

The Operations Committee met once this month and, in addition to approving agendas and minutes, the Committee covered the following items:

Soapstand

The Committee has spoken to the AVP Sustainability multiple times and the founder of Soapstand once about the Soapstand project that AMS Sustainability has been working on for several years. Soapstand sells zero-waste soap refill stations. After asking the AVP Sustainability some final questions about the project at the July meeting, the Committee voted to approve the allocation of \$6,800 from the Student Union Building Repairs and Replacement Fund for the purpose of funding the pilot of the Soapstand project.

Clubs Catering Discussion from Finance Committee

As a result of a motion from the Finance Committee, the Committee discussed the possibility of an AMS Policy requiring all Clubs with at least a certain membership size to use AMS Catering services. Based on initial discussion, the Committee considered how such a policy could benefit but was not generally in favour of it.

Club Name Change

A Club requested an exception to the Club name rules outlined in the Operations Committee Policy Manual. The Committee decided not to grant the exception on the basis that, in addition to there being no Club-specific reason for exception, the requested new name contained a protected title.

Items brought to Council

- None