Meeting called to order at 7:33pm

I. Attendance
President Kat Klawes: Present
Vice President Katie Liubakka: Present
Treasurer Vito Giannola: Present
Chair of the Assembly Alex Hawke: Present
Advisor Lina Blair: Present
Advisor Carter Wilson: Present
Anne Marie Wellman: Present
Mitchell Sevigny: Present
Brianna Wright: Present
Teala Howell: Present
Sara Spragg: Present
Danielle Schafer: Present
Spencer Deering: Present
Lindsey Lieck: Present
TJ Aiyash: Present
Sheila Williams: Excused Absence
Jonathan Korpi: Present
Cecilia Smith: Present
Jess Gula: Present
Olivia Steil: Not Excused Absence
Secretary Katie Stumman: Present

II. Public Comment
a. None

III. Approval of Consent Items
a. Minutes 02.23.15
Motion to approve minutes made by Sara Spragg,
Seconded by Spencer Deering,
Votes in favor: Anne Marie Wellman, Brianna Wright, Mitchell Sevigny, Sara Spragg, Danielle Schafer, Spencer Deering, TJ Aiyash, Jonathan Korpi, Jess Gula, Cecelia Smith, Teala Howell
Votes in opposition: None
Abstain: Lindsey Lieck

b. Agenda 03.08.15
Cecelia moves to add herself to join the ASL Advisory Committee to Appointments, presented by Jess Gula
Motion to approve with changes made by Jess Gula 
Seconded by Danielle Schafer 
Unanimous.

IV. Executive Reports 
   a. President Kat Klawes: We’ll be putting in the last two sunlamps, 
      Wednesday at noon in the Health Center and Friday at 4pm in West Science if 
      anyone wants to help out please let me know. Mitch and I will hopefully have sexual 
      assault recommendations, so if you have suggestions please send them to us. The 
      Let’s Chat with Dining will be March 25th from 5-7 p.m. in the old Starbucks Lounge, 
      we need about three more members to help out. Gender Inclusive housing is official 
      and will be offered in the on-campus apartments in Fall 2015. I want to thank Sheila 
      and Jess for their work and making that possible. Also, we’re happy to announce 
      that. ASNMU leadership board will be picking the leadership award next week, and 
      it will be announced at the NMU leadership Banquet. 
   b. Vice President Katie Liubakka: Over spring break I met with Mary about 
      self harm policies and it’s at a stand still because they’re waiting for the office of civil 
      rights to come up with a new policy for western and once it’s approved they’ll know 
      better where to start. If anyone is interested on serving on that let me know but this 
      might not be until next year. 
   c. Treasurer Vito Giannola: We just got the sunlamps, and there haven’t been 
      any transactions, current balance is $13,308.78. Elections are coming soon but all 
      direct allocation groups, like the NW, Radio X, SFC, and ASNMU will be submitting 
      end of the year reports soon if anyone wants to look over that, it’s Article 3, section 
      5. The referendum committee has the proposed changes for you guys and you’ve all 
      done great work over the last few weeks.
   d. Chair of the Assembly Alex Hawke: Two things, first, related to the 
      referendum, we’ll be having a second meeting this week on Wednesday at 8pm in 
      235B in the LRC. We will be finalizing the constitution. I will be imposing time limits 
      on discussions tonight so check yourselves.

V. Committee Updates 
   a. Mitchell Sevigny: For elections, the packets are due at the end of the day 
      today, so if you haven’t gotten those in please do. After the meeting, I’ll do a quick 
      one five minutes after the meeting. Our SAM conference is at the end of this month 
      and we’ll get that hammered out soon, and we’re almost done planning it though. 
      Everyone will be coming and hoping to do a group event at Marquette Mountain. In 
      terms of assembly attending, it’ll probably be the four of us. For external, the house 
      passed house resolution 6 and it’s the resolution to support the Marquette County 
      road appeal, and the resolution 13, which is the same thing from the State of 
      Michigan. 
   b. Danielle Schafer: Two or three weeks ago the Provost committee picked 
      two and the President picked one so we’re waiting for the final decision.

VI. Appointments
a. Academic Service Learning Advisory Committee-Cecelia Smith: Presented by Jess Gula

Jess Gula: Cecelia has been a great rep and wants to be appointed to this committee.

Cecelia Smith: I was looking at committees and this committee was on the list and thought it would be interesting to join. I’m into the idea of going out and helping out others.

Motion to approve made by Jess Gula
Seconded by Sara Spragg
Unanimous.

VII. Action Items
a. CR 595 Resolution: Presented by Mitchell Sevigny

Mitchell Sevigny: One last thing, I want to thank everyone for their patience, this is an important issue. This isn’t about the road or the environment, it’s about giving the road commission a chance to go to court and argue their case. The EAP has a lack of communication, and some agencies don’t like to play nice, but if they want to go through court to do this it’s their digression. This is ASNMU’s support to go through with going to court, and I think this is really important towards the safety and populated areas of Marquette. This will be an issue for the future, and as far as I’m aware this is the only resolution proposed to that traffic issue. The county is banking on this, so it could be another 3-5 years before another issue comes up, but if it passes there’s a new road and the students are safer because of it. I think it would be a disservice to table or ignore this issue, but just vote honestly. I’m not expecting a decision.

See Document 3.9.2015A

Danielle Schafer: The reason the EAP didn’t say no is because they asked for more info, and they’re having the appeals processed. This was not handled properly, and we shouldn’t try to rush through something like this, but the county didn’t follow through when requested, and yes the road is concerning but it should be done right.

Spencer Deering: The mine gives a certain amount of money to help safety standards right? If it were to be constructed, would it be void or null?

Mitchell Sevigny: No. I move to approve resolution
Seconded by Jonathon Korpi
Votes in Favor: Mitchell Sevigny, Brianna Wright, TJ Aiyash, Cecelia Smith, Anne Marie Wellman, Jonathan Korpi
Votes in opposition: Danielle Schafer, Spencer Deering, Lindsey Lieck
Abstain: Teala Howell, Sara Spragg, Jess Gula

Alex Hawke: This is a chance where I get to break a tie.
Vito: Yes, the Chair votes now.
Alex Hawke: I am going to vote no because if we are this split over an issue I don’t feel it should pass.
b. Native American Studies Resolution: Presented by TJ Aiyash
TJ Aiyash: I made a few grammatical changes to this, reworded the phrases and if anyone has questions let me know.
See Document 3.9.2015B

Carter Wilson: Didn’t you strike the sponsors?
TJ Aiyash: I have none so yes let’s take it out.
Kat Klawes: Can you explain how it’s been recognized for the national assembly?
TJ Aiyash: It’s endorsed as a curriculum worth studying, and we are the first.
Motion to approve made by Spencer Deering
Seconded by Sara Spragg
Unanimous.

c. Let’s Chat Budget: Presented by Lindsey Lieck
Lindsey Lieck: I don’t know if it would be a good idea to have two events in one day, so I can call facilities. That one is on the 25th that I’ve been talking about all year, issues with grounds keeping, buildings renovated, etc. I’ve been working with Brandon and he said he could do late March early April and let me pick so I can see if it can be switched.
See Document 3.9.2015C

Brianna Wright: I think we should move this one because Dining is more important.
Anne Marie Wellman: This event has been planned for all year so I don’t know how fair it is for facilities to request to move since it’s been planned since last semester. I agree that dining is a problem, but by asking to move it isn’t really fair I think.
Lindsey Lieck: I don’t know any other solutions except to move, and the facilities are just them and us, so does anyone have any other solutions? I’m OK with asking them to move. One is at 3:30 and Dining is at 5, so they could overlap but could not.
Danielle Schafer: I think as unfortunate it is to ask them to move I think it’s better. Having them both on the same day is a disservice to both because of student’s schedules, etc.
Lindsey Lieck: I’ll call Brandon or stop by and see if the next Wednesday after that works. So the posters has been done by Sara and will send them all around once finalized. It’s pretty simple, and I’m meeting with the director of housing to have back up questions, but the posters are straightforward. I wanted 115 posters, and the extra $15 is from the design that we didn’t have to buy. I want these all up in the houses of the dorms for the students to see.

Motion to approve made by Sara Spragg
Seconded by Lindsey Lieck
Votes in favor: Mitchell Sevigny, Brianna Wright, TJ Aiyash, Cecelia Smith, Teala Howell, Spencer Deering, Anne Marie Wellman, Sara Spragg, Lindsey Lieck
Votes in opposition: Jess Gula
Abstain: Danielle Schafer
Passes.

VIII. Discussion Items
a. ASNMU Student Concern Survey Results: Presented by Jess Gula and Sheila Williams
   Jess Gula: Basically everyone got the email with the responses from the survey. We got about 855 responses and any responses out of the Marquette area or that took them on the same IP address were deleted but the first one of multiple IP addresses were kept. We shared them with, Technology learning committee, housing, public safety, parking and head of traffic, Dining, North Wind, financial aid, etc. to have them as public record and have paper copies in the office. This discussion is for anything you've read or anyone else you want to share these with.
   See Document 3.9.2015D

   Carter Wilson: I recommend the sexual assault task force.
   Kat Klawes: They were already shared.

b. Recommendations of Changes to ASNMU Constitution & Bylaws: Presented by the Constitutional and Bylaw Review Committee
   See Document 3.9.2015E

   Kat Klawes: Members of the survey committee are myself, Anne Marie, Vito, Jess, Katie, Brice, Alex Perz, and we’ll be the ones presenting. Also Nolan Craft who could not be here tonight. Just to clarify things in blue is added language, things in red are things we hope to remove.

   Mitchell Sevigny: Two things I am proud of are the executive secretary and new eBoard, and the policy of ASNMU. The parliamentary is important because they make the final call of what to say, and then the executive secretary will take care of papers, and have everything organized.

   Anne Marie Wellman: The first change, which all of these are super minor, and his/her pronouns are changed to their. The first change is Article 1, from every 1,000 students to every 850, so it matches the reps and the tables. The next is so the down campus reps are quad one and quad two, and Meyland and Magers change, and it doesn’t change the rep numbers.

   Spencer Deering: The change from 1,000 to 850 is for the colleges. The colleges are made up of all students at northern and the residences are students on campus.

   Anne Marie Wellman: It used to be 1,000 for residents and it just didn’t get changed with academics.

   Kat Klawes: Under the table of contents, article 5, which is student’s rights, got left out. The other change was moving Magers and Meyland away from up campus. The next is the change of the chair of the assembly. The president may approve the chair but feel that that’s not needed. Gender pronouns again, and we
removed the application and interview process and moved it to appointments committee.

Cecelia Smith: So does this mean there is no more applying online?
Kat Klawes: They can pick them, but there’s a proper channel before the assembly.

Lindsey Lieck: Do we have somewhere with what they have to do?
Kat Klawes: Yes, it’s in the bylaws. Next we allocated the executive board, which we’ve been doing all year.

Anne Marie Wellman: We decided to strike the top part because it’s dealt with in the bylaws. The committees that are mentioned in here are committees we can’t get rid of, but the elections, affairs and SFC and appointments don’t have an option so that’s why we struck everything else out. We changed committee of appointments to appointments committee because of wording. We added that the members of all the standing committees had to be approved by vote of assembly. We moved the ability to create the standing committee down to authority of the assembly because it made more sense. The 7A is what Mitch was talking about earlier, changing the name to Parliamentary. In Article II was change the councils to board and added the secretary position talked about earlier.

Kat Klawes: Friendly amendment, in front of executive secretary.
Anne Marie Wellman: The next under powers and duties of president, was something we asked ASNMUJ about earlier in the year and they said it was university and ASNMU committees, so we were just putting in the constitution so it’s no longer confused. More pronoun changes, and then part three for the vice president duties, we wrote that they have the sole authority to approve appointments to University and ASNMU committees.

Lindsey Lieck: So then the assembly doesn’t approve them anymore?
Katie Liubakka: If anyone gets appointed to a university committee, it has to go through me, so if someone doesn’t prove himself or herself satisfactory, I don’t approve them.

Vito Giannola: You guys will approve and give VP power for that.
Spencer: If the entire assembly disagreed with them is there an override?
Katie Liubakka: We could change part C to something like if the vice president doesn’t approve, but we could also add it to the bylaws.
Anne Marie Wellman: They already have the power to disapprove anything so it’s really not that different. We would still vote, and if she disapproved it we wouldn’t even see them.

Lindsey Lieck: What if we said they must approve appointments and committees before the assembly votes on it? I’m confused if this is a process or a checklist.

Kat Klawes: This is mirroring the language of sole authority. It’s only the vice president’s duty; the ability to approve doesn’t mean the assembly doesn’t have to vote on them.
Katie Liubakka: It’s saying to approve appointments not nominations which would be after you vote on it. It would be really rare for them to vote no after the whole assembly votes on it.

Anne Marie Wellman: A lot of these issues are dealt with the Bylaws too.
Spencer Deering: I feel like the clarification would keep coming up, so if there’s a way to clarify the difference now so it doesn’t get confused in the future.

Katie Liubakka: Our bylaws can be changed at anytime, so we can change that then.

Brice Burge: I like that it’s worded this way, and being an outsider that it’s broad, and making sure future assemblies are able to properly respond. It’s ambiguous enough but can be changed.

Vito Giannola: We already passed the council board and his/her, 4G, changed to any audit, I think it’s necessary to proceedings.

Anne Marie Wellman: It said findings of the audit before, of the auditors report.

Vito Giannola: We made it broad. Responsibilities of executive secretary, and the theory behind this is our lack of record keeping. With the chair having all the responsibilities they have, we find this necessary for keeping up our websites, archives, minutes, agendas, other records, etc. in order and filed. It’s all under 5A-E.

Anne Marie Wellman: I would change the undergrad student government to ASNMYU. As Mitch said this is a position that exists in other student governments and organizations.

Lindsey Lieck: This is a great idea, and instead maybe use our two paid secretaries?

Anne Marie Wellman: We do, and some records are handled by chair of assembly, some by the VP and this is making it one person, so this isn’t a paid position. Our secretary would still be there taking the minutes, but if there was a question they would pull it up for us.

Vito Giannola: The secretaries have a contract that can be used too to get rid of the holes in this. It makes it a permanent position to the board.

Anne Marie Wellman: We’re removing elected in front of vice president, in case they were appointed, so we just took that out.

Kat Klawes: Just adding university to article three section one, changing names of the boards. For the election requirements, same as before we just took out that nonexistent. Under section three, we took that out because someone once tried to make a judiciary, which left a loophole and this validates ASNMYUJ’s power.

Alex Hawke: All we did was change the wording of vote of no confidence, nothing serious.

Vito Giannola: For section four, every organization gets to pick their advisor and we wanted a little more say in the matter. The advisors for ASNMY shall be nominated, and the ASNMY president has authority to approve or disapprove.

Katie Liubakka: What about making it the eBoard?

Anne Marie Wellman: The advisor is picked during the summer, but the whole assembly is usually gone. But I would like to move to add that change.

Katie Liubakka: So we can make it a 2/3 vote with the four voting members.

Vito Giannola: Referendum shall take place no less than every two years, so making this concrete. C, changing a to any, and what happened here is that we wanted to clarify the rest of this, and a referendum can be called anytime.

Katie Liubakka: the way it is in the bylaws, it’s supposed to be called by the 4th week of the semester for the student activity fee, for those who have to send us
reports and that allotments can be changed because of that and I recommend we keep it.

Kat Klawes: What’s the paperwork difference between non-referendum and one?

Vito Giannola: The only different between student activity fee referendums, they can ask to change the funding amount. The North Wind asked for a 4% increase last year, and have to give reasoning and rationality behind every request. I would like to see that if we added a D to this, saying all student organizations must be advised so long in advance. The year-end report is due by the last Monday in March, and it makes a deadline for them.

Lindsey Lieck: Speaking as someone who’s a VP in a club, like Platform Personalities, we choose them in advance so if we knew about the referendum, it would give us more or less options. So I think giving organizations time to work on that would be reasonable.

Vito Giannolla: Platform Personalities is not one of those groups this would affect. The only groups it would affect are the North Wind, Radio X, and ASNMU. And it is no difference in the current paperwork they have to turn in anyways.

Brice Burge: Can someone clarify why one student organization have power over other referendums, like if I’m with PP, and the north wind is pulling on it, so if every year is a referendum year why do they resort with each other?

Katie Lilabakka: It happens every two years, and next year will be one too. They know about that, and sometimes organizations will spend down their budget to have leeway, and if we called for one now, by saying the president can call for it anytime, we have under our jurisdiction, they would have to give us reports and it would be a last minute thing.

Vito Giannolla: Adaptability is an important thing to consider; we want to assure that for this year, we had things on the agenda to increase funding. Doesn’t mean it was done for the wrong reasons, but there needs to be a time limit for these groups to be notified. This doesn’t apply to Platform Personalities, that’s done through SFC at the end of the semester. This is for North Wind, Radio X, ASNMU and SFC. All student organizations need to be notified of it. I would like to see it be called by the first meeting.

Kat Klawes: Although it’s the president’s authority, it still needs to be approved by the assembly. Things happen, and Radio X had problems this year and if they needed an increase, it gives them authority just for themselves; the others don’t have to submit extra paperwork. The power is still vested in the assembly.

Danielle Schafer: I still think it’s not courteous to other organizations to call it at anytime. I think week 8 would be reasonable because week 4 we were still appointing people and by week 8 people get more settled.

Anne Marie Wellman: Currently it’s all dealt with in the bylaws, and this is just saying any referendum is already dealt with and if everyone agrees with it, it makes it a possibility and can still be changed in the bylaws because the constitution needs to be broad and the bylaws more specific.

Kat Klawes: In this case I feel like the constitution conflicts with the bylaws, if it’s taken to ASNMUJ they’ll say it’s different in the bylaws.

Vito Giannolla: So article 5 is the student rights section.
Brice Burge: The first point is the shared governance, which is copy paste from the student code, it’s more about the student’s responding.
Kat Klawes: The second one is found in a lot of student government bill of rights which we didn’t have, which discusses the means of being informed.
Lina Blair: There are three parts to the student handbook, what you’re referring to is the handbook not the code. My question is since the committee rests with changing the handbook, if it changes how does this change?
Vito Giannola: I think the values of A-G, that if it were to not correlate with isn’t a big deal as long as it still has a shared language and correlates. I recommend you refer to 3 which is an in depth statement.
Brice Burge: I think this is the one that deals with protecting students, and there’s lots of reasons why I have my concerns about that in the student code, for certain instances like rape accusations, for those who don’t know what a request is can look intimidating. We don’t want to throw them under the bus but if people are concerned about how they’re given it could create more problems. Michigan Law with digress where you can use that defense if you’re harmed. Those are worse case scenarios though.
Vito Giannola: For example, an executive order taken by law, if you made it a request to a single person that makes it a single request. Refer to the student code for more. Article 6, we thought we should take out B, and changed it to what C says.
Spencer Deering: We are suggesting that we take out the option of the board of trustee’s to no longer approve things in the constitution.
Kat Klawes: I don’t think this is a huge area of contention and brought it up in February and we’re one of the only student governments that has the board of trustee’s approve things, and it takes away from the students voice. Tech did this same thing and we’re one of the only governments who do that.
Vito Giannola: There is a legitimacy factor. I don’t know what makes us legit from the board of trustee’s, so something else to keep in mind.
Brice Burge: Friendly change, since we took out all of B, change C back to B. One thing I thought was interesting about B/C is how independent groups are. Some groups on campus are here a lot, but some have an outside opinion. This is one few items that ASNMU directly has for the Board, there cannot be a middle man if needed to be done independently.
Vito Giannola: We took out the director of technology and made it the executive secretary.

IX. Public Comment
a. For the appointment of the advisors, so the President nominates someone, the VP or president can say yes or no and that’s it?
Vito Giannola: This is moving that from an appointment to a nomination that will be voted on by the board with a 2/3 vote.
TJ Aiyash: This is just a recommendation too.
Spencer Deering: Is the executive secretary apart of that?
Vito Giannola: Yes it’s 2/3.
Brice Burge: I won’t be here on Wednesday, but I’m not sure if the students will be able to see it still, and I would like another way of recording the minutes to
make sure they’re accurate. I would like that to happen so it’s all taken care of in this difficult meeting. The women’s club hockey team went to Nationals and even though they got swept out they made Northern look good.

