

Governance Zone Meeting

17 November 2017

Membership Services

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Attending: Osaro Otobo, President (OO), Connor Massey, Chair Welfare & Community Zone (CM)

1. Apologies

Kym Cardona, Councillor for Scrutiny (KC), Ashley Pattison, Chair Union Council (AP)

2. Minutes of previous meeting

The minutes were approved as a correct record.

3. Reports

A. President

OO talked about the democracy workshop that was done at Union Council with the part-time officers and that it was interesting to see the Officer Team have similar values to the part-time officers.

OO mentioned the election brainstorm focus group that took place with the Officer Team and some part-time officers. She said it is really important to make sure we have the marketing as relevant and interesting as possible to get more people running for positions.

OO mentioned the work she is doing on the Race Equality Charter with the University. She said that HUU are helping with getting focus groups in to shape what the Race Equality Charter should look like.

OO also said that currently she is busy with Chief Executive recruitment.

B. Chair Union Council

No report submitted.

C. Chair Welfare & Community Zone

CM talked about being involved in the democracy workshop and the election brainstorm focus group and said that both were interesting and that he was happy to take part in them.

CM mentioned that he has been busy with promoting events and having posters designed for them. CM has been organising events like Worlds Aids Day, Trans Day of Remembrance and

Haven Hangout, as well as doing office hours. CM said that many events have been planned and that the main drive for him is promotion.

5. AOB: Union Council Social

OO asked CM about what the plan was for Union council socials as she is aware that both CM and AP wanted to organise something. CM said that since all the part-time officers are invited to the HUU Christmas party then it makes sense for all of them to go to that and then they can organise socials for the future.