

Robert's Rules Review



#Back2School

Welcome (back) to legislative council, here are some important forms you:

1. For absences, proxies, late arrivals, and leaving early: <https://forms.gle/vjHVapxJu427JQXh8>
2. To sign up for report presentation: <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1McPk5sjC5N9kLYFTxVG7sUzr1LAijskWd5QfWTLAsN1A/edit?usp=sharing>

Quick Reminders

- Use the AUS header for reports, which can be found in the template on the AUS page
- Please submit a motivating paragraph at the end of your motions
- Please send your reports as PDFs and name them your departmental acronym!!!!
 - e.g. submit a PDF document called GHKJB
- Marking people as late submitters
- Motions & Appendices should be submitted as Word documents
- Do not send me google docs

Leaving council

- ◆ Bathroom ~ I don't need to know this
- ◆ Phone call ~ ^rt
- ◆ Fill water bottle ~ go get hydrated
- ◆ Rule of thumb: less than 5 minutes is not an issue

Recess

- ◆ After 45-50 minutes



Speaking

- ◆ Microphones
- ◆ Crosstalk
- ◆ Prevents smooth flow of debate
- ◆ Reduces opportunities for other to speak
- ◆ Raising Placards ~ only when asked pls



Speaking Time

- ◆ Set at 1 min 30 sec
- ◆ You get one tap with 30 seconds left
- ◆ Two taps when 10 seconds left
- ◆ You have 2 mins to present your report
- ◆ 1 min to ask questions, 2 mins to answer

In a main motion

- ◆ Motioner gets to speak
- ◆ Anyone else who wants to speak
- ◆ Vote happens when...
 - ◆ debate is exhausted
 - ◆ a question is called

When can I make a motion?

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- ◆ At the end of a speech
- ◆ If I call for motions



I can't hear what you're saying...

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Question of Privilege! (but also use the mics)



LOL Madam Speaker you are
Wrong!

LOL Madam Speaker you are Wrong!

Point of Order!

 WeRateDogs™ 
@dog_rates 

"Good afternoon class today we're going to learn what makes a good boy so good" 13/10



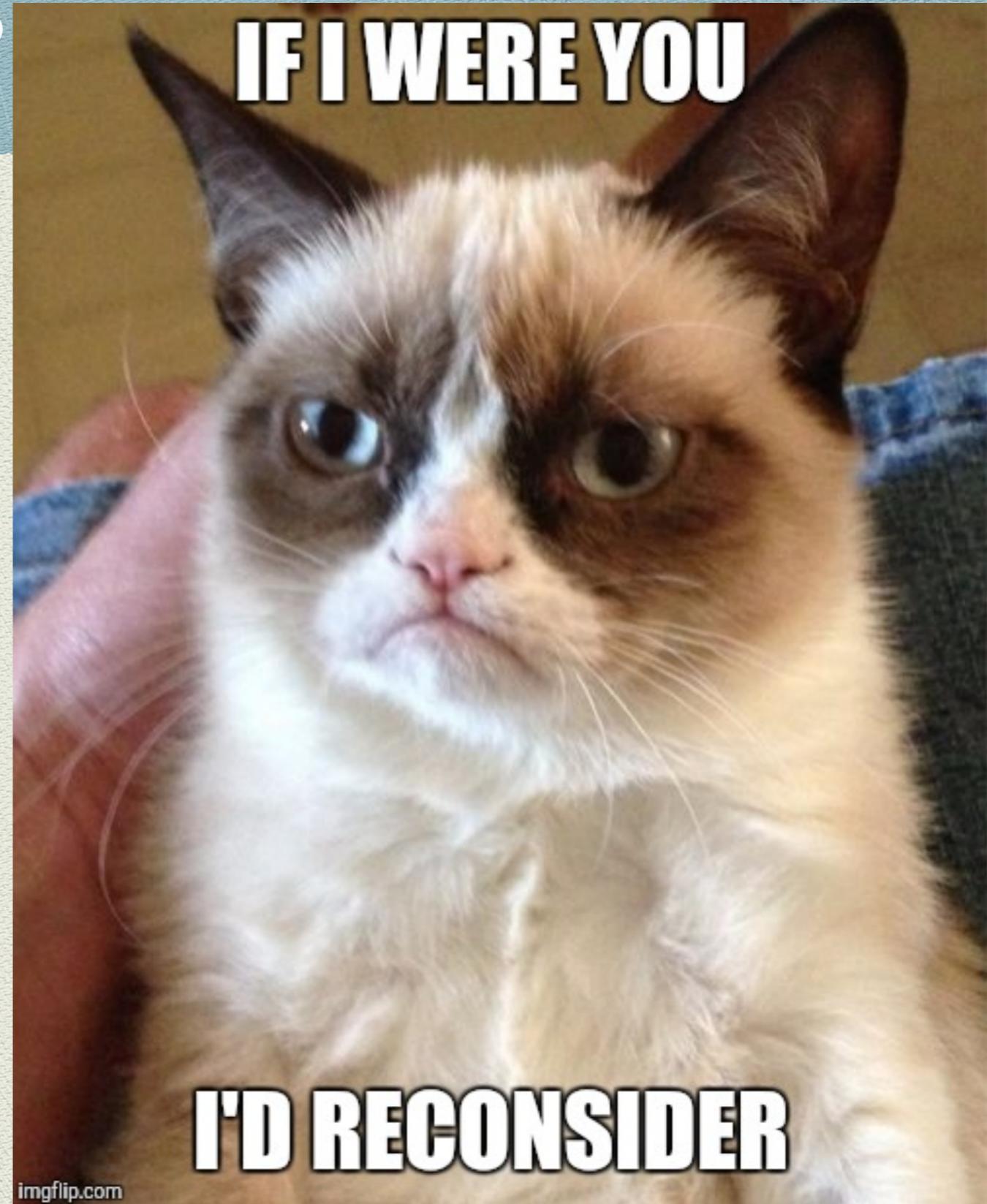
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Can you return to something that
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- Motion to reconsider
- Once reconsidered, cannot reconsider again in same meeting



