

NDSU STUDENT GOVERNMENT

April 11th, 2021

6:30pm, Zoom

Minutes

- I. Call to Order
 - A. 6:33 p.m.
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Roll Call
 - A. 17 present, 4 absent
- IV. Approve Agenda
- V. Approve Minutes
- VI. Approve Consent Agenda
 - A. Policy 152.2
- VII. Public Comment
- VIII. Guest Speaker
 - A. Dr. Warren Christensen
 - B. Rugby representatives
- IX. Advisor's Comments – *Emily Frazier, Lisa Samuelson, Casey Peterson and Laura Oster-Aaland*
- X. President of Senate Announcements – *Kylee Arndt*
- XI. Secretary of Senate Announcements – *Erica Wahlund*
- XII. Court Report – *Jamison Feske*
- XIII. Executive Reports
 - A. Finance— *George Kessel and Laura Friedmann*
 - i. Fund Numbers:
 1. In-Year Request: \$13,041.00
 2. Reserve: \$577,391.90
 - B. ExA— *Clara Counts and McKenna Warcken*
 - C. CSO— *Anthony Soukup*
 - D. ASA— *Meghan Yerhot*
 - E. PR— *Haley Fleisner*
 - F. Tech— *John Morrison*
 - G. President— *Matthew Friedmann*
- XIV. New Business
 - A. RR-15-21
 - i. First read
 - B. RR-16-21
 - i. First read
 - C. RR-17-21
 - i. First read
- XV. Unfinished Business
 - A. RR-14-21
 - i. Second read
 1. *Smith*: Where is the rugby field located?
 - a. *Krause*: It is to the west of the softball fields along 18th.
 2. *Walth*: Why is this the amount that is being requested?
 - a. *Krause*: That is a quote from the maintenance center to remove any concrete, put down new topsoil, and reseed the surface.

NDSU STUDENT GOVERNMENT

3. *Smith*: How often is this field used by other groups?
 - a. *Krause*: In my time here, it has only been used by Rugby for organized groups. At one point, the lacrosse team used it. It is open for anyone from any organization through the Wellness center.
 - b. *Bruemmer*: I have been here for 18 years and worked with the different rugby teams about this space. Throughout my time here, the condition has only worsened. Many groups have chosen to find other locations where they don't have to worry about injuries due to the condition of the field. If this is passed, I can see groups such as Welcome Week and intramural sports using this space.
4. *Arndt*: How long will it take to repair the field?
 - a. *Krause*: I am not sure, but it probably won't be useable until the Spring of 2022.
5. *Smith* moves to open discussion, seconded by Anderson
 - a. Approved
6. *J. Anderson*: Where do other teams that use grass fields hold their games and practices?
 - a. *Bruemmer*: A lot of teams find places off campus that are regulated by Fargo parks. They end up playing a lot extra because of this.
7. *Smith*: This seems like kind of a no-brainer since it could be an investment for all students. It sounds like it would be a fantastic place to play given the repairs.
8. *Walth*: Why is the outdoor field next to the outdoor track not used?
 - a. *Bruemmer*: Those are owned and run by athletics and are therefore not easily accessible.
9. *J. Anderson*: If this is passed, would there be an increased cost in general maintenance of the field?
 - a. *Bruemmer*: No.
10. *Ludewig* moves to approve, seconded by J. Anderson
 - a. Voice vote, **Passes**

XVI. Student Concerns

XVII. Reports off the Floor

- A. *Wahlund*: The banquet is on Tuesday at 6 p.m. so get excited.
- B. *L. Friedmann*: Applications for exec positions are due tomorrow at noon!
- C. *Smith*: Something I've noticed recently is the printer stations on campus don't have three-hole punches or staplers. I think this is something that would benefit students since I have heard grumbles about this.
 - i. *L. Friedmann*: This is something I tried to spearhead last year, and if you need, I can explain more about it.
- D. *Feske*: I am sad to report the resignation of Harrison Radgowski from the court.

XVIII. Announcements

XIX. Adjourn