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77LCB18 – Safety Buffs

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A Bill to Repeal and Replace 72LCB16-Safety Buffs Coalition

Bill History

This group is an entirely student-staffed group that seeks to fill a perceived void left by the Safety Initiatives Coalition. The intent is to bring in broader student involvement and participation to address safety issues on campus. The mission of this group is fairly broad and non-specific:

“The mission of the Safety Buffs Coalition shall be to build a coalition of students that are highly representative of the University of Colorado population. These members will become highly educated in safety issues and initiatives within the community. This coalition is to use the connection it has with higher safety authorities to ensure that the student voice is leading every safety conversation across the campus. Finally, raise awareness and promote safe lifestyles across the campus.”

The group is also charged with putting on a safety awareness event once per semester.

Bill Summary

This bill repeals and replaces 72LCB#16-Safety Buffs Coalition, to create a new organizational charter and structure for more sustainable future operations.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED THAT:

Section 1: This bill repeals and replaces 72LCB16, to amend the Safety Buffs bill and the bylaws that govern the coalition that will report to Legislative Council. With the passage of 77LCB#18, 72LCB#16 will be superseded.

Section 2: The members of the coalition shall be ratified by Legislative Council and will be composed in the following manner:

1. The CUSG Health and Safety Director
2. The CUSG Director of Diversity
3. The CUSG Neighborhood/City Relations Director
4. One (1) member of Representative Council to be appointed by the Representative Council Speaker
5. One (1) member of the Council of Colleges and Schools to be appointed by the Council of Colleges and Schools Chair
6. At least One (1) CUSG member from the United Government of Graduate Students appointed by the President of UGGS
7. Up to ten (10) students-at-large. These students are to be appointed by the Health and Safety Director and ratified by the Legislative Council.

Section 3: The chair of the committee shall be the CUSG Health and Safety Director.

Section 4: The governing bylaws of the Safety Buffs Coalition will be as follows:

1. Meetings shall be held no less than monthly.
2. Meetings shall be called by the Health and Safety Director, who must ensure that all members are notified. Special meetings may be held; all members (and the public) must be notified of all meetings at least twenty-four (24) hours in advance.
3. A member shall notify the coalition of her/his intent to resign from the coalition at least two weeks prior to her/his resignation. Transition and replacement shall begin immediately upon said notification.

4. All Safety Buffs Coalition appointments shall last no longer than one (1) year.

5. The mission of the Safety Buffs Coalition shall be to build a coalition of students that is highly representative of the University of Colorado population. These members will become highly educated in safety issues and initiatives within the community. This coalition is to use the connection it has with higher safety authorities to ensure that the student voice is leading every safety conversation across the campus, and finally, to raise awareness and promote safe lifestyles across the campus.

7. The coalition will be responsible for holding a minimum of one (1) campus-wide safety promotions event per year. The committee will also be responsible for ensuring that there is a monthly safety presentation to the coalition from offices across campus focused on safety. The coalition will also be charged with helping to promote the campus-wide safety survey and using the results to inform its decision making.

Section 5: The coalition may choose to survey the campus about safety or safety-related concerns.

Section 6: The coalition shall use data from entities across the university, city, and state to inform decision-making.

Section 7: The Health and Safety Director shall give a formal presentation regarding the work of the coalition on campus to the Legislative Council once a semester.

Section 8: The CUSG Legislative and Executive staff will support the Safety Buffs Coalition to the fullest of their capabilities.


Section 9: This bill shall take effect upon passage by the Legislative Council and upon either obtaining the signatures of two Tri-Executives or the lapse of six days without actions by the Tri-Executives.

Vote Count

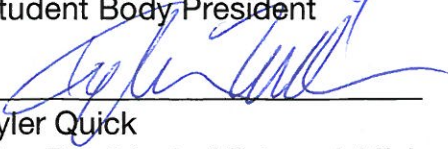
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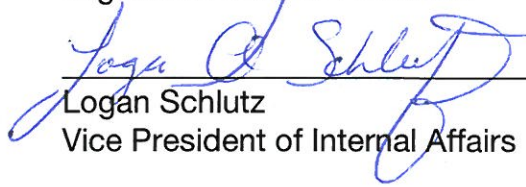
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