UNIVERSITY OF MAINE STUDENT GOVERNMENT, INC. GENERAL STUDENT SENATE RESOLUTION

Date: 9-22-2025 Resolution #: 46S-S-96-09-23-2025

AN ACT TO: Submit Funding Request for Speed Humps Under Functional Renewal & Improvement.

WHEREAS, Pedestrian safety is a primary concern among the student body, particularly in areas with high volumes of both foot and vehicular traffic. To address this issue, speed humps should be installed in designated locations to effectively regulate vehicle speeds, reducing them to a range of 15-20 mph.

WHEREAS,

Area:

44°54'09.4"N 68°40'10.4"W (Long Rd before Boardman) 44°54'10.6"N 68°39'56.3"W (Long Rd in front of Cumberland)

44°53'53.3"N 68°40'06.8"W (Sebago Rd)

Department: Facilities Management

Project description:

To address ongoing safety concerns, rubber/temporary speed humps are proposed for installation at key pedestrian crossings on campus to slow vehicle traffic and improve safety. Two will be placed on Long Road, positioned before Boardman Hall, and across from Cumberland Hall, to ensure drivers reduce speed before entering this heavily trafficked zone. Another will be installed on Sebago Road, in between China Rd. and Grove St.

These areas have been flagged through student feedback and vehicle incidents as high-risk. Recent accidents in which students and staff were struck by vehicles highlight the urgent need for traffic-calming measures. Installing speed humps at these locations will create a safer campus environment and directly address student safety concerns.

Requested by:

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RESOLVED, Ryan St. Lawrence will enter the information as written above in the Functional Renewal & Improvement Quote Request Form.

SPONSOR(S): VP Shelmerdine

Senator St. Lawrence

COMMITTEE ASSIGNED: Services RECOMMENDATION: [6-0-0] OTP

SENATE VOTE: [PASSED/PASSED WITH AMENDMENTS/FAILED]

SIGNATURE:

President, University of Maine General Student Senate

SIGNATURE:

President, University of Maine Student Government, Inc.