Letter from Student Affairs Committee on University Union Board Codification Proposal

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To: Academic Senate
From: Student Affairs Committee
Re: Information item

UNIVERSITY UNION BOARD CODIFICATION PROPOSAL
(as amended)

University Union Board. There is hereby recognized, according to its constitution, a standing external committee of the Academic Senate, under the internal Academic Senate Student Affairs Committee, entitled the University Union Board.

University Union Board Membership: (16)

13 students
2 faculty
1 Union Director

The membership of the University Union Board shall consist of four (4) student hold-over members, (from which two (2) will sit as ex-officio members), from the previous board. These four (4) hold-over members will be selected by secret ballot of that Board (2 hold-over members and 2 ex-officio hold-over members). The membership will also consist of nine (9) new student members to be selected, from applications, by a screening committee of the following membership:

2 University Union board representatives selected by the University Union Board.
2 Student Association Assembly representatives selected by the Student Association.
1 representative Senator from the Academic Senate Student Affairs Committee, selected by the Student Affairs Committee.

The two faculty members shall be appointed according to the regulations and procedures established in the Academic Senate Bylaws.

The University Union Director shall sit as an ex-officio member of the University Union Board.
Union Board Codification Proposal

Elections: The President and Vice-President of the University Union Board will be elected by the entire student and faculty membership of the new University Union Board. The voting membership will consist of:

- 9 new students
- 2 hold-over members
- 2 ex-officio hold-over members (it is only at this time that they will possess a vote)
- 2 faculty members.

Functions:

To be a watchguard of student interests in the University Union.

To advise and assist the University Union Director in determining policies concerning the use of the University Union and its facilities.

To provide programs which augment recreation, and extend the broad educational goals of Illinois State University.

To advise and assist the Director in seeing that the facilities of the University Union are used to provide the greatest possible service to the entire University community.

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TO: Academic Senate

FROM: Nick Cetwinski, Co-Chairman
      Student Affairs Committee

RE: Information Item

RESOLUTION TO DISSOLVE HOUSING EXTERNAL COMMITTEE

Whereas, as of this academic year the University has no formal relationship with off-campus householders, giving students greater freedom and responsibility to handle their own personal affairs; and

Whereas, there presently exists an effective and credible Married Students Advisory Council to the Housing Office; and

Whereas, the Association of Residence Halls functions with credibility and effectiveness as representative of hall residents; and

Whereas, the primary responsibilities of the Housing Committee are served by the Association of Residence Halls and other representative organizations, hence creating no need for its continuation; and

Whereas, the Housing Committee has recommended its own dissolution;

I therefore propose the following:

1) In the interest of streamlining University governance and omitting duplicate constructive efforts, the Academic Senate hereby dissolve the External Housing Committee.

2) The Academic Senate, through the Internal Standing Student Affairs Committee, shall maintain a relationship with the Association of Residence Halls, so to aid and advise whenever necessary.

I stress the right of the Senate and its internal standing committee to investigate and/or evaluate any occurrence within the University community.

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