

Student Technology Meeting:

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Meeting Called to order:

Budget Information/are we able to save money anywhere?

If we quit providing a service "x" Can it be a temporary elimination – and bring back when we can afford? May or May Not

Student Virtual Office: is it used much here? VO server is up for recycling – can last another year.

Becoming Minority Campus on NOVEL

-Should we be thinking about switching to Microsoft (MnSCU switching to Microsoft)

-ugly part of transition is time and equipment/license/training/

IDEAS: Are there any services we can afford to cut out.

-600,000 in tech fees per year – about 50,000 towards workstudy 2 per campus

-Evening Help Desk in EGF?

-Positive thing for late student workers (ITV assistance)

-Seems like beginning of semester is the need for assistance – there after instructors are comfortable

-Faculty are looking a lot at evening schedules to enhance enrollment

Priority List:

-329,000 IT positions

-12,920 Campus agreement

- Infrastructure not done yet

-Computer lab replacements (3 labs in TRF) Laptop cart in EGF

-Symantic covered

-Student printers okay

-FBM – 35,000 not sure how much is spent

-Cyber Area done

-Aviation not done

-Majority done on Priority list

To assist in the de-funding of State Dollars, Student Tech fees could assist in paying towards IT salary to maintain student helpdesks. The amount would be \$50,000 for this past year.

Any comments on the budget or problems with an amount of Tech Fees going towards Tech Staff

We may have more de funding

-EGF could cut back to 1 temp in the fall

-(8 weeks/40 hrs week \$20 hour) - \$6400 cut back

-Could possibly put IT back to Workstudy wage

-ITV rooms in EGF – looking at 50,000 not 30,000

-Regular technology budget – recycling is done

-Servers/switches etc that we haven't done yet

-Projector replacement; need to replace about 6 – Will have to look at what money is left at the end of the year.

-Recycling plan – can we go 4 years on computers for labs?

-How do you determine which computers need replacing

-Laptop cart has Vista

-Are we going to require everyone go to vista – won't upgrade the old computers – all new ones will have vista

Budget IDEA forum to increase budget etc.

Budget IDEA survey- make sure to submit budget ideas.