

PASSED 10/28/25

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE STUDENT GOVERNMENT, INC.
GENERAL STUDENT SENATE RESOLUTION
"REMOVAL OF THE POLITICAL ACTIVISM COMMITTEE FROM THE STANDING RULES"

Date: 10-24-2025

Resolution #: 46S-POL-126-10-28-2025

AN ACT TO: Remove the Political Activism Committee from the Standing Rules in accordance to **46S-POL-110-10-07-2025**.

WHEREAS, The Political Activism has been removed as a committee in the General Student Senate; and

RESOLVED, Standing Rules, Rule III, Section C, shall be resolved to read,

C. Order of the Chair

The President pro tempore, while they are in the Chair, may yield the Chair to the next Senator listed in the Order of the Chair at any time. The Order of the Chair shall be as follows:

1. President of the Senate
2. President Pro-Tempore
3. Chair of the Policy and Procedure Committee
4. Chair of the Academic Affairs Committee
5. Chair of the Services Committee
- ~~6. Chair of the Political Activism Committee~~

RESOLVED, Standing Rules, Rule IV, Section 1, Subsection C, shall be resolved to read,

C. Senate Agenda

Every Regular Meeting shall have the same broad agenda items unless modified by amendment at the meeting for that particular agenda. The items of that agenda shall proceed as follows:

1. Call to Order
2. Land Acknowledgement
3. Roll Call
4. Approval of Previous Meeting's Minutes and this Agenda
5. General Good and Welfare
6. New Senator and Officer Appointments
7. Club Maintenance
8. Club Presentations
9. Guest Speaker
10. UMSG Executive Reports
 - a. President, UMSG, Inc.
 - b. Vice President, UMSG, Inc.
 - c. Vice President of Financial Affairs
 - d. Vice President of Student Organizations
 - e. Vice President of Student Entertainment
 - f. Vice President of Student Leadership

- g. Advisor to Student Government
- 11. Periodic Reports
 - a. Faculty Senate Student Representative
 - b. University of Maine Board of Trustees Student Representative
 - c. Chair of the Fair Election Practices Commission
 - d. Student Legal Services Liaison
 - e. Representative to the Graduate Student Senate
 - f. Orono Town Council Liaison
 - g. Old Town City Council Liaison
 - h. Representative of Military and Veteran Student Affairs
 - i. Director of Communications
 - j. Director of Technology
 - k. University of Maine Security Representative
 - l. The Center for Undergraduate Research Liaison
- 12. Reports of Standing Committees
 - a. Policy and Procedure
 - ~~b. Political Activism~~
 - b. Services
 - c. Academic Affairs
- 13. Reports of Special Committees
- 14. Representative Board Reports
 - a. Commuter and Non-Traditional Students
 - b. Honors College Advisory Board
 - c. Interfraternity Council
 - d. Panhellenic Council
 - e. Student Athletic Advisory Committee
 - f. Senior Class Council
- 15. Community Association Reports
 - a. Student Heritage Alliance Council
 - b. Wilde Stein Queer Straight Alliance
 - c. International Student Association
- 16. Five Minute Recess
- 17. Consent Agenda
- 18. Unfinished Business
- 19. New Business
- 20. Main Motion
- 21. Executive Session
- 22. Special Orders and Announcements
- 23. Final Roll Call
- 24. Adjournment

RESOLVED, Standing Rules, Rule V, Section C, Line 7, shall be resolved to read,
7. CAB = Cabinet, EBC=Executive Budget Committee, SOC=Student Organizations Committee, SE=Student Entertainment Committee, POL=Policy & Procedure, S=Services, ~~PA=Political Activism~~, MPR=Marketing and Public Relations.

RESOLVED, Standing Rules, Rule VI, Section 1, Subsection A, Line 1, shall be resolved to read,

1. The several Standing Committees and their jurisdictions shall be as follows.

- a. The Standing Committee on Marketing and Public Relations shall have jurisdiction over the promotion and marketing of UMSG and its affairs. This should not be confused with the purpose of the Division of Student Entertainment.
- b. The Standing Committee on Policy and Procedure shall have jurisdiction over all matters of the policies and procedures of UMSG as well as over all relevant documents and matters regarding the University of Maine, the University of Maine System, and its policies regarding education of the Undergraduate Student Body or its Administration.
- c. The Standing Committee on Student Services shall have jurisdiction over all issues involving services provided to students by the University of Maine, including but not limited to parking, dining services, mailing, housing, and textbooks.
- ~~d. The Standing Committee on Political Activism shall have jurisdiction over the education of the University of Maine Undergraduate Student Body regarding political issues and the promotion of political involvement among that constituency in ways which are strictly non-partisan.~~
- d. The Standing Committee on Academic Affairs shall have jurisdiction over the academics and education of the University of Maine Undergraduate Student Body. This committee shall be responsible for communicating on the behalf of the Undergraduate Student Body to academic resources and services in the UMaine System.

AUTHOR: Senator Sparks
SPONSOR(S): Senator Collamore
COMMITTEE: Policy and Procedure
RECOMMENDATION: [7-0-0] OTP

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

SIGNATURE:



President, University of Maine General Student Senate

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President, University of Maine Student Government, Inc.