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Resolution - 2023-2024 - #27

Subject: Resolution regarding Transportation Fees
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WHEREAS under Article IV § 4.01(b)(vii) of the University at Buffalo Student Association Inc. (“SA”) By-Laws, the SA Senate is empowered to “enact resolutions concerning issues of importance” that impact University at Buffalo (“UB”) undergraduate “student rights and student welfare”;

WHEREAS per the UB Broad-based Fee Rates website, UB undergraduate full-time students pay \$242.25 per semester for the Transportation Fee, totaling \$484.50 per academic year;

WHEREAS given the UB Admissions campus profile, UB undergraduate student enrollment is approximately 20,761;

WHEREAS the UB undergraduate student body therefore pays approximately \$10,000,000 per academic year through the Transportation Fee to the UB;

WHEREAS on or about May 1, 2024, fifteen protesters were arrested on the UB North Campus, with police using “UB Stampede” buses to transport those arrested; and

WHEREAS the UB undergraduate student body has made known to the SA Senate their disapproval of the use of student-funded public transportation for the purposes of furthering arrests; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the SA Senate respectfully calls upon the UB and University Police to ensure that, in the future, public transportation that is paid for by UB students is not used in arrests.