## Wednesday, October 19, 2022 10:00 AM Virtual Meeting via Microsoft Teams Meeting Minutes

<u>Attendance</u>: Celeste Latham, Rachel Xidis, James Garman, David Mannia, Dashiell Shulman, Matt Nielsen, David Gorman, Joe Przybyla, and Scott Mooberry.

### Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 10:02 A.M. by Chair Mooberry.

## Approval of Agenda

A motion to approve the agenda was made by Dashiell Shulman and seconded by Celeste Latham. The Committee approved the agenda.

### Approval of Minutes

Chair Mooberry reported that the September meeting minutes will be submitted and voted on at the November meeting since drafting of the minutes is not complete.

### **Old Business**

Lt. Przybyla reported that the blue light call stations remain in operation and are scheduled for removal from service when they malfunction and cannot be repaired. In the interim, trash bags are placed over the button and receiver to indicate that the stations are out of service until the station is repaired or permanently removed. Stations are being activated ~ once a month for emergency purposes but also tend to activate when vandalized or during periods of heavy rainfall. Stations in the Parking Garage are currently not in operation.

Police and Public Safety is also trying to market the mobile blue light feature (panic button on cell phones) through the NIU SAFE app which to meant to replace the blue light call stations.

The yellow call stations and phones in laboratories internal to campus buildings remain operational with no intent to remove.

#### **New Business**

Matt Nielsen reported that the Residential Housing Association is planning to propose that speed tables be installed on the streets along the south side of Stevenson Towers and Patterson Hall in response to a student who was struck by a vehicle a few weeks ago. There is concern that there is speeding along these stretches of roads which also incurs high levels of pedestrian traffic.

Lt. Przybyla reported that Police and Public Safety can evaluate the concern specifically as it pertains to the stretch of road along Patterson Hall. Lt. Przybyla did report that Police and Public Safety has increased enforcement operations along Lucinda Drive south of Stevenson Towers to reduce speeding along this stretch of roadway.

## Membership Updates

Lt. Przybyla reported that Police and Public Safety has re-stocked the orange first aid kits in various buildings across campus.

# Approval to Adjourn

A motion to adjourn was made by Celeste Latham and seconded by Dashiell Shulman. The meeting was adjourned at 10:16 AM.