

MEASURE

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of powers between policy and administration.

And Miller said that if the City Council is unhappy with the job the city manager is doing, the council can fire the manager. Miller said he believes the proposal shows that Sweet does not understand local politics.

"When somebody doesn't know what they're talking about, you feel sorry for them," Miller said.

ONE needs to collect about 7,600 signatures by Feb. 19 to get the initiative on the May ballot.

A spokeswoman in the city manager's office said City Manager Mike Gleason would not comment on the proposal because he is not an elected official.

Sweet said the city manager, as an official who is not elected directly, does not have to be ac-

countable to the public for his decisions and actions in government.

Sweet, who said he has been a citizen activist for years, said he believes a more representative government will result from people voting for the combined city manager and mayor position.

Although the City Council is elected, and it in turn appoints the city manager, Sweet said this does not mean citizens get a city manager they believe is doing a good job.

"Do you think the council accurately represents you as a Eugene citizen? At most they can represent one-eighth of me," he said. "Here's the chance to have a (people's) victory."

Sweet said he expects wide support for the initiative from both Democrats and Republicans. And he said he has talked with politicians who are excited about the measure because they see it as an opportunity to create a very powerful, political city position that they are interested in running for.

BIAFRA

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formance is being sponsored by the EMU Cultural Forum.

"He has a lot of information and analysis on what is going on," said Julie Lear, the contemporary issues coordinator for the EMU Cultural Forum.

"He has alternative perspectives on current events of government and news, and he is especially very critical. He challenges people to question the government and media," Lear said.

Because he was a radical rock star, Lear said Biafra was targeted by such people as Tipper Gore, the wife of Sen. Al Gore who campaigned for record warning labels. So Biafra is not just someone speaking about issues, he is someone who has had to legally defend

those issues, she said.

"He's really been through the ringer because of his views," she said.

Biafra was involved in a highly publicized censorship court battle in which the now-defunct Dead Kennedys were charged with "distribution of harmful material to a minor."

The internationally popular Dead Kennedys released the targeted album, *FrankenChrist*, in 1985. It contained a reproduction of a painting by the award-winning artist H.R. Giger in the record sleeve. The painting depicts 10 sets of human genitalia.

Biafra's defense called the poster a political statement that enhances the lyrics and shows how ugly it can be when people are screwing over each other.

After 18 months in the court

system and \$75,000 in legal fees for the band, the jury acquitted Biafra.

But after the trial, the Dead Kennedy's broke up, Biafra's marriage ended and increased pressure from conservative groups resulted in the poster being removed from the album cover.

Since the court case, Biafra has been expressing his political opinions in a more subdued manner than his traditional thrashing method of the Dead Kennedy's.

Biafra has been touring college campuses across the nation — addressing such issues as racism, record labeling, and his fear of "President Quayle."

"I have a feeling it will be more of a performance than a straight lecture," Lear said. It's not a set speech, but very free flowing."

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MEETINGS

Fluency Support Group for people who stutter meets every Tuesday from 4 to 5:30 p.m. in the Room 161 of the Clinical Services Building, 901 E. 18 Ave. call 346-3591 for more information.

EMU Board of Directors House Committee will meet tonight at 6 in Room 151 Straub. Call 346-3720 for more information.

SETA will meet today at 4:30 p.m. in EMU Century Room C. Call 346-4356 for more information.

Latin American Support Committee will meet tonight at 5:30 in EMU Cedar room B.

Student Senate will meet tonight at 6 in EMU Cedar Room D. Call 346-3724 for more information.

College Democrats executive meeting will take place tonight at 6:30 in EMU Century Room A. Call 686-5563 for more information.

OSPIRG, 346-4377

• Core Planning meeting tonight at 5:30 in the Kolonia Center

• Alternative Energy meeting tonight at 6 in EMU Suite One.

• Hunger and Homelessness Project movie, *Iron Wood*, tonight at 7 in the EMU Fir Room.

- National Toxics Coalition project meeting tonight at 5 in Room 159 Straub.
- Recycling Project meeting tonight at 5:30 in Room 314 Pacific.
- Toy Safety Project meeting tonight at 5 in EMU Cedar Room C.
- National Toxics Grassroots Project meeting tonight at 5:30 in Room 218 Pacific.

MISCELLANEOUS

Nordic Ski Fair sponsored by the University Outdoor Program will take place tonight at 7 in the Studio One of the Hult Center. Call 346-4365 for more information.

Josonja Watson recall petition table will be in front of the University Bookstore today from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Roy E. Elicker, regional council for the National Wildlife Federation will speak tonight at 7:30 p.m. at Roosevelt Middle School.

Bob Jenks, OSPIRG National Toxics Campaign staff, will meet tonight at 5:30 in Room 218 Pacific.

OSPIRG Sleep Out to raise awareness about homelessness will take place from 8:30 p.m. tonight to 8 a.m. Wednesday. Call 346-4377 for more information.

OPPORTUNITIES

Free Cholesterol Screening will take place today from 9 to 11:30 a.m. in the Health Education Center. Call 346-4456 for more information.

FIGS winter-term advising session will take place today at 3:30 p.m. in Room 123 Pacific.

Preparing for the medical college admission test (MCAT) will be the topic of a workshop taking place today at 3:30 p.m. in Room 164 Oregon Hall. Call 346-3211 for more information.

Lewis and Clark Law School Information and advice regarding application to Law School will be given today from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Room 164 Oregon Hall. Call 346-3211 for more information.

- Open sign-up continues for Call 346-3235
- Xerox Corporation
- Kraft General Foods
- Sherwin Williams
- U.S. Department of Commerce/Office of the Inspector General

RELIGION

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CORRECTION

A headline in Monday's *Emerald* misrepresented the facts of a story on the visiting Czechoslovakian ambassador to the United States and the charge d'affairs from the Hungarian embassy. Although Czechoslovakia is undergoing change and may split into two countries, Hungary is not on the verge of collapse.

The *Emerald* regrets the error and any confusion it may have caused.

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