Kat Klawes: Since Brice mentioned student feedback, I want to send out a campus wide email giving info.

X. Open Forum
   a. Sara Spragg: We’re getting the ball rolling on the 24 Hour Study Lounge. We’re hoping to make that a discussion item next week. We want to talk to PR about different forms of promotion instead of posters too.
   Spencer Deering: Student Affairs is meeting this Friday at noon in the office.
   Teala Howell: Tomorrow Spencer and I are going to plead our case for the facility award and we’ll know in a few days.
   Mitchell Sevigny: If you’re on the SAM planning committee, remind me who you are.

Adjourned at 9:06pm
Native American Studies Resolution: Presented by TJ Aiyash

Associated Students of Northern Michigan University

A resolution to designate ASNMU as a supporter of Northern Michigan University’s implementation of the Native American Studies Baccalaureate degree program.

Presented on________
Adopted on_________

Sponsor: Graduate Studies Representative Thaher Aiyash
Co-Sponsor(s):

WHEREAS, Native American Studies is an important discipline of academia for current and subsequent generations to be exposed to. Expanding upon the academic culture of Native American Studies at Northern Michigan University is in the best interest of the campus and surrounding communities;

WHEREAS, The Center for Native American Studies received the first endorsement of the Tribal Education Departments National Assembly for their current Native American Studies curriculum;

WHEREAS, Northern Michigan University students are showing a poor level of multicultural competence. Exposing more students to the discipline of Native American Studies is a step towards strengthening their multicultural competence;

WHEREAS, President Erickson has already demonstrated a strong commitment to multicultural affairs at Northern Michigan University; now, be it

RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Northern Michigan University General Assembly are in support of the Native American Studies Baccalaureate degree program;

RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Northern Michigan University recommends the allocation of funds to recruit and hire sufficient faculty for the program’s implementation; and,

RESOLVED, a copy of this resolution will be presented to President Fritz Erickson, April Lindala, the Board of Trustees, the Academic Senate, and all other appropriate parties.

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Katerina Klawes, President

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Alex Hawke, Chair of Assembly


Let's Chat Budget: Presented by Lindsey Lieck  
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ASNMU Student Concern Survey Results: Presented by Jess Gula and Sheila Williams

**Student Concern Survey:**
Administered by the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University via campus wide email and Facebook. Survey responses were collected from 2/10/2015 to 2/22/2015. Total responses gathered was 855. Responses were monitored and multiple responses from the same IP address or outside of the Marquette area were deleted.

Results of survey will be shared with university officials and committees notably the Technology Learning Committee, Director of Housing and Residence Life Gary Bice, Director of Public Safety Mike Bath, Parking and Traffic Committee, Head of the Counselling and Consultation Center Ed Michaels, Dean of Students Office, Disability Services Office, NMU Dining, North Wind Advisory Board, and Financial Aid Office.

Results of the survey are considered public record and paper copies will be available in the ASNMU Office for NMU students and staff. Any direction of focus as a result from the survey results will be discussed by the Campus Climate Survey Committee and ASNMU Executive Board.

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**Student Concern Survey**

Welcome to the Student Concern Survey

We are asking you to take this survey so the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University (ASNMU) can find a direction of focus for resolving campus issues.

Your part in this study is anonymous. That means that your answers to all questions are private. No one else can know if you participated in this study and no one else can find out what your answers were. Any reports will be based on group data and will not identify you or any individual as being in this project.

Completing this survey is completely voluntary. If you decide not to be in this study, or if you stop participating at any time, you won’t be penalized or lose any benefits for which you otherwise qualify.

If you have any further questions regarding your rights as a participant in a research project you may contact Dr. Brian Cherry of the Human Subjects Research Review Committee of Northern Michigan University (906-227-2300) bcherry@nmu.edu. Any questions you have regarding the nature of this research project will be answered by the principal researcher who can be contacted as follows: ASNMU (906-227-2452) asnmu@nmu.edu.
**What is your current class standing?**

Answered: 847  Skipped: 6

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Where is your current residence?

Answered: 838   Skipped: 15

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Off-campus apartment | 15.63%   | 131        |
Off-campus residency | 34.84%  | 292        |
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Which ethnic background best describes you? (Please select all that apply): Source: US Census Bureau

Answered: 840  Skipped: 13

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Which gender do you identify most with? Gender Identity is the internal perception of an individual’s gender, and how they label themselves.

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Which sexual orientation best describes you? Sexual Orientation is the type of sexual, romantic, physical, and/or spiritual attraction one feels for others.

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Responses:

- Atheist and hated on
- The religious zealot allowed on campus every year harasses not only myself but every student (who has paid a great deal of money to attend this college). The most hateful person I have ever met.
- Sexual harassment
- Guy grabbed my butt multiple times
- Body Size
• rumors (not true facts) were spread about me sleeping with multiple guys, some all at the same time... these rumors have followed me into the real world as the students making the accusations were or are my coworkers/classmates. seriously i even had a professor approach me about it. this is the reason i moved off campus my sophomore year. a year in the dorms ruined my reputation and three years later I finally asked the person who may have started it all and he said because he was covering up he was gay.... thats just sad. on a lot of levels. and i asked why me and he said guys talk. and nothing else. I'm disgusted. I seriously have never had sex. I am a 20 year old vergian and have been labeled a common whore. the people here need to change... i heard from another student that they decided to spread the rumor because my father is a successful well known business man and I "lied" about my background... seriously why does it matter if someone i barely know has money? because we share the same last name? did they honestly think I’d go here if i was a rich kid lmao. what ever.

• Sexual Harassment.
• not at NMU but in other places
• tobacco usage
• That 'preacher' guy on campus was yelling that I was going to hell, definitely not cool
• I have been harrassed by administration officials for stating that sexual orientation is of a personal nature and no view should be forced on others without their consent.
• my age and economic standing have been things I have been harassed about.
• Age
• Age
• Grades. It is a common occurrence that students in the top 10% of a class will harrass on each other about grades
• cat calling/street harassment
• Somebody once told me I looked like Andy Sanberg with a shitty attitude
• I identify to the public as straight sexual so I've never been harassed
• Being degraded/catcalled because I am a female.
• financial status
• Age
• Some of my friends have felt racially discriminated against
• Non traditional status
• I (as well as many others I know) have been harassed by the preachers that stand outside in the middle of campus.
• Cultural standing
• Hair color
• American
- Being in the Military, Loving America
- Weight
- Being female...we get harassed all the time
- political beliefs
- weight issues
- Political beliefs
- Religious Groups coming to campus and judging me for my personal and political beliefs.
- Political Beliefs
- sexual harassment
- Age
- Age
- being part of a fraternity
- Dorms, rude students- and not available RAs or RDs to take action. - And never followed up with me after- even if it persisted
- Nope never been harassed
- Being in a member of the Greek Community by non Greeks
- Greek Life
- Life style
- I've been harassed by the football team
- Not having sex
- No
- sexual harassment
- Political Beliefs
- Political affiliations
- Over social media
- I've been called a "band geek" but I know that's just teasing/playful and isn't serious.
- Pressure to drink alcohol.
- male/white privlidge
- food allergies, disability
- lack of religious beliefs
- I have never been harassed but I have seen friends and other students get harassed
- Me dating someone younger than myself
Would you use the Preferred Name Policy? The Preferred Name Policy allows students and staff to change the name that would appear on class rosters, Educat, diplomas, and other university items. Students and staff may utilize the Preferred Name Policy by filling out paperwork with the Registrar’s office.

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How do you feel about Gender Inclusive Housing? Gender Inclusive Housing is a housing option that allows students to live with others regardless of their biological sex.

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Comments:

- It would depend solely on the roommate.
- It doesn’t apply to me, so I have no opinion. I think it should be done at the students who are in the environments transgression.
- Only if both parties agree and know the other’s gender and sexual orientation. Personally, I would rather room with another biosex female than room with a cisgender male of any sexual/romantic orientation.
- It would be dependent on whether or not I knew the person I would be living with.
- I actually don't know, it would depend on if I know the person I would be rooming with or not.
- If it was the best option for me at the time.
- Depends on the people i would be living with.
- I live off-campus because I paid an arm and leg to live in the old and outdated housing on campus for 3 years...you got enough of my money.
- I don't care but that seems like it might run into some sercurity issues.
- Unsure
- Does not apply, I live off-campus
- I choose to live off campus
- I choose to live off campus
- I have not and likely will not ever live on campus.
- Don't really give a shit
- Never lived on campus & wouldn't choose to. As long as people aren't abusing the rights they should be able to do what they want.
- I live off campus so I don't care
- Only in the apartments
- Still Don't Care
- Not sure.
- live off campus
- I do not feel like I would be the intended purpose of gender inclusive housing and that it would be insulting to the cause to live there.
- it would be okay for those who wanted that but not all should be forced in this type of housing
- Where is the choice to NOT live in a gender inclusive area? This is a sticky briar patch...
- I would rather not live with cisgender straight men, but am not opposed to living in a gender inclusive area.
- I wouldn't specifically ask to but wouldn't have a problem with it either
- I think that the option should be available in the on-campus apartments.
- Doesn't really matter to me
- still don't care. Sometimes it makes it easier if they are looking for only females but, it is nice to not only live with girls.
- I feel that if students wish to do so in the apartments that is okay, but not for the dormitory halls since most students don't have full control of their living situations in the dorms
- does not applied
- I doesn't matter to me either way.
- Every person should have the right to live with whom they choose regardless of their biological sex.
- Possibly
- I have no preference
- people are just people.
- I would be uncomfortable living with cis men, but I would not mind living with trans women.
- Not as a roommate but I don't mind living in the same hall as the opposite gender
- Don't care one way or the other
• In the apartments, yes. NEVER in the dorms.
• At this time I would not choose to live in a Gender Inclusive Area, but I would not be entirely against it.
• I do not personally need Gender Inclusive Housing, but it is something that should be available for those who need it.
• I would only do it if I knew the other gender. I wouldn’t like to be randomly assigned.
• I’ve had female roommates before, but we were in our mid 20s at the time. I think on the college with younger, less life experience, etc., you would have more potentially volatile situations.
• Maybe, depends
• I would if I had someone that I would want to live with.
• I feel like ALL couples, regardless of sexual or gender orientation should be allowed to live together if they so choose. What is the problem with couples living the in on campus housing if they’re not married? People will still fornicate regardless and drink and do drugs regardless.
• Men living with women would be risking rape and/or sexual harassment allegations.
• I would if I still lived on campus!
• I prefer to live alone
• I personally would not, but I am in full support of it.
• not sure
• I’m 31 years old and don’t want to live with others
• Like I said, I don’t care
• I will not be living on campus next year, so this does not pertain to me.
• Only if opposite sexes choose each other. No random coed placement, because that could cause unnecessary stress on the students and they should always feel safe and comfortable in their rooms/suites.
• Maybe
• I don’t live on campus so this would not apply to me.
• Maybe. Open to it but not sure
• If I lived on campus and if I knew who my roomies were, sure.
• I don’t live on campus and choose who I live with already
• I live in a house with both genders
• My own insecurities
• I will be leaving
• I would support co-ed on campus apartments for upper classmen.
• depends how roommates are chosen
• I wouldn’t seek it out, but if it was an option for the place I wanted to live, I wouldn’t care
- I would not, because I’m a cis female and I therefore don’t face the struggles that trans and nonbinary students face with regards to college housing.

- Sometimes getting penalized is part of the recovery.
- I thought this was already Michigan Law.
- I would need to research the issue more.
- Maybe keep tabs on the person receiving medical assistance, if after so many incidents then penalize.
- Student calling should not be penalized, however there should be consequences for the other student.
- The hospital is so close to campus, they’d be better off going there.
- Why is this not already a thing?
i dont know

I think this just gives students another way to not be held accountable for their actions. There is no medical amnesty in the real world.

If its something that is illegal, like you choosing to do drugs - face up to your consequences. If you are going to get to a point where there is a life at stake and you aren't going to get help because you are afraid of trouble....shame on you.

those in emergency need follow-up to prevent further problems

What are the legal ramifications? Meth? Cocaine? etc?

I support the idea of students receiving help regardless of the nature of the medical emergency. I also believe that drugs and alcohol have no business on campus.

Nobody need die for fear of legal ramifications

I think it's absolutely important to enforce this

I would support this only if the person receiving medical attention is punished, but not the one who called for help. At this university, we are adults, and as such, should be held accountable for our actions. By not punishing the student who let things get out of hand in the first place, no responsibility can be enforced.

This policy could save lives, why would NMU not adopt this policy!

I'm for the student calling in the incident to not be punished (as long as what they are doing isn't illegal) but if the person involved in the incident was participating in illegal activities, they should be held accountable.

I think safety and threat of a friend dying should take be more important than getting into trouble.

If you friend needed help - shame on you for putting getting in trouble above saving a life!

this is phrased really strange

I believe the student using the drugs or alcohol should still be penalized.

It would depend on the situation.

Consequences still need to be given if they are underage. Yes, give them medical attention but still give them consequences. Otherwise they will think they can just get away with it

I would agree that the friend helping would not be penalized, but the one getting medical assistance should.

The question is grammatically incorrect.

I'm not sure how I feel about this policy yet. I believe it is very important to stress to the students that if someone is in medical trouble, they NEED to get help from a professional. I feel that hopefully these students who have an emergency related to using drugs or alcohol would learn afterwards that using these substances are a serious matter and shouldn't be taken lightly,
therefore they wouldn’t do it again. Unfortunately this doesn’t always happen and if NMU were not to penalize these students in some way, they would be more likely to continue these behaviors.

- why would the friend who called get penalized in the first place???
- I feel that if students are abusing drugs or alcohol to the point of needing medical attention, then they need repercussions to help them realize the dangers they are putting themselves in when using excessively. Should the friend get in trouble for calling? No. But the person who is so drunk they need help, yes
- Is the student who calls also under the influence?
  - Yes Please
- I may be misinformed but I was under the impression that: In many instances this is already in effect.
- I support medical amnesty for the bystander but not for the person who had the emergency
If you have a disability and have used NMU Disability Services please rate the service? Disability Services provides assistance for students who qualify under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) to receive accommodations. Examples of disabilities include physical impairments, and other impairments including PTSD, Anxiety Disorder, A.D.H.D, etc.

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Would you support Disability Services changing the current policy to allow students with a disability to receive notes from a note taker after missing class for a medical reason? The current policy is, “A note taker is typically a classmate who provides copies of their own notes to the student who has been approved for a note taker. These notes are a supplement to the student’s own notes. The student receiving notes must attend class and be actively engaged in the lecture, taking their own notes.”

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Responses:
- I do support it however, I've previously been a Note-Taker and the student completely took advantage of the situation and I refuse to take notes for anyone, ever again.
- This is against ADA policy. It doesn't matter if students support this policy or not.
- It should be for anyone who misses class for a disability.
- ASNMU cannot dictate ADA policy.
• I’m unsure? I have ADD-PI, and I haven’t used the service at all. It would really benefit me to have a note taker in any regard since my ADD keeps me from taking proper notes.
• I’m unsure? I have ADD-PI, and I haven’t used the service at all. It would really benefit me to have a note taker in any regard since my ADD keeps me from taking proper notes.
• If it is a legit medial issue yes I would support it. If college is too stressful for you then you will not make it in the real world. Learn how to control your "anxiety".
• Um i want notes if i can't get to class why do they get special treatment???
• For a valid medical reason I would support this.
• Depends on the medical reason for their absence. If a student has a "disability" due to chronic headaches, then that's just unfair because they're using that said "disability" to get out of class.
• As long as it only happens now and then, not every other class
• For an actual medical reason and not I didn't feel good today. Like hospitalization or death of a family member, real reasons.
• Whoever wrote this survey does not even know what they are talking about. Try reading about ADA compliance sometime, and talk to Disability Services to see how ahead of the game NMU is.
• Define "medical reason." If you get a doctor's note to miss class you still have to make up the work.
• ADA is to put students with disabilities on an "even playing ground" for education. For the hired notetaker to give them notes for missing class is treating that person differently. That is exactly the type of behavior the ADA is trying to prevent...being treated differently. The student has to be like any other student...if they are not in class, they can get their notes from someone else. If they already know their disability is going to keep them from classes, they can be proactive in their own lives and make advance arrangements with another student to provide notes on those days.
• I am actually a note taker for disability services. This is a good practice because it is not fair that I would have to take notes for them if they aren’t even in class.
• depends on the medical reason
• As long as a valid medical reason was present, and the same service could be given to others who miss class due to a medical emergency.
• if medical reason excused with physicians note
• With fairly strict guidance on what constitutes a "medical reason" then "Yes"
• If the student misses class due to their disability, then that reason should be verified as the cause of the absence. With that caveat, yes, the student should be able to recieve notes from their note-taker. (Isn't that the current policy?)
• If you miss a class, your friends usually help you out. Some people could take advantage of this policy though.
• It would be a rotten professor who would deny notes be taken for a student with a medical excuse
• I actually use this service and I do not believe it is fair to have hired note takers for students who do not attend class. This accommodation is to ensure that I am able to have equal access to the information. I am just like every other student—if I am sick, and chose not to go to class, I have the same consequences. Giving students with disabilities special treatment gives us a bad name and hurts our integrity.
• carolyn is AWESOME!! the office does so much to help me
• This is an Americans with Disability Act requirement...not a policy of Disability Services. I think you question is unclear to students and is giving them the wrong idea without all the facts.
• I don’t think you checked your facts on ADA before putting this into the survey. It also does not seem to me like you spoke to the DS coordinator to understand the legal requirements of ADA. No Michigan public school provides notes to DS students who miss class.
• As I am frequently ill but do not qualify for any Disability Services, I believe a note taker for students who have missed class would be extremely beneficial to not only students who do qualify for disability, but also for those who have face severe/chronic health complications
• But would have to provide a doctor’s note
• I use a note taker and believe, anyone using this service that misses class is responsible to learn the content out of class. Professors are not required to hold a new lecture if a student misses class therefore note takers should not give their notes to the student who did not attend class.
• It depends on what the new policy would be. Students with disabilities require additional accomodations sometimes, so if NMU changes the policy to something stupid, I would be against it. A new policy should make sense and should be helpful to the students.
• I don’t agree with the student receiving the service to have to participate. many disabled may not be socially comfortable to do so.
• I support this provided there is documentation for missing class for a medical reason to prevent people from missing class but knowing they’ll still get the notes.
• With the Medical Amnesty thing, if those students can receive medical attention then students with disabilities have the right to get notes if they have to miss class because of medical issues.
• Notes should then be made available to other student’s without disabilities that miss for medical reasons as well.
- I support the student's right to use a note taker. The question was confusing as I am unsure what the current policy is stating.
- As a note taker I don't care if they show up to get the notes. I'm taking notes for myself anyway so making a copy is not an issue for when they show up.
- But only for a medical reason
- Missing class is missing class. Non-disability students who miss class due to legitimate medical reasons do not have this option.
- The policy and the question you're asking don't make sense. This seems to be the policy on notetaking as a whole, not on a missed class due to a medical reason. Come back with the policy on the question you're asking, and I'll be equipped to answer it. As a notetaker, however, I believe that if a student is missing a class for a medical reason, it's fine if the notetaker gives them the notes from the missed class at a later date. Just saying, the way you phrased this it is unclear what you're asking.
- An actual, verified medical reason or "just couldn't make it to class" reason? Why would they go to class if they have a note taker? The current policy makes sense.
- If student has to go out of town for treatment, yes. if just a routine appt, no.
- the structure for this is terrible; the students who take notes are required to attend class, while those who are receiving notes don't. It's not fair and makes it difficult to want to be a notetaker again.
- I was a note taker for over 10 classes, and medical reason or not I still gave the notes to the people when they were not there. Thankfully they didn't miss much though.
- Missing classes must be documented by a medical professional
- If the disability includes chronic illness I don't see the harm, if the student is missing just because they know that they are going to receive notes anyway I find that a problem.
- A change is not needed. I think the current wording already implies that the student can miss class for medical reasons and still receive notes from a note taker. The phrase "must attend class" isn't absolute, it implies that the student receiving notes must attempt to regularly attend class, not necessarily attend every single class.
Comments:
- I've thought about it before, but never did because I didn't know what I would say
- Thought about it
- I didn't know what this was and I wish I did before this survey.
- I didn't know about it
- I would like to, but haven't had the time.
- Not within the last 6 months, no.
- I work in the Counseling and Consultations Center.
- I simply haven’t needed it, but I think it's a great service to offer.

