

OAKLAND UNIVERSITY

ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP MEETING

July 13, 1965

PRESENT: Messrs. G. Brown, Crowder, Dutton, Eklund, Hammerle, Hetenyi, Hough, Matthews, O'Dowd, Stoutenburg, Varner.

ABSENT: Messrs. Atkinson, McKay, Sells, Swanson.

Mr. Hammerle indicated his concern for the action of the Senate regarding variable credits and the change in University course requirements. He asked that a moratorium be placed on the curriculum until such time as the current problems are resolved. Mr. O'Dowd said that this would be a first order of business with the Senate in the fall.

Mr. O'Dowd stated he would like to see the University catalog carry a statement specifically listing those majors that can be obtained in eight semesters. He said the University is paying a premium dollar for instruction in certain majors because of small enrollments, and the University must review this situation in the near future.

Mr. Dutton described the new Health Center facilities being planned in dormitory #6. He also announced that the Health Center hours will be doubled for the coming school year (8:00 a.m. - 12:00 midnight Monday through Friday).

Mr. Brown announced that the Admissions Office has 754 deposits for the fall semester. This is an increase of 104 over this date last year. Further, he stated that 390 new students have sent in deposits for the residence halls.

Mr. Hough announced that Mr. Neal VanderVoort from the Industrial Labor Relations Department at MSU is now on campus and will be housed in the Economics Department. Mr. Hough then described briefly Oakland University's research program in Pontiac on the economics of poverty. This research is being supported by a grant from the Economic Development Program.

Mr. Eklund informed the group that the Meadow Brook Music School student orchestra will play concerts in Hazel Park and Pontiac, and there are contacts being made to arrange a program in Detroit.

The 1965 Continuing Education Study Skills enrollment is 135 students. 34 of these students are living in college housing.

The Mott Foundation Women's Program will begin about October 15.

Mr. Varner reported the latest information from the Council of State College Presidents re: The Unified Budget. At the last meeting it appeared that the College Presidents were working together in a surprisingly harmonious manner.

On August 6 the Appropriation Committee of the State Legislature will visit Oakland University to examine our future building needs in order to make a recommendation to the Legislature for funds.

The cornerstone for Matilda R. Wilson Hall is tentatively scheduled for 12 noon on October 19.

Meeting adjourned.

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