Can we vote on half the motion?

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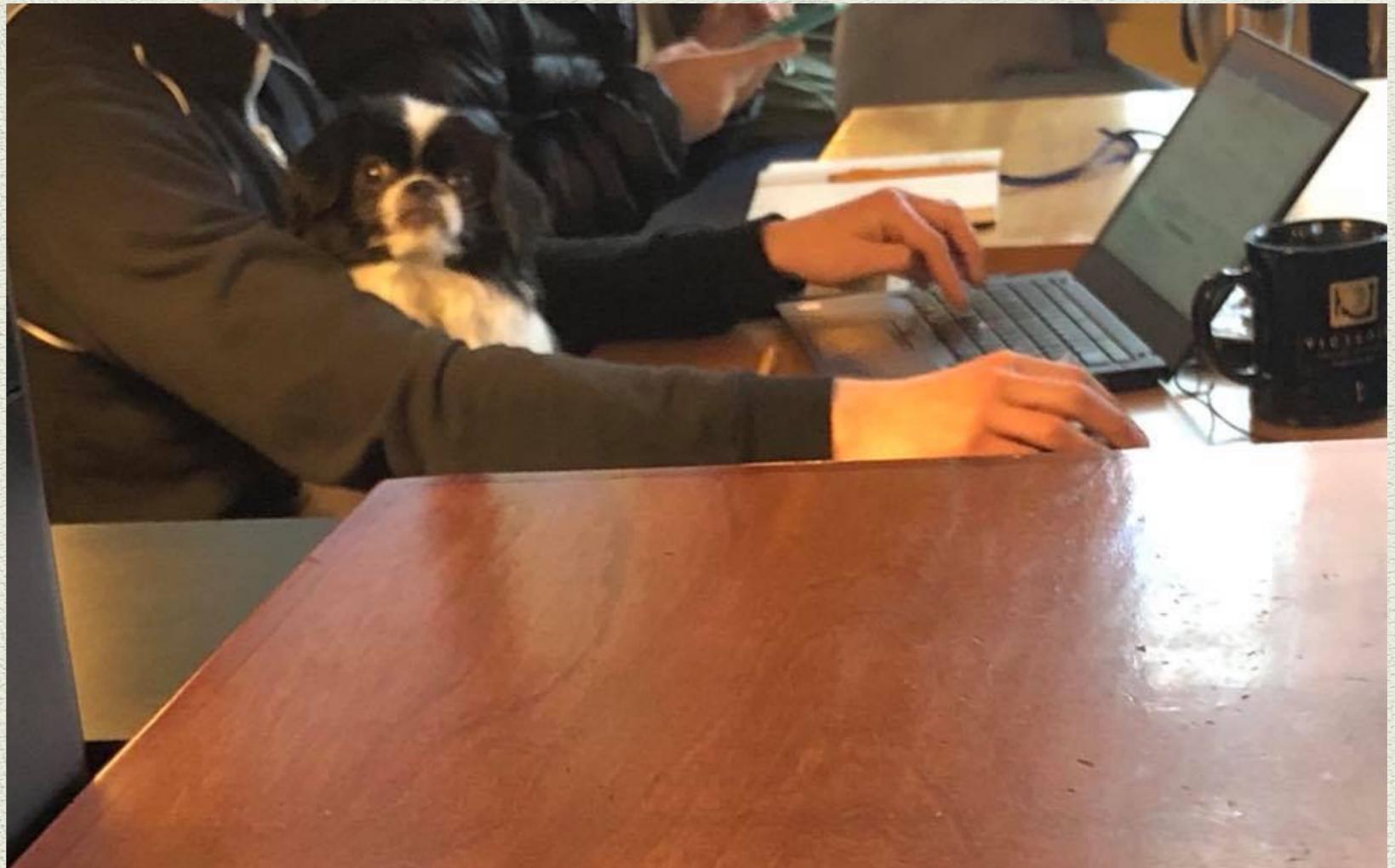
- ◆ Amendment to strike
- ◆ Division of the Question



