

Senate Document SD 24-10
Approved, 12/9/2024

MEMORANDUM

TO Cigdem Gurgur, Presiding Officer

FROM: Stephen Buttes, Chair
Student Affairs Committee

DATE: 10/22/2024

SUBJ: Charge of the MAAS Committee

WHEREAS, the Student Affairs Committee is the parent committee of the Mastodon Athletics Advisory Subcommittee (MAAS); and,

WHEREAS, the MAAS convened to review their charge and discovered some outdated language; and,

WHEREAS, the MAAS has proposed and approved some updates to their charge; and,

WHEREAS, the Student Affairs Committee met to discuss the proposal and requested no additional revisions;

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Senate consider the below updates to the bylaws proposed by the MAAS; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Senate's approval of this resolution shall be considered an approval of the MAAS resolution below.

MEMORANDUM

TO Student Affairs Committee

FROM: Michelle Parker, Chair
Mastodon Athletics Advisory Sub-Committee

DATE: 09/13/2024

SUBJ: Charge of the MAAS Committee

WHEREAS, the Senate Bylaws Section 3.3 state the Responsibilities: The Mastodon Athletics Advisory;

WHEREAS, these responsibilities have not been reviewed in many years and some responsibilities have changed;

WHEREAS, 3.3.2 charges MAAS with "establish eligibility requirements for participation in intercollegiate athletics". This is not performed by MAAS, the eligibility requirements are established by the NCAA Division I rules. These NCAA Division I rules are monitored, enforced and reported on by the Director of Compliance, Faculty Athletics Representative, Registrar and Mastodon Academic Performance Center 3 times a year after each semester has concluded.

WHEREAS, 3.3.4 charges MAAS with "approve participation in post-season activities beyond conference tournaments". The approval process is a responsibility of the Athletic Director, the MAAS committee is only in an advisory capacity for post-season activities.

BE IT RESOLVED, that section 3.3 of the Senate Bylaws is updated to state:

3.3.2 Verify eligibility requirements are being met for participation in intercollegiate activities

3.3.4 Advise Athletic Director in the participation in post-season activities beyond Conference tournaments

In Favor

Against

Abstain

Michelle Parker
Troy Tonner
Farah Combs
Michelle Shaw
Michele Shawver
Jaylyn Giradot
Nurgul Aitalieva
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