**Comments:**
- Yes, my wallet was raped by the NMU Bookstore.
- Almost, someone walked by so they backed off.
- I have friends who have been
- By the prices at the bookstore?
- But that doesn't mean I'm not afraid of it happening.
- I've been "harassed," but not necessarily "assaulted."
- by performers at the drag show
Responses:

- did not tell the university
- Didn’t tell
- did not contact/speak to anyone at NMU about it
- I was sexually assaulted when I was drunk. Public safety made me feel like it was my fault that I ended up in a situation like that. They handled it horribly and my attacker is still out there walking about freely.
- Was never reported
- Did not chose to report.
- It was never reported
- The university was not informed.
- I did not report
- I did not report it to the University
- Never addressed
- A friend was and the university did not handle it well.
• did not report
• No help was requested
• Did not report
• I did not report it
• I never did anything about it so, obviously, there was no response.
• didnt report
If you answered yes to 16, was the response of the university appropriate?

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Comments:
- a guy said he slept with me, he harrassed me and made my life miserable. I am leaving nmu because he wont stop lying, this is seriously out of hand. the university tried... i guess... i feel the kid should be expelled or kicked out of ROTC... i have had to leave my place of work due to him. (he got hired as an employee and I felt very harrassed... after i left he left... he follows me every where... I cary pepper spray but honestly If I was allowed to carry my hand gun i would feel much safer... the kid doesnt mess with me off campus bc he knows I am armed. IF i could carry it, even unloaded he would never mess with me...
Have you ever been in an abusive relationship while attending NMU?

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Have you regularly attempted to meet with a professor during their designated office hours and they were not present?

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| No            | 66.23%    
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| Not applicable I have never been to a faculty members office hours | 14.54% | 121 |
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Outside of Jamrich Hall, I fell and strained the muscles in right thumb.
I was not injured but a little more care for the walk ways would be nice,
I've slipped, not fallen. CMU has heated sidewalks — those would be nice to have here.
Just on the hill, and I wasn't injured or anything.
Just fell going up from West Hall to the academic mall. Not physically hurt, just my pride.
Almost.
Walking outside the far door of the University Center near the hospital.
Not injured, near Berry Events Center
Big hill- from dorms to academic mall
Dorm sidewalks, Marketplace walkways, up-campus, PEIF. Sprained ankles and wrists multiple times.
On the sidewalk covered in ice, just sore this time. This shouldn't even be a question if NMU cared about student safety
in front of Dorms. no injury.
• not injured, in the middle of academic mall
• Other than some bruises, I was not injured.
• Outside of the PEIF. I did experience some pain, but sustained no long term injury.
• at 4 way stop
• slipped walking down the hill and bruised my butt
• I always fall trying to walk up the academic hill. Sand doesn't help. I've never been seriously injured, but I don't appreciate a bruised tailbone.
• Between Jamrich and McClintock
• The parking lot, sidewalks, entrances into buildings, slipped during the spring because of rain and no mat inside building door.
• Outside the LRC but I just wasn't paying attention so it was totally my fault.
• west science parking lot, I didn't get hurt or anything though sore for days
• Everywhere
• west science
• i fractured my foot my freshmen year from slipping on the ice on NMUs campus
• ALmost a few times, the side walks connecting the campus get icy, usuly later in the evening, 4pm-8pm when some of my later classess are
• Slipped on a snow-covered ice patch on the walkway between the Den and West Hall (March 20, 2014). Originally diagnosed as a left ankle sprain; mid-August, diagnosed as a fracture. Still healing.
• Outside of dorms, no injury but bruising
• Jamrich parking lot, just bruising.
• Went to go get those rubber ice things to put over my boots so I wouldn't slip on the ice at the ASNNU office; was told it was just a facebook hoax and you guys didn't actually have any
• not injured but very upset
• Outside of Seaborg center, the sidewalks are very icy further out from the building along with the road.
• I've fallen, without injury thanks to a pretty sturdy frame, usually in the highest-traffic places where the ice has been packed down such as the hill up to the academic mall from the residence halls, within ten feet of entrances, and on sidewalks beside motorways.
• I slipped on the stairs outside the Marketplace, close to the Payne/Halverson lobby. No visible injury.
• My professor fell as I was walking with her. I've "almost" fallen many times.
• I attend classes online
• Commuter Parking Lot just outside of New Science. No serious injury.
• NMU is THE WORST at taking care of their sidewalks. A better question would be where HAVEN'T I fallen due to icy walkways. The use of salt and sand on the walkways is minimal and sparing, at best. This is one of the more pressing issues since winter is 75% of the year here.
• between jamrich and jacobetti not hurt
Outside my on-campus apartment, due to a deer-trail pathway & no plowing; also in the parking lot due to snow & no plowing. I was hurt in neither incident due to the amount of snow on the ground.

Walking out of lower level of LRC toward parking lot
I've nearly fallen multiple times on campus walkways. It would be very nice if they were plowed more frequently.
all over campus and parking lots
I slip a lot, but never actually fallen
Outside and entrance/exit to Jamrich Hall, I was not injured physically, only in spirit
Right by the shuttle stop out front of the library. no serious injuries just a baseball sized bruise on my knee and damaged self esteem
entrance to library closest to NSF, no injury just sore from the fall itself
the parking lots
No injury. Bummed I spilled my coffee down myself.
I slipped on academic hill, and I still have the bruise since December. They should use salt to melt the ice/snow.
In the Payne/Halvy courtyard and yes I was still injured...can't sit on my tailbone
multiple places, no injuries
I tore my pants and scraped the back of my leg.
Slipped a few times through the parking lot at Vandenboom, it's very slick, haven't fallen.
Leaving the side door at the new Jamrich by the heart garden. why is this not cleared? If NMU doesn't plan on keeping the area safe to walk, the entrance should be closed for the winter months and appropriate signage is expected. Minimal bruising was evident, but icy falls could always be worse. Close the entrance, or clear it of snow and ice.
The hill by Cohodas heading towards Presque Isle Ave. Not injured
The sidewalk leading from the commuter parking lot at the bottom of the McClintock building it never gets salted and it's
The sidewalk by norwood apartments, not injured
in open area between jamrich and nsf buildings
The hill next to the New Science building, no significant injury.
just some bruises and all around campus.
Library hill to commuter lot
parking lots, bruised back/ palms of hands
parking lot, not injured
The lot northwest of the NSF, directly south of Spalding. The sidewalk up to NSF is always awful
Almost, many times
Friend of mine slipped on campus due to ice and broke her ankle. Nmu wasn't responsible to pay medical bill
In front of TFA, not injured (maybe a bruise)
Sidewalk from McClintock and commuter parking. Had a big bruise on my leg.
• my hip was displaced and it now pops in and out of place at will sometimes causing my leg to give out or hindering my ability to stand walk or get out of my seat especially... it hurts alot and my doctors keep trying to fix it but it hasn’t healed
• Sidewalk in front of Hedgecock
• Parking lots
• On the walk from the commuter parking lot across from the west science building. Injured my knee slightly.
• Fallen quite a few times in the parking lot between whitman and new science; swollen ankle and swollen knee.
• path to down campus, was not injured
• That's just life. I fell. We all fall on ice once and a while, no injury. It would be tragic if NMU switched to salt or harsh chemicals.
• was not injured
• On the sidewalk on both sides under the bridge connecting TFA and Hedgecock. I bruised a knee and my dignity suffered
• near road /walkway outside new science - yes injured and saw doctor
• on campus apartment parking lots
• Not yet, but had major reconstructive knee surgery in November and it’s only a matter of time.
• On the hill. Bruised tailbone
• yes walking from commuter lot into library. i was injured.
• On the stairs outside the Payne Halverson lobby. Bruised back.
• The sidewalks are not always shoveled when snowing...
• By the dorms and walking to the dome/peif
• PayneHalverson courtyard
• Near the skywalk by TFA
• parking lots and sidewalks going to and from parking lots
• I’ve fallen a couple places
• no but had several close calls
• Not injured
• I have good balance but the walkways are ridiculously icy
• academic hill
• Literally everywhere I walk.
• not injured, just sore
• Coming down the hill by NSF. I was not severely injured, but had slight swelling on my knee.
• The main hill down to the dorms closest to the library
• on the hill to the academic mile
• Because I am agile I have not, but damn close
• Parking lot, and sidewalk walking from West Science to Jamrich--- no serious injuries
• On the academic hill and in the parking lots. Neither resulted in an injury
• not in the last six months, winter of 2014
Almost
No I wasn't injured. It was across the street from Gris Hall.
Uninjured
Walking out of the Payne/Halvy Lobby, no injury
Tracy street, crossing to LRC. Near Hedgcock and in the middle of campus outside.
Haven't fallen, but have been close to it. Mostly outside the LRC, west sci, and academic hill
In the parking lot and the front of Jamrich. A few bruises and soreness was a result
The parking lot sidewalk behind hunt hall, I was not hurt though
No, but I've had a few close calls behind Jamrich on my way to the Art&Design building.
Cohodas south entrance. Hit head with no apparent injury
Sidewalks out side Magers Hall and on the hill. Serious bruising on hip and upper leg.
I haven't yet, but I am always afraid of falling while walking under the skyway between TFA and Hedgecock.
outside VA, I twisted my ankle
Outside VA hurt my back, and knee
Had a couple good falls this year.
I fell on the stairs for the exit door by the MP. I bruised my knuckle.
I've fallen multiple places on campus but not been injured. The side walks are terribly slippery, especially around the residence halls.
Skinned my palm and elbow, hurt my back, dinged my MacBook. Not awesome. I know people who have sprained ankles and wrists.
Just about everywhere but I didn't hurt myself
Out side the FRT lobby - Scrapes
Walking from a commuter lot to JXJ. I was injured. I've also slipped and come close to falling SEVERAL times.
I have not fallen, but I have slipped repeatedly all throughout campus: the academic mall, parking lots, sidewalks to and from down campus.
Outside of HEDGCOCK and the ART & DESIGN building!!!!!!! Also the art building needs a sidewalk that is on the hedgcock side of the road in the winter time students consistently have to walk on the side of the road to get to the entrance of the art building.
Bruised near west hall
On the street leading to West Hall It hurt, but no major injuries - though my laptop got a bit damaged.
I slip and fall every winter on campus but never injured
Top of the hill where the two pathways meet
everywhere, it hurts, its embarrassing. get salt, sand just makes the ground look dirty and your cloths when you fall on it.
Walking downhill to the MP. My knee swelled/bruised and I was unable to walk for 24+ hours
Nothing severe, a few bumps and bruises
Some minor bruising
In front of cafodas and the Hill towards Jamrich many times
Walking from Spalding to the parking lots. The sidewalks and parking lots themselves are very slippery.
Behind the art building on the sidewalk connecting to lot 21. I wasn't hurt but I've fallen several times back there this winter.
The hill from the residence halls, bruised; outside of where old Jamrich used to be, bruised
The sidewalks are horrible & I have had many close calls!
I have not yet fallen, but nearly have. Clean up those sidewalks, kiddies.
But I have slid and tripped before and I really do not enjoy that. Fix the problem, ice the sidewalks.
On the sidewalk to the MP from Magers/Meyland. I wiped out and smacked my head really hard on the ice.
Bruised my knee, and my ego
Fell outside of Jamrich, West, Hedgecock, TFA, McClintock, and West Science. The fall hurt, but no serious injuries.
I was walking towards the TFA building for a final exam when I fell. I had a pretty bad scrape on my knee.
I have fallen a few times on the ice, but only suffered minor bruises.
Many places, walking on EVERY sidewalk. Minor injuries
I have fallen several times on the academic hill and have had back and muscle soreness due to these falls.
Sidewalk near TFA. I hurt my hip pretty bad, I was limping for a few days.
Right outside the LRC, on tracy. I ate it.
I was not injured in any manner.
I fell outside the LRC and badly bruised my tailbone.
The hill from the residence halls
It was on the sidewalk by Whitman
New/West science entrances are very slippery
Along the path from campus apartments to NSF building. Did not seek medical attention for bruises.
Walking up the hill toward the academic mall
outside of library. not injured.
hedgecock
I slipped near the back entrance to the New Science building, my hip was sore but otherwise uninjured.
The commuter lot by the LRC and the sidewalk between Hedgcock and New Jamrich.
the stretch of sidewalk outside of the NSF
Outside of Jamrich AND McClintock within the last 3 weeks! Please de-ice!
in front of the fine arts building , on the way to new science from the parking lot, on the way to west science from jxj. hurt my tail bone.
• Scrapped knee, sprained ankle
• in front of magers hall waiting for the bus, was covered entirely by ice. there was no sand what so ever even near it. my tail bone hurt for 2 weeks
• Library commuter lot, lot on tracy street
• in the academic mall, bruised my tailbone
• I have almost fallen several times in various places around campus, however I have always caught myself.
• In front of hedgecock, west science, and new jamrich. I was sore
• The sidewalks are often icy all over campus, but injuries never occur.
• I slipped and fell outside of the Payne/Halverson courtyard. I tore a ligament in my right foot.
• Academic Mall no injury
• Walking up the hill. Not injured.

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• Icy hill by West Hall. Tailbone bruised. And sidewalk behind West Science stretching to Gant Hall. Plowed down to just ice.
• Behind Art Building. Previous knee injury was irritated causing me to have to wear a brace for three weeks.
• But that doesn't mean that I haven't come close to falling due to the icy walkways.
• My pride was injured but nothing else.
• the hill going to the academic mall, and lot 16
• inbetween west and new, banged my knee up.
• by the dorms and in the academic mall
• Within the Quad, No I was not injured
• I haven't fallen, but I've come close.
• Minor bumps and bruises on the hill between the residence halls, and the LRC
• I don't think there's an area of campus where I *haven't* fallen
• Near Jamrich, and I dislocated my knee
• Sidewalk, was not injured
• I wasn't injured and it happened outside the Art and Design building.
• outside my resident hall, VA
• I haven't FALLEN. But I have had to climb over snow mounds on sidewalks to get to a 10am class.
• In the path in the nature area between the LRC and Halverson. I ended up with a strained Transversus Thoracis Muscle due to the fall.
• hill by magers
• Hill headed to FRT from West; just a bruise
• the hill that leads away from west hall towards the Theater. sprained ankle.
• Slipped several times - no actual falls
• Lot 7 by my apartment
• Occurree in multiple locations. No injuries.
Sprained ankle
In many locations surrounding residence halls and academic buildings; I have not been injured.
wore tennis shoes, slipped on the way to down campus halls. busted up hands and wrists. I wear boots I the time now.
No, but I've slipped and pulled muscles attempting to keep myself from falling.
parking lot, just some bruising and a pulled muscle.
Mostly the main part of campus is tough to walk on, and also the parts behind the PEIF and Berry Events Center are not well maintained. We need to do more than just put dirt down, as the dirt does nothing to prevent the ice from having an effect on someone who is walking on it.
leaving the basement of Cahodas, minor bruising occured
I have not personally, but my good friend has been injured.
I slipped outside of Hedgcock and TFA while giving a campus tour. I bruised my knee, but didn't feel the need for medical advice.
from library to west science, no injuries
bruised leg on sidewalk connecting to down campus around new science
All over the place. Snow removal is a joke here.
anywhere by TFA and the peif
I feel climbing down the large hill to the Marketplace. I was not injured.
West Science
giant hill through campus. not injured
Academic mall, PEIF
Rez hall parking lot - just sore the next day
I take online courses
Everywhere, no injuries
Walking up to Whitman from down-campus
under the skywalk between TFA and Hedgecock. I was not injured.
not injured
Parking lot behind the old Jamrich, hurt my knee and kick-started bursitis in my knee.
Summit Street, fell and hit the back of my head and twisted an ankle
I have fallen in the Academic Mall, the commuter parking lot behind the library, and the parking lot behind the New Science building.
On the hill up campus from the marketplace!
walking up from magers to jamrich. very slippery. sand doesnt seem to work. ive seen and heard multiple people fall in the same area.
I fell outside of West Hall
Academic mall, no injury
icy sidewalks and parking lot plow leaving snow berm in front of sidewalks
Jamrich Hill multiple times. Art builing sidewalks.
on the sidewalk going to the PEIF
on the hill - just a bruise
Academic hill and not severely
- On the sidewalks along Whitman Hall, and in the Academic Mall. Sprained my knee and ankle.
- heading to the appartments
- Steps next to Exit only door by MP, scuff on my lower back
- The hill from the residence halls to the academic mall.
- It was between TFA and Jamrich. I wasn't injured, just embarrassed
- Main hill up campus. Not hurt
- Outside of VA and I ripped a hole in my jeans.
- Not injured
- By TFA, not injured
- Sidewalk by west science; all campus sidewalks/parking lots are awful!
- near the Halverson side door, trying to get to the mp.
- Going from the library to the parking lot.
- Sidewalk from UC to Jamrich. Bruise
- On the crosswalk from residence halls to the library. Not seriously injured, just some bruises.
- parking lot, north side, Jacobetti Complex
- Walking from the LRC to Magers/Meyland
- Where: art building, Hurt: just my dignity
- The sidewalk in front of spooner hall and the underpass between hedgecock and mcclintock
- on the way up and down the hill, area between library and west science. Yes, bruises and ankle sprain
- I wasn't injured, just sore for a day or two.
- I bought ice cleats for my shoes after falling so much freshman year
- Parking lot by Whitman
- Around the library is the iciest spot, to the entrance from the parking lot and coming from the dorms
- Everywhere on campus, just bruises.
- bottom of hill near Payne/Halverson
- On the hill and outside all of the academic buildings
- Between LRC and West Science; scuffed up knees and elbows, broken laptop corner and motherboard.
- On campus apartments parking lot, no injury
- Outside the buildings, but not right next to the door. I had sore muscles
- On the sidewalks in Quad 1, the hill between the Academic Mall and the residence halls, and between the Hedgecock and the UC (No severe injuries-just minor bruises and soreness)
- on campus near west science
- On the side walks in the academic building. I wasn't but it's pretty lucky I wasn't.
- My entire body.
- Parking lot. Bruises
- Multiple spots. Wasn't hurt too bad.
- Sprained ankle. Academic hill.
• Outside west science, academic hill also. Kneecap went out of place
• not majority injured
• I fell on my ass. It hurt. A lot.
• No but I could have been.
• I wasn't injured but by Jamrich
• near Hedgecock doors
• Literally everywhere, especially by hedgecock
• The computer/ faculty lot sidewalks by west science
• outside of the library
• Academic hill. No injuries
• I fall all the time and think it has lead to prolonged injury to my patellar tendon
• My tailbone was sore but no serious injury!
• On the walk to Jamrich. I was not hurt.
• Commuter/Staff parking lot by old Jamrich lot.
• close calls but no injury likely due to my giant winter boots.
• I fall more times than not. The sidewalks are always covered with ice and not safe.
• Outside of the LRC by Tracy; bruised knee
• Hill between LRC and dorms
• Outside the LRC on the backside.
• Academic mall
• Hill from down campus. hurt my back.
• outside main entrance to Gant lobby, no serious injury
• Berry Events Center parking lot, not injured
• Most of my paths to are art building arnt plowed and it is safer to walk in the street then on the sidewalk. Also not plowing the sidewalks on campus on the weekends are of harm to me when i am doing a favor to the school. I hurt my back pretty badly.
• Side door of New Science, Huge bruise
• outside Whitman Hall, received heavy bruising
• Hill between dorms and academic mall
• From the parking lot by the library walking into the library
• I was not seriously injured, just scraped hands and bruised legs
• Top of hill near library
• Center Street parking lot behind the art building, I wasn't injured this time but last year I brusied my knee pretty badly.
• Down the hill going to dorms and outside of TFA and in the parking lots.
• big hill, hill in front of meyland/magers
• On the hill up to class from the dorms, almost to New Science. I did not injure myself though.
• the hill, outside the library near the hill entrance, underneath the skywalk connecting TFA and Hedgecock
• Outside the MP, was not injured
• Outside the MP, was not injured
- Top of the hill between new science and LRC I slipped and pulled a muscle in my knee; outside of woodland apartments
- Knee/hip
- Commuter lot across from west science, no injury just sore
- Underneath the overhang leading into the corner entrance of Van Antwerp hall where water had dripped from the roof and frozen on the sidewalk. Not injured.
- I deeply bruised my knees, it was near my residence hall.
- I busted my ass a little but it wasn't bad.
- Outside University Center, no injury
- Yes I bruised a bone in my lower back after slipping on some ice outside of VanAntwerp by the elevator entrance.
- In front of Forest Roberts and no I was not hurt, also on the VA sidewalk coming out by the RAs rooms on 1.2 side and yes I was hurt and ripped my pants
- Lot 16 sidewalk
- Outside library near academic mall, no
- I fall all the time. You can get rid of ice. I got a nice pair of boots now.
- Fallen between VA and the MP
- Outside the walkway toward the den was just sore after falling
- Hill by West Hall
Would you support re-designating freshman parking lots? In the past freshmen had designated parking lots. Sophomore and upperclassmen had special parking permits that were able to park in the closer lots.

