1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
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STUDENT SENATE
SESSION XXXIX – MEETING 10
November 19th, 2017 – 6pm– Paul College Room 185
AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER
   a. Called to order at 5:59

2. ROLL CALL
   a. Absent were: SBP, Carley Rotenberg; SBVP, Alexandra Burroughs (Excused); DPR, Chris Percy; Congreve Senator, Lauren Lomberto (Tardy); Minis Senator, Nelson Idaho; Peterson Senator, Travis Fischer (Proxy); and Scott Co-2 Senator, Connor McClellan (Tardy)

3. COMMUNICATIONS
   a. Senators and Guests
      i. ADDRESS TO STUDENT SENATE BY DEAN OF STUDENTS, TED KIRKPATRICK AND ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF TRAINING SERVICES, ELISA BOLTON
      ii. Dean K.: Amy Culp is here from SHARPP, Lisa Bolton is the Associate Director of PACS. We will be naming a permanent Director shortly. We are excited for the new Director and she is very excited too. We may be able to arrange a meeting with her to discuss her plans.
      iii. SHARPP FEE:
          1. Dean K.: It is flat funding for next year in terms of the fee. It is $8.00
          2. Amy Culp: In the past, I had let you know that we are into looking for more money. Was there anyone who was not here or needs me to revisit from my former address to the body? I think someone had mentioned trying to highlight the Weekend Walkers program, which is $1 of the $8 fee. The rest of the fee helps to support our program. We are mostly funded by the University, but we are also funded by grants. I do not have a lot that is different from the last time I spoke.
      3. Elena: Could you address what happened at Take Back the Night?
          a. Amy: We stopped doing it for a while because there was a lot of tensions between various groups. For the last three years it has been back under SHARPP. There were people at the walk who were being inappropriate. The walk means to provide those with a safe environment. The group in the back had been changing some of the cheers around.
4. Amy: What they were saying is antithetical to our mission. We have notified those who oversee the repercussions that will occur. We want anyone who was affected by it to reach out to us. Some of the students who behaved inappropriate did call to apologize. I have not heard back from one of those students, however.

5. Amy: I do want to thank Senate for their large presence at Take Back the Night. For those of you who were affected, thank you for bringing it to my attention. It was folks from Student Senate who brought the issues to my attention. Please give me a call if you have any questions. I know that a lot of you have been asking questions and I appreciate that.

iv. **PACS FEE**:

1. Dean K.: This is a sizable jump from the last Fiscal Year. Over the last 18 months we have been doing a review of the structure of this department. I have available to me 24/7 a psychiatrist in PACS. We hope to launch a new service called “Protocol” where someone will be available to a psychologist 24/7. There will be someone who can help during off-hours. We put that into the budget for next year. We are also going to increase psychiatric care. There are a lot of students who are presenting with medication regimes and only an MD can oversee those.

2. Dean K.: We have 12 clinicians budgeted for this year. By next year we will be fully staffed. We will have 2 full-time psychologists. All others will be 10-month appointees who will be here during the academic year. There is a lot of work that is done over the summer, but there are a lot of needs of graduate and undergraduate students during the summer months.

3. Dean K.: Salaries are very competitive in the mental health field. We had been operating in the red. We have had flat funding. To address the needs of our students, we have used national metrics. We will be where we need to be for the number of clinicians per students. When we announce Dr. Robinson’s appointment in December, we will also announce all other appointments as well.

4. Dr. Bolton: There is no waiting list right now. There has been issues for getting in for a first appointment. It is about four weeks out to get a first appointment, which is higher than we want it to be. There are other places where you must wait 6 months. Our situation has gotten better. We want 1-2 weeks to be our standard waiting time. We have seen more students than we have ever seen before. We are feeling good [about the future].
5. Dean K.: We have worked out other protocols. When a student goes to Portsmouth Regional for whatever reason, they can get information from PACS. People like me (e.g., other Deans of Students), 80% rank mental health their number 1 concern. We are thinking anew of how to address mental health issues of the students we oversee. We hope to have something that is successful for our students. Dr. Robinson is very aware of the structures we have in place. She is very seasoned in the mental health field.

