* Meeting opened at; 7:01
* - Amanda talking about econ extra credit
* - lots and lots of people
* -defining econ
	+ officers introduced
	+ what’s offered
* - recruitment
	+ island days
		- introduce people to econ!
	+ E-mail list
	+ Freakonomics
	+ Info tables
* -Info session later on this semester
* -Fundraising
	+ chilis or beamers for % dinners
* - Buying some carbon credits
* -Omicron delta epsilon- honors for Econ,
	+ Banquet at the end of semester
* - Volunteering
	+ downtown
* - talks about the Forum
	+ Forum Topics under severe talks
* Book Club
	+ Reading Freakonomics
	+ WOOOOOOO!!!!!
	+ Drug dealer Accountants ? hmmmmmmmm?
* NEED INPUT
* Mrs. Gervek’s speech
	+ During recession, what happens, unemployment rate affecting your health and time use!
	+ What is Recession?
		- People loosing jobs
		- 10% unemployment
		- 1/10 cannot find jobs
	+ Recession means decrease in total output a country produces , decline in GDP year to Year
	+ Recession turns people into alcoholics, and smokers…lol
	+ Recession affects your health overall
	+ Can cause depression
	+ Also could become suicidal
	+ Drug use through the roof.
	+ Connection between risk taking behavior and unemployment
	+ Better times=better health
	+ Mortality rate .v. recession
	+ There is definitely a need to DO SOMETHING, wasting time can kill
	+ Opportunity cost higher when in recession
	+ opp cost- I could be doing something better, but I’m not because im in meeting.
	+ One dude gave up the opportunity to eat to come to the meeting
	+ Expanding economy = less exercise= more eating due to hightened income
	+ Super Busy-ness, will cause you to be less healthy because you do not have time to see a doctor
	+ Economic BOOM- Massive party time
	+ Recession= less party time= healthier people
	+ Expanding economy, more people injured
	+ Recession and crime, What up?
		- We say it should increase……
		- But statistics say it doesn’t matter
	+ Murder?
		- Definitely goes down
	+ Suicide?
		- Increase
	+ Recession, Less migration into the country in recession, illegal’s need a job toooo you know
	+ Texas’ unemployment rate really has no fluctuation in unemployment rate in recent past
	+ Migration flows, WE COULD USE GRAVITY MODELS!!!!(LABOR AS A PRODUCT)
	+ Corpus could not handle a mass increase in migration….STAY OUT haha
	+ Foreign people may have diseases, not like the ones around here
	+ She says she’s clean.!
	+ And She’s a Texan
	+ Possible influx of Gangs through immigration due to good times in the economy
	+ (THIS IS THE ACTUAL TURNOUT)(BELOW)
	+ Short Term recessions,
		- 8 out of 10 major causes of mortality goes down
		- health temporarily improves
		- unemployment up=mortality down
			* excluding cancer and suicide
		- unemployment = less smoking and drinking and all that bad juju
		- car crashes reduce because they don’t drive to work, therefore they cannot die in a wreck
		- homicide and legal intervention reduce as well
		- 80-82’ recession, production went down, pollution followed not far behind
		- Infant mortality goes down as well
		- Smoking goes down because they can’t afford it
		- Drinking is constant
		- Weight goes down= physical activity goes up
		- Diets get better
		- Preventive medical care goes up
		- Home-ec comes in handy during recession
	+ RECESSIONS MAY NOT BE THAT BAD AFTERALL
* MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:47