Housing Advisory Committee

March 24th, 2022, | 10:30 am - 11:30 am | Zoom

Attendance:

Present: Andrew Harris (Housing, non-voting), Stephanie Muehlethaler (Colleges), Jen Coulter (Housing, non-voting), Brandon Remmelgas (Housing, non-voting), Lawrence Lam (Housing, non-voting), Sela Brown (Dur SCA), Wendy Walker (TCSA), Ann-Majella McKelvie (Housing, non-voting), Lisa Ramsamy (CC Cabinet), Lloyd McDowell (FA), Mollie Schnurr (TC Dons), Rob Marsh (Housing, non-voting). Naimah Simmons (PTBO SCA).

Absent: Kingsley Service (LEC Dons), Elena Duncan (OC Dons), Kamsi Charlse-Eidbedion (OC Dons), Mads Leduc (Durham Dons), Javariya Abid (Dur SCA), Cameron Ewing (TC Cabinet), Ashley Merker (OC Cabinet), Cassandra Tessier (OC Cabinet), Emma Philips (CC Cabinet), Devon Howell (TGSA), Sydney Beatty (CC Residence Council), Kevin Agatare (CC Residence Council), Ella Roth (GCS Residence Council), Kaylie Robertson (GCS Residence Council), Joanna Hogeveen (TC Residence Council), Connor Johnston (TC Residence Council), Eric Cheng (OC Residence Council), Cara Di Teodoro (LEC Residence Council), Chenelle Pinto (HAA), Sydney Glen (LEC Residence Council), Keeley Cox (OC Residence Council), Isabel Michaelson (GCS Dons), Livia Passarelli (CC Dons), Chenelle Pinto (HAA), Javariya Abid (TISA), Claudia Taylor (RLEA), Gina Standaert (GCS Cabinet), Sebastian Johnson (TGSA), Phuong Nguyen (TDSA).

Minutes:

I. Chair's Remarks (Jen Coulter)

- Called meeting to order at 10:33am.
- Introductions were made for new members in the meeting.

II. Land Acknowledgement (Andrew Harris)

III. Minutes (Jen Coulter)

- Motion to approve the January 20th, 2022, meeting minutes.
 - Moved by Stephanie Muehlethaler.
 - Seconded by Lisa Ramsamy.
 - Motion passed unanimously.

IV. (Jen Coulter)

- The group wanted to address areas around representation, the purpose, and the scope of the committee.
- The scope was expanded to include discussion around off-campus housing issues,
- Motion to approve the proposed HAC Terms of Reference as presented.
 - Moved by Lisa Ramsamy.
 - Seconded by Andrew Harris.
 - Motion passes unanimously.

V. Residence Standards Review

Multiple changes to COVID management policies as Ontario changes policies.

- For residence standards, how do we continue to include standards around health and safety?
- One-on-one education and incorporating residence standards into residence learning model.
- A lower number of progression intervention methods were used this year.
- Higher level of incident reports (due to COVID-19 violations) at 619. 329 concern reports were submitted.
- Kelsey collects feedback through Jam Board on the following questions:
 - What works well about our community standards?
 - What areas do you think we could work on?
 - What resources do you feel Housing Services could provide to students in a new or more effective way?

VI. Other Business

None

VII. Adjourn