Answered: 842   Skipped: 11

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How much student loan debt do you expect to have after graduating?

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Responses:

- I don't care about recycling. I'm not a tree hugger.
- I feel unsure about the mixed recycling bins. I do know what can be recycled but am not sure if anything can go in there, and when in doubt rather put it in the "normal" trash can.
- the fuck kind of question is this?
- Yes, because I read signs, ask questions or look it up
- I have a fairly good grasp, but probably am a bit fuzzy on odd items.
- Somewhat
- Of course, I'm not four years old.
- Mostly.
- This is a very important issue and it is not clear what can and cannot be recycled. Also, I was concerned when I was told that in the end NMU sends both the recycling just get put with the trash. I have seen custodians throw the recycling in the trash bins.
- n/a
• I feel that there isn't enough signage about it, nor enough recycle points on campus. But also, NMU needs more infrastructure to handle, and properly care for our campus wastes.
• I'm not usually on campus
• Each year, recycling centers revise what they do and don't accept. A yearly update / list would help.
• to a degree
• what do you mean by fully? recycling categories are not well defined, but I know the difference between paper and plastic.
• yes but Northern doesn't allow some of it to be recycled
• The recycling policies in the dorm are incorrect. We can recycle more than bottles and paper in Marquette. I would really like to see this updated, and have more education as to what can and can not be recycled.
• know some things that I can for sure recycle and have questions on other things.
• I'm somewhere in between...
• Yes, but only after doing personal investigation. What counts as contamination was not clear until I personally looked it up.
Comments:

- I've felt that cars go too fast and don't give the students that are walking the right away.
- Not everyone slows down or stop
- Walking from the PEIF to the dorms at night down Center Street is kind of intimidating sometimes, there's only one of those emergency buzzer things near the apartments. I know they can't be put on that stretch of private property, but maybe a few more near the bus stop or parking lot?
- Walking across Wright Street to the parking lot can feel unsafe because it's a large road and the cars are quite fast.
- CARS DO NOT STOP.
- crosswalks can be more icy than the sidewalks. I really don't want to face plant in front of a car.
- people drive way too fast. also they drive too fast on center st.
- because the parking lots are not suited for the number of cars trying to use it. the parking lots are always a cluster mess.
- Some people don't know that it is a law to stop when there are people waiting at a crosswalk.
- Cars generally do not stop.
• Snow is covering pedestrians
• Often the sidewalks have not been salted or sanded to prevent slipping.
• cars are going too fast
• On my way to class the walkways are often not plowed in time and ice forms. I've slipped several times and it's frightening that I could break something because of a simple mishap.
• Too many sexual assaults that are not settled or we are not told about.
• students driving too fast and not stopping for pedestrians while crossing
• Always
• drivers do not yield to pedestrians.
• crossing wright street is hard because of no light and no in stops and it's a busy road for the most part
• when crossing the street between Hedgcock and Gries, you can't always see if there is a car coming due to the curve and the parking cars; I sometimes slip on or near the street and it would be unsafe to fall on the street, especially since it would be icy and cars could possibly slip too
• People driving don't stop, or it's super icy and horribleness happens.
• People don't realize that driving on campus isn't any different from driving down a normal street
• I walk everywhere. Undergrads drive like idiots and are often smoking as they pull out of the parking lot and not paying attention to pedestrians.
• Because some people are just stupid and cannot drive safely.
• No one stops for students at the wright street crosswalk
• Cars often do not stop or the roads are not plowed appropriately to allow them to stop when people walk out
• students are barreling through the crosswalks and not looking
• Especially on Wright Street, I notice that most people don't seem to exercise any caution with students crossing to Lot 46. This is the worst of the crosswalks.
• Some people don't stop.
• Some students do not adhere to state law about pedestrians and some folks drive too fast for conditions.
• N/A
• Unsafe drivers, slippery pavement
• A-holes drive too fast, most people don't stop for dudes crossing.
• Icy
• people driving dont pay attention
• Newer drivers are preoccupied with their music or talking to their friends, I have almost been hit several times by drivers just not paying attention.
• Cars just don't yield. In the city there are yellow markers reminding drivers to yield. These should be present on campus.
• crossing the road to get to the peif
• cars do sometimes drive quite fast approaching them while someone is in the crosswalk which I find unsettling and rude
• the cars don't stop
• cops breaking the law I.E. public safety act for sidewalks.
• Most cars do not stop for people walking across the crosswalk
• people dont stop
• There is not a sufficient crosswalk connection between cohodas and the UC
• The lines should be repainted so they can be seen, specifically by the art building, but in other places as well
• Cars often do not stop for crosswalks and the crosswalks are marked white which makes them difficult to see even under light snow.
• I got hit by a car while longboarding once.
• Sometimes other people, including faculty, do not slow down or stop on the occasions when I am on the crosswalk
• drivers who do not want to stop for pedestrians.
• students speed and many do not know how to drive in snow.
• When I'm driving on the roads around campus, walking students sometimes walk without looking for traffic, which is especially dangerous in the winter when roads are icy.
• people dont stop for waiting pedestrians
• People drive too fast, and don't wait for pedestrians
• that shit is icy
• Some students want to just keep driving.
• the guy previously mentioned follows me around his favorite place is the crosswalk because i cross late after class. no one is ever around.
• slippery
• People don't seem to realize they need to stop....
• Cars rarely stop for those in crosswalks. I cross a crosswalk to get to West Hall multiple times a day, I often find myself waiting for every car because they zoom by. It is rarity that a car stops.
• The ice
• nobody slows down at the cross walk between new jamx and the summit/center apartments
• Speeding vehicles, slippery roads that one could slip on and accidentally get hit by a car driven by someone expecting the pedestrian to cross within a short specific amount of time.
• Police officer flying by with no signals by the PEIF
• People don't really seem like they can stop for you especially in icy weather conditions.
• Why? People drive like they got their licenses in a box of Cheerios that's why!
• Ice
• People either stop or don't and there's no way to tell if they will or won't.
• People don't pay attention when they drive anyway.
• The crosswalk by lot 46 is very dangerous. Sometimes cars don't slow down or other times students could be standing there for up to 5 minutes waiting for the traffic to slow.
• Cars dont stop, they don't pay attention
• Wright street is a very hazardous area to cross (right behind Hunt Hall)
• Most cars do not slow down even though I have the right of way.
Cars are often not watching for students.
The speed limit is not strongly enforced. Many times at a crosswalk as a pedestrian I feel I don't have the right-of-way because the approaching vehicle is moving too fast. This is especially troublesome in the winter when the crosswalks are extra icy, I don't know how disabled people get around on campus it must be a nightmare.

People can be insane drivers
Cars are not careful of students crossing the road
Cross walk near Hedgecock and Gries. Often very icy and cars do not stop.
At the corner by the art building and Spooner people will often not stop at the stop signs or will only pause and are not aware that people are trying to cross the street.
People don't stop on wright street
i don't want to fall.
They need to improve the crossing between campus/center street area and the PEIF. They should have crosswalk traffic lights to stop traffic. I have seen this on larger campuses (ie UofM).

There's not a whole lot of regard for pedestrians when people get driving through campus. Also if the conditions are icy/slippery at all there's a huge risk of sliding through a crosswalk or falling in front of a moving vehicle.

Speeding drivers. Flashing lights might help
People do not stop to allow pedestrians to cross
People drive excessively fast through campus and do not watch for people walking.

for the most part the only cars that respect people in the cross walk are the bus drivers, most of the time students crossing the street have to run because cars are still moving forward while you are trying to cross the road. This is very true for students trying to get to the art building.
People don't stop or there are parked cars blocking my view.
When people are in a hurry, they don't stop at all
Ice and cars are not a good combination.
people driving dont care and wont slow down sometimes
wright street
It's more slippery than a wet bar of soap in an all male prison
Crossing Wright St. to get to the freshman lot (46, I think) is terrifying. Cars rarely slow down, I've been honked at and almost hit multiple times. It's ridiculous.
drivers not stopping for people in the crosswalk
The crosswalk on Wright St. because I'm unsure if the cars will stop
At night the stretch between the art building and lot 21 is not lit well. Also I noticed a large lack of surveillance on all NMU properties or security lights. There should at least be some kind of coverage facing entrances. (I don't know if there's actually anything facing parking lots but if there isn't there should be)
poorly lit walkways
There are drivers not wanting to stop for walkers in the crosswalks
- People do not stop even if you are in the crosswalk. People also drive way too fast on the road between the parking lots near Whitman and West Science.
- I'm never too sure when a car will 100% stop. Some never even think about braking.
- A lot of cars just don't like to stop for pedestrians. Besides there are those that do rolling stops.
- Sometimes cars turn a corner suddenly while driving really fast, which freaks me out if I'm crossing the street.
- Cars just don't stop.
- Roadway between whiteman and west science is full of traffic and students. Dangerous during peak times.
- Often, cars do not make any attempt to stop. I was almost hit by a University bus this morning.
- The crosswalks on Wright Street are very unsafe... Nobody really stops for you.
- Most cars do not stop for students in the crosswalk.
- Because the cars don't always stop for pedestrians in the crosswalks
- people drive like idiots. especially girls.
- Cars do not always stop.
- Fellow students are reckless drivers and drive too fast to stop for pedestrians!
- There are no crosswalks to residence parking lots and that feels very unsafe
- People drive very fast and I am afraid that they won't slow down or see me
- Cars don't always stop.
- The weather conditions made it difficult to see and be seen.
- The crosswalk between Gries and Hedgcock is really hard to get across because cars can't see us.
- people drive like morons
- Yes, because many of the drivers on 7th and Lee often rush up to the four-way stop at that intersection and the actual crosswalk is set back from the stop sign which makes the vehicles stop on the crosswalk.
- Cars frequently seem to be in a hurry on campus and the intersection near Hedgcock in particular. I've lost track of how many times I've seen people roll through the stop signs and they don't seem to pay attention to pedestrians.
- ice and snow make me worried im going to fall and hurt myself
- Because some drivers don't pay attention and I have witnessed pedestrians almost getting hit by neglectul drivers.
- Speeding
- Some people are just creepier than others at night
- Unsure whether or not people would stop, especially crosswalk on Lincoln.
- At night I have had people between Meyland and public safety approach me.
- People speed through areas in which a crosswalk is present not caring if people are crossing the street
- wright street; technically a city street, but no one stops.
- Cars dont stop and can be slippery
- The crosswalk was covered in slippery ice.
• Some cars adhere to the crosswalk while others clearly blow through it
• The lot across Wright street from Hunt hall and is very dangerous to cross, and sometimes is the only lot available.
• I have been narrowly missed and honked at by campus buses while walking in crosswalks multiple times
• Crosswalk from resident halls to parking lot across street, as well as lot across lincoln street
• I have seen campus buses go through crosswalks while people are crossing!
• student drivers are rude and don't pay attention
• traffic
• A truck started to slow down, as did the others behind her and I started to cross and she sped up and slammed on her brakes right in front of me and started screaming at me. I hate crossing the crosswalks now.
• reckless drives and speeders. also many cross walks are a few fet back from corners so people come around the corner unable to see you at first then slam on brakes
• what does this question even mean?
• Driver's tend to ignore pedestrians, even at crosswalks. I was pregnant and have since walked my child and was almost hit twice.
• Most cars don't stop or slow down
• People drive really fast by the cross walk between Hedgecock and Gries. Cars don't see me because there are cars in the way and vice versa. Plus they are driving to fast for the area.
• N/A
• People don't get that they have to slow down, or stop, when a student is crossing. Or, in the winter, are not able to properly stop, and can slide into a student while trying to cross
• icy roads and people driving fast
• ice
• some emergency phone polls are closed.
• very dark and feels desolate
• We don't even enforce the speed limits. I regularly jump out of the way of speeding vehicles, crosswalk or no crosswalk.
• cars don't stop
• Public Safety is slow, i feel like we arent taken seriously. ... If attacked in winter, can't run because of icy sidewalks
• Cars do not stop, even university vehicles
• Traffic usually doesn't stop, regardless of if someone's crossing
• So icy!
• People driving in cars do not like to stop and let pedestrians cross or are unaware of their surroundings, especially when the weather outside is bad.
• Cars going too fast and not stopping.
• I don't trust people to stop for pedestrians.
• Slippery drivers going too fast
I have almost been hit multiple times and have had a car do a "false" stop where he sped up and almost hit me.

Limited stop signs or signage of any kind, cars speeding, free for all

So icy

people drive to fast to stop for people in cross walks

The sidewalks are extremely slippery and I walk must slower and cautiously.

On wright street people don't slow down they just blow right through the cross walk

Some cars stop but some don't and with the snow it is hard to tell if they are stopping or slowing down to be safe.

While cars are supposed to yield to pedestrians, some don't even look or slow down

Crosswalk by Gries. Cars dont stop.

Cars tend to not stop for pedestrians

Some cars don't stop. Specifically today, I couldn't see in front of me and some car just drove right past me at the art and design 4 way intersection

There have been reports of physical and sexual assaults.

Crossing Lincoln St always feels hazardous with how much traffic is there. Same with Wright St, but at least Wright St. has a light relatively close by.

Wright street is incredibly dangerous to cross

Crossing Lincoln from the apts isn't plowed so I have to crawl over a snow pile

people drive like jerks. plus they are poorly maintained

One side of traffic will stop and it's like the other side is trying to race you

Cars almost running me over every day

Not when I actually use the crosswalk.

it was dark

Traffic doesn't seem to give students the right of way. Often feels like traffic is going to fast.

drivers talking on cellphones and not watching the road. i have witnessed many close calls

ice

cars don't go the speed limit around campus

Unfortunately being female, I never feel safe walking across campus in the dark.

Cars dont like to stop over by Gries or the crosswalk by the Wright place. The light says walk, but the cars say NO!

I often have to walk home in the dark and I don't think Public Safety, or any police, properly protect those who are assaulted

Poor sidewalk conditions.

Crazy drivers. Students in particular.

Vehicles don't stop. It's like a free for all.

The amount of attacks have increased and the security has not increased. I also don't like how there are no signs for cars to let people know where students cross.

Crossing into lot 20 can be dangerous because there is no crosswalk

people drive way to fast on campus
only from dirty ice
ice
Streets like Wright street where cars go very fast, and if it is snowy they can't see you very well and there is very little warning that there is a cross walk there
The one from Hunt to the parking lot.
During the winter, I'm afraid I'll slip in front of a car, since the cars only stop for crossers infrequently
People don't like to stop
You always have to worry about if cars are going to slide or not.
Many people who drive on campus do not acknowledge that pedestrians in the crosswalk have the right of way.
The no weapons policy prevents me from using a CPL, however those who wish to do me harm have no regards to the no weapons policy.
The one by Hunt on Wright Street; it's a 50/50 chance that someone will stop for you. And while I do enjoy the video game Frogger, the real life version is unappealing.
The street can be really busy crossing Wright street from Hunt Hall to the old freshman lot.
Cars don't stop for pedestrians, especially crossing Wright Street to get to lot 46. I have had to wait for 5-10 minutes just to get across safely MULTIPLE TIMES.
Cars don't necessarily stop for you
I have felt VERY unsafe crossing the road between Hedgecock and Greis hall
Can't see around some corners, some cars don't stop
cars between tfa and grie's not slowing down for people in the cross walks
The cars on 7th street, people speed on there often and don't slow down at all unless you make the initiative to begin going across. Some are nice and do stop for you though
It's too icy and not cleaned off efficiently
Cars do not stop for you
Cars in the area do not follow cross walk laws. They don't stop!
Cars don't respect pedestrian right-of-ways
Many people don't stop at them and just disregard that there even is one.
The street in front of Gries is super dangerous. Some people slow down and others speed through it. There are cars on both sides which makes it harder to see. Speedbumps?
People are reckless
cars don't stop......
No one stops at the crosswalk even when people are in it
All the cars speed through and rarely slow down to stop also the crosswalk over by hunt hall is off campus traffic I don't feel safe crossing
Cars rarely stop. Have had several speed up while attempting to cross road.
The roads are too icy. I fear that I might slip and fall.
Comments:

- Maybe
- no time
- already do
- I would but I do not reside near campus.
- I'm a transfer student and am not aware of many opportunities available to me
- I would if I knew I wasn't obligated to attend every meeting, as I have a job, volunteer, and walk a distance to campus.
- hell no
- I already have and I strongly believe that ASNMU was and continues to be a toxic environment where student's voices are not really heard, only the single voice of those on the committee. I am an RA. I have never once had a resident tell me that a Down-Campus Rep has asked for their opinion regarding anything ASNMU has
voted on or has made decisions about. It is a small group of like-minded people that make decisions to benefit themselves personally, but not the university as a whole.

- Possibly
- Possibly
- Maybe
- If I lived in Marquette then yes
- I would if had the time to devote.
- sounds so fun
- I would but do not have the time to attend meetings. Conflict of schedules.
- I am already involved with a committee and it is nice to feel that I am making a difference on campus and have a say in what's going on.
- I am interested, but as I take at least more than 20 credits a semester and work, I don't really have time.
- Not sure
- If classes aren't too demanding
How important do you feel student voting power on university committees is?

Answered: 831  Skipped: 23

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Would you support a policy that gave students at least 10% voting power on all university committees compared to faculty voting power?

