THE 6% AX: GSU CUTS BACK - TELEPHONED FROM SPRINGFIELD BY BILL ENGBRETSON...On Wednesday, June 18, the House Appropriations Committee voted "do pass" on the first reading of the Board of Governors appropriations bill at the level recommended by the BHE in January. That bill includes the GSU budget. It is our understanding that Governor Walker's proposed 6% cutback will go into operation by some "impoundment" procedure to be established by the democratic leadership in the House and the Senate. Internally, our earlier budget based on the 5.4% increase as recommended by the BHE is almost finalized. Since the Governor's speech of last Wednesday, we have developed budget alternative #2, the 6% cutback level, which will be completed hopefully by next Tuesday. It is my expectancy that we will have to operate on the 6% cutback level, which is a functional decrease in the general revenue portion of our budget for FY76. This makes our proposed gain in the income fund doubly crucial, if we are to be able to expend the funds appropriated for the next fiscal year.

Our goal in deliberating over the proposed 6% cutback was to retain our permanent employees who are not on "soft money" grants and to preserve our proposed salary increases. We can attain these goals in our alternative #2 plan, although we have had to cut back most replacement and new positions and reduce all other lines in the budget to absolutely minimal levels. We will need to continue to conserve everything that we can to accommodate our increased enrollment and to protect our salary increases. I call upon your cooperation to these desirable ends. We will keep you informed as well as we are able as matters in Springfield proceed.

June 23, 1975

SUMMER THEATER TRYOUTS...for GSU's Summer Repertory Theater Program have been scheduled for June 23, 24, and 25 at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. in the Drama Workshop. Two plays will be alternately presented in the program: a modern version of Lewis Carroll's "Alice in Wonderland," designed to entertain and intrigue adults as well as children, and Tennessee William's award-winning success, "The Glass Menagerie." Both adults and junior and senior high school students will make up the varied cast of "Alice in Wonderland," while the four roles in "The Glass Menagerie" offer adult actors and actresses a provocative challenge.

"Alice in Wonderland" will be directed by Temmie Gilbert and David Reeve and "The Glass Menagerie" by Mel Slott, all professors of theater at GSU. The plays will be presented in the GSU theater August 8 thru August 24. For further info concerning auditions, call ext. 2119.

BOG CALENDAR FY76

1975
July 30-31 Chicago State Univ.
September 17-18 Western Illinois Univ.
October 15-16 Eastern Illinois Univ.
November 19-20 Northeastern Illinois Univ.

1976
January 14-15 Old State Capitol - Spfld.
February 18-19 Chicago State Univ.
March 17-18 Governors State Univ.
April 14-15 Springfield
May 19-20 Springfield
June 16-17 Springfield
FAR EAST REVISITED...The USO has again selected GSU to entertain American troops in the Far East. Korea, Japan, Okinawa, Taiwan, the Philippines, and Guam will be visited on the eight-week tour by the GSU-USO show beginning in October, 1975. All travel expenses, including a per diem, will be paid by the United States Department of Defense. Alfonso Sherman (CCS) will act as tour director. Dr. Sherman also directed "Ethnic Soul '72," the first GSU-USO show tour of the Far East, and the Southern University USO show tour, "Creole Varieties," in 1968. Announcements will be given in a few weeks regarding auditions for singers, dancers, and musicians. For further info, contact Dr. Sherman at x2441.

YOU'RE ALL INVITED...The newly formed Governors State University Alumni Association has launched its membership drive. Full member status is available to alumni who hold a degree from GSU. With payment of $10 annual dues, the full member is extended full privileges of the Association, including the right to vote at business meetings and to hold office. Associate membership is open to members of the GSU community, with all privileges except franchise and board membership. The Association is sponsoring a picnic June 29 on the GSU campus. The Alumni Family Day Picnic is planned from 2 to 6 p.m. The 1,500 GSU alumni, all GSU students and members of the university community and their families are invited to bring a picnic dinner and enjoy the campus swimming and sports facilities.

