



WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY

BOWLING GREEN, KENTUCKY 42101

Office of Associated Student Government

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Resolution 88-10-S
Unicorn Pizza and Theater open on weekends
Introduced 4/19/88

PURPOSE:

For Unicorn Pizza to be open on Friday evenings, Saturday afternoons, and Sunday afternoons for one semester. Also, for the on-campus movie theater to show movies on the weekend during the afternoons and one early showing on Saturday night for a trial period of one semester.

STATUS:

WHEREAS,

Currently Unicorn Pizza is closed from 4:00 p.m. on Friday until 6:00 p.m. on Sunday. The movie theater is closed all day Saturday and Sunday, and

WHEREAS,

Keeping Unicorn Pizza and the on-campus movie theater open would be convenient for all students especially those who do not have cars to go elsewhere, and

WHEREAS,

Western is trying to encourage students to stay on campus during weekends in order to change Western's reputation of being a "suitcase school". By keeping these facilities closed, students are actually discouraged to stay on the weekends, and

WHEREAS,

By having a trial period of one semester, Western would not risk taking a large financial loss if these facilities are not used as much during the weekends as they are during the week, and

WHEREAS,

One important reason for the on-campus movie theater being closed on the weekend was so that it would not compete with Nite Class. However, by having an early showing from 7:00- 9:00, the movie would actually draw people in the Downing University Center and possibly help Nite Class, and

WHEREAS,

In a recent survey taken this year by the Legislative Research Committee results show that 79% of the students wanted these to be open on weekends.



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THEREFORE,

Be it resolved that we the concerned members of the Associated Student Government of Western Kentucky University propose that Unicorn Pizza should be open on Friday evening, Saturday afternoon, Saturday evening, and Sunday afternoon for one semester. Also, that the on-campus movie theater should show afternoon movies on weekends and on Saturday nights for a trial period of one semester.

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