6. Elena: There has been discussion of having support groups for people of various identities. Is that something on the horizon that is potentially going to be implemented?
   a. Dr. Bolton: I have heard some expressed interest, specifically from an LGBT+ group, about such a program. We are eager to meet the current student needs.
   b. Dean K.: Last year we did 1000 more clinical hours than the year before. We saw more students of color than ever before.
   c. Dr. Bolton: The demographics of those using PACS is tracked and it is looking to be around the same as last year.

7. Elena: With groups like that, it can be hard to find out what the demand is. Would you be looking at a trial run to see if it is something students need?
   a. Dr. Bolton: It is worth thinking about. We are in high demand. We had a group for trans individuals, but that did not have high attendance. We don’t necessarily know what student interest is unless they reach out to us.

8. Katie Clark: Are you still using the Kognito Program?
   a. Dr. Bolton: Yes. At Monday I will be at two different classes to discuss the program. We are still using that, but we are looking for other ways to expand the types of programs available. We are working on helping staff identify students in crisis.

9. Katie: Do you have numbers for those who have taken the program?
   a. Dr. Bolton: Yes, but not off the top of my head.

10. Abigail: The grant may be ending for the Kognito Program, is that true?
    a. Dr. Bolton: It is a three-year grant. With this grant we augmented Kognito and looked at other ways of creating a net for students. I have mixed feelings about Kognito. Using the program does not translate into changing behavior. I am not wholly convinced that Kognito is the best. There is another program known as QPR that we have been considering. It is a more one-on-one program.
    b. Dr. Bolton: We are looking at that. We have done a lot with the leave of absence policy.
c. Dean K.: The Leave of Absence Policy was passed late in the spring last year. The former language was too harsh. The Faculty Senate worked hard on that. This is another tool that provides students with more confidence that they will return to UNH.

d. Dr. Bolton: There are very few universities that have this policy in place, but they have requested the language of the policy because they want to put it in place.

11. Katie: What is the difference between Withdrawal and Leave of Absence?

   a. Dean K.: The former requires you to reapply to the University, the latter is not so strict. Withdrawal is for those students who we do not expect to return. Leave of Absence allows us to check in on students as well. It allows a student more control over their situation.

12. Katie: Do they still receive a refund for a Leave of Absence?

   a. Dean K.: Yes, but it is prorated based on the date that you leave.

13. Katie: For a leave of absence because of mental health issues, do you need a letter from your psychologist?

   a. Dean K.: Yes. We do not do long term care in PACS. We want to make sure that students are getting the care they need before they come back. It is stabilization. ON the return we want to make sure that the student is indeed safe. If it is a Leave of Absence, we can provide more care than if they Withdraw.

   b. Dr. Bolton: There are also a lot of students who feel better after they are done with the 8 sessions when they come to PACS.

14. Dean K.: We also are responsible for UNHM and the Concord Law School. They have their own fees. The UNHM students will be paying their own fees.

15. Evan: I know that last year there were concerns from various organizations about having clinicians write prescriptions for hormones, where does that stand right now?

   a. Dean K.: We had a halt, so staff could be trained. We now have someone who is trained who can write a letter for such students.

   b. Dr. Bolton: Every one of our clinicians has worked with trans students and various other identities. There is one person who has the training to write those letters.

16. Evan: Are there plans to train a second person?

   a. Dean K.: Yes, we want at least two clinicians who can provide such services.
17. Elena: Have you announced that in some capacity?
   a. Dean K.: OMSA has been made aware of it.
18. Elena: I only saw the letter saying it had been discontinued, it may be a good idea to send out another communication for those who are not aware of the new trained professionals.
19. Dean K.: I promised that PACS would become more diverse in our efforts to restructure it. With the addition of Dr. Robinson, I am sure that that has occurred.
20. Audrey: Has there been any discussion about moving onto an online system for registration?
   a. Dr. Bolton: It has to do with our electronic medical record. We may be able to switch the record that we use. That is a big limitation.
   b. Dean K.: People had been learning of how to create such a system in Harvard recently. I would create Health & Wellness neighborhood, if it were possible. Having everything is such different locations inhibits services. The more integrated they are the better the services students could receive.
21. Audrey: So, are there plans in the future to combine them?
   a. Dean K.: Yes, but all information that is touched is protected. It can get tricky.
22. Katie: Has there ever been discussion about creating groups that revolve around specific types of therapy (e.g., CBT)
   a. Dr. Bolton: We currently run some CBT groups. I would love to have some DBT groups. Many of us at PACS have DBT experience. It is a very structured program, however, so we would have to modify it for the semester system.

