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# Student Affairs Committee 4/9/2019

Members present: Kerry Michaels, Jenna Ray, Sandy Olson-Loy (XO), Autumn Johnson, Kari Gillette, David Israels-Swenson (XO), Ryan Schamp (Chair)

Guests: TJ Ross, Lucell Hanson

Meeting was called to order at 11:43 am.

1. Approve the Minutes from 3/26/2019.

The minutes were approved unanimously.

2. Old Business:

- a. NONE CURRENTLY SCHEDULED

3. New Business:

- a. Student Behavior Committee:Suggested Changes to the appeal process.

Presented by TJ Ross. Two Handouts (Twin Cities Process and Morris Suggested Changes)

TJ gave background on the student behavior committee and walked the committee through the proposed changes to the appeal process for the behavior committee. The change removes the consultative committee's role in the appeal process and sends appeals directly to the Chancellor or designee. Sandy reported that this has been reviewed by general council for the University and is closer to best practices in the system and at other Universities.

Autumn moved to approve the changes, Kerry seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

- b. March 2019 Student Mental Health and Wellbeing QI Summary Presentation:

Presented by Sandra Olson-Loy. Presentation available on the team drive.

Sandy presented the work of the Quality Initiative focused on fostering student mental health and wellbeing.

The committee appreciated that information. There was a concern expressed that we often have lots of resources available but making sure students are aware of them can be a challenge. It was suggested that Learn to Live be promoted to students when they cannot get an immediate appointment in counseling. Sandy asked if there were suggestions of ways to promote these programs. Autumn suggested tabling in the Student Center. Kerry suggested that Psi Chi and Psychology Club are looking for projects and may be willing to help promote some of these programs. Ryan appreciated the plan to infuse this work into the curriculum and suggested more outreach to faculty sharing that we have resources and information that could be used in their course development.

The goal is to roll these new programs out and promote them more in New Student Registration next week. Autumn suggested midterms as a prime time to really promote these programs. The Community hour was also suggested as a prime time to reach students.

The Student Affairs committee affirms the work of this group and believes it will be a benefit to Morris students.

- c. Any new business from committee members.  
Ryan shared that the Activity Fee Review Committee is looking for four new students.

David shared that the Morris NorthStar has been reactivated and will be producing a publication within the next week.

The meeting adjourned at 12:39 pm.

Submitted by: Holly Rutter

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