

University of Illinois at Springfield
Student Government Association
Resolution 2008-009

Resolution on the Proposed Housing Rate Increases

WHEREAS, the Student Government Association (SGA) is responsible for reviewing and providing feedback regarding increases in the cost of housing at the University of Illinois at Springfield (UIS); and

WHEREAS, the administration of UIS has provided to the SGA its' recommendations for the cost of room and board for the 2009-2010 academic year; and

WHEREAS, the SGA believes it is important to set housing rates that maintain affordability yet allow the Housing Office to continue providing services and recognizes the role that the difficulty of predicting consumption patterns plays in the rate increases; and

WHEREAS, the SGA appreciates the administration's willingness to renegotiate the stabilization of the LRH and FRH rates and supports the decision to retain a rate differential; and

WHEREAS, the SGA also appreciates efforts to improve amenities in LRH by making the Great Room a more functional multi-media equipped space; and

WHEREAS, the SGA supports the hiring of an additional tradesperson to address the backlog of work order requests and a permanent customer service representative; and

WHEREAS, the SGA also supports Housing's plans to prepare and submit a request for deep cleaning and deep painting to be completed in Summer 2009;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Student Government Association of the
University of Illinois at Springfield recommends that the proposed housing rates
for academic year 2009-2010 be approved.

Ashley Rook
President

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Secretary