v. **HEALTH & WELNESS FEE**
1. Dean K: This is a 3% increase. Last year, we had to work at a detriment to move money to the Career and Professional Services. We were able to sustain ourselves last year, but there was red ink. There are a lot of new players in Health & Wellness. There are basically three legs, PACS, Health & Wellness, and Health Education and Support Services. I want that to be a strong unit. Kathleen Grace-Bishop oversees that part.
2. Dean K.: The Chief of Medical Services has a psychiatrist in Health & Wellness. We have a group of six who are support staff. We have Physician Assistants and Registered Nurses. We are proposing this increase to maintain the services we provide to students.
3. Evan: Is there a specific dollar amount for the 3%?
   a. Dean K.: It is going up to $11/student. Dr. Charles would have been here tonight, but is in transit to meetings at other schools. With the name change to Health & Wellness, we feel also better reflects our mission. They have been wonderful partners in helping students work on mindfulness practices.

vi. ADDRESS TO STUDENT SENATE BY DIRECTOR OF ACADEMIC TECHNOLOGY, TERRI WINTERS

1. Terri: We are asking for a 2% increase. Some of the reasons behind it is that we have a 3% salary increase. We are going to be a bit short, but it is minimal enough that we should be able to use our reserves to make up the amount.

2. Terri: We do all the classrooms on campus. We oversee the equipment in classes and the training of faculty to use the equipment. We also oversee the Computer Clusters as well as the breakout rooms and study rooms. We also oversee the Parker Media Lab and other similar rooms. We also help with technology loans. We run the Canvas page that UNH uses. We do the mobile application. I think that covers everything.

3. Jake: Have you looked at the feasibly of printing clusters in Resident Halls?
   a. Terri: We have done that before. This year, we have wireless printing. It can be done that way. If there are other things, please feel free to contacting me.

4. Terri: We also oversee the UNH.edu Portal.

5. Jake: How has the migration from BlackBoard gone?
   a. Terri: I would say it was very successful. 67% of faculty has adopted it. We have had some issues with textbook integrations. I would say it has been successful for the most part. When we left BlackBoard, we were looking at things that help students the most. We have asked Faculty to publish syllabi and to use the Gradebook. Grades now automatically migrate to WebCat as well.

6. Cody: Some faculty mention that sometimes the grades are not correct on Canvas, have you heard that?
   a. Terri: It has to do with the weightings. The Faculty member should come for training, so we can guide them on how to use the gradebook correctly.

7. Dennis: Are the salary increases for your unit the same as all the other increases?
   a. Terri: Yes. 1% across the board and 2% merit.
vii. **ADDRESS TO STUDENT SENATE BY EXECUTIVE ATHLETIC DIRECTOR, JON DANOS; ASSISTANT BUSINESS DIRECTOR, GARRETT CHAPMAN; AND SENIOR ASSOCIATE ATHLETIC DIRECTOR FOR FINANCE, AMY WACK:**

1. **Jon:** I joined the University just two years ago. I come from a professional sports background. The Director of Athletics could not be here tonight, and he apologizes for that.

2. **Jon:** I oversee all the external elements of Athletics (e.g., marketing, sports information). Recently, when I promoted to Executive Athletic Director, I took on some of the overall business. This is my first entrance into the fee process, so please indulge me.

