VOX NOTES October 24, 2015

-Sex Ed committee is doing reproductive rights and resources event instead this month, and will probably be about the 9th or 10th of November.

-To clarify what’s been going on: On the state level, the Senate and House have voted to defund Planned Parenthood and all that’s left is for Kasich to sign it. This takes away from women and poor people. Unconstitutional – places a substantial burden and takes away Medicare. On the federal level, Congress is voting whether or not to defund Planned Parenthood, and it’s going through the House again. Republicans are trying to defund it on a federal level and risking a government shutdown, which puts millions of workers out of work, and half the food stamps program will shut down.

-Also: Alex and Emily are on the curriculum committee for the WGSS program, and Professor Baumgartner is trying to get one of the three women who created the BLM movement here. So we’re trying to raise money. We have 6000 so far, but we need more. Vox has 500 to give, and we’re pairing up with other student groups to get the remaining funds.

-We have to nominate someone to attend the student development meeting to talk about gender and sexuality things- talk to Lillie if you want to!