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2021-0038: Executive Board Attendance Policy Amendment

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Whereas there is no attendance policy for the Executive Board,

Recognizing the current attendance policy for senators outlined in Article IV, Section 6
of the Student Governance Council Constitution,

Understanding the importance of equity between the Senate and Executive Board,

It is resolved that the Student Governance Council Executive Board be held to the
same standards as the senators,

Section 1. The following language be amended as a new section following Article V,
Section 3 of the Student Governance Council Constitution,

“Executive Board members shall be held to the following absence policies:

1. All elected executive board members of SGC are expected to participate in all scheduled meetings and are allowed a maximum of three unexcused absences per semester.
2. Two late arrivals and/or early dismissals count as one unexcused absence.
3. Excused absences shall only be granted for reasons including, but not limited to, religious observances, family emergencies, required academic obligations, scholarship requirements, intercollegiate athletic competitions, irregular job requirements, sickness, dangerous weather, and other extenuating circumstances at the chair’s discretion.

- 39 a. Should a conflicting event end before the SGC meeting's adjournment,
40 all senate members are expected to attend the remainder of the SGC
41 meeting.
- 42 b. For Senate meetings, The President and/or Senate Chair must both be
43 notified of an absence at least 24 hours in advance if possible.
- 44 i. If this notification is not made, the absence will be unexcused.
- 45 c. For Executive Board meetings, The President must both be notified of
46 an absence at least 24 hours in advance if possible.
- 47 i. If this notification is not made, the absence will be unexcused.
- 48 4. Consequences for absences will follow these procedures:
- 49 a. Two unexcused absences will result in a warning from the President or
50 the Senate Chair.
- 51 b. Four unexcused absences in one semester will result in dismissal from
52 SGC by the President or the Senate Chair.
- 53 c. Any member who has been dismissed shall not be eligible to serve on
54 SGC until the beginning of the following semester.