

Prison book program to get new home by July

INSIDE BOOKS, FROM 1

tory. The most recent chapter saw the city terminate its 50-year agreement with the Center's board after only two years. The board was expected to run the new facility but Jay Stone, financial manager of the Parks and Recreation Department, said the board failed to meet certain commitments, a pattern resulting in the agreement's termination.

The IBP laments the passing of a public space housing diverse cultural groups. Over the past five years, the groups in the MACC have sponsored free film shows, plays, benefits and workshops.

Martinez said the MACC was "arguably the most exciting cultural space in Austin."

IBP does not blame the city for the loss of the downtown space it had been renting for \$100 per month.

"We're getting kicked out because [the board] couldn't get its act together," Martinez said. "People in Austin don't know what they have in their hands until it slips through their fingers."

Stone said the IBP will not be able to return to the site after the construction is finished.

The new exhibition center is "not meant to house tenants like that," Stone said.

According to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Texas has about 145,000 inmates in prisons and jails, second only to California. The national average is 222 prisoners per 100,000 of population, but Texas exceeds that with 288 prisoners for every 100,000, according to the U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics. The Bureau also found that U.S. incarceration rates have tripled over the past 20 years.

About 300 prisoners a month send the IBP requests for books. Groups willing to send free books to prisoners fulfill a crucial role, said Skot Odierno of IBP, because state laws across the United States prohibit people, other than publishers or book sellers, from sending books to prisoners. The IBP sends all its books from the 12th Street Bookstore.

"Prison authorities are afraid family members will use the

books to send contraband," Odierno said.

The IBP is one of about a dozen similar projects around the country. Over the past 10 years, as the U.S. prison population has increased, many of these organizations have started to focus on their particular region, instead of trying to cover the nation, Martinez said.

IBP's books come from private donations, from Half Price Books on Guadalupe Street, the UT Press and other publishers wanting to rid themselves of damaged stock. Spanish and English dictionaries are in highest demand, followed by black studies books, GED books and legal studies, Odierno said.

Sometimes the books do not reach the prisoners. Odierno said an inmate from one prisoner wrote to him saying prison authorities placed him in solitary confinement when he received a box of black studies books from IBP. Odierno said it's difficult to find out if whether a prisoner receives the books sent by IBP.

City council postpones decision

COUNCIL, FROM 1

Stratus' motivation was not to preserve the Barton Springs watershed.

"Under the proposed deal, Stratus would get impervious cover credit for land that is either less profitable or less developable," Clark said.

Councilmember Daryl Slusher

said he would rather not see any environmentally damaging development occur in the area, but explained the conflict the city faces.

"Stratus owns the property, and the city can't afford to buy it," he said.

Wynn said the council decided to postpone the meeting in order to allow all citizens to voice

their opinions.

Wynn also said he felt inspired by the number of people who attended the meeting.

"There's nothing worse than going to a public meeting and no one's there," he said. "Here's an issue obviously a lot of people care about."

A&M president says free speech integral to university campuses

UNIVERSITIES, FROM 1

prised of faculty, administrators, students and staff, began meeting in February to review and possibly rewrite the University's policies on free speech.

Ed Tuddenham, an attorney for the American Civil Liberties Union, said the University should only look into past events on campus if it will help from prospective policy.

"If they are going to come up with a policy, they can look at past events," Tuddenham said.

In 1997, Tuddenham represented the SG ticket ACTION, which filed a lawsuit against the University after the Election

Supervisory Committee disqualified the entire ticket for announcing its candidacy before the stipulated time.

Although none of the A&M student leaders at the luncheon mentioned it to Faulkner, Texas A&M students had a free speech issue of their own this past semester. The A&M Student Government Association Election Commission forced an SG vice-presidential candidate to remove all campaign material deemed inappropriate by the election commissioner. Shannon Duberly, a 2004 vice-presidential candidate, had to take down all posters and fliers that used the words "damn," "pimpin'" and "Who's your

Daddy." Zac Coventry, the A&M student body president and an agriculture development senior, said the issue never became a hot topic on the A&M campus.

"As a general campus, I don't think it's a problem," Coventry said.

But President Bowen said that free speech issues are very important on the A&M campus.

"If a group feels there is a First Amendment issue, you don't encroach on First Amendment rights," Bowen said. "It's the way that great campuses are structured and the way societies are structured."

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