

UCC Campus Community Alliance

Minutes of Meeting of  
October 25, 1983

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In Attendance:

Mike Howlett-GSS  
Julie Balfour-Law School  
Ted Bryne- AUCE  
George Hermanson- Chaplains/CCCM  
Judith Wright- Geography  
Horacio de la Cueva- TA Union  
Lisa Hebert- AMS  
Margaret Copping- AMS  
Andre Sobolewski- Chair  
John Black- TAU  
Fairleigh Wettig- AUCE  
N. Mayer- LSAB  
Kevin Annett- LSAB

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- 1) Meeting began 12:30
- 2) Agenda adopted
- 3) Discussion of TAU Letter and AMS response moved into Committee of the Whole on the suggestion of George Hermanson. It was resolved not to receive the letters and to return to a full meeting.

- 4) Moved by Mike Howlett and seconded by George Hermanson:

That in future all Alliance decisions be taken by Committees and that all individual members act only through a majority decision of the committee or of the organizations involved in the Alliance. Quorum shall be 50% plus one of the member organizations of the Alliance

CARRIED

- 5) Treasurers report- Donations at the Rally amounted to \$168. After deducting \$27 to purchase beer for the firefighters this leaves us \$208 in the bank.
- 6) Statement from Law Students Against the Budget. The LSAB have joined the Alliance and have planned several events including a meeting at 213 SUB Wednesday Oct. 26 12:30 to plan strategy (all Alliance reps invited) and an information seminar with Anne Jensen, Bill Black, Jean Swanson and Katy Young for Law 101-102 Thursday Oct 27 12:30.

- 7) Report from Senior Public Sector Negotiators. Votes taken on general strike supporting BCGEU and condemning Operation Solidarity stance re attacking only Bills 2 and 3. Senior Negotiators recommending to Operation Solidarity that All legislation be repealed or withdrawn. BCTF, CUPE, HEU, OTEU, WCB and several college faculty associations finished or in process of conducting strike votes or voting to support general strike/BCGEU.
- 8) Report from Lower Mainland Solidarity Coalition. Opinion is Operations Solidarity looking to support Forest Industry BCGEU. Will not initiate action unless these two attacked. LMSC endorsed Operation Solidarity five week progressive strike plan.

Week I - BCGEU  
 Week II- Education  
 Week III Crown Agencies  
 Week IV- Civic and Transport  
 Week V- Health

- 10) Discussion of post-November 1 strategy: Some discussion of advantages/disadvantages in closing university down. Some concern over BCGEU campus actions and plans of Faculty Association. TAU, CUPE 116 in a legal position to strike. Discussion of need for education of campus community and possibility of one-day teach-in type activity. Resolved that BCGEU, Pederson and Pavlich be approached re their plans and Moved by Mike Howlett and seconded by Horacio de la Cueva

That the co-ordinating Committee of the Alliance ratify the Operation Solidarity plan for job action and organize a two stage plan of action calling for first education activities and then campus political action.

CARRIED- Lisa Hebert abstention recorded

- 11) Resolved that an education committee be struck to inform the university community of the issues involved in the July 7 budget/legislation package and of the strategy adopted by the UBC CCA to deal with it. The Committee to be composed of Devin Annett, Ted Bryne, Andre Sobolewski and George Hermanson. The Co-ordinating Committee will act to develop political action.
- 12) Next meeting set for Friday October 29 2:30 Lutheran Centre
- 13) Meeting adjourned 2:30