3. **Jon:** We proposed no increase in the Athletics Fee that you currently pay. We were looking at the past of the Fee and I am happy to say that is has been on a downward trend in terms of the percent increase. Athletics is trying to be less reliant on the fee itself. It is our job to deliver the value of Athletics to students. We are trying to think more strategically. We want to inspire the University’s profile both nationwide and internationally.

4. **Jon:** With the launch of the new stadium, we have been focused on the strategic thinking. We have done a good job at inspiring revenues. Ticket revenues were up ~$6,000. We will probably not see that rate of growth every year, but we expect to continue to see an increase. We have salespeople for the first time in the history of Athletics. These are big steps and a lot of the modeling we are doing comes from the world of professional sports. It is about the student athlete experience. We have put together an unbelievable number of programs which have been very successful.

5. **Jon:** Our football team was named to the Playoffs for the 14th year in a row. We are on the bubble this year, but still. We are very proud of the accomplishments of our team. Also, today, our Men’s Soccer team won a major game in Dartmouth. We have won two rounds of the NCAA Tournament, the first time in our history. These things may resonate with you as a sports fan or they may not. That’s okay. The existence of our program and the success of our program contribute a great deal to the sense of community at UNH. Sports are the front porch of college communities. Athletics has a role in that.

6. **Jon:** We have worked hard in becoming as reliant as we can on ourselves and less reliant on the fee that you pay. We are happy to talk about our body of work over the past few years. We expect in the future that the fee will go down. We are not there yet, and we are hoping that the flat proposal shows what we expect.

7. **Garrett:** We have opened a student ticket portal. You no longer must go to the Whitt. It helps us track our metrics as well. 7,500 students have signed up for tickets, which I believe is an increase from other years.
8. Garrett: We are also doing what we can to get our student athletes more involved in the community.

9. Jon: The ticket system is symbolic of what we are trying to do. It was a very expensive system that no one benefitted from. The cost of that ticket system was often absorbed by us, students, and the ticket buyer. We got rid of it and took on a system that is great at the basics. It is less expensive. The ticket fees went down. There is more value and with that system we were able to move to the electronic ticket systems.

10. Elena: I know that the school bought the new scoreboard. Where is the advertising money going to be reflected?
   a. Garrett: It is still ongoing, it is more of a T-Hall question.

11. Elena: What were the six new hires and how many people are included in the $5.8 million dollars?
   a. Garrett: There are 63 full-time employees in the area you are discussing.
   b. Jon: We restructured the external team. We have an Associate Athletic Director for Sales and another for Marketing. They were combined in years past, but I have found that one person cannot do both jobs and do it well. Exactly who those six individuals are, we can provide to you.
   c. Garrett: Two of those individuals were for Title IX issues we had experienced. One was a female coach for the women’s Basketball and women’s Hockey teams.
   d. Jon: Some of it is the cost of doing business (e.g., 3% increase). You will see that the cost of the part-time employees has gone down. I am saying that it is symbolic of what we are trying to do. I believe that we should always be asking ourselves of how to get the greatest value on everything we do. There are ways in which we can dial back and fine tune the way we do things.
   e. Jon: There have not been a lot of new positions in the past two years. Title IX has a compounding effect, when you make a move in one area you must make a move in another area.

12. Cody: Are the Sales Rep positions benefitted?
   a. Garrett: Yes, but they are paid on commission. I would say most of their salary is paid on commission.
   b. Jon: Each of our sales reps has sales goals. There is a quota.
13. Jake: I see that you have a total of ~$12 million in revenue. Can you talk about the Other Revenue line?
   a. Garrett: We are not your traditional auxiliary unit. The majority is the student fee. It is over 50% of our revenue. We get revenue from Central Admin. A much larger portion is from Auxiliary Sales which is us going out trying to bring revenue in. We also get some from Television and Broadcasting. We get revenue from concessions and other sources as well. There are many different areas.
   b. Jon: The Power Five Conferences are also a source of revenue. We are not quite there, but, for the first time, we have a revenue stream from ESPN. It is yet another example of trying to find new revenue streams
   c. Garrett: We are deemphasizing both the Student Fee and the RCM.

