

RPIRG Board of Directors - Online Motion/Vote

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Motion 1: approve changes to office hours, as requested by staff

Rationale:

- a) it can get to be a bit of a slog working in an office with no windows all the time, especially in the winter
- b) there is a lot of work that doesn't require us to be directly in the office
- c) it can be easier to do some focused work outside the office, away from other office or drop-in related distractions -- I am thinking things like grant writing, budget drafting, website work, etc.
- d) although I think it is imperative for a PIRG to have drop-in office hours, and be very present on campus to respond to students, our office is not swamped by visitors so much that I feel we need to have 30-35 hrs per week of office hours
- e) because of some of the health issues I've (Krystal) personally been dealing with this year, it has sort of already become practice/partly a necessity for me to do some work at home or outside the office. Besides myself, I think that it is a nice offer to be more flexible for other staff as well, especially if they have dependents, occasional health issues, regular appointments, disabilities, etc.

Motion: To shorten our office hours to 930am-430pm, from Tuesday-Thursday

Result: approved