

COSAF Comments

Student Activities and Services Initiative (SASI)d

COSAF Meeting: December 4, 2020

On December 4, 2020, following the final SASI presentation, COSAF voting members provided the below written comments for each SASI recipient .

Intercollegiate Athletics

So long as ICA continues making itself a space for student athletes to do what they love, their use of the SASI fee comports with its intended goals. The fee increase seems reasonable. Though ICA should strive to minimize programming costs since it makes no sense for it to be going up by almost \$260,000 during COVID-19. Otherwise, I would expect a decrease in expected allocation once ICA fully resumes post-COVID.

Intercollegiate Athletics presentation was very transparent and straightforward. I also appreciate their ability to maintain having student employees during this time.

I appreciated the commitment to transparency and frugality in expenses. Great examples were selected. Thank you!

It wasn't clear why there will be a hike in student salaries. I assume that no travel and fewer games will require fewer student managers and other student staff members.

Intercollegiate Athletics are good stewards, and we need the good feeling that sports bring, but I would still like to see how other revenue resources can support Athletics in lieu of students paying to support athletics.

I agree that the SASI fund regarding intercollegiate athletics, as mentioned, is an integral part of the D1 status and maintaining current operating conditions and expenses.

I'd like to say thank you for clarifying and distinguishing the differences between Intercollegiate Athletics (and the use of the SASI fee) and Physical Education. I have no other comments and thank you for the presentation, and to Kevin, I hope you have a wonderful time at Golf Canada back in Toronto.

I always appreciate how straightforward and transparent ICA is. I was happy to hear the detailed explanation on how some of the losses are being balanced out by cut in costs.

As usual, their presentation was informative and clear. I would recommend making the information about live streaming games more widely available! Also, look into virtual fan options for games!

Very informative

Sensibility in budget is incredible.