Answered: 832  Skipped: 22

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Total 832
Have you bought textbooks from the NMU Bookstore in the last 6 months? If so please rate the experience (select all that apply):

- I did not buy books from... 10.38%  90
- I re-sold my textbooks to... 46.10%  373
- I bought my textbooks fr... 20.31%  168
- I bought my textbooks fr... 66.35%  458
- I bought my textbooks bo... 34.70%  287
- I re-sold my textbooks to... 6.20%  43

Total Respondents: 827

Comments:
• BOOKSTORE IS A TOTAL RIP OFF
• Okay, If i pay $300 for a book from NMU and they only want to give me $125 dollars back..... do the math.
• I rented my textbook in the Fall semester and purchased the online version for this semester.
• If I pre-order the books I expect to have ALL of the books when I go to pick them up.
• The books are extremely expensive and selling them back to the bookstore is a joke because of very low payback.
• I don't buy books
• employees were very helpful in finding the books I needed
• I had an issue that I wanted to rent a used book, I ordered that online, but I was told that it was not available anymore. I ended up having to buy a new book for about triple the price.
• some books were still cheaper to get elsewhere and the used books online are better than used books at the bookstore
• I have over $800 worth of textbooks that I was told had no "value" when trying to sell them back. I am not stupid and have been going to college for 8 years. I know professors get "kick-backs" for choosing new textbooks or new editions (same book, different order). The bookstore basically steals from students.
• I resold a $30.00 history book back after I bought and received 25 cents. Like what the hell lol. Also, I tried to re-sell a couple other books after buying them at the book store and they said "they didn't have the book in their servers," even though I bought the book from them. Then they said that we could donate the book to them if we want. What a scam
• I bought from the NMU bookstore, I found their used book prices to be high, had I had any money in my bank acount I could have went online and buy them for 1/4 the price.
• I bought one book form the bookstore, which happened to be less expensive than other online options. Otherwise, all of my books are bought online.
• The NMU Bookstore is ridiculously overpriced, haven't bought books from there in years because of price gouging.
• Better visability of the price while on the shelf would be nice, so I have an idea of what to expect at the register.
• I buy most of my books online. It saves me a lot of money.
• I have no issue with the prices but I have had some difficulty obtaining books that were sold out there, when I pre-ordered they stuffed my bag with what they had at the time and then never touched it again, meaning if they received a book after the bag was filled I didn't get it.
• spent over 800.00 on books got back 75.00 barley opened brand new looking still.
• the lines are too long and they run out of used books too easily. the staff is rude.
• I don't buy books anymore from NMU-- NEVER got 'adequate' money back, 2 semesters ago I spent over $150 on a book, got offered $10 (!!!) since 'they weren't using it again'- suprise suprise, they chose to use it again. Marked at the same price. That was my last time.
- buy back is horrible, do not get nearly the worth of the books back, some times nothing.
- I do not resell to the NMU Bookstore because I do not get an adequate amount back.
- two of three books were cheaper on line
- I thought the price of the book was outrageous! Why not download internet articles?
- HPO's required book hasn't been opened for class once and it's mandatory- NMU just lacing their own pockets.
- I could find a book for 17 dollars used but when i ordered it through NMU they charged me 30 even though on the site it said 17
- Any books I could buy elsewhere in Marquette, I did. I'm not convinced that the prices at the Bookstore are fair/reasonable.
- The books are excessively expensive. They are purchased back for pennies on the dollar and resold again at a premium. It's almost criminal.
- I don't like how they change the prices once school starts. Two weeks before school started most of my books were $20 less and I wasn't expecting that and wasn't prepared to pay that much so I just went somewhere online instead.
- Used wasn't so bad but anlot of books now have online portions that are not reusable. Money money, geez
- all of the above for different courses. One textbook was a photocopy poorly done at that.
- My books costed me $600 dollars last semester and that's just ridiculous.
- The bookstore, in my experience, has always had the most expensive price compared to other textbook providers. I now order my textbooks online.
- yea, the books are expensive
- The bookstore did not have all the books I needed well into the semester
- I found a receipt in a textbook that said it had been previously purchased for a lower price
- I bought a brand new, 200$ book this fall and they wouldn't take it back unless I wanted to donate it. It seemed a little crooked since I got 70$ back for it online.
- NEVER RE-SELL TEXTS TO STORE, SELL THEM ONLINE OR TO A FRIEND!!!!
- I use the book store only because I can charge it to my student account when I don't have the money upfront.
- Books are ridiculously overpriced and I got one dollar back for a book I paid one hundred for. Renting isn't even that much better, either way as students, we get screwed over.
- Why does a piece of paper with a code on it cost 200 dollars?
- Other places are more affordable and the service is also better at other places. The people at the NMU bookstore were extremely rude and incompetent.
- Re-selliing sucks! I get more money back selling to other students or online.
- Bookstore is a rip off do!
- Ridiculously overcharged and not compensated when returned. A lot of books that have issued were not used in class.
tryed to sell back brand new book that was $310 used for one semester was in amazing condition. they offered me $87. how fair is that when they resold it for $262. its unfair to students and unreasonable.

I rent all my textbooks, but it's typically much cheaper to go through rental websites that the NMU bookstore.

Sometimes the prices are agreeable and sometimes they aren't but I also understand that this isn't completely within the Bookstore's control.

I only buy the course required Syllabus

Textbooks are a scam. Buying and re-selling were easy. But the prices for used books are still not great.

Too expensive I will buy my books from the bookstore if NMU will match the prices I can find online, but they didn't match the prices last time I bought books.

I spent $350 on books last semester, and got $4 back

I bought textbooks from NMU my first year. Total waste of money. Half of the books I needed weren't even there. I buy all of my books from Amazon or comparable sites now.

They are much cheaper at other places, including amazon.

I had no other choice and due to it being all online courses I take the shipping was horrendous!

I bought my books from the NMU Bookstore, and was given the wrong books, and had to return them, and was charged additionally on top of what i had to pay beforehand!

like what the fuck. the prices are insane

bad experience; I was told they had the book and when I went to pick up the book they said they didn't instead of telling me sooner so I could order the one they didn't have.

I bought books from various sources, though have never found the NMU bookstore buyback policies/prices to be adequate

the other supplies in the store is at cost or cheaper than the rest of MQT. This is what I utilize most.

Prices are too high, but buyback prices are better than any other place

I bought my textbooks from the NMU bookstore and still have sticker shock

I'm in a major that requires alots of books that are always highly priced. Its unfortunate but regardless I buy the books anyway.

I bought NMU specific books from here and they are completely overpriced, as well as I could only sell a quarter of my books back, and on those books got back only about 10% of the original price even though they were in perfect condition

Though, the price was rather high compared to other places, and it didn't help that they don't always have enough books for the classes.

The books are way too expensive. Why can you buy them online for cheaper, but not at the bookstore? We're already paying enough for tution.

too much money

textbooks were workbooks already written in. had to order another new textbook elsewhere, paid twice.

Used books are marked up much too high.
• textbooks are useless here
• They are overpriced, never in stock, even if you request them ahead of time. I have been given the wrong textbooks and manuals every semester.
• bought some online
• the books they had where the wrong books then they wanted to charge me more than it would be to buy brand new ones online
• The people working at the bookstore were unbelievably rude.
• I recently bought a textbook from the NMU Bookstore, only to find out later that it was the wrong edition! Also, the prices are unrealistic and ridiculously high.
• I think they are getting a lot better, or the online companies are getting more expensive, one of the two.
• I know they would be overpriced, but I still went there.
• The one book I bought from the bookstore this semester, they gave me the wrong book. I was given the book that the other lecture section of my class uses.
• I rented, I very seldom buy from the bookstore
• The university books are too expensive, I prefer to rent books off line
• Terrible prices. The reality of college text books is AWFUL. We are college students; how can we be expected to afford books at that price!?
• I didn't buy my books from the bookstore this year because they were way more expensive than literally anywhere I looked
• Paid 245, got 35 back just for them to sell it next semester for 230.
I drive around for 10 minutes before my first class to find a spot. It doesn't matter which parking lot you choose to park in there is NOT adequate parking available!!

Might need more soon.

the parking lots are cramped and my car has been hit at least 3 different times because of lack of space

There's adequate parking if you want to walk half a mile to your car every morning.

I think there is enough parking the lots just are not assigned very well

the man who says NMu has adequate parking has a reserved spot

The commuter lots are constantly full, we all drive in circles looking for room that does'nt exist. I would rate the parking very low and inadequate

I personally don't park on campus, but when driving with people who do, it is a problem that there is too little parking available close to the dorms. It is also an issue that due to the snow the lines are not visible and people park further apart, that means there is even fewer space available
no where near enough parking, first days of any semester expect to be late or arrive 30 minutes early.

art building needs more student parking and freshmen parking needs to be enforced again

The amount of times I've had to park at the Woodland apartments and pray that I wouldn't get a ticket is ridiculous.

HAHAHAHAHAHA ARE YOU KIDDING ME?!? If you look at a campus map the number of "faculty" lots outnumber the "commuter" lots significantly. Also why was the area where the old Jamrich building turned into a lawn instead of investing it into a parking lot. When a parking pass is $150 there should be adequate parking available at all times.

NEVER A PARKING SPOT AFTER 11am

walk/bike to campus

I've gotten to school a half hour early and was still 15 minutes late.

I have class at 10 am on mondays and I usually try to arrive 15 minutes early but until the people from the classes that get out at 9:50 move their cars, I have no place to park

My only classes are at the PEIF

Get the freshman out of our lots!

There isn't adequate parking available during the "popular" class hours, however, for the science and math people who have to arrive on campus early or on Fridays, the parking seems just fine.

quit overselling the parking passes!

The new lot by West Science: half student/half staff, the half staff portion is normally only 33% full while students are circling around like vultures looking for a spot.

I park on campus during hours that lots are not checked. I cannot afford a parking pass so I usually walk 25 minutes between campus and home each day. There is not adequate parking, atleast not conveniently for commuters.

too expensive for a pass, and never any spots left (not paying for a pass to drive in circles around the parking lot) so I just park elsewhere and walk, or walk from home

There needs to be more student spots by Spooner Hall, the faculty spots are almost always empty.

There is very limited parking space for commuters

You can't always get the closest space to the building. That's life.

there is adequate parking, but its a pain in the ass to have to park so far away most times

I stopped buying a pass when I realized I could just as easily park off campus and not pay over $100 for walking the same distance.

Freshman parking is a form of discrimination, it also increases underclassmen / upperclassmen tensions by giving upperclassmen a luxury that underclassmen can't have.

at times more difficult to park though - depends on the day

I park off-campus and wonder about the 7-3 parking ban.
• Freshmen parking should be reinstated
• I think there isn't enough parking for students who live on campus towards Jamrich and the library.
• dont have a vehicle
• adding a couple more rows where the old jamrich building was located would have been a good idea.
• There are enough spaces but they aren't plowed very well. Also, commuters should get more spaces because they don't have nearly enough parking available.
• the old Jamrich spot should have been made into a parking lot
• I do not have a car down here.
• commuters parking in resident lots making impossible to find parking
• It depends on the day/ time/ and weather
• I walk to campus through parking lots and always see plenty of spaces, but people are unwilling to walk the distances from buildings.
• The freshman lots should be reinstated. It is nearly impossible to find a spot unless you come at the right time.
• Not enough spaces for commuters
• I only park in dorm parking lots and I feel there is adequate parking most of the time.
• I think lots need to be plowed more than once a month though.
• As a commuter, there's been a lot of difficulty of finding a spot. Either there are parkers with no passes or the wrong pass and I think ticketing needs to be more enforced. I also think there's an overselling of commuter passes and not enough parking for it.
• Parking on campus is a headache. I would not pay for it. I park just off campus and walk.
• The parking on campus is a joke. There should be parking garages and not inadequate parking lots strewn about.
• Some times of day are very difficult
• I don't have a car
• If people didn't illegally park then there would be adequate parking
• Parking the residence lots is insane right now. It's incredibly unsafe as there aren't enough spaces. People fight over spaces and it always comes close to an accident. People drive way too fast and take turns way too fast trying to get a stupid parking space. Freshman lots need to exist again.
• Commuter lots near Jamrich
• The parking lots do not get plowed enough. People cannot see the lines, therefore decreasing the number of available spots because they take more space
• I walk to campus so I don't have to worry about parking, but I have not heard anything positive about in the three years I've been here!
• 9 out of 10 times I am ok with the parking.
• There needs to be a better permit process for apartments
• Due to the lack of adequate parking I often have to walk to the dorms from Public Safety when I get back from work at night, and it is absolutely horrible in the winter.
• I don't own a car.
• I think Housing Staff in the residence halls and apartments should not have to pay for parking passes because we do not choose where we park. We are assigned based on our jobs. It is also very difficult to get to work some days when residents send you emergency calls and texts and there is no parking available.
• I pay a great amount of money for a parking spot and feel that the walk from my dorm to my vehicle is often very unreasonable. Commuter lots are often not completely full and seem like a waste of space to be sitting empty.
• Not applicable, I do not drive.
• The parking person sent an email saying that our parking is great and other schools have it worse, as though that means we shouldn't want better. So irritating. Sure, I can park 20 minutes away from my destination, but why should I pay $140 for that?
• My CA's girlfriend does not live in our apartment buildings, but continues to park in our on-campus parking spots at 1220 Norwood.
• I have parked on campus in the past, and the parking is always really annoying. There are too many faculty lots.
• The university decision to allow freshman to park in what used to be exclusively sophomore+ parking is extremely frustrating. I waited my year to get the decent parking lot, but I'm still stuck in the old freshman lots. It's extremely unfair to those of us who had to pay our dues.
• Meyland Hall needs MUCH more parking.
• Freshman should have to park in their own lots. Because of the change in the rules for parking, there is a lot less available parking space.
• I don't have a car
• It would be nice for students with on-campus apartment passes to have an ability to park in commuter areas. Just because we are on campus doesn't mean it's desirable to walk all of the way across campus (Woodland to Whitman is a 15 minute walk on average, 4 minute drive).
• I park in a faculty-only lot (I'm a TA) and I constantly see students with residential, commuter, and no parking permits park there. Public safety needs to be more diligent about ticketing. It's a small lot (the new Jamrich lot) and it's hard enough for faculty to find parking spaces without other students stealing the spots.
• Parking was already tight before the parking lot by the library was cut down. The huge empty space where Jamrich used to be NEEDS to be made into commuter parking ASAP
• I don't have a car
• In a on-campus apartment parking lot - I do not park actually ON campus
• If you don't get to campus at 8 or 9 am, it's a struggle to find parking.
• I do not have a car
• There is a commuter parking lot outside of Magers that is always empty. I believe that lot should be turned into residence parking.
• parking lots close to halls are always filled. it would be great if I didn't have to walk 5 minutes to get from car to dorm or visa versa. but it's not a big deal.
• especially in the winter, no one knows how to park with no lines for spaces
• When my friend's are trying to park, they can never find a parking space in the lots by Magers Hall and have to park in P-safety. The commuters lot should be open during the night for students to park.
• On-campus parking would be much helped by a multi-level parking garage.
• Most of the time, I can find a parking space, but sometimes, especially at night, I am forced to park as far away as Public Safety because the lots are all full. I don't think more parking spaces are needed, I think restriction of parking passes is needed.
• Seriously, they need to be plowed way better. Awful and people are parking in spots that aren't even spots
• should have made space where old JXJ was into more parking
• I park on campus and think there is competition for spaces closet to the doors
• The West Hall parking lot is fine, but parking down campus isn't
• Commuter lots should be open to students on weekends.
• Put the freshmen back in the far lots. It's anarchy in the winter.
• Provided you can get your vehicle through the snow.
• there are too many staff parking areas in comparison to commuter
• Commuter parking is terrible. Lots need to be plowed more. Why do faculty/staff get to park so close when im the one actually paying to park here?
• It is HORRIBLE. There are not enough commuter parking spots that are plowed or salted. I fall often in the parking lots trying to get to and from classes to my car. They need to be closer and there needs to be more
• need another commuter lot
• I have been late multiple times due to not being able to find an adequate spot and I leave my house 30 minutes before class starts
• I pay over a hundred dollars to live my car in front of my apartment when I have to walk 15 minutes to class and could often be late when I have to go from work to class and don't have time to stop at my apartment, also in weather that could literally kill someone.
• people tend to park horribly in the winter
• however in the winter people take up two spots and it drives me nuts, some kind of system like poles need to show where each spot is. I have also been parked in at the peif many times in the winter
• When I lived in the dorms parking sucked.. apartments are much better
• PARKING SUCKKKKSSSSSS
• Spray paint lines on the snow or something, people cant park
• In my appartment lot there is plenty of parking, however I'm not allowed to park hardly anywhere on campus, which normally doesn't pose a problem because I like to walk, but there are days in the winter where I don't even go to class cause its too cold for such a long walk and I have no other options as far as parking goes.
• I bike to school and do not think there is adequate bike parking.
• I do ride with people who park on campus and the parking spaces are always crap. Old freshman lots need to be reinstated.
• Especially this year, I find myself parking way out in the "freshmen" lots (lots 20 and 46). Because of the recent sexual harassment problems, I don't feel safe walking from that far. Or when it is insanely cold outside, and it isn't safe to be outside that long.
• Multiple times a week I can't find parking in commuter lots
• Parking is adequate. However, parking enforcement (ticketing) is not adequate.
• Although I would hate to see more parking lots made. Perhaps open more parking lots to students.
• Need more generalized parking for everyone that isn't just in front of the UC.

Comments:
• I am not familiar with it.
I don't follow the North Wind. So, Non-Applicable.

I would like the to cover more about the events going on on campus. Like to know more about NMU Board and what is going on with the administration

All they did was make news out of themselves

It is so sad to see the NW and its writers being taken advantage of by an adviser with a personal vendetta against NMU.

so do reporters talk to anyone else besides derek hall and kat klaws?

They're doing better than ever before.

Can I vote terrible? There's three positive options, only one neg? Bias...

I have never read the North Wind.

The quality of the newspaper has decreased in my time at NMU

I find their articles often too opinionated, and focused on the same things.

I'm so tired of that starbucks story and everything that has come of it.

I don't read it

I don't read it and never have

The people who run NMU are so corrupt they should become election officials in Cook County.

I don't read it.

never picked up a copy

I'm not pleased with the North Wind's sensationalist angle this year. The headlines are often distasteful.

For the most part I do not care but if the issue of the student writer attempting to find out more information on Starbucks and being basically bullied to stop is true then someone needs to lose their job.

I feel that as a student newspaper it is their job to help students stay informed on campus issues. However recently there issues have been gossipy, and bash the university. If you find a policy that is not right there are better ways of informing students, than writing gossipy articles with very little factual information in them.

I have not heard of them..

can the NW report on something besides themselves and some obscure album that came out that nobody's heard of?

I don't read the northwind

I have not read North Wind

I do not read the North Wind

I adore the North Wind and read it every week.

They do a good job but the recent article on preferred name switched around the gender and sex thing. Want to be identified with the gender they identify rather than the sex they were born with. Sometimes the details are messed up, but it is student paper.

I don't read the North Wind
• I feel that they are a little biased
• Haven't looked in a long time.
• Whoever is running the word search section needs some talking to, they screwed up several issues. I really wish they'd cover the theatre department and music department more. They always seem to drag stories on for longer than they need to, isn't there any other news?
• The paper is frequently filled with typos and very self-interested, I am not as interested in their front page news as they seem to think students should be.
• Never Used
• I think they should do stories about real things on campus. like how ACAC is doing all advising for incoming freshmen or talking about the new possible foreign language requirement or other policy changes instead of constantly FOIAing things that don't matter to anybody but NW staff.
• I've never read a publication.
• Now they want BOT financial records. It never stops...they keep pushing and when someone pushes a tiny bit back the headlines are smeared with outrage. How about reporting on some things that directly affect students like the new advising model or the proposed requirement for foreign language to graduate. How are those things going to affect students? And don't just give the negative, gossipy, drama reporting, get some facts as to why and show some positive and negative
• They are like Fox news, but instead of hating democrats they hate NMU
• I honestly don't care.
• Unprofessional and flaky in interviews, post offensive articles (ray rice drink packs a punch)
• dont know, i dont read it
• dont have time to read it
• The student activity fee supports at the rate of $9.10 per copy of every issue. Ever buy the Wall St Journal?
• can be extremely rude and I do not appreciate it
• Make pat editor
• I dont read the Northwind
• i dont have an opinion because i dont read that newspaper
• I don't read the North Wind.
• never even heard of it.
• I think they over exagerate some issues to make them seem bigger than they are. Its marquette, it's pretty chill up here
• I don't read the North Wind
• They fail to realize that they hold a very special place where they will continue to publish whether anyone reads them or not. As such, they have to be even more in tune with their audience than a paper that relies on subscribers.
• Do not read
• i have no opinion
• I think they tend towards being a tabloid and give Northern a bad name. They dig into private lives, have poor editing, and make Northern look bad. I'd like to see productive, positive things from time to time.

• I stopped reading the North Wind because they overexaggerated many different issues on campus, and seemed to just cause panic throughout the student body.

• The North Wind seems to cause a lot of controversy, I also don't feel like they take the time to fully understand some issues. Many times it seems like the pull a random student to give their opinion on a topic that has nothing to do with that student or their educational speciality. I also feel like the North Wind is very aggressive and confrontational in their reporting. No one in my office (20 some people) take the reporting seriously. In fact we usually regard the paper as a satire and enjoy finding all the inaccuracies that it contains more than the actual content. I find it typical and humorous that this question doesn't have an option to disapprove of the North Wind. No matter what option I select it will seem like I approve of the North Wind, this question is misleading and the results of this survey regarding this question will not be quality.

• They need to fact check more

• They are doing a terrible job. FOIA first, facts second. Acting like children.

• I find a majority of their articles to be absolutely insulting to our school and its students. How is this allowed?

• The North Wind is one of the most important aspects of campus life. I'm really really glad they're being investigative and doing what real journalists ought to do, not backing down like other groups might.

• A former PEIF staff member turned and bad-mouthed the PEIF

• Fall semester last year was pretty miserable but this semester they seem to be doing better in delivering stories with substance.

• Not applicable

• I think they could delve outside the university and the FOIA

• I never feel like i am getting adaquate information and or the entire story.

• The need to use politcally correct and non-offensive langue for the LGBTQ community

• Like most professional news organizations, they have a tendency to sensationalize. They also suck at respecting LGBTQIA+ terms and issues.