COMMUNITY SERVICE RESOURCES MEET...A Chicago south suburban meeting on the organization of community service resources will be held at CSU on June 21. Dr. Leonard Borman, associate with the NU Center for Urban Affairs, will speak. The Community and Economic Development Association of Cook County and GSU will sponsor the meeting from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the GSU Community Conference Center. Lunch will be served. Representatives from business, government, health, education, social, and industrial groups will act as panelists and participants for a day of intense planning. For more info, call x2346.

"BEHIND EVERY SUCCESSFUL MAN IS A WOMAN"?? Titles the forum to be held at GSU June 26, at 1 p.m. in the CCC. Audience participation is invited for the forum sponsored by Student Services Counseling. Guest speaker will be Dr. Deloris M. Saunders, former HLD professor. Come and voice your opinion.

DID YOU KNOW?...that Lowell Culver (BPS) played a major role in the recent establishment of a Will County Public Aid Food Stamp outlet in the East Will County area? The new service will save many recipients a 60-mile round trip from East Will County to Joliet made without public transportation. Culver is chairman of the long-range planning group of the East Will County Committee of the Family Counseling Agency which is now making its office in Crete available on Wednesdays for the food stamp service free of charge...That the number of community colleges in Illinois has more than doubled in the past 10 years, according to the Fifth Biennial Report of the Illinois Community College Board to the Governor and General Assembly. In 1965 there were 23 campuses operated in 16 districts, all but one of which was also a common school district. There are now 48 campuses in the state operated by 39 independent community college districts. In 1965 student enrollment was 66,217. This year there are 327,710 students, 267,179 of whom are enrolled in instructional credit classes. Some 60,000 are in noncredit community education classes. Full-time students in credit courses numbered 78,817 and 188,362 are part-time students. During FY74 community college cost per credit hour on a statewide basis was $52.24. Local taxes provided 43.1% of the costs; state taxes, 36.7%; student tuition, 16.1%; federal funds, 2.5%; and other sources, 1.6%...That The Journal of Higher Education comments on the competence-based curriculum of GSU in an article "What is a Competence-based Curriculum in the Liberal Arts" by Bob Knott of Mars Hill College in North Carolina. Mars Hill College also has programs that are completely competence-based.

WANTED: ALL STUDENTS, FACULTY, CIVIL SERVICE, AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL...YOUR CONSTITUTION is up for ratification June 19-25. Your vote is vital in determining future GSU governance. Please cast your ballot. Polls are now open: 10:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. weekdays, 8:30 a.m. to noon on Saturday, in the Information Office. Also to be decided at the polls by STUDENT vote, is the new BOG student rep from GSU. Five students are in the running for this position: Greg J. DeBartolo (BPS), James A. Sanders (CCS), Grant E. Steeve (EAS), John V. Moran (HLD), Lincoln Ashford (HLD).
FY75 DEADLINES & INVENTORY CLOSINGS...To comply with audit requirements, dates for year-end inventorying of Central Stores, Central Duplication and the Bookstore have been scheduled, establishing cut-off deadlines for FY75 charges.

Central Duplication will continue to receive Job Requests to be charged against FY75 budgets until 5:00 p.m., June 26, 1975. Job Requests received after this date will automatically be charged to FY76 budgets. Charges for copier services will follow the same schedule. Central Duplicating will be closed 3:00-5:00 p.m., June 27, 1975, for inventory purposes.

Central Stores will continue to receive Order Forms to be filled and charged to FY75 budgets until 5:00 p.m., June 27, 1975. All Order Forms received after this date will be automatically charged to FY76 budgets. Central Stores will be closed all day June 30, 1975 for inventory purposes.

The Bookstore will be closed for inventory all day, June 25, 1975.

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PRICE TUNION

"But all I did was ask for a dime!"