Motion to bring new business?

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- ◆ Main Motion



Confused about what's happening?



Why are these things never clear?

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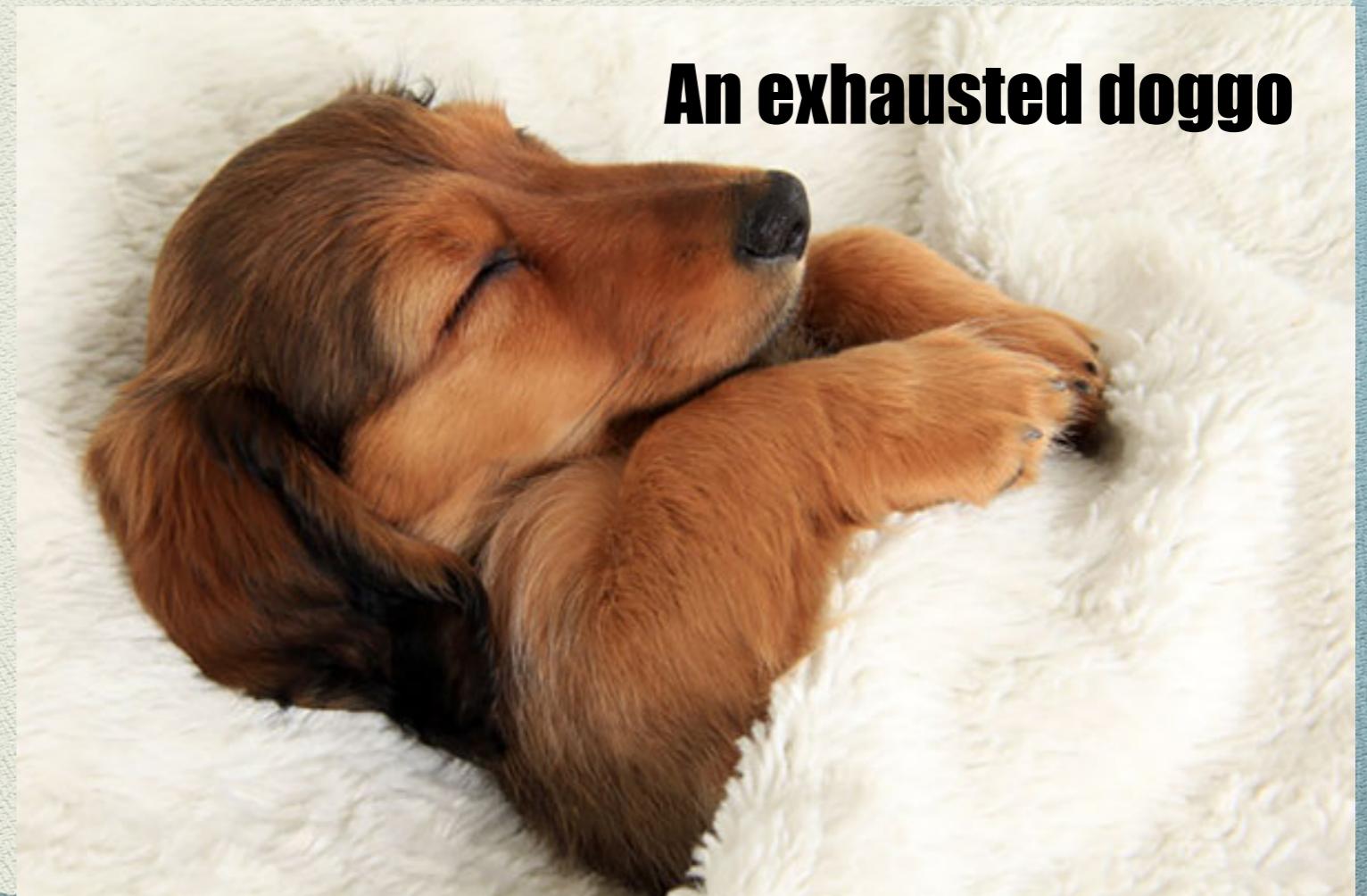
- ◆ Point of Parliamentary Inquiry
- ◆ Point of Information