• their illustrator is amazing

• could this quesiton be more biased? haha. isn't even an option can't even say they are doing a bad job!!

• Don't read.

• Why don't you guys talk about intramurals? Or the new veteran guy with the dog?!!

• Writers at the North Wind think they are special snowflakes. How about reporting on something we actually care about? Not your personal vendettas against the administration.

• Way too much drama and administrative hate. Its ok to question policies and procedures but this year they way it is playing out is too much.
• I think it's fantastic that they are now doing more investigative reporting and fully support them learning useful skills they can use when they get out of here.
• I don't read the North Wind so I honestly don't know.
• I find them to be too dramatic and immature in business situations. They report off the cuff without waiting for more information. They misquote people and take things out of context. Then they get mad because nobody wants to comment on stories.
• I don't read their newspaper too often
• The students writing the stories do not seem to understand that there can be multiple viewpoints on an issue. I think more emphasis should be placed on showing two sides to every story and fully understanding an issue before reporting on it.
• I don't read the North Wind.
• Don't read
• I get kinda bored reading now
• A lot of their articles read as if they were written by annoyed teenagers.
• NA
• I don't read the North Wind.
• They published caricatures of Charlie Hebdo that ridiculed and mocked Muslim faith. I condemn the terrorist action and terror does not have religion or nationality. This violent and horrifying action is against all humanity not only against Charlie Hebdo. This magazine was condemned by the Pope also for ridiculing Christian faith. By publishing it they also disrespected Christian students on the campus. I wish they attended the Constitution day last fall. It was told by the political science department professors that freedom or free speech ends when your hand hits to my nose. This is not a free speech is a disgusting provocation and ridiculing faith. Quran condemns terrorism and the verse clearly states that a person who kills an innocent will be in eternal hell. They should focus on the facts of this incident not on the obvious fact that it is not free speech. Ridiculing and mocking faith is not free speech for any religion or any belief system. They should be questioning on the facts such as neglect of the French intelligence service. One of the terrorist were in jail for three years, and he was convicted for terrorist activities. Why did the French intelligence neglect this fact and did not spy on the terrorist? I ask The North Wind to pay more attention on the facts of an incident rather than questioning something is obvious as Sun. The struggle of humanity must be against terrorism and not violating each others rights for a peaceful World that we can live in with peace.
• Unable to answer. I rarely read the North Wind.
• Way too much drama this year.
• Need more of a variety of types of writers/columnists
• There just seemed to be a lot of controversy regarding the North Wind this past year that I don't recall there to have been in the past.
• They are highly opinionated on issues that pertain to them or the editor, with little coverage on issues that they aren't affected directly by. It is understood that you can't get away from biases (everybody inherently has them) but it seems that there
are a few individuals who have made it their personal mission to attack many respectable aspects of the university and portray NMU in a negative light. (FOIA issue was painted to be negative with how the university redacted information, but the university has the right and the obligation to withhold certain information. This fact was not what one would have gotten at a quick glance at the pictures representing the FOIA issue. Another issue was that of the Starbucks contract. Businesses make contracts that may not seem fair, but that's a reason why they remain in business because they outline a strategy (such as no other competing coffee shops) that allows for a competitive advantage.)

- I don't read the North Wind.
- The North Wind is doing a fantastic job and I always enjoy reading their paper. Its a shame that the University is so corrupted and targeting them.
- No feedback - don't read it
- proof read what you are saying, words have powers, they have hurt many of my friends lately with the way they have worded some of the articles that involed the rep. and preferred name policy. you need to proof read to make sure that you do not hurt people and that it sounds good to everyone.
- Much better than the last few years
- I haven't read the paper
- n/a
- I literally cannot read the North Wind. Their articles belittle our university and rarely do the "journalists" do research/fact check their information. I honestly wish the North Wind did not exist.
- I think they are making news out of themselves with things that are irrelevant to most people on campus. They are quick to fabricate stories and blame administration rather than truly investigate, and anytime they are unable to back up their stories they make excuses about how they are "just learning" and can't be held responsible for their actions. They look ridiculous and entitled. They rely on ONE PERSON from ASNMU for their "facts" about the university. Truly sad to see the quality of writing deteriorate in exchange for catchy headlines and the agenda of a faculty adviser.
- They have a lot of columns that are derogitory towards the LGBTQIA
- I think the North Wind FOIA situations are complete crap. They are taking it out of control and should be focusing on campus issues. They are a student newspaper and should be highlight the things going on on campus, not medling with administration and making things out to be a bigger deal than they need to be. In fact, I feel as if they are not doing their job by informing students what is happening on and around campus. Students do not care about the crap that they are investigating. This is not investigative journalism; this is muckraking.
- Need to be more investigative and critical of university policies/decisions/spending/etc
- This year has shown a marked increase in undue sensationalism. I find it amusing rather than informative.
- N/A
- Only one of the writers can put a good story together.
at times it seems more like I'm looking at a FB opinion and not a News Papper
I don't read it.
Too one-sided. Also take on stories not pertaining to campus life.
see below
Over the past 3 semesters the North Wind has become a very good source of real news instead of just feel good news
Prior to this year, I enjoyed the North Wind. The articles seem to have gone down in quality.
Take a journalism class.
Never read it
never read it. but a lot of the times they don't use up to date pictures on the front cover
Do not read
extremely conservative
sensationalized lately
It is a lot better this year than in the past
The North Wind is unprofessional and the quality of their journalistic abilities are not up to par. It is difficult to take this publication seriously.
I work on the business side of the north wind and feel that they are tring hard but there is always room for improvement. Many students have told me that they don't feel that the paper writes about what students really care about. While I don't personally feel that way it is a fairly universal opinion on campus.
I think they are reporting negative news about our university, and portraying negative attitudes toward the university, especially about the athletic teams
I don't read it.
They seem to twist stories and don't always get all the facts right. I would also like to see the quality of their writing improve.
THEY work really hard to make people look bad!!
as expected with a university publication there is a large amount of left bias
AWFUL this year. Ridiculous we always need to be attacking administration. Many times facts have been completely wrong in stories. They should publish first edition Thursday and an edition with all corrections on Monday. Ha!
they are horrible and unprofessional in their articals. I feel ashamed to have them as our paper. I advise people not to read it
they need to stop ambushing/negative talking the school
Last semester I enjoyed everything I read in the newspaper it included the good the bad and the ugly I knew what was going on in every aspect now the stories feel dulled down and I'm less interested

32.) Are there any other concerns you have related to campus life?

Comments:
- Campus life has been dying this year at incredible amounts, I believe because of the ridiculous no smoking policies, and over enforcement of power by the campus RAs.
- Regarding Parking, the students need more parking! There are not enough parking spots for the students that commute to NMU. Parking spots are also very far away from the classrooms. NMU needs to consider the students who commute more than 10 minutes to campus. On any day where the temperature is at 0 degrees Fahrenheit or lower, or the road conditions on US HWY 41, M-35, M-553, or any other major road way that leads to campus, are icy or in any other way unsafe to drive, school should be cancelled the students should be allowed to make the decision whether or not to put their lives and others at risk in order to go to classes.
- Non traditional student need more assistance in being acclimated back to school... they need help with finding resources. Both the faulty and traditional students need to be more accepting on non traditional students. Parking pass is too expensive. When I needed a temporary pass and I had a loaner car, I was required to pay $30 to be able to park on campus, when I had already paid for parking for the semester. Upon registering a new vehicle I was required to pay additional fees to update my parking pass .... this is a racket!! On top of being in an accident and securing a car, I had to pay $45 in fees to public safety and $140 for parking pass... a total of $185 to park on campus...
- Well NMU make sure too keep doing what you are doing and make sure that the students are happy. That is all.
- Why the fuck is New Jamrich so ugly?
- Some students do not have warm jackets for the very cold temps. Can there be a place where we could donate old jackets, etc.? Could students from warm climates get a sheet of paper with some hints for winter clothing?
- cheaper parking would be appreciated.
- I have no concerns at this time.
- Create Facebook groups upon arrival for new students. Have a better roommate matchmaker. Give us better food.
- Fix the Northwind. Pull their funding. I don't want to pay to support their personal problems
- None, thank you.
- The food at dining services often gets many people sick. Either this is because of the terrible quality of food, or lack of vitamins and nutrients to the student body. This problem needs to be addressed in a big way, and would be something I know many would be involved with.
- I have a concern with people buying parking passes and parking their car in one spot for the duration of the semester/year as well as not moving their cars when the lots need to be plowed. Make there be a bigger penalty for not moving cars when lots are supposed to be plowed (towing perhaps?).
- I'm concerned about having my preferred name on my diploma. I use my given name on all of my professional documents and this could interfere
- N/A
• It is very rapidly going down hill. Public safety especially, along with faculty just
don't care about the students anymore.
• I just really want to know why the university doesn't serve Captain Crunch, its not
like they are brand loyal and it's not like they don't serve sugar cereals so why not
have Captain Crunch.
• quality of the food in the dinning halls keeps going down each year
• I personally feel that international diversity is not recognized enough. There are
actually quite a few international students here and nobody seems to be interested.
Events promoting diversity could encourage other students to ask more questions
and be more interested. Many problems of international students, such as the
being trapped on campus situation, are also not recognized by domestic students.
• They should treat mental disorders and injuries like physical ones.. Like if you
miss a class because you had a panic attack right before and spent the hour crying
and panic puking instead. You should be able to talk to your professor about the
issues so that you can have a little more understanding and leniency. Also
professors should not be allowed to make comments on your medication. This
happened to me and he was very rude asking if I could stop taking my required
medication before his class.
• No
• plowing the sidewalks before 7:30am for those of us with 8am classes would be
great!!!
• Just lemme have a cig between classes, man.
• Can we get some healthy food up in the LRC/Jamrich area? More than those
crusty little salads in Fieras? Can we put a salad bar where Starbucks used to be?
• When I first attended NMU in 2004 my tuition, room and board and other
expenses was just over $10,000 for the school year. 10 years later my tuition
alone is just under $10,000 a school year. The quality of education DOES NOT
REFLECT THIS!!!!!!!!! I have had professors who literally do not care about
teaching. I understand that this is one of the more "cheaper" schools but I seen
community colleges that cost a third as much as NMU have higher quality of
education. For some of the labs the equipment seems to be from the 1980's or
older, the health center smells like mold, your online research database is a joke
and the new Jamrich building has tables that are falling apart and not nearly
enough outlets (funny considering one of the selling points of NMU is the laptop
program). Also charging students a ridiculous amount for a refurbished laptop is
highway robbery. It's clear NMU is a business but as a paying "customer" I am
not satisfied.
• If the mp/ den say they will be open tell 8 they should stay open tell 8..Not shut
down all of the food options. some of us can not get to the MP before 7:30 and yet
there is nothing to eat, because they clear everything away..that is a waste of meal
swipe.
• I enjoy living and learning on campus and am having a good experience with
professors and peers.
• 1. The whole thing with being able to call medical services when a friend is
having a drug/alcohol caused emergency saves lives and should be protocol
everywhere. 2. A few houses in the res halls should be dedicated to different
gendered roommates living together.

- The wifi connection in the dorms is really bad and the laptops that are given to the
students have a lot of problems that need to be worked out.
- Why does the school do nothing about the black football players who live in
halverson and actively act as a gang and beat people up rape people and harass
individuals for their own enjoyment im appaled by the begavior and response of
the school towards these people
- I was not sexually assaunted myself but a good friend of mine was. His accuser
lied, was proven to have lied by police, and yet HE was forced to move out of his
hall. He was fired from his on campus job, and she continues to refer to him as
"the rapist" despite the fact that he was proven innocent. Tell me, why does he
have no protections whatsoever? People like her are the reason women stay silent
when they're raped. And males falsely accused of such a hanus crime should have
the right to press equal amd opposite charges of defamation amd filing a false
police report. Your response was apalling. She moved out if the building, and he's
still not welcome back. Thanks Mary Brundage. Also, smell of marijuana should
not be grounds for probably cause. NMU's public safety can't tell a joint from a
cigarette if it hit them upside the head, and i've been harassed for "reeking like
pot", and when they violated my rights by searching my, they found nothing, and
they never found a report, or apologised. It's not my fault my girlfriend smokes
cigarettes, and you are ignorant officers.

- I wish that there was more options for drop in fit
ess.
- Library hours should be better. It's insane for the library to be closed Friday and
Saturday nights after 7PM, it's like NMU is promoting drinking and partying.
This was the biggest frustration for me throughout all of my years of attending
this school.
- More should be done about smokers. I have seen many people smoking on
campus despite the tobacco free policy and I am not happy about this.
- The snow piles need to be reduced- it's a visibility hazard for both students
crossing and drivers
- I find people smoking near the crosswalk behind the Jamrich Building that goes to
the Summit St/Center St apartments. I try to ignore it, but personally I don't like
the smell of the smoke and I don't want to breath it in. Do they have to be so close
to the crosswalk? It's annoying.
- My biggest concern is not enough parking on campus, I think the green space
should be another student/commuter parking lot.
- Use salt instead of sand like everywhere else. The sand gets everywhere and its
annoying!!! And it doesn't even help! Just makes everything dirty
- I am a Senior here at Northern and was so excited to attend school here in
Marquette. I loved the logo "Northern, Naturally" Its almost exclusively why I
became interested in applying to Northern. The university suffered the backlash of
changing the title without student opinion and learned a hard lesson that cost
them. To show blatant disrespect to us and our voices was extremely
disappointing as a student here. I am a Sustainability major who was among the
many students devastated in learning that not only were the new Jamrich
receptacles deceitful, but the recycling program is almost entirely a sham. Even for those who could care less about recycling and sustainability couldn't look past the cut corners and lies NMU orchestrated in the "appearance" of a responsible and respectful university. I used to brag about my school and now I am embarrassed to claim it. Money, greed and laziness has created a bad infrastructure here at NMU I hope to see improved upon. I represent Northern well. Its time Northern made the initiative to represent me well in return.

- My biggest problem is the parking on campus. I live in Harvey and have to leave 30 minutes before class so I can find a parking spot on campus. I have had to park off campus before because I couldn't find any parking spots.
- I completely understand the no smoking policy on campus, however it would be nice to have at least just one, or two designated smoking areas on campus. I feel that if people went to those areas to go smoke a cigarette, they were dispensed there cigarette butts in a proper container/trashcan. A vast majority of the students and faculty on campus are adults and should be able to do what they would like, in regards of using tobacco products in a responsible way.
- I feel as though, for safety reasons, it should be permissible for students without a parking pass to park in student lots for night classes. It's dark and slippery and can be scary and anxiety-inducing to walk a long distance to one's car after class. And not everyone can afford a parking pass.
- Mostly how dramatic, negative and annoying the NW is this year.
- I am upset with the policy if removing food from the mp. I have a constant meal plan, but do not have time to come back to get lunch. There should be a way for me to choose my own food and take it out in a reusable container. I would be willing to show the food and swipe my card again. I understand that campus does have the "On the Go" program, but it is a hassle and is wasteful.

- More snow days? jk
- No
- The North Wind's article about the FOIA papers is like a toddler throwing a tantrum because they need a nap. Blown out of proportion.
- IF guns wont be allowed can Tasers? i feel even tossing a lighr snow ball might deture the psycho from bothering me.
- Give higher status students better parking spots
- The sidewalks are a serious issue in the winter. I walked to class in the fall semester and could tell exactly where the school sidewalks began because there was a line between the safe sidewalks and the school's icy, snow covered sidewalks. If the city can take care of many miles of sidewalks, why can't NMU?
- The smoking ban is absolutely ridiculous. Instead of people hanging out around the door, you have people 'sneaking' cigs and throwing their butts everywhere. Should be a few designated smoking areas so people won't continue trashing NMU.
- Sand all walkways, they are always very slippery
• need another coffee shop - maybe science buildings and have sandwiches, salads, bagels, muffins, etc
• The hours for the cafeterias on campus are not conducive to a young adult/university campus lifestyle.
• It should be optional to live in your dormitories. They are way too expensive to be mandatory. Living situations should not be controlled by the university. At 18 years of age, we should have the choice of where to live regardless of the type of education we want to pursue.
• Does #18 include student-professor relationships? #31 -- how are these overly sensitive and easily intimidated journalists planning to get a real job?
• The appliances here are awful, if we aren't allowed to cook in our room atleast give us a decent kitchen. The laundry machines here ruin my clothes.
• Freshman should have to park on designated lots again because the close lots are always full and it's very annoying
• Haven't eaten at any of the eateries on campus due to price. I understand convenience on campus ^ price, but pretty ridiculous.
• You should probably fix the asbestos problem in the buildings you're forcing students to live in.
• Snow removal at all campus entrances. This needs to improve.
• Corruption in administrators.
• Snow removal is often inadequate due to the time restraints the facility workers have to remove it.
• When all of the schools surrounding nmu are closed, classes should be cancelled. Driving conditions were very dangerous this morning, but i could not skip class because we had an exam. Risking lives is not worth it.
• The tobacco free policy should be abolished. I did not make the decision to finish my education at 29 to be treated as though I am in high school and have to hide something that I have the legal right to do. I find it strange that a university promotes and accommodates alcohol consumption which directly effects one's ability to gain a good education and yet bans tobacco which has no negative impact on it. If our health is really the most important thing than implementing infection control policies would make much more sense and the benefits would reach well beyond the campus since germs are carried with while secondhand smoke is not. It is disgusting going to class and having everyone coughing and sneezing all over you. Not to mention the number of people I have witnessed not washing their hands after using the restroom. Schools are germ factories yet I have only seen two signs reminding people of the importance of good hand hygiene on campus but there are posters, signs, and decals spread across the entire campus reminding people that it is a tobacco-free campus?
• There needs to be another place to buy coffee. I don't have 45 minutes to stand in a queue of fifty students to spend $5 on a coffee at Starbucks.
• Not sure if this is campus life, but if NMU's app had a way to look at webmail that would be nice.
• They need to clear the sidewalks before all the students walk and pack the snow down to make ice. The sand doesn't work all that great and if it was clear before
the first classes then the ice issue would be reduced. I'm talking like snow plow to the concrete.

- Recycling is great, keep it up. I wish the smell of food wasn't wafting into the library making me hungry. More vegan food options. Wifi is great thank you
- For transfer students, I think it would be more beneficial for them if the university made information about getting involved more accessible.
- As a commuter a snow day does not always take in to consideration the condition of the roads or visibility.
- Student Travel Fund needs to do a better job of budgeting its finances. This year and many others have seen the Student Travel Fund overspend in the fall semester and begin the winter semester without the resources that student organizations rely on to ensure that they may provide their expected services and experiences. They should also track who requests money, when, and how much, and give precedence to organizations that may operate in a class format. The students who enroll in them should not be punished with added costs due to the university's failures.
- 1. Beautify campus with sculptures and plants (Seriously, Tech has a sweet Husky statue and we have grass) 2. Clear snow efficiently 3. Better event publicity/posting areas/something 4. Snow day consideration crew sucks (I walk to school over a mile and have gotten mild frostbite twice) 5. Better public transport for students around town 6. More Northern Pride! Not just athletics either, but statues, flags, etc. in the academic mall? Something to spruce it up, especially in the colorless winter. Can I get a big wildcat statue? A giant N? Something, man.
- I think there needs to be support groups for students experiencing trauma or grief. I have lost 2 family members this year and think I would benefit most from peer support because at this point I feel alone. I can't figure out how to connect with my peers anymore and I feel like a support group would be a huge help.
- I'm worried that parking will always be an issue. I'm concerned for the "Natural" environment on campus I'd like to see a rekindled interest in putting more plants and landscaping into our campus. I wish the University worked more closely with community and non-profit agencies like the United Way. And if they already do that I'd like to hear more about how the University helps the community that it resides in. I'd also like to see the professors become more well-trained on the new technologies the campus is bringing students. It completely detracts from a class when the distance students are broadcasting the noises in their homes and the professor has to stop class to tell them how to mute their mic. That happens at least once a week and is really distracting. The other thing I hate is when instructors can't use the software/hardware in the classroom, this includes their own laptops. It's completely distracting and it makes me question the capacity of the professor when they fail to work their own equipment during the class time. I feel like I am held to a high standard during class presentations and if I had to conduct myself like half of the computer illiterate professors that I've had I would fail my presentations regularly. It shouldn't be that much to ask that the teaching staff learn how to operate their equipment before they actually teach the course.
- You should be able to use your parking pass on any vehicle. My car breaks down in the winter and I'm forced to use another one. I pay $140 to be able to park on campus, I should be able to use it on another vehicle if need be.

