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DEFINING THE ROLE OF THE S.O.O.S. DIRECTOR

STUDENT GOVERNMENT BOARD
UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

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President Kneis introduced the following resolution; which was read for the first time.

12 SEPTEMBER 2017
Read the second time and voted on.

A BILL
TO CLEARLY DEFINE THE ROLE & RESPONSIBILITY OF THE STUDENT OFFICE OF SUSTAINABILITY DIRECTOR’S RELATIONSHIP TO SGB

WHEREAS, the Student Office of Sustainability’s goal is to increase the quantity and quality of sustainability initiatives on campus, produce services and provide support to the campus community, advocate and assist with sustainable innovation on campus, and ensure the fulfillment of institutional commitments to sustainable initiatives;

WHEREAS, environmentally & socially equitable initiatives impact all students on campus, and the Student Government Board wishes to support the numerous projects and events being undertaken by a variety of stakeholders;

WHEREAS, The Director of the Student Office of Sustainability serves as a liaison to SGB, creating partnerships between the two organizations to benefit the entire University;
WHEREAS, the Code was not updated when the Student Affairs Sustainability Intern was renamed the SOOS Director and responsibilities of the position adapted; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, on this 12th day of September in the year 2017, the University of Pittsburgh Student Government Board enacts the following revisions to the Student Government Board Governing Code:

Item 1.3.1.2.2.A10 delete the words “with the exception of the Environmental Chair, who must in addition hold five office hours in the Student Office of Sustainability”

Item 7.1.5.0.1A Insert “(SOOS)” after “The Student Office of Sustainability”

Item 7.1.5.0.3 shall now read “Student Office of Sustainability Director

A. The Student Office of Sustainability Director will serve as a liaison to Student Government Board and fulfill the following responsibilities:

1. Serve 5 office hours per week: These hours will take place in the Office of Sustainability.

2. Give a report at each SGB Public Meeting

3. Attend Cabinet meeting and work with the SGB Committee Chairs on collaborative projects.

B. The Director will organize an executive committee and foster communication between student groups to ensure the achievement of goals and initiatives of the office.”

Item 7.1.5.0.4.C will have the words “Sustainability Intern” replaced by “Director”
Item 7.1.5.0.4.D will have the words “The Student Affairs Sustainability Intern and Environmental Committee Chairperson” replaced by “The Student Office of Sustainability Director”; and be it further

RESOLVED, that all numbering changes resulting from these revisions shall be automatic, pursuant to the rules set forth in items 1.1.1.0.4 and 1.1.1.0.5 of the Student Government Board Governing Code; and be it finally

RESOLVED, that this resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption and shall reflect the changes shown in the attached document.

ADOPTED: this 12th day of September 2017 by a vote of 8 for, 0 against, and 0 abstentions.

Max Kneis, President
University of Pittsburgh Student Government Board