Ready for a vote?

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- ◆ Exhaustion of debate
- ◆ Call the question



An exhausted doggo

Have something to say?



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- ◆ You need to be recognized!



Get rid of a main motion

Tabling

- ◆ Lay on the table
- ◆ Postpone Indefinitely



When do you say your name/
society?

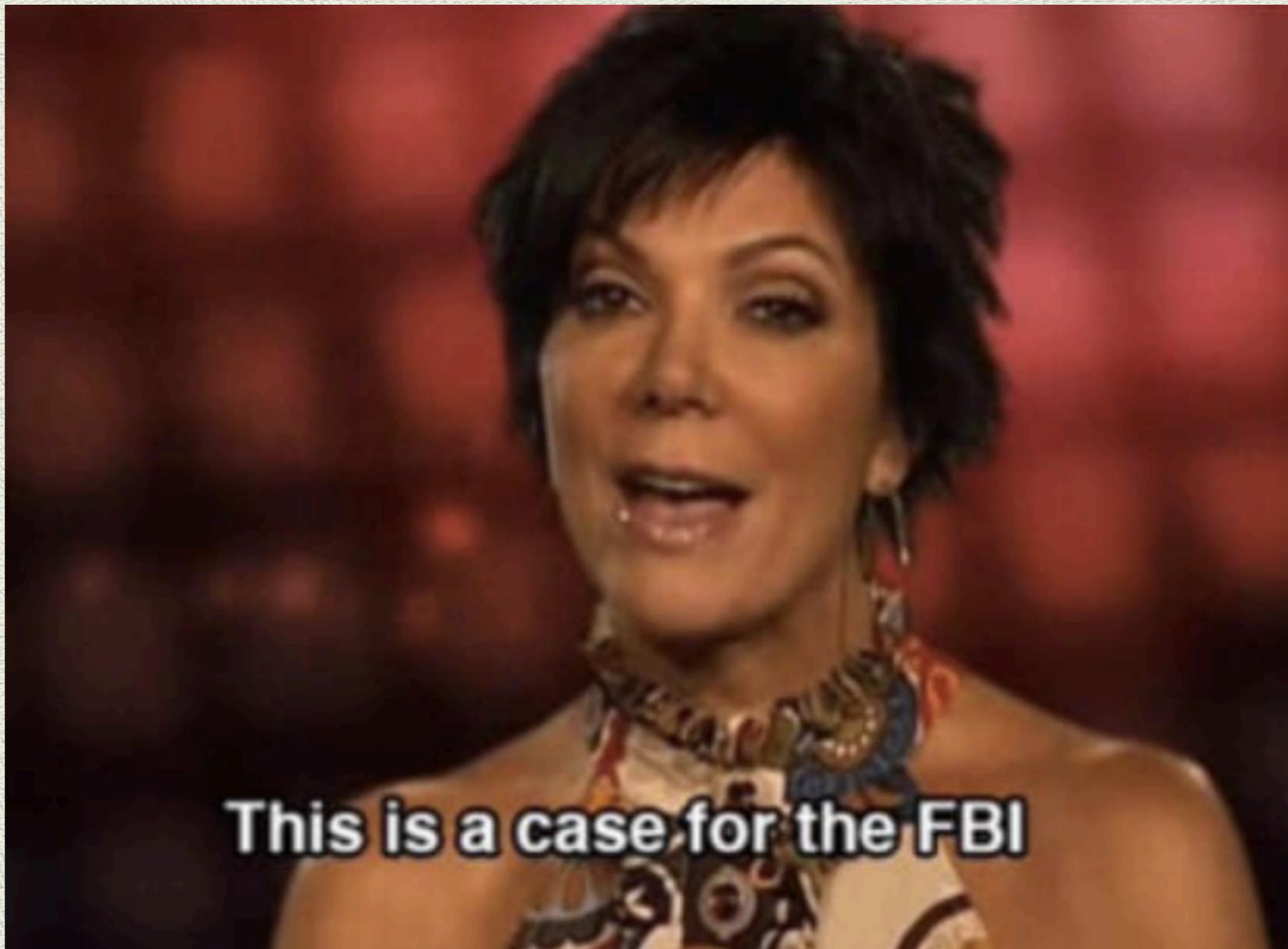