- I can't find nutrition information for Fieras food anywhere online. I also feel in general that NMU is doing a lot to attract new students and not a lot to keep the students that already attend. All the new re-branding stuff is nice but I don't think it's reflected in actual day to day university life for me. My classes are in older rooms, with old desks with the attached chairs and no outlets. I wish NMU would spend some money to update classroom furnishings to make NMU really match the image it's trying to project.

- FIX THE NORTH WIND or cut their funding

- Limiting how much food we can get at the mp on an "unlimited" meal plan is ridiculous

- I love NMU as my new home. Maybe add some more green/sustainable aspects of campus life. Thanks PEACE

- Get rid of attendance policies that lower grades for absences - I was injured in a car accident today due to such a policy. Safety should come first, and though I understand what professors are trying to accomplish, it can be very dangerous.

- I have no concerns related to campus life but I do have a suggestion. I think the MP should have to-go boxes at all times of the day for the students who don't have someone to eat with and are not comfortable eating alone.

- If all area schools are closed, and police are asking motorist to say off the roads. Northern should be closed for everyone's safety. Its just plain being a prudent member of the community. Asking thousands of students to commute through dangerous conditions shows disregard for Marquette's emergency services and the students well-being.

- -No 24-hour section of library or study hall accessible for students -Public Safety is overzealous in ticket-writing -Counseling services are often overbooked. Adding more counselors to the staff would likely be a good thing.

- You really need to have someone evaluate the environmental studies program it is unorganized and the professors are teaching extremely overlapping material. Amongst other problems. I am unable to pinpoint.

- If "public safety" is supposed to be concerned about the safety of the public, Why are they so reluctant to call a snow day? I'm a commuter and am forced to choose between my safety and missing class. I'm not just looking for a day off, I'm looking for the "public safety" to take in account all students and think about the general safety.

- Availability of counseling services for students who have experienced sexual assault.

- No

- Just the ranking officials for NMU's admin. I hope those clowns get fucking fired for being negligent when it comes to the student body. NMU is extremely sub-par in what it provides to students and someone needs to be held accountable.

- If public schools are closed in the Marquette Area Northern should really consider closing as well. Students are commuting from all areas around Marquette County and Students have Children in School what are they supposed to do during these
situations but miss class, when all northern could do is help its students out!!!!!!!!!!

- I strongly believe in all the policies that the university has but I don't feel they are being enforced enough for example the tobacco free policy and just parking in general
- N/A :)
- No
- Not Enough Parking
- There needs to be TV's in the Marketplace again
- nope
- I think the NMU Bus should make a stop at Public Safety upon request. It goes that way for Jacobetti anway.
- None
- There are not enough recycling bins in/on the academic mall. It is difficult to recycle materials, especially in McClintook, TFA, and West.
- I feel that the sidewalks in the winter are one the biggest things that could use improvement. In the summer/fall there are always people mowing, weeding, doing lawn care, etc., and we don't have to worry about that stuff in the winter, so why can't the same amount of time be spent clearing the sidewalks? We spend just as much time in the winter months up here, so I don't understand why there isn't as much care-taking being done.
- There is nothing wrong with Starbucks. There are a LOT of other places on campus to sit and drink coffee if you don't like Starbucks. If its Stone Creek coffee that you are craving, EVERY NMU dining location serves it. This is another example of the NW creating unnecessary drama. NMU is a place of business and they are going to promote NMU such as having sports that people want to watch like hockey, offering majors and programs to recruit students and having a name brand coffee place that was founded...yes, by an alumni of NMU. WOW!! What great support by NMU.
- Greater commitment to environmentally friendly practices
- I support the funding of a short bus for those who cannot park properly.
- 2/12/15 Should've been a snow/cold day. I have acquired a mild case of frostbite (frostnip; it'll be fine in a day), and I know of many commuters who either couldn't drive or drove and got into accidents. Your move Northern.
- I think the school needs more knowledge on LGBT issues, especially judging by some of the questions on this survey. Cisgender and transgender are not gender identities. They indicate whether or not a person identifies as the gender they were assigned at birth. Also, sexual and romantic orientation are not the same thing. For example, I am asexual and panromantic.
- Living on campus for two years should not be required. It's fun freshman year but by the second year it is too much to be in a 12x12 room
- I think it was dumb to waste the money from students on the boot cover things to make people not slip when barely anyone could even receive them and even fewer people knew they were available. Honestly, I'm disappointed in how ASNMU has been run since I have been a student at NMU. There are a lot of problems on the
current board that aren't being talked about because the people who are power hungry don't listen to the opinions of others. I am friends with numerous people on ASNMU and I never hear anything good from them about the committee or things it is doing.

- The sidewalks are ridiculously dangerous.
- Retain avid professors. Dismiss the lethargic.
- Wish it was easier on single parents :( 
- Need more time to decide whether to withdrawal or to stay enrolled in my classes. One week is not long enough, at least two would be adequate. Three would be preferred.
- Not related to campus life, but i do believe that there should be more notice taken to bad weather for commuters. I've heard many horror stories of spinning on the road and going in the ditch. if roads around Marquette are being shut down i do not think classes should be scheduled.
- Need a study area-waiting area in McClintock. Every other building has an ample place to study between classes. McClintock you have to sit on the cold tile-there is not even an area with chairs.
- The wildcat den needs more gluten free options.
- I am concerned with NMU's criteria for closing campus due to winter weather advisories. When there is a significant risk for commuters and people who bike/walk from off campus, there may in fact be good reason to close campus until conditions improve.
- There needs to be more responsibility put on advisors to do their job correctly. I had 4 classes with my advisor, 5 meetings within the last 5 years, and when I met with him he did not know my name and thought I was a freshman. This was disconcerting because I am in my 5th year and had more than 50 interactions with my professor/advisor. Do I even matter to this school or am I just another paycheck?
- I strongly dislike the fact that there's now only one easy-access coffeeshop on campus. I do not have a meal plan, and Starbucks gets very expensive. I want Stone Creek Coffee back. I also feel that the administrators are focusing too strongly on the rebranding campaign and the focus is moving away from people who are already students here.
- I am very concerned about the inclusive housing policy. I feel a small group of people are being catered to at the expense of my conscience. There is a right and a wrong in the deciding of this issue and those deciding should patiently and wisely consider their conclusions.
- I don't think there is enough commuter parking. Especially during the winter when the lines aren't visible and people don't park as well.
- I believe there is a number of seniors that do not care for this school as in they are simply going through the motions to gain a degree and not trying to be more involved academic development of themselves and academic development to the university itself. I am not afraid to admit I am one of those seniors that has found little hope in where my degree will take me as well as finding little inspiration in the school I attend. I believe my little inspiration is drawn from the fact my degree is not offered anymore (grandfathered in). It is a degree that spans across three
departments so I feel I truly have no "home" department and it is now that I understand why such a degree program was disbanded. I had the choice to change to a new curriculum but in my young age I choose to stick it out. My mistake completely but I never knew I could create my own degree or realize my degree was essentially a bad title. A bad title as in if i stated it to an employer ("environmental sciences/ physical concentration") that tells you nothing compared to maybe a biology degree with an emphasis in water ecology. the second degree has no grey area it is a biology degree in water ecology. Env. Sci. with a physical concentration explains?? You tell me because I have yet figure a good way about explaining it. So I realize what I have done wrong and it is many more things than just not changing my degree that I find no comfort in. This negative attitude has its most profound effect on the individual as once they reach this negative outlook to college they feel no need to: be involved in academic life; go the extra step to show their instructors they want more than just a degree; and may ultimately inhibit them from wanting to graduate with their "useless" degree. (which is just more $$$ to the University and furthers the cascade of why am i here, where is my money going, ie. negative remarks) This negative attitude is analogous to quicksand, the harder you try( to stay positive) the deeper, or quicker, you sink (back to a bad attitude). Now with such outlooks in mind it is ultimately up to the individual student to make his/her decision on how they are going to accomplish their college goals and pursue a career. A worry is declining enrollment at this school. I've heard it is down nationwide among colleges. Enrollment is due to many factors. If you have students walking past orientation groups with there head down and not looking all that happy that shows potential students what their "future" college career could look like at a university. For me I want to tell those orientation groups to not choose this school, sinister yes, I would never actually do that because my choices have played a heavy roll in my negative attitude towards this school. Orientation groups is a very minor reason (if a reason at all to consider) for a decline in enrollment. I think another decline is due to the attitude some seniors may have upon leaving. If you have a population of the student body not appreciative of what the college can potentially provide then these students turn to their younger friends and family away from the school they have heard so negatively about. Maybe one should look to their seniors that have bad attitudes and instead of treating them like the bad students their degree audits suggest, treat them like the student with a 4.0 and try to inspire faith in what they have poured so much time and money into. Everyone has some desire they wanted to accomplish in college but many find college is where you lose that desire to dream. I highly doubt thats what the administration wants Northern to be viewed as. "A place where students stop dreaming." And I wonder if I would think such things if I attended another school or is this a common trend among schools that are more or less like NMU in terms of type of people that attend here and amount of people that attend here. I will leave you with my probably more-confusing-rant than actual constructive comment with one example that, to me, expresses the mentality of many NMU students I have met, not just those involved in the story. Some friends and I were walking on third street on our way to the ore dock. It was homecoming week. NMU was versing MTU in football.
that evening. The game must of been over because as we trotted up third street a taxi driver slowed his car and shouted to us "hey who won the game?!", the three or four of us all startled by this question answered with the same statement, "What game?!", the driver just drove off giving us a laugh it took us another block of walking to realize it was homecoming and he was asking about the NMU / MTU game. I feel this showcases how much school spirit "thrives" at this university.

- If any of these projects you ask of are going to result in a raise in my tuition again, don't even fucking bother.
- Alan Kerr and Roy Owensby are hot
- My biggest concern is that the freshman can park wherever they want. I feel that the freshman lots are there for a reason and should be used accordingly. I do not agree with the mixed parking standards we have right now. I believe that the closer lots should stay designated just to the sophomore and upperclassmen.
- Please open the meeting rooms in Jamrich by the atrium on second floor (above the lecture hall 1100 entrance). If students are allowed to use them and there is actually a process to checkout the rooms, please put a sign up that instructs students on the process for checking out or reserving those rooms.
- Not canceling school when the weather is bad
- Now that I commute, I think it was inappropriate for classes to be held when many main roads were closed due to extreme weather conditions. When government weather sources advise against driving, students should not be expected to risk their safety to attend classes.
- The abuse of power by University faculty.
- The plowing situation needs to be resolved
- I strongly support gender inclusive housing in the residence halls, I think we are adults and should be able to chose who we want to live with regardless of gender. We are required to live on campus for the first two years and this would make it easier to comply
- Can we get the plows into the parking lots a lot more often than they already are? Snow is constantly happening here, and I'm kind of tired of digging my car out of my university parking spot, or not being able to park in a spot due to the amount of snow that is in it.
- Commuting students should get a lot more respect when the roads are icy and its snowing sideways outside. Not only do I risk my life to drive to class when the roads are awful but I also have a small child that I have to bring to daycare when the roads are dangerous. The argument can be made that it is my choice if I come to class or not however, classes dont just stop (unless cancelled) if I am not there. I wouldnt want to sacrifice my good grades but at the same time I wish when considering snow days/cold days commuting students were thought about a lot more.
- The no smoking policy is NOT working. I see cigarette butts in the paths and on the sidewalks ON campus. I see people smoking on their way to class and I can smell it. There needs to be more enforcement on this issue.
- WHY IS THE DEN NOT OPEN ON WEEKENDS. MP IS A LONG, COLD, DARK WALK FROM WEST.
• Yes! I am a commuter. Today is Feb 12th. NMU was not cancelled today - all other schools in the area were closed. Several roads were closed ((m28, front st) I have a test today so I did not feel it was an "option" whether I could go to class or not. NMU's cancelation policy should be clear.

• Increase the time between classes as 10 minutes is not enough to walk to 2 different classes on opposing sides of campus. Many professors have warned of this and I know of students who have dropped classes because they didn't have the time to make it to class. Also, please offer more sections of popular classes. It is expensive to attend school and the massive chaos and race to get required classes is inefficient and unfair to paying students.

• I (as would my friends) would really love it if the waffle makers were able to be used during dinner time at the MP.

• I have had multiple incidents with Dr. Marty Reinhardt and so have other students and staff. He is a very angry person who is openly racist to white students. He has badgered and insulted other staff as well to the point of them wanting to leave or did leave. I personally have told everyone I know to avoid him and the center for native studies as much as possible. He has had students feel threatened enough that they felt if they did not escape the class room that they would have to fight their way away from him. I can only imagine what will happen in the future if this is not dealt with and I am glad I am leaving NMU.

• I believe that we could improve our sustainability by implementing composting and campus gardens

• My top priorities are the icy side walks and the parking situation. I should not have to park 10 minutes away from my dorm when I am returning, especially as a junior. I've also fallen several times just this semester. The side walks are a safety hazard and need to be addressed.

• there needs to be more parking and the parking permits need to be cheaper. also the sidewalks need to be plowed quicker...i hate having to walk through the deep snow on the sidewalks.

• Students need to be more informed about projects for the university examples with new buildings and areas that are worked on and paid with tuition that is paid by the students.

• The parking is absolutely terrible

• I would like to be able to cross Wright Street without getting mowed down and I think it's absolutely ridiculous that the people who schedule the plowing of apartment lots do so once a month beginning in FEBRUARY. ABSOLUTELY ridiculous.

• Carolyn Lawrence in Disability Services is amazing! She always goes out of her way to accommodate me for my classes and is a fantastic resource on campus. Also, I think the Starbucks contract is no big deal. You can’t buy a Coke on campus because of NMU’s contract with Pepsi, so who cares that the main coffee shop on campus only has Starbucks? Everywhere else still serves Stone Creek. Plus, Howard Schultz is actually an NMU alumni, so I think it makes perfect sense to have a Starbucks on campus. Why all the Starbucks hate? Why all the administration hate? There are so many people who come to work every day doing their best to serve students and genuinely care about their well-being. So
sad. I am disappointed in ASNMU and the North Wind, who claim to put student issues first but are really just looking to create controversy where there is none. Shame on you.

- Follow through with smoking ban
- That NMU doesn't care about the safety of their students who drive to school. The weather up here is sketchy at best in winter and the fact that roads are closed and some students are not able to go to class because of this they do not care. They need to think of all of their students and not just the ones living on campus
- Mainly the safety of students with not having adequate plowing and sanding/salting of the sidewalks, especially for those who use crutches, walkers, wheelchairs, etc. and also the lack of parking ON CAMPUS, not at the peif where students would have to walk to campus in questionable weather (especially in winter!!); I should not have to risk parking in staff parking for a 9 AM class because there are no spots available that early in the morning.
- When every school in the county is closed along with two highways and we stay open? I find that to be midly disturbing. I mean what the hell do you really need a sufficient amount of complains to understand that the commuters are doomed? Think a little more next winter.
- NMU would benefit by building at least two multi-level parking garage on campus, as there are many commuter students that have to park a good distance away and other students who have no space in their designated lots.
- Fuck P-Safety
- More parking. And weather like today we should not have class (2/12/15). White out conditions, several accidents, and I do not feel comfortable driving to class knowing those two facts.
- Questionable ethics of various professors, questionable actions of the financial aid department in regards to students fafsa
- The need to plow and salt side walks better.
- Sidewalks tend to be very slippery and although I have not fallen this year, it is difficult to cross campus. The plowing is not kept up on during big storms and parking gets extremely difficult especially for those without fourwheel drive. Not enough consideration is given to students who commute to NMU in terms of weather conditions. This morning the highway was barely plowed, slippery, with less than five feet of visibility. It was near impossible to go over 30 mph in a 55 mph zone. It is understandable that we need to get the most out of our education but those who drive almost 30 miles to get to class in fear of losing grade points for not attending, it is really not worth risking lives. I've lost a best friend this past year in a car accident and will not accept another loss.
- The gluten free food service here is terrible and I have complained many times, but nothing is ever done.
- I do have concerns regarding the quality of the MP food but there's nothing ASNMU can do about that.
- Why is there no text books available for review for students who can not afford them at the library. (not for check out, and not all of them can be available. This is understood) We get computers but we can't even RENT a book from the store on
our NMU accounts. Northern has more power to come after dept than credit card companies do. So some of use have to choose between finding our housing or buying books? I STRONGLY DISAGREE! Something should change.

- Question 21 is poorly worded, I can't tell which response is in favor of having a freshmen only parking lot and which one treats all students the same. I don't think freshmen should be penalized for this being their first year at NMU
- I strongly believe that freshmen should have designated parking areas again.
- Snow days. Use them.
- Nope.
- Snow days need to be called for dangerous conditions. Today, 2-12-15 I know of three people first hand who got into accidents on the way to school, as well as myself who had to go into a snowbank to prevent from hitting someone else. M-28 is closed and police are saying to stay off the roads, there is no reason that NMU should be putting its students in this much danger. I personally had two tests today and missing class was not an option, so I almost totaled my car and injured myself in the process of driving here in town.
- NMU's stubbornness to cancel school when the roads are terrible for commuters puts many, many people in danger. Also, on days like today 2/12, when M-41 and M-28 are closed, it makes it nearly impossible for them to get here, which is not good practice in my opinion.
- I think this survey was inappropriately designed and a ridiculous waste of my time. None of your questions had anything to do with each other, and your answers were not placed in a way that made sense. If you choose to do "campus wide" surveys in the future, please have different sections that address different things. The Bookstore and sexual assault have nothing to do with each other, and take away from the overall effect.
- North Wind: I'm sick of the FOIA stuff. They're acting like the Enquirer (stalking people's homes). Didn't see anything on Prez investiture/ski hill/youtube in the paper. They're not showing a healthy balance of views & ideas--painting all "the man" as the evil Empire (yes, geek reference).
- commuter students have different concerns that residence life students, especially older students with other responsibilities
- Please support Greek life instead of talking down on it. This is an opportunity that needs to be widely available to all students.
- I wish greek life was more recognized and supported
- We need another commuter lot, there is enough faculty lots and not enough commuter
- It's very upsetting to have a lack of support from campus for the Greek Community. We want nothing but the success of NMU but in return we have 0 help. We never ask for anything we plan events to help the campus over all but receive negative remarks
- The poor clearing of sidewalks on campus is a joke amongst students. If its sunny and there is a perfect time to remove the slush, the plows never utilize the good weather. They seem to wait until it freezes again. Throw down some salt before a student breaks their neck. I was able to slide from the library almost half way
down the hill in just my boots one day. Build some new parking lots or reassign some. Others are empty when the lots that I can actually park in are always full.

- The parking sucks.
- No
- Greek life gets put down a lot, it's disrespectful.
- Parking tickets huge issue!!
- Promote Greek Life instead of pushig it under the rug, we do a lot for the school that most of campus isn't aware of (ie late night at the pief, philanthropies, etc)
- People are still smoking even though it's a tabaco free campus
- People who don't directly live on campus have no idea about campus events....
- I would love to have the TVs in Jamrich display activities information like posters do. The TVs are larger and therefore more noticeable.
- With the mobile app survey I took a while back, I wanted to add the suggestion of including an easier way to get to school email.
- this is a great survey and i am surprised it has to be shared over facebook and that the university did not support it...
- We need public safety to slow waaaaaay down and stop busting people for non-violent crimes
- I wish that dorm life wasn't so horrid. The programing sucks, the RA's/RD's don't have enough money to run decent programing. Most doors are closed and honestly I'm really done hearing kids having sex next to me. I also wish that the culture on this campus was actually active!
- No
- I feel that there needs to be more tunnles and sky walks, with campus being in such a cold area I feel that attendance suffers due to lack of warm walking paths.
- The think the computer program needs to be re evaluated. Computers are technologically outdated after two years. And not supplying students with new computers, as contracted when I came to this university is irresponsible and not just to the students. I also do not think students should be charged every semester for a computer program that gives out only one computer in 4 years, with no other options.
- As a practicing Catholic my religious beliefs regarding homosexuality have been classified as being hateful and people have used this to discriminated against me. How is the university protecting my freedom of religion when they allow this form of reverse discrimination?
- Many of the bike racks on campus are either buried behind snow piles or are the covered vertical ones which are very difficult for the average person to use by themselves.
- Please let men and women live together whether or not they are married. If we are old enough to collect debt, drink and live away from our parents, we should be allowed to decide who we live with.
- There need to be ash cans at the popular off campus destinations near dorms for smokers. Throwing cigarette butts on to the ground is unacceptable.
- The wifi in the dorms sucks! Last year I called the helpdesk and Telecom about it. They did nothing. About mid fall semester, I called again. It was to the point
where I could barely do my online homework. They gave me a wired connection (which defeats the purpose of having a laptop). It was good until this semester. Now the wired connection is slower than the wifi, and I still have trouble doing my online homework.