14. Christian: Between the last Fiscal Year and the current Fiscal Year, there seems to be a significant decrease in student labor. Can you speak to that?
   a. Garrett: This is a projection. I had not been aware that we were hosting the conference. We are committed to hiring students. It is a huge focus and it is one way that Athletics tries to give back. It is how I got my start in this business. I was probably too conservative with by projections.
   b. Jon: We are also right in the middle of the seasons that generate the most revenue. It is a challenging time for us to forecast. We just must roll it in with the rest of the forecast.

15. Cody: Can you elaborate on the set amount of money you give to the Whitt?
   a. Garrett: That has been in place since 2011. We pay the Witt ~$4,080 to help pay off loans. It could be renegotiated at any time. We have payments to Campus Rec for other areas regarding the function of the Men’s and Women’s Hockey Programs

16. Jon: As we change the way we do business. We have been attempting to listen to our ticket buyers, fans, etc. We created a Fan Advisory Board, so we can better understand the experience of those who go to games. We get unbelievable feedback. We have a “Cat Crew” and a “Cat Pack” which mean to put forth the work of athletics. I would like to extend to all of you that we would appreciate all of you having a dialogue with us on an ongoing basis. We want to hear your feedback. We only ask that you bring your objective ideas. We appreciate your feedback, it will help us position the Athletics Department in a more valuable way.

17. Elena: I have arranged a tour of Athletics at 3:00 P.M. the Wednesday after Thanksgiving, I want as many people there as possible.
18. Jon: To put forth Division I programs, it is expensive. That is an expensive proposition. I can tell you that we are very proud of the mantra of “doing more with less.” Our coaches take discounts to be here. We strive to be in the 50th percentile. We do not want to lead the pack or be at the back.

viii. Guest Communications ended around 7:30

b. Graduate Student Senate
   i. Introduced herself and asked that people reach out to her

c. Liaison to Administration
   i. Not Present

d. President’s Cabinet
   i. Academic Affairs: Discussed the progress of the Taskforce, the resolutions her Council will put forward towards the end of the semester, and her Council meeting times
   ii. Health & Wellness: I hope you all had a safe weekend. Last week Health & Wellness the Council, met with Health & Wellness the department. We will most likely have a meeting tomorrow.
   iii. Judicial Affairs: We met last week. Otherwise, we will not have a meeting this coming week due to the holiday. The next one will be after Thanksgiving Break.
      1. Jake: Are you going to look over the SRRR soon?
         a. Zack: Yes, that was assigned last week
   iv. Fraternity & Sorority: As some of you know this past week, IFC did sponsor Take Back the Night. We do not condone the behavior of those who behaved inappropriately. We are taking steps to address this. IFC and Panhellenic elected new officers this past week.
      1. Nick L.: Will you committee be considering a resolution about the events at Take Back the Night?
         a. Tyler D.: We had discussed that, yes.
   v. Community Development: To reiterate what I said, we have a tour of Athletics 3 P.M. on the Wednesday after Thanksgiving. Ethan and I are making leaps and bounds on our efforts to remove gender barriers in Housing.
   vi. Campus Structure: Ethan is sorry he cannot make it tonight
   vii. External Affairs: We met with a member of the Durham Community to help start a voting registration drive. Other than that, we meet Friday at 5:00.
      1. Elena: If you are a student here, can you vote here?
         a. Jose: Yes.
viii. First Year Rep: I am working with Audrey to consider improving the FIRE Program in Paul College and apply it into other academic programs. COLA has been working on a similar program as well I am looking to establish a First Year Council. Other than that, I am working on visiting halls that have a large first year population to see how we can get more people involved in Senate.

ix. Discussion occurred regarding the intricacies of the FIRE Program. See the Paul College Website for more information.

x. Dennis: All first-year students, please stay after the meeting.

e. Student Senate Officers

i. Business Manager: Quarter zips have been paid. I am working with Maureen Claussen to get it all in one place. I am working on a Commuter Meet & Greet with Nick LaCourse. WE are hoping it will help with our non-Resident Senator numbers.

