# Fairmont State University Board of Governors- Enrollment, Housing & Student Life Committee Wednesday, January 31st at 2:00pm

## Hardway 219 and Teams

## **Meeting Minutes**

Present via Teams: Jennifer Kinty, Jay Puccio, Dr. Dianna Phillips

Absent: Wendy Adkins, Jason Pizatella, Olivia O'Connor

Present: President Michael Davis, Jon Dodds, Dr. Gina Fantasia, Jason McCoy, Christa

Kwiatkowski, Cheryl Lewis, Dr. Heath Howard, Jeremiah Kibler, Spencer Flanagan, Selina Spiker,

#### Call to Order

Jay Puccio called the January 31st Enrollment, Housing & Student Life Committee meeting to order at approximately 2:03pm.

### **Enrollment Updates**

Alicia Kalka presented the current Spring 2024 and Fall 2024 Enrollment PPT to the Board.

- YOY 1<sup>st</sup> time FT Student Retention- slight increase
- 2023= 396 students to 2024= 433 students
- Future YOY Data will include Transfer Students and Readmitted Students
- Exceeding internal goal for new student population= 262 students
- Marketing Campaigns to encourage enrollment
- Dip in total head count for Spring 2024 enrollment
- Streamlined application processing processes to increase enrollment and student satisfaction
- 01.26.2024 2,363 applications submitted to be accepted into university
- Applications up 2% and submitted applications up 9.5% for Fall 2024

#### **Housing Updates**

Alicia Kalka presented the current Spring 2024 and Fall 2024 Housing PPT to the Board.

- Growth and strength in housing assignment number of students
- 626 students committed to on campus housing for Fall 2024

## **Student Life Updates**

Alicia Kalka presented the current Student Life PPT to the Board.

#### Student Life

 Associate Director Justin Rader and Director Spencer Flanagan programming to help retain students and keep them actively engaged on campus

## Additional Informational Updates

- Marketing Initiatives (URM and Student Success)
- 1. All outgoing communication now personalized
- 2. Radio ads in local and metro areas
- 3. Traditions Scholarship
- 4. Presidential Scholarship (WV only)
- Student Success Department General News
- 1. MLK Day of Service
- 2. Day at the Capitol
- 3. Spring Career Fair—Sponsorship Opportunities
- 4. On the Road! Recruiting across states and in WV
- 5. Tina Shaw- Alumni Relations and ECDC
- 6. Maroon & White Day

#### Adjournment

Jay Puccio adjourned the meeting at approximately 2:55pm.

Jay Puccio, Committee Chair

Date