When do you says your name /
society?

- ◆ Always



I want more time to speak



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- ◆ Motion to change the speaking time
- ◆ Raise your placard again later



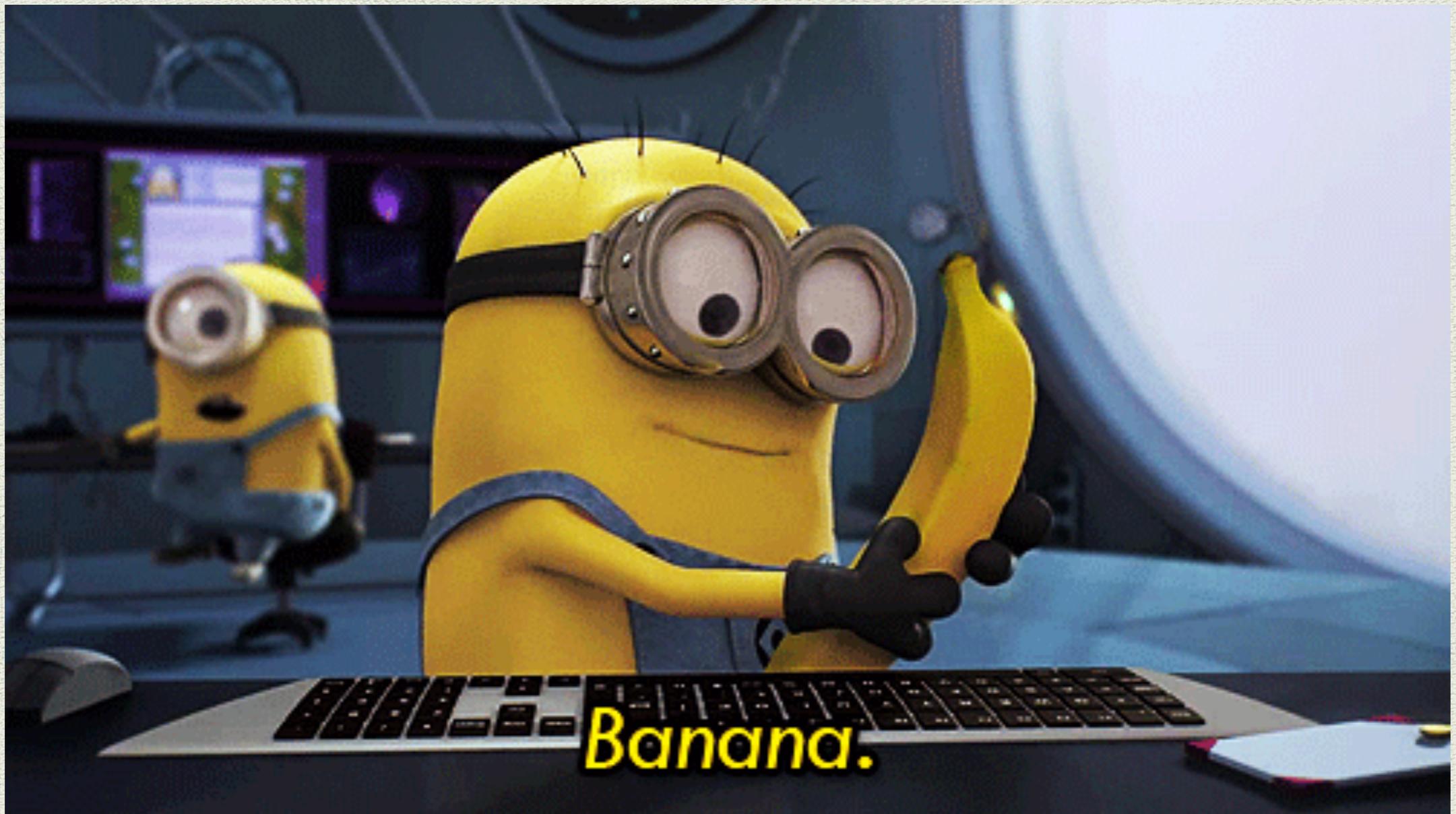
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- ◆ Motion to set a debate limit
- ◆ Must be divisible by speaking time