1. Nick L.: Please get back to me if you received an email from me regarding this Meet & Greet

ii. Executive Officer: Last year, we had a non-denominational Secret Santa. The deadline will be this coming Wednesday. There is a $10 maximum. As a reminder, if you are in social fraternity or sorority, you must sit on Tyler Drisko’s council. Council Chairs, please fill out the document to track Council attendance. After the meeting on December 10th I will be resigning for personal reasons. If you have questions about the position, please email me.

iii. SAFC Chair: Hey everyone, there will be a SAFC meeting this Tuesday. We are currently amid an internal evaluation of how SAFC operates.

iv. Historian: For a quick UNH fun fact, if you like Ben & Jerry’s “Chunky Monkey” flavor, you can thank a UNH alumni who invented the flavor in the late 80’s.

v. DPR: Not Present; Brennan noted that Primal Scream will be coming up

vi. Parliamentarian: Judiciary will not be meeting this Tuesday since Senate will not be meeting the Sunday after Thanksgiving.

f. Student Body Vice President: Absent; Audrey stated that they are looking for help for the voting drive

g. Student Body President: Absent; Audrey stated that Carley had spoken at an event where Student Senate alumni from 1987 were present

h. USSBR: A lot of important things in the works. Liam and I have been working together for the fees. We want the fees to be accountable to students. The fees will be up in our next meeting. Senate has the privilege to convey their support or displeasure for the various fees. We will send out the budgets eventually.

i. Student Senate Speaker: There will not be a meeting next Sunday. The next meeting will be the Sunday after that. Executive Officer applications will be sent out by Tuesday.

1. Sarah: To be Ex-O you must have one semester of Senate under your belt or have been a member of Summer Quorum.
4. NEW BUSINESS
   a. XXXIX - 2.10 - Removal of Senators
      i. Read by Executive Officer
      ii. Added to the list include:
          1. Dennis Ruprecht Jr. (Haaland)
          2. Isaac Colcord (Fairchild Co-Senator 1)
      iii. Nick L.: Is it proper to remove Dennis since he ceased to be a Senator when he was approved as First Year Senator?
           1. Sarah: It is past precedent.
      iv. Christian: I agree with Nick and would say that he should be removed from this
      v. Jake: This may open a legal quagmire as well since we are technically removing someone who is not a Senator.
      vi. Nick L.: Motion to strike Dennis from this bill.
           1. Seconded
           2. Motion Passes
   vii. Bill Passes
   b. XXXIX - 3.10 - Approval of Senators
      i. Read by Executive Officer
      ii. Added include:
          1. Katie Clark (Non-Res 6)
          2. José Calvo (Non-Res 7)
      iii. Bill Passes
   c. XXXIX – 4.10 - First Year Representative Bylaw Amendments 1
      i. Read by SAFC Chairperson, Jake Adams
      ii. Jake: In the past, this position did not report directly to the SBP. The section was put in to keep it consistent. This bylaw change makes it closer to the intent of the original creation of the First Year Representative. The First Year Representative should be able to go against the SBP if there is an issue that first year students do not agree with the SBP on. This brings it back to what it used to be.
      iii. Nick L.: Katie, how do you feel about this amendment given your holding of this role before?
           1. Katie: I think it is perfect. It was more that my relationship with the SBP and SBVP would connect me with those I needed to talk to if I had something I wanted to work on. I think that is the true meaning of the First Year Representative.
      iv. Christian: I honestly agree with this change. We are changing it back to what it used to be. Last year we did a comprehensive bylaw and constitutional edits. This was one thing that slipped through the cracks. For the First Year Rep to properly do their job, this change needs to go through.
      v. Nick L.: It is good that this is being caught now to avoid any issue in the future.
      vi. Bylaw Amendment Passes
5. OTHER BUSINESS
   a. XXXIX – 5.10 – Approval of SAFC Senator
      i. Read by SAFC Chairperson, Jake Adams.
      ii. Added include:
          1. Liam Sullivan
   iii. Passes
   b. Brennan: Next semester I will be stepping down as Speaker to take on an
   c. internship next semester. We are going to go through the nomination process
   d. Dennis: What are the qualifications?
      i. Brennan: You must be in Senate for a year, they do not currently have to
         be in Senate to be nominated. They do not currently have to be in the room
         either.
   e. Nominations opened for the position of the Student Senate Speaker
   f. XXXIX – 6.10 – Nominations for Student Senate Speaker
   g. Those nominated include:
      i. José Calvo (Accepted)
      ii. Audrey Getman (Respectfully Declined)
      iii. Elena Ryan (Accepted)
      iv. Jake Adams (Respectfully Declined)
      v. Gabriel Hoffman (To Be Determined)
      vi. Christian Merheb (Respectfully Declined)

