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VICE PRESIDENT INTERNAL REPORT

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Hello Council,

I hope you are all enjoying your summer break, school term, or coop. It has been a crazy month for Feds with there being two general meetings, and all kinds of student events (mostly barbecues). Everything is going pretty well at the moment, and things are shaping up well for September. If you have any questions about this report, let me know.

I am happy with what I have managed to accomplish in the last month, the more important things include:

- IAC/CLAC meetings are very productive, we have dealt with many issues together and are shaping into excellent teams
- Service Review looking great, lots to do yet, but progress has been made
- First Committee of Presidents meeting was held, only 3 people were in attendance, but there were still some good discussions

After three months in office I have gotten myself into a good daily routine, and I feel like I am getting a lot done. I am still really enjoying my work, and I can't wait to see some projects start to make an impact. I hope everyone has a wonderful August, and best of luck to those of you writing exams.

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CAMPUS LIFE DEPARTMENT UPDATES

- Planning for Welcome Week in the Fall is in progress, we are working on some sponsorships and are finalizing the bands (offer sheets out)
- The volunteer extravaganza for this term was this past Wednesday (the 24th), I will update you verbally, as at the time of writing this it has not occurred yet
- We are still waiting on the new event forms, they will be ready soon, hopefully (we are week to week at this point)

CLUBS

- The Waterloo Tamil Student Association has been dissolved due to a breach of the clubs procedure (council procedure 3). There may be an appeal from them at the next council meeting.
- Clubs awards were handed out on Wednesday, I will update you verbally as to who won

SERVICES

- Brendan meets weekly with all the services, and this added support has really helped add some stability to the service operations
- CLAC has met with all of the service coordinators at this point, we are working to process all of our consultation date to move forward with the review
- CLAC will begin to start investigate the WalkSafe issue to see if it will work on this campus, we will be using the date from the Student Safety Committee from last term. I will also be meeting with a Wilfred Laurier Student Union executive to get some information about their WalkSafe program

SPECIAL EVENTS

- Welcome Week is shaping up to be tons of fun! More information coming soon!
- There will be therapy dogs in the SLC on July 30th! Stress relief for everyone!

COMMITTEE UPDATES

INTERNAL COMMITTEES

INTERNAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

- Weekly meetings, Tuesdays at 5:30
- We have approved many new clubs, revised constitutions, and discussed several club issues
- Funding was granted for two people for a total of about \$1600. One was for a conference in Vancouver, the other for an event on Campus.

- I will provide an up-to-date and thorough funding report at the next council meeting as there are a few outstanding request right now
- Posting for student at large volunteers will go up on Feds.ca within the next week or so to find committee members for the fall term

CAMPUS LIFE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- Weekly meetings, Thursdays at 11:30am
- Taking point on service review, have met all coordinators and will begin to process data
- WalkSafe discussions to start soon

ONE WATERLOO STEERING COMMITTEE

The committee has not met.

COMMITTEE OF PRESIDENTS

We met and discussed the Societies' Agreement, specifically about society funds and the budget package. Another meeting will be held in September.

CAMPUS RESPONSE ADVISORY BOARD

The committee is still waiting for its first meeting to be scheduled.

UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES

UNIVERSITY DIVERSITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The committee has not met.

LGBTQQ ADVISORY COMMITTEE

We met and primarily discussed a positive space policy and gender neutral washrooms. No decisions were made, as a lot of our discussions were about UDAC, which has yet to meet.

STUDENT LIFE ENDOWMENT FUND

The committee did not meet, funding is handed out when approved request submit receipts.

Distribution is as follows (bold indicates funding released):

Group	Project	Amount Requested	Amount Granted
Student Life Centre	Chairs for study rooms and Great Hall	24370	24400
The Iron Warrior	Office chairs	800	800
Renison Academic Student Council	Scanner		0
Off Campus Dons	First-Aid Training	1800	900
International Student Connection	Window in office door		0

Campus Response Team	Vests and digital radios	11215.48	11300
Society of Pharmacy Students	Picnic tables and pool table	4080	4100
Feds Water Bottle Filler Project	Water bottle fillers	10000	9500
University of Waterloo Engineering Society	Digital signage and digital presentation screen for meeting room	4520	4600
Waterloo Cuban Salsa Club	Speakers for SLC lower atrium	5000	3800
Nanotech Undergrads	Furniture for 4 th -year nano study room	9600.18	0
UWOSS	Safe	1014.68	1400

SUICIDE PREVENTION COMMITTEE

The committee has not met yet.

EQUITY OFFICER WORKING GROUP

This committee has not met.

COMMISSIONS

ARTS COMMISSION

There are no current plans for the Arts Commission to run this term.

SOCIETIES

The societies' conference is being planned, and will be held in mid-late September. The COPs meeting will likely occur after the conference to seek feedback for the winter conference.

PROJECTS

STUDENT SAFETY PROGRAMS

There was no work done on this project.

SERVICE REVIEW

This is underway. More information will be available in September. We are currently working to process all of the data we received through consultation.

FED HALL ACCESS

Fed Hall is available until the end of July, with limited subsidy money available. One event took place in July on the 24th; the event was subsidized by the Fed Hall Subsidy provided to us by the University.

SMALL PROJECTS

- ***Water Bottle Fillers:*** SLEF funding granted, project head is currently on Coop. He will resume working when he returns, no body working on it now. If interested contact me.