

Senate Bill

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Introduced by: Senate Vice President David George

Proposed by: Senate Vice President David George, Secretary of Commuter of Affairs Alan Rosenberg

Whereas: The Student Government Association (SGA) of Ramapo College of New Jersey is the liaison body to the Faculty, Staff, Administration, the Board of Trustees, and the Board of Governors of Ramapo College of New Jersey;

Whereas: The Ramapo College Commuter Affairs website has stated that, “Approximately 3,000 students commute to and from Ramapo College, making commuters one of the largest groups of students on campus and an essential part of Ramapo’s community.”;

Whereas: The Ramapo College Commuter Affairs website has also stated that “Commuter Affairs is committed to academically and socially connecting commuter students to the Ramapo College Community by providing services and programs that will identify and meet the needs of our commuter student population.”;

Whereas: Ramapo College offers a wide variety of academic and social events for all students to connect and network among themselves to build their community and find opportunities with career professionals including those that are specifically centered around commuters;

Whereas: There has been a noticeable disconnect with commuters regarding on-campus events which stems from a lack of prior knowledge of on-campus events. In addition, commuters are generally less likely to take the initiative and seek out events, thus access to information on these events is currently ineffective;

Whereas: It is common practice for organizations and sectors on campus, such as residential dorms, to notify their members of events. In this regard, there is currently no easily accessible system specifically focused on enticing commuters to attend events;

Whereas: The pathway from the Berrie Center to the commuter parking lot is a hotspot for commuter students to travel to and from;

Whereas: A new sign will be implemented on the pathway next to the Berrie Center from the commuter parking lot to campus. The goal of the sign is to make information about events more readily available to commuters;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: The sign will be maintained by the SGA Commuter Affairs Committee at a minimum of a biweekly basis at the scheduled meeting time or as needed. The content of the signage will also be overseen by the Ramapo College Commuter Affairs Office as well as the SGA Commuter Affairs Committee;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: Clubs and organizations may request their events to be advertised through a specific form on the Ramapo College Commuter Affairs Archway or through cosponsoring with the Student Government Association. Additionally, flyers must be approved by Roadrunner Design before advertising on the sign is requested.

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