Meeting Agenda

- IMPNF Filing Update
- Student Behavior Plan
IMPNF Filing Update

- Early September Filing Date Delayed
- Conducting studies of options for:
  a) Undergraduate Housing
  b) Parking Garage/Tennis Center
  c) Fine Arts Complex
Student Behavior Program

► Comprehensive Plan In Place
► Recognized by Mayor Menino and the City as a Model for other Universities
► Evaluating and Strengthening Student Behavior Initiatives with Internal and External Constituencies
► Planned Increase in On-Campus Housing
Boston College Representatives

► Office of Governmental and Community Affairs
  ▪ Community Assistance Program (CAP)
    ▫ Off-Campus Student Community Liaison

► Boston College Police Department (BCPD)

► Vice President of Student Affairs
  ▪ Office of Dean for Student Development (ODSD)
    ▫ Interim Dean of Students
    ▫ Office of Alcohol and Drug Education
  ▪ Office of Residential Life
    ▫ Off-Campus Housing Services
  ▪ Counseling Services

► First Year Experience

Student Behavior Program
External Representatives

► Boston Police (District 14)
► Newton Police
► Brighton District Court
► Boston Inspectional Services Dept. (ISD)
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► Boston and Newton Landlords
► Rental Agents and Property Managers
► Community
► Elected Officials
Office of Governmental and Community Affairs

► Bill Mills, Director of Community Affairs
  ▪ Coordinates BC’s Response to Community Concerns about Student Misconduct
  ▪ Supervises the Community Assistance Program (CAP)
  ▪ Accompanies Local Police on Site Visits to Problem Houses

► Conducts Annual Student Behavior Meeting
  ▪ BC Administrators, Local Police Depts., and Brighton District Court Officials

► Hires Boston Police Patrols on an Overtime Basis
  ▪ Paid for by Boston College
  ▪ Thu-Sat evenings, holidays, and other high-activity dates from 8 p.m. to 4 a.m. to respond to off-campus complaints
  ▪ Frees up police for higher priority calls

► Works with landlords, property managers and ISD to Resolve Student Behavior Issues, Housing Problems, and Sanitary Code Violations
Community Assistance Program (CAP)

► Off-Campus Student Liaison: Steve Montgomery
  ▪ Proactive Site Visits
  ▪ Community Patrol
  ▪ Response and follow-up to complaints received by BCPD, Boston Police, and Newton Police.

► Hours of Operation
  ▪ Friday and Saturday evenings, holidays, and other high-activity dates from 9 p.m. to 3 a.m.
  ▪ Expanded Hours start Fall ‘07, Thursdays from 9 p.m. to 3 a.m.

► Contact Information – Neighborhood Complaints
  ▪ Thurs - Sat: Call BCPD at (617) 552-4440
  ▪ Mon - Wed: Call Office of Govt. & Community Affairs at (617) 552-4787
Boston College Police Department
► 53 Sworn Officers
► EMT Qualified
► In addition to On-Campus Responsibilities
  ► Supports Newton and Boston Police
  ► Works in Conjunction with Community Assistance Program
  ► Will Participate in Team Policing: Walking Patrol by BCPD, Boston Police, and Community Student Liaison
► Contact: 617-552-4440
Vice President of Student Affairs

► VP Vacancy – Ongoing University Search

► Campus Task Force on the Reduction of Alcohol-Related Problems
  ▪ Develop policy, increase consistency of enforcement, and decrease alcohol use on campus
  ▪ Increase alcohol-free late night programming and create safe traditions around athletic events and holidays
  ▪ Coordinate educational efforts, and increase the effectiveness of intervention and treatment services

► Office of Residential Life
  ▪ Train Residential Directors (RD) & Assistants (RA)
  ▪ Enforce On-Campus Alcohol Delivery Ban
  ▪ Off-Campus Housing Services
    ▪ Annual August meeting with Landlords, ISD, and Boston Police

Student Behavior Program
Office of Dean for Student Development

- Interim Dean of Students
- August Off-Campus Student Behavior Letter
  - Reinforces Expectations for Behavior
  - Emailed to Off-Campus Students
  - Mailed to Parents of Off-Campus students
- Conducts Mid-September Meetings with Off-Campus Students
- Conducts Meetings with Student Organizations
- BC Safe
  - Mandatory program designed for first-year students.
  - Boston College Police and b.l.u.e. Peer Educators present a program on safety and wellness issues
Office of Dean for Student Development

► Enforce Student Code of Conduct

► Notify parents in writing of student disciplinary/judicial matters.

► Impose Disciplinary Sanctions
  - Attendance in Alcohol Education Programs
  - Participation in Community Service
  - Community Restitution
  - Probation, Suspension, or Dismissal from the University
Office of Dean for Student Development

► Off-Campus Student Living Guide
  ▪ Distributed door-to-door by Community Liaison
  ▪ Explains Off-Campus Student’s Rights and Responsibilities
  ▪ Details Disciplinary Actions for Potential Misconduct

► Nights on the Heights
  ▪ Fun-Filled Alternative to Off-Campus Parties
  ▪ All events held on Friday or Saturday nights between 9 p.m. and 2 a.m.
  ▪ Substance-Free
  ▪ Free of Charge
  ▪ Free Snacks

Karaoke Night
Board Games
Live Music
Mega Bounce
Movie Night
Extreme Bingo
Dance Revolution
Trivia Night
Alcohol and Drug Education

► Assistant Dean, Alcohol and Drug Education

► BC Campus Community Partnership Initiative (BC CCPI) formed in 2006
  - Coalition comprised of BC administrators, city officials, landlords, property managers, local police, and community
  - Aimed at addressing alcohol related student behavior issues in the neighborhood
Alcohol and Drug Education (cont’d)

- Prevention
  - AlcoholEdu Program (Freshmen Requirement)
    - Motivates behavior change
    - Resets unrealistic expectations
    - Links choices about drinking to academic and personal success
    - Helps students practice healthier and safer decision-making
  - b.i.u.e. (be.live.understand.educate) Peer Educators: Student group who promote climate of good decision making and healthy choices concerning alcohol and relationships
First Year Experience

- Orientation Program for Freshmen and Transfer Students
- Program Reinforces Behavioral Expectations and Addresses Underage Drinking
- District 14 Captain and Community Service Officers Address Group Regarding Student Behavior
Communication with Captain King and Community Service Officers
- Attend Annual Student Behavior Meeting
- Site Visits with Boston Police to problem houses
- Cops in Shops

New for Fall ‘07
- Increased Police Presence for Fall Move-In
- Aggressive Enforcement / Zero Tolerance Policy
- Team Policing: Walking Patrol by BCPD, Boston Police, and Community Student Liaison
- Targeted areas: Gerald Rd, Foster St, Lane Park, Radnor Rd, Lake St, Kirkwood Rd, Greycliff Rd, Cleveland Circle
- Donated Two Bicycles for Boston Police Bike Patrol in Allston-Brighton

Student Behavior Program
Brighton District Court

▶ Ongoing Communication with Presiding Judge, the Clerk of Courts, and the Probation Officers

▶ Court Staff attends Annual Meeting to Discuss and Review Judicial Matters regarding Student Behavior and Court Sanctions