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**PHYSICAL FACILITIES & PLANNING COMMITTEE
RECOMMENDATION**

SR-01-02-14 (PFPC)

Recommends that the University post signs near all campus building entrances prohibiting smoking from within (a to be specified) distance from the building entrance.

RATIONALE:

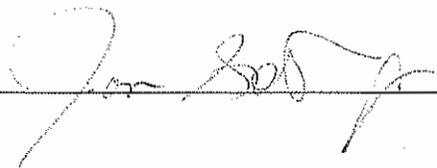
Several buildings on campus have been identified as having a second hand smoke problem. Since smoking can not be banned totally on campus; and secondly, monies are not available to enclose building entrances to eliminate smoke from migrating into said buildings and exposing nonsmokers who must walk past smokers, it may be in our best interest to try and simply keep smokers from loitering around building entrances or keep them back some distance from the entrances.

Therefore, if we could just keep the smokers some distance from the building entrances we might start to solve some of the second hand smoke issues. There would be no police enforcement of the no smoking rule, hopefully it would be somewhat self enforcing by nonsmokers and smokers if they see a sign as to where they may smoke.

Finally the specific distance to be determined would be considered building by building as each one is different as to how smoke reacts with the building entrance. The distance might be greater in Corbly Hall than in front of Harris Hall.

FACULTY SENATE PRESIDENT:

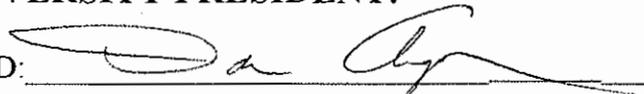
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