6. ADJOURNMENT
   a. Adjourned at 8:08 P.M.
Student Senate Bill XXXIX – 2.10 Removal of Senators
Introduced by: Executive Officer, Sarah Scheinman
Date: November 19th, 2017

Be it enacted by the Student Senate of the University of New Hampshire to remove the following individuals as Student Senators for the remainder of session XXXIX:

Isaac Colcord (Fairchild Co-Senator 1)

Senate Action: Passed unanimously.
Speaker Verification:

Student Senate Bill XXXIX – 3.10 Approval of Senators
Introduced by: Executive Officer, Sarah Scheinman
Date: November 19th, 2017

Be it enacted by the Student Senate of the University of New Hampshire to approve the following individuals as Student Senators for the remainder of session XXXIX:

Katie Clark (Non-Resident 6)
José Calvo (Non-Resident 7)

Senate Action: Passed unanimously.
Speaker Verification:
Student Senate Bill 4.10 XXXIX – First Year Representative Bylaw Amendments
Introduced by: Student Activity Fee Committee Chairperson, Jake Adams
Date: November 19th, 2017

Be it enacted by the Student Senate of the University of New Hampshire to amend the following sections of the Student Senate Bylaws.

Senate Action: Passed unanimously.
Speaker Verification:

D) The First Year Representative
1) Qualifications
   a) The First Year Representative shall retain full-time undergraduate and First Year student status from the verification of the First Year election through their term of office.
      (i) A First Year student shall be defined as any full-time undergraduate student whose first year enrolled at the University of New Hampshire began during the current academic year or during the previous summer term of the current academic year.
   b) The First Year Representative shall not be a Student Senator from the time of their election through their term of office.

2) Authority and Responsibilities
   a) The First Year Representative shall:
      (i) Be a spokesperson for all First Year students in such a manner as to compensate for the inability of First Year students to vote for the incumbent Student Body President and Student Body Vice President;
      (ii) Perform all duties as the Student Body President may direct within the context of First Year life;
      (ii) Advise the Student Body President on issues pertaining to First Year life;
      (iii) Sit on at least one (1) University committee, as delegated by the Student Body President, where representation of the interests of First Year students is deemed pertinent;
      (iv) Be responsible for maintaining contact with and obtaining feedback from any Student Senate constituency with a significant First Year student population, as well as their respective Student Senate representation.

3) Election
   a) The First-Year Representative shall be elected during the First-Year Election according to the procedures of the Election Committee.

4) Term of Office
   a) The First-Year Representative shall hold a regular term of office from the time of their election until April 30th of the following year.
Student Senate Bill 5.10 XXXIX – Approval of SAFC Senator
Introduced By: Student Activity Fee Chairperson, Jake Adams
Date: November 19, 2017

Be it enacted by the Student Senate of the University of New Hampshire to approve the following individual as a Student Activity Fee Committee Senator for the remainder of session XXXIX:

Liam Sullivan

Senate Action: Passed unanimously.
Speaker Verification:

Student Senate Bill 6.10 XXXIX – Student Senate Speaker Nominations
Introduced By: Parliamentarian, Jesse Austin
Date: November 19, 2017

Be it enacted by the student Senate of the University of New Hampshire to open the floor for nominations for the position of the Student Senate Speaker, to be voted on at the next meeting.

Accepted Nominations:
José Calvo
Elena Ryan

Nomination Not Yet Accepted or Denied
Gabriel Hoffman