



Trent Durham Student Association

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Meeting: BOARD MEETING			
Date: July 6th, 2022.		Time: 12:00pm	
Place: Zoom			
Members in attendance			
Phuong Nguyen President	Viviana Pinheiro VP of Campus Life	Anthony Coulter VP of University Affairs	Naya McRae-Ntawiha Chair of the Board
Riley Ambrose	Victoria Osso	Andrew Rose	Samantha Martin
	Ganga Rajesh	Ehima Osazuwa Executive Director (Non-Voting)	
Members absent with regrets			
Andrew Rose			
Members absent without regrets			
Shudhita Kohl			

1.	Call to order – 12:04pm
2.	Land Acknowledgement - Presented by the chair McRae Ntawiha
3.	Roll Call
4.	Chair Remarks - Chair will send out the when2meet fo the next meeting - Chair asks board members to update her on their comfort level at Board meetings
5.	Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes - June board meeting Motioned by Ambrose, seconded by Coulter

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Passes unanimously
6.	<p>Approval of Agenda</p> <p>Motioned by Ambrose, seconded by Osso</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Passes unanimously
7.	<p>Declaration of Conflict of Interest</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - None
8.	<p>Finalizing the new TDSA stance regarding the overturning of Roe vs. Wade</p> <p>Coulter went over the draft of the stance</p> <p>Nguyen: Do we want to have the word 'overturning' twice in the same sentence?</p> <p><i>Nguyen, Ambrose, and Coulter went over suggestions on how to edit that sentence.</i></p> <p>Ambrose: It doesnt seem like abortion is a threat in Ontario. By saying this it implies that abortion is under threat in Ontario.</p> <p>Ambrose: If we mention people who give birth, do we need to mention women and transgender people?</p> <p>Nguyen: I like to name them</p> <p>Ambrose: Should we say including women and transgender people?</p> <p>Nguyen: Yes</p> <p>Ambrose: Back to my original point, is it necessary to include Ontario in this statement. Do we have evidence to back up the claim that abortion is under threat in Ontario?</p> <p>Nguyen: I dont have any sources to back me up, but I can pretty confidently say their are anti-abortion people in Ontario.</p> <p>Ambrose: Do we think the right to abortion should rely on the right to privacy? Or do we think it goes beyond that.</p> <p>Nguyen: That makes sense to me. I am fine to cut that out. The right to healthcare and reproductive care is the main thing.</p> <p>Ambrose: I don't think there is a need to include every single case in this. People who give birth should have all of these rights.</p> <p>Nguyen: I agree, the whole point is to give choice to all and protect reproductive rights.</p> <p>Ambrose: Do we want to specify which of the bursaries?</p> <p>Nguyen: I left it vague so that they can use any of the bursaries. I am pretty sure you can get a pregnancy test at the grocery store - so someone could use the grocery assistance bursary for this.</p> <p>Ambrose: Beyond the TDSAS bursaries, are there any other resources that the TDSA can offer? Or do we want to suggest people go to Trent counselling.</p> <p>Nguyen: We can add a line that says that the TDSA can help you navigate these resources.</p>

	<p>BIRT the Board of Directors approves the TDSA stance on access to reproductive health-care.</p> <p>Motioned by Coulter, seconded by Pinheiro</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Passes unanimously
9.	<p>Adjournment at 12:49pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Agenda was exhausted