



Students' Society of McGill University
Association étudiante de l'Université McGill

Office of the Speakers
Bureau de Présidents du Conseil

Motion Regarding SSMU Musicians Collective Becoming a SSMU Service

Whereas, the SSMU Musicians Collective provides a valuable service to students;

Whereas, this service consists of connecting McGill students with each other, with resources to play and learn instruments, and of performance opportunities and collaborations with other SSMU clubs;

Whereas, currently the SSMU does not offer any such service;

Whereas, the SSMU Musicians Collective fits under the definition of a service, which is:

4.1 "Services" are formal and accredited organizations composed of members of the Students' Society whose main function is to provide ongoing services to students and others in the McGill community.

4.1.1 Without prejudice to the generality of Art. 4.1, services provided may include those providing awareness, referral, education and support; however, provision of awareness alone is not sufficient to qualify an organization as a Service.

4.1.2 Services provided should not be those which SSMU would otherwise provide.

4.1.3 Receipt of services should not be contingent upon, or tied to, membership or the holding of an executive office in the Service. Services provided should, subject to financial and logistical constraints, be made available to all members of the Students' Society.

Whereas, the Interest Group Committee and Executive Committee both strongly recommend that the SSMU Musicians' Collective be made a service;

Resolved, that the SSMU Musicians Collective be made a service, effective immediately;

Resolved, that the Finance Committee, in conjunction with the VP (Finance and Operations) and the VP (Clubs and Services) solicit a budget proposal from the SSMU Musicians' Collective, in order to consider it in the formulation of the 2012-2013 budget.

Submitted by:

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