESTER 8, NEW YORK

STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
November 28, 1960

The meeting was called to order by President John Beusch at 6:00 p.m. Roll was taken and the following were not present:

ART & DESIGN
Gene DePrez

ELECTRICAL
Jim Coleman
Harry Standhart

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Andy DeMarco

OFFICERS & DIV. HEAD
Janet Ross
Al Vezza

CHEMISTRY
Joe Barr

The minutes were dispensed.

DIVISION REPORTS

PUBLICATIONS &
PUBLICITY

Herb Johnson reported the Student Directory will be printed at R.I.T. starting November 29th and will probably be available before Christmas vacation.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

LOAN FUND

Jim Coleman discussed the present loan funds available to the students at present. He presented the committee's proposal for the Student Loan Fund program which is:

1. Applicant for loan must be a member of the Student Association, and a full time student at the Institute.
2. Loans are available to upperclassmen only.
3. Student may borrow during any school year an amount not to exceed one quarters tuition.
4. In general loans will be used to directly defray the tuition, but may, in special cases, be available wholly or partly in cash.
5. Loan may be obtained for a period of one year with repayment urged before due date if at all possible, but must be completely repaid one year from borrowing date.
6. There will be a \$3.00 service charge on all loans.
7. New loans will be available immediately upon repayment of existing loans.
8. The present surplus fund of 14,779 dollars is to be used for this loan fund. This sum may be modified in the future if necessary.
9. Initially up to $\frac{1}{2}$ of the available funds will be loaned during the first half of the school year 60-61 (present till March 1). The remainder to be loaned in the remaining portion of the school year.

LOAN FUND (Cont'd)

Method of Granting Loan

1. Standard Institute forms are to be used for loan applications.
2. Application is to be made to the Bursar of the Institute.
3. The Federal Loan Committee of the Institute will evaluate applications, keep records, and make collections of all loans under this plan.
4. Suggested criteria for final approval by the committee are:

Minimum grade point average of 2.2
General attitude of applicant.

It was then moved "that these proposals be adopted." George Murray moved to amend the main motion by deleting section 4 on pg. 1. The amendment was voted upon and defeated unanimously. Charles Decker moved "to table the motion until next week." The motion to table was voted upon and passed.

A point of personal privilege was asked for by Doug Strait. He resolved "that Student Council go on record as condoning the actions of our President in relinquishing one said Sigma Pi fraternity pin to one Miss Donna Williams over the Thanksgiving weekend and further resolve that if not careful he will not have as much to be thankful for next year." The resolution was passed.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:30p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim Anderson, Acting Secretary