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AVP Municipal Affairs

TO: Members of the Student Representative Assembly

FROM: Kerry Yang

SUBJECT: SRA 23H Report DATE: October 10, 2023

Dear members of the SRA,

I hope you've all had a restful Thanksgiving and Reading Week and are ready for another midterm season. I'm happy to present the Municipal Affairs report for SRA 23H.

Progress on Yearplan

Currently, the Education team (AVP Municipal affairs, AVP Provincial & Federal Affairs, and VP Education) are working together to determine priorities for the year and align our goals. This has been a priority to create realistic and productive year plans before engaging a committee in these goals.

Current Events, Projects, & Activities

This year, the Education team has worked very collaborative on all projects. Our goals are to wrap up AVP University Affairs hiring, as well as hiring for Research Assistants and the Advocacy Coordinator. These hirings are overdue and we'd like to have a full team to work towards our Education team goals.

In terms of committee projects, we're about to start a community engagement project in collaboration with the Provincial & Federal Affairs Committee. The project aims to get McMaster student out in the Hamilton community to explore local events, businesses, and experiences. The Municipal Affairs committee is planning to meet this week to discuss plans for the project.

Successes

The education team has developed a strong team dynamic to work towards goals. We've also successfully found a collaboration opportunity with the PFA committee that committee members can easily engage in.

Current Challenges

It's been a challenge to coordinate with the Education team to get planning done to get year plans finished, but we're on track to get it done within this month. I'd also like to establish a regular time for the committee to meet.

Best.

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