- There should be a blue emergency light put into the far parking lot by Magers and the Woodland apartments, it’s dark and secluded.
- The housing requirement is terrible, and it's the reason I'm transferring next semester. I’m paying way too much to have zero privacy and repulsive food.
- The parking lot in front of jamrich should be a designated all handicap parking lot. I also think that food allergies should be made a bigger deal out of. The non smoking ban ought to be better policed. My other concern is the crosswalk lines and the arrows in parking lots need to be repainted
- North Wind sucks and should do some real reporting.
- There should be more parking for students that commute. Faculty have too much parking spaces and they never fully fill their lots.
- -Some of the questions on this survey are misleading or slanted. -Why did none of the survey questions target ASNMU?
- I question the motives of the administration and am unsure if they have the best interest of the students based on their poor treatment of the north wind. It's sad when those reporters are just trying to do their job and report the news they discover and the administration is trying to censor them and not give information and also utilize forms of intimidation to get what they want. It's a sad day when a public university is treating students this way.
- Daily PEIF pass prices have gone from $6 to $10, for what? I don't agree with this.
- Just a comment on your options for gender. Someone who is transgender should not have to check a transgender box. If they identify as female, they are female. If they identify as agender for example, they are agender and can tick the 'other' box. But including the transgender box means that you think that being transgender makes someone different from male or female and should thus not tick the male or female box. Having male, female, other (please specify) is sufficient. Also, cisgender should NOT be included. It is redundant. If you want to include a question on gender identity, transgender and cisgender can be included there, but in a question about gender alone, transgender and cisgender do not apply. I hope I am saying this clearly. In essence, a transgender person should not be forced to click 'transgender' and thus give up their opportunity to identify as male or female. And including cisgender really does not make sense. There are some great articles online in case you need further information on why your gender question needs revision.
- Plow the parking lots for the residence halls more frequently and better. Plow the sidewalks better and sand or salt them better. Salt is more effective than sand is.
- Clean the walk ways more and the parking lots
- The food here is not up to standard. There should be 3 eating places so that the 2 already operating aren't so busy all the time. The area between VA and Hunt, and Majors/Meyland would be an appropriate location. Also I should not be getting sick off of the food here.
The university should change its ordinances concerning firearms to align with state law. This would NOT allow firearms in classrooms and dormitories as these places are already precluded by state law. It would allow trained/licensed individuals over the age of 21 who have already undergone an intensive background investigation to legally carry a concealed firearm while on university property. This is especially important given that firearms fall under state preemption as stated in MI act 319 of 1990 which states: "A local unit of government shall not impose special taxation on, enact or enforce any ordinance or regulation pertaining to, or regulate in any other manner the ownership, registration, purchase, sale, transfer, transportation, or possession of pistols or other firearms, ammunition for pistols or other firearms, or components of pistols or other firearms, except as otherwise provided by federal law or a law of this state." As such the university's ordinance banning the possession of firearms on ALL university property IS ILLEGAL and needs to be change. I feel that only reason it has not yet been challenged in court is that students, such as myself, do not have the time or funds to peruse such a case. As such, I feel it is the duty of ASMU to bring these concerns to the attention of NMU.

- the governance of ASNMU and their ability to provide for student needs concerns me - no student center - negativity towards administration

- Wifi signals cannot be held anywhere on campus. I really debate about sending my phone data overage bill to telecom because the 2 times they tried fixing my wifi they just made it worse to the point I cannot connect with my phone at all

- how to park in the winter. Gender inclusive housing would only work well in apartments. I'm an RA and I would HATE it in the dorms.

- Stop arresting us

- Seriously the North Wind sucks. They need to stop bashing my school.

- Make select on campus apartments co-ed. I would love to still live on campus but I also enjoy living with my boyfriend.
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CONSTITUTION OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY
Preamble
We, the students enrolled at the Marquette campus of Northern Michigan University, in order to provide for democratic self-governance, to insure the preservation of student rights, to take action in the best interest of the student body and university community, to provide an official voice through which student opinion may be expressed, and to promote the academic, social, and cultural well-being of all students, hereby establish the legislative assembly, executive, and judicial branches of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.

Article I - Legislative Branch

1. Legislative Assembly
   The legislative powers of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University shall be vested in the Assembly.

2. Membership
   The Assembly of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University shall consist of representatives based on the following criteria:

   A. Academic Representatives
      i. One representative per academic college
ii. One General university programs representatives
iii. Additionally, for each 1,000 students enrolled in the above College and General Program areas, one additional representative will be added for that College or General Program.
iv. Population numbers will be gathered and used from the Fall semester of the current academic year during which the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University elections are held.
v. In the event of a decimal fraction for representation, using the formula outlined above, the number will always be rounded down.

B. Residence Representatives
i. One Representative shall be elected to represent students residing in Quad I and II (Gant, Spalding, Halverson, Payne) Van Antwerp, Hunt Halls, Magers, Meyland.
ii. One Representative shall be elected to represent students residing in Quad II (Van Antwerp, Hunt, Magers, Meyland)
iii. One Representative shall be elected to represent students residing in on-campus apartments.
iv. One Representative shall be elected to represent students residing in Magers, West, Meyland, and Spooner Halls as the up campus representative.
v. One Representative shall be elected to represent students in off campus housing.
vi. Additionally, for each 850 students residing in the above living areas, one additional representative will be added for that residence.
vii. Population numbers will be gathered and used from the Fall Semester of the current academic year during which the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University elections are held.
viii. In the event of a decimal fraction for representation, using the formula outlined above, the number will always be rounded down.

C. Chair of the Assembly
i. The Assembly is required by during the first official session of the fall semester to elect a Chair of the Assembly. The President of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University must also approve the Chair.

3. Vacancies
A. A vacancy shall occur when a member informs the Assembly in writing of his/her resignation or is removed from office. Vacancies shall be filled through the appointments committee an application and interview process, followed by approval of three-fourths of the Assembly.

4. Rules and Procedures of the Assembly
A. Quorum: A quorum consisting of a majority of the Assembly's voting members shall be necessary to conduct all formal business. Vacant positions shall not be considered a part of the total voting membership for purposes of establishing a quorum and other voting requirements.
B. Parliamentary Authority: The rules contained in Robert's Rules of Order (Newly Revised) shall govern the Assembly in cases in which they are inconsistent with this Constitution and its Bylaws.

C. Minutes: Minutes shall be taken at all Assembly proceedings. These minutes shall be considered public and available upon request.

D. Meetings: Meetings of the Assembly shall be held no less than every other week during the Fall and Winter Semesters when classes are in regular session.

E. Voting: Each Representative shall have one vote with the exception of the Chair of the Assembly who shall be a non-voting member of the Assembly. In the event of a tie, the Chair of the Assembly shall vote.

F. Presidential Executive Privilege: Each member of the executive board President of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University is entitled to a time period of no less than five minutes at the beginning of the Assembly's meeting to address the Representatives.

5. Committees
The Assembly shall assume authority on behalf of the student body to establish standing and special committees, as it deems necessary. These committees may be created or abolished by a two-thirds vote of the Assembly. Committees are created by the approval of a committee charge and membership roster.

A. Committee for Appointments Appointments Committee
i. At its first regularly scheduled meeting of the Fall Semester, the Assembly shall choose from among its voting members, four representatives to sit with the Vice-President on a Committee for Appointments Appointments Committee.

ii. This committee shall recommend students to fill all appointed positions and vacant positions under the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University. Students recommended for appointment by the appointments committee shall require majority vote approval of the Assembly.

B. Elections Committee
i. An elections Committee shall be formed annually to handle all Associated Students of Northern Michigan University student body elections and referendum.

C. Student Affairs Committee
i. The Student Affairs Committee is a permanent standing committee of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University. All representatives serving from residential constituencies shall sit on the Student Affairs Committee.

D. Academic Affairs Committee
i. The Academic Affairs Committee is a permanent standing committee of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University. All representatives serving from Academic Colleges and the General University Programs shall sit on the Academic Affairs Committee.
E. **Student Finance Committee**  
   i. The Student Finance Committee is a permanent standing committee of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University and will be chaired by the Treasurer of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University in accordance with Article II, section 3 of this Constitution.

F. **Other Standing Committees**  
The members of all standing committees under the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University must be approved by majority vote of the Assembly. Each standing committee may interview candidates to fill vacancies on their respective committees and present their recommendations to the Assembly for approval.

G. The Associated Students of Northern Michigan University Assembly and Executive Council Board shall establish new committees, as it deems necessary. The members of all standing committees under the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University must be approved by majority vote of the Assembly.

6. **Authority of the Assembly and its Members Representatives**  
   A. The Assembly shall assume authority on behalf of the student body for developing legislation. In the development of such legislation, each representative shall attempt to take into consideration the wishes of his/her constituents.

   B. The Assembly may recommend to the Northern Michigan University Board of Trustees by three-fourths approval, a revision of the student activity fee, to be assessed upon all students enrolled at the Marquette campus, provided the student body has approved a referendum concerning the fee. This fee shall be collected as specified in the Bylaws.

   C. The Assembly may override a presidential veto by a three-fourths majority vote, providing the vote to overturn occurs within two weeks of the original veto by the President.

   D. The Assembly shall have the power to regulate and conduct all Associated Students of Northern Michigan University elections.

   E. The Assembly shall have the power to insure the existence of a student judiciary system and to periodically evaluate its effectiveness in reference to Constitutional, Bylaw, and student government review.

   F. The Assembly shall have the power to create or abolish special or standing committees by two-thirds vote of the assembly.

7. **Chair of the Assembly**  
   A. The Chair of the Assembly serves as the official Parliamentarian of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.

   B. The chair of the Assembly facilitates the Assembly’s meetings by ensuring that proper procedures are followed.
Article II - Executive Branch

1. Executive Council Board
   The executive power of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University rests with the Executive Council Board of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University. The Executive Council Board shall consist of the President, Vice-President, and Treasurer, and Secretary of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.

2. Powers and Duties of the President
   A. The President is the official head of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University, and as such speaks for the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.
   B. The President of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University shall serve as the chair of the Executive Council Board.
   C. The President or his/her designate shall serve as the official representative of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University and be a member ex-officio of University and ASNMU committees, with the exception of the Elections Committee, established under this Constitution, Bylaws, or under the executive decree.
   D. The President may call special sessions of the Assembly if he/she they deems it appropriate to the functioning of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.
   E. The President shall call for the determination of an election schedule.
   F. The President may veto any legislation passed by the Assembly within two weeks from when action was taken. The President must submit in writing to the Assembly his/her their reasons for the veto.
   G. The President has the power to recommend policies to the Assembly at the beginning of each semester and periodically thereafter. This must be in the form of a written report.

3. Powers and Duties of the Vice-President
   A. The Vice-President shall serve as the chair of the Executive Council Board in the absence of the President.
   B. The Vice-President shall assist the President in the execution of his/her their duties.
   C. The Vice-President also serves as Chair of the Appointments Committee. The Vice-President has the sole authority to approve appointments to University and ASNMU committees.
   D. The Vice-President shall succeed to the office of President in the event of a vacancy in that office.

4. Responsibilities of the Treasurer
   A. The Treasurer shall be appointed by the President.
   B. The Treasurer of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University will also serve as the Chair of the Student Finance Committee.
   C. The Treasurer shall prepare and present to the Assembly and Executive Council Board a detailed request for the Associated Students of Northern
Michigan University Operating Budget for the Fall, Winter, and Summer Sessions.

D. The Treasurer shall maintain an accurate, up-to-date ledger by line item for all expenditures from the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University Operating Budget.

E. The Treasurer shall present a written report of all expenditures and the present balance by the line item at each regular meeting of the Assembly and Executive Council Board.

F. The Treasurer shall have unlimited access to all records of financial transactions involving the Student Discretionary Activity Fund.

G. The Treasurer shall be privy to all findings of any audit report involving the Student Discretionary Activity Fund.

5. Responsibilities of the Executive Secretary
   A. The Secretary shall be appointed by the President.
   B. Records and preserves all minutes of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.
   C. Maintains a record of the actions taken and correspondence received by the Undergraduate Student Government and the Student Assembly.
   D. Maintains and executes the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University’s record keeping policies.
   E. Publicly maintain and update the Constitution and Bylaws electronically which shall be printed upon request.

6. Powers and Duties of the Executive Council Board
   A. The Executive Board shall meet no less than once a week during the Fall and Winter Semesters when classes are in regular session.
   B. The Executive Board shall assist the President in the execution of his/her function.

7. Vacancies in the Presidency and Vice Presidency
   A. In the event of removal, resignation, incapacity, or extended absence of the President, the elected Vice-President shall assume the office of President.
   B. In the event of removal, resignation, incapacity, or extended absence of the Vice-President, the vacancy shall be filled by Presidential appointment and is subject to confirmation by a three-fourths vote of the Assembly.
   C. In the event that both the President and Vice-President are removed, resign, or otherwise vacate their offices, the Assembly shall choose from among its voting members a President and Vice-President who shall assume the roles of the Executives.

Article III- General Provisions
The Associated Students of Northern Michigan University are furthermore governed by the additional:

1. **Requirements and Qualifications**
   Only persons who meet the following criteria shall be eligible for membership in the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University, Subcommittees and appointments to other University committees:

   A. Must be registered for six or more credit hours during the Fall and Winter Semesters on the Marquette campus of Northern Michigan University.
   B. Must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.0.
   C. Must be free of any form of University imposed Disciplinary Probation, as defined in the Student Handbook, part 2-Student Code, 2.7-Sanctions, imposed through the University's judicial process.
   D. Associated Students of Northern Michigan University members must live in their constituency or be enrolled in their constituency during the Fall and Winter Semesters of their term of office.
   E. ASNMU Judiciary members are exempt from *Constituency requirements*.
   F. Executive Council Board for the purpose of constituency requirement must be enrolled on the Marquette campus.

2. **Election Requirements**
   A. The President shall set the timeline for annual elections. in accordance with Article II, section 2, letter F of this Constitution.
   B. Australian ballot shall elect all representatives of Associated Students of Northern Michigan University from their constituencies during the general elections.
   C. General elections shall be held no later than two weeks prior to the end of the Winter Semester on a date set by the Elections Committee with the approval of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.
   D. The Associated Students of Northern Michigan University shall assume office no later than one week following the election and shall serve until the next Assembly assumes office in the next academic year.

3. **Impeachment and Removal**
   A. The President, Vice-President, members of the ASNMU Judiciary and Assembly representatives shall be liable to impeachment for misconduct and neglect of office.
   B. Any member of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University and ASNMU Judiciary may bring impeachment charges through their respective branch before the Assembly. Upon a three-fourths affirmative vote of the Assembly, the charges will be referred to the ASNMU Judiciary. or other comparable student judiciary.
   C. Upon conviction by the members of the ASNMU Judiciary or other comparable student judiciary, the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University or ASNMU Judiciary member charged shall be removed from office and forever
be banned from service in any form in Student Government and any committee or position of appointment granted by the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.

D. The Chairperson of the Assembly, Treasurer, and Affairs Chairs may be removed by a three-fourths affirmative vote of no confidence by the Assembly, without the need of Impeachment and review of the ASNMU Judiciary.

4. Advisors
   A. The Advisor(s) for Associated Students of Northern Michigan University shall be appointed nominated directly by the President of Northern Michigan University.
   B. No less than one Advisor must be appointed by the second week of the Fall Semester.
   C. The ASNMU President has the authority to approve or deny any nomination(s) for advisor.

5. Referendum
   A. Referendum of the ASNMU Constitution and Student Activity Fee shall take place no less than every two years.
   B. The sole authority to call a referendum is a privilege of the President of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.
   C. Any referendum administered by the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University may be called at any time by the President of Associated Students of Northern Michigan University, and approved by a three-fourths majority vote of the Assembly.

Article IV - Judicial Branch
1. ASNMU Judiciary
   A. The judicial responsibility of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University shall be vested in the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University Judiciary.

2. Membership and Eligibility
   A. Eligibility requirements of the ASNMU Judiciary shall be in accordance with the provisions of the ASNMU Constitution and subsequent Bylaws.
   B. The ASNMU Judiciary shall consist of five members. Each member will be appointed by the President of ASNMU, followed by approval of three-fourths of the Assembly. Judiciary members’ terms are up two academic years.
   C. The membership of the ASNMU Judiciary shall pick a Chair during the first official session of the ASNMU Judiciary in the fall semester.

3. Vacancies
   A. A vacancy shall occur when a justice informs the Chair of the ASNMU Judiciary and the President of ASNMU in writing of his/her their resignations or is removed from office. Vacancies shall be filled by Presidential appointment and approval of the Assembly of ASNMU.
B. If no presidential appointment is approved by the Assembly by the third regularly scheduled meeting following the resignation of an ASNMU Judiciary member, the Academic Affairs chair and Student Affairs chair may collectively submit one name per ASNMU Judiciary vacancy as a nomination.

4. Rules and Procedures

A. Quorum: A quorum consisting of a majority of the ASNMU judiciary members shall be necessary to conduct all formal business. Vacant positions shall not be considered a part of the total voting membership for purposes of establishing a quorum and other voting requirements.

B. Meetings: The Chair shall call sessions of the judiciary if he/she deems it appropriate to the functioning of the ASNMU Judiciary. Meetings shall grant no less than five minutes for both the plaintiff and the defense to present their cases.

C. Voting and Opinions: Each judiciary member shall have one vote, with the exception of the Chair. The Chair shall vote only to make or break a tie. The chair shall provide a written opinion of the judiciary. These opinions shall be considered public and available upon request.

5. Powers

The ASNMU Judiciary shall have final jurisdiction in the following areas:

A. The constitutionality of any action taken by the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University and its committees.

B. Questions concerning the qualifications of any member of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.

C. Interpretations of the Constitution of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.

D. Appeals of complaints lodged with the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University Elections Committee concerning elections and referendum.

E. The ASNMU Judiciary shall be responsible to swear in all members of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University.

Article V - Student Rights

1. Students shall have the right to Shared Expectations of our University as outlined in the student code, which includes but not limited to:

A. provide courses taught by knowledgeable faculty who are effective teachers;

B. provide academic resources which support the teaching and learning processes;

C. make available clear information about majors, program requirements, courses offerings, etc.;

D. offer courses at sufficient frequency and times to encourage timely completion of degrees or programs;

E. offer good value for students’ dollar spent;
F. maintain a safe, clean, friendly and civil environment, free from harassment and discrimination; and,
G. encourage student involvement in University governance.

2. Students shall have the right to clearly defined means to participate in the formation of University policy affecting academic and student affairs, including representation on University committees. Students shall have the right to submit statements to university committees.

3. Students shall have the right to clear and understandable Official Requests, as defined by Student Code Section 2.3.5, from University officials. Students may protect their rights by verifying the legality of requests.

4. Students shall have the right to access all Associated Students of Northern Michigan University’s public records.

Article VI- Constitutional Provisions
A. Amendments to this constitution may be proposed by a majority vote of the Associated Students of Northern Michigan University Assembly or by petition of ten percent of the qualified voters.
B. Having been approved by a simple majority of those votes cast during the referendum election, the proposed amendment shall be presented to the Board of Trustees.
C. The ASNMU Constitution must be ratified by approval of the simple majority of student votes cast during referendum.
D. The ASNMU Constitution shall be available to students on the ASNMU website and in paper form. The Constitution will be updated online on an annual basis by the Director of Information Technologies and paper copies shall be reprinted as deemed necessary by the assembly.
E. The Associated Students of Northern Michigan University is an autonomous body whose existence is guaranteed at Northern Michigan University.

Approved by the Board of Trustees of Northern Michigan University on September 26, 2014.