

IFC allocates additional funds for child care service

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The Incidental Fee Committee released \$8,000 in appropriated funds for child care subsidies at a hearing Thursday.

Because the committee lacked a quorum, it suspended its voting rules in order to consider the measure. The three members present voted unanimously to approve the additional funding.

The amount was initially appropriated at a January 13 IFC child care hearing but was withheld pending a second vote spring term.

The increase in students using the University child care facilities caused rapid depletion of the child care budget, said Jim Randall, IFC chairman. Without the additional increase, the child care center would have

been forced to implement across-the-board cuts in student subsidies or eliminate students with the lowest need level, he said.

The child care services are more than adequate, Randall said. However, he questioned why the services provided by the University cost more than child care services provided by the private sector.

The Child Care Task Force, an ASUO and EMU Board joint project, was set up specifically to look into University child care costs. The task force will not begin to meet formally until after the IFC budget hearings, Randall said.

"We need to look at the whole picture before allocating more funding. We need concrete answers to these problems," he said. The task force will convene

in May, Randall said.

Students receive a 39 percent average subsidy for child care. In general, cost for child care averages from \$185-220 a month, he said.

In other business, the student drama group Theater 4:30 received \$761 in funding for the 1986-87 school year. The allocation will pay for administrative, production and royalty costs for the group's productions.

Theater 4:30 helps provide students acting and directing experience, supporters said.

In an appeal hearing, the Repertory Dancers group was denied additional funding. It had requested \$2,500 for guest professional artists and \$535 for costumes. The dancers will receive \$2,200 for artists and \$255 for costumes for the 1986-87 school year.

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concerned about."

Also passed in the election was a measure to extend the course add/drop deadline from 10 days after the beginning of the term to 20 days.

The election results revealed that students apparently do not

mind the affiliation between the ROTC and the University. A measure asking that the affiliation be terminated did not pass.

Voters did respond favorably to the Counseling Center's request for additional funding, however.

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will be awarded in 1986-87. This extra aid is available because University officials don't need to draw as much money from the awards to support administration for the program.

"We still don't have sufficient funds to assist everyone that's eligible," Vignoul says. "We just feel fortunate that Congress has minimized the losses for '86-87."

Projecting financial aid awards for the 1987-88 school year and beyond is difficult at this point, he says.

Although Gramm-Rudman calls for a 30 percent across-the-board cut for 1987-88, Congress may prevent the cut from taking place by meeting the deficit-reduction target. Also, the act may be declared unconstitutional.

The Supreme Court is currently considering the case and is expected to announce its decision in July.

Last December, U.S. Rep. Mike Synar, D-Okla., filed a lawsuit against the act just hours after it was signed into



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law. Synar claims the law gives legislative power to the executive branch of the government.

"There really is a much more rational approach to balancing the federal deficit than Gramm-Rudman-Hollings," Vignoul says. "The future of this country really does lie in education and I hope Congress will continue to recognize that."



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