GSUings...BOB JENSEN (BO) returning from two weeks active duty with the Naval Air Reserve at the Naval Air Station in Glenview, Ill. and Bermuda...ROY COGDELL (HLD) invited to serve on the Advisory Council on Financial Aid to Students of the Office of Education as a 3-year appointment...SANDRA WHITAKER (HLD) giving a presentation to the clinical staff of Manteno and Kankakee hospitals. Topic will be a critique of the book 'SEX and the INTELLIGENT WOMAN'...ALFONSO SHERMAN (CCS) selected to appear in WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA.

A PUBLIC AUCTION...to raise funds for handicapped suburban children will be held Sunday, July 26, at Park Forest Plaza. Sponsor of the auction, which begins at 11 a.m., is the Park Forest Rotary Club, which holds an annual fund-raising event each year for the benefit of children. All sale items will be donated by local individuals and businesses. Included will be services; new and used items such as furniture, recreation equipment and housewares; gift certificates; and collectibles, primitives and antiques.

Professional auctioneer RAY KIEFER (BO) will donate his time to the charitable effort.

Major beneficiary of this year's auction will be the SPEED School in Chicago Heights. For more info, contact Bob Wolf or Kathy Harder, 747-3600.

APPROPRIATE/INAPPROPRIATE USE OF TEST INFORMATION...will be discussed by Michael Mulligan, an ACT representative for Michigan and Wisconsin with four years in the field of practical application, in the Community Conference Center on June 25, 1975, at 1:30 p.m. The presentation is sponsored by Student Services.

SOME 'INAPPROPRIATE' BUT 'REAL' DEFINITIONS

A PROGRAM — Any assignment that can't be completed by one telephone call.

NOTE AND INITIAL — Let's spread the responsibility for this...

NO ONE AVAILABLE — We're too busy to promote it, anyway.

TO EXPEDITE — To confound confusion with commotion.

COORDINATOR — The guy who has the desk between two expediter.

UNDER CONSIDERATION — Never heard of it.

UNDER ACTIVE CONSIDERATION — We're looking for it in the files.

GIVE US THE BENEFIT, OF YOUR THINKING — We'll listen to what you have to say if it doesn't conflict with what we have to do.

LET'S GET TOGETHER ON THIS — I'm assuming that you're as confused as I am.

SEE ME, OR LET'S DISCUSS — Come down to the office; I'm lonesome.

UNIMPEACHABLE SOURCE — The guy who started the rumor.

RELIABLE SOURCE — The guy you last met.

CONSULTANT (or Expert) — Any ordinary guy more than fifty miles from home.

RE-ORIENTATION — Getting used to working again.

A MEETING — Mass mulling by the masterminds.

A CONFERENCE — A place where talk is substituted for the dreariness of work and the loneliness of thought.

TO GIVE SOMEONE THE PICTURE — A long, confused, and inaccurate statement to a newcomer.
MONDAY, June 23
8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
Area Service Center Summer Institute (CCC)

TUESDAY, June 24
4:00 p.m.
Dr. Engbretson meeting with Civil Service Staff (CCC)
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Women's Swim (Pool)

WEDNESDAY, June 25
8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
Area Service Center Summer Institute (CCC)
12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.
Theology for Lunch (D1120)
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Guided Tours of Markham Prairie (front door)
1:30 p.m.
Mike Mulligan speaks on Test Information (CCC)
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
GSU Film Society (CCC)

THURSDAY, June 26
8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
Area Service Center Summer Institute (CCC)
1:00 p.m.
"Behind Every Successful Man is a Woman" (CCC)
3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
University Assembly (CCC)

FRIDAY, June 27
8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
Area Service Center Summer Institute (CCC)

SATURDAY, June 28

SUNDAY, June 29
2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
"Come Home: Family Day Picnic"

DIAL "INFO LINE" 534-0033 FOR RECORDED UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.