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Mandatory Campus Athletics Fee

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Resolution #9 1988-89

President
Faculty Senate
Campus

TO: President John E. Van de Wetering

FROM: The Faculty Senate Meeting on 1/23/89
(Date)

RE: I. Formal Resolution (Act of Determination)
 X II. Recommendation (Urging the fitness of)
 III. Other (Notice, Request, Report, etc.)

SUBJECT: Mandatory Campus Athletics Fee Proposal



Signed *John E. Van de Wetering* Date Sent 3/6/89
(For the Senate)

TO: The Faculty Senate

FROM: President John E. Van de Wetering

RE: I. Decision and Action Taken on Formal Resolution

a. Accepted. Effective Date *3/15/89*

b. Deferred for discussion with the Faculty Senate on _____

c. Unacceptable for the reasons contained in the attached explanation

II., III, a. Received and acknowledged

b. Comment:

DISTRIBUTION: Vice Presidents: *(see attached list)*

Others: _____

Distribution Date: *3/15/89* Signed *John E. Van de Wetering*
(President of the College)

Date Received by the Senate: _____

Mandatory Campus Athletics Fee Proposal

Rationale:

"October 26, 1988 The Board of Trustees adopted an amendment to the University's tuition and fees schedule to provide for the intercollegiate athletics fee option and authorized the Chancellor to disseminate guidelines." (Memorandum from Dr. Bruce Johnstone, Chancellor, October 31, 1988.)

The advantage of a separate athletics fee is two-fold.

1. It would stabilize funding for the Intercollegiate Athletics program.
2. It would allow the Brockport Student Government to utilize funds it formerly budgeted for Athletics for some of its own projects which would, in turn, improve its programming and services to the student body.

The initial plan for this mandatory fee is a three-year plan which applies only to undergraduate students. The projected fee amount is \$18 per semester for full-time students, and is pro-rated for part-time students. After the three-year period, the fee could be raised per inflationary adjustments, however, it may not exceed \$30 per semester per full-time student.

In order to implement this mandatory Athletics Fee Proposal, President Van-de Wetering must demonstrate campus support in order to obtain approval from the Chancellor. To date, the fee has been approved by BAC (Brockport Athletics Committee) BSG (Brockport Student Government) and the College Council. January 31 and February 1, there is to be a student referendum.

Whereas: The SUNY Board of Trustees has adopted an amendment to the University's tuition and fees schedule to provide for the intercollegiate athletics fee option,

and

Whereas: A separate Athletics fee would stabilize funding for the Intercollegiate Athletics Program,

and

Whereas: A separate Athletics fee would allow Brockport Student Government to utilize the funds it formerly budgeted for athletics for some of its own projects which would, in turn, improve its programming and services to the student body

Therefore, be it resolved: That the SUNY Brockport Faculty Senate endorse the implementation of a mandatory Campus Athletics fee as set forth in the October 31, 1988 Guidelines from Chancellor Johnstone.