



July 19, 2017, 5:30 – Council Chambers, Student Union Building

1. ROLL CALL

2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

MOTION 2017-07-19: A01

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the agenda be adopted as circulated.

3. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

MOTION 2017-07-19: M01

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the minutes of the June 28, 2017 council meeting be accepted.

4. COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED

- a. Letter from Presidential Review Committee

5. APPOINTMENTS

- a. Elections Review Committee
 - i. Indigenous Students Rep
 - ii. LGBTQ2+ Rep
 - iii. Accessibility Rep
- b. Executive Review Committee
 - i. Two Councillors
 - ii. One Non Councillor

6. PRESENTATIONS

- a. Masuma Khan, Vice President Academic and External

7. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

- a. Board Caucus
- b. Senate Caucus
- c. Society Review
- d. Grants and Sponsorship

8. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Halifax Typographical Union Motion

WHEREAS, it is to the benefit of Dalhousie students that they have access to quality information on news, on political and educational news sources that impact their interests as post- secondary students;

This quality source of information has been absent for over 500 days since Halifax Typographical Union members began a strike at the Chronicle Herald, Nova Scotia's primary newspaper. The Chronicle Herald had a dedicated journalist on topics related to post secondary students. A gap is apparent since the strike began. The lack of in - depth, quality journalism is having a negative impact on students at Dalhousie; their ability to make informed decisions is eroded, given this lack of information.

BE IT RESOLVED, the Dalhousie Student Union on behalf of its membership supports the resolution of this labour dispute and requests that the Minister of Labour and Advanced Education for Nova Scotia intervene in this matter to seek a resolution.

9. NEW BUSINESS

a. Canada Day Motion

Whereas the Dalhousie Student Union recognizes the struggles of Indigenous students and strives to advocate and support them.

And whereas, the Dalhousie Student Union recognizes the current celebration of Canada day as an act of colonialism.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Dalhousie Student Union will not partake in the promotion and celebration of Canada day on Dalhousie Campus.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Dalhousie Student Union will not have any events celebrating Canada day take place in the Dalhousie Student Union building.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Dalhousie Student Union will not partake in the promotion or celebration of any Canada 150 programming.

b. Policy Development and Review Policy

c. Changes to Executive Portfolios

d. Senate Caucus Accountability

10. BUSINESS OF THE EXECUTIVE

a. President Amina Abawajy

b. Vice-President (Internal) Alex Hughes

c. Vice-President (Financial and Operations) Chantal Khoury

d. Vice-President (Academic and External) Masuma Khan

e. Vice-President (Student Life) Cory Larsen

11. NOTICES OF MOTION

12. ANNOUNCEMENTS

13. ADJOURNMENT