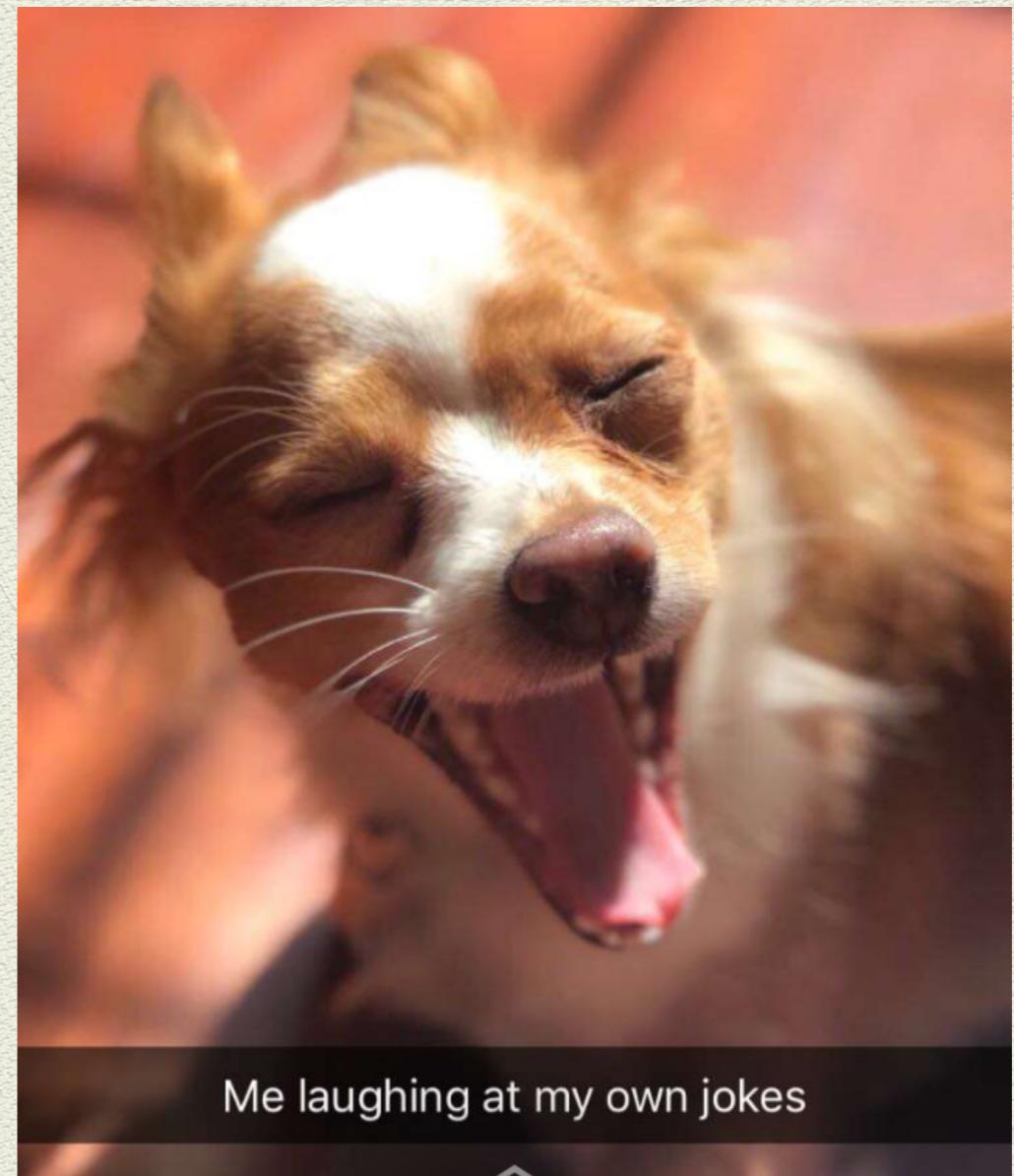


TFW you finally understand ROPs



Feedback about meetings?

Thank you for sitting through my memes.
Questions?



Me laughing at my own jokes