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Canvas questions. OIT will be extending its helpdesk hours until midnight Sunday through Thursday and until 9 pm on Fridays and Saturdays. Current hours are through 9 pm most days and closed on Sundays.

- b. Other senators mentioned the fact that we have students across multiple time zones and around the world, and that we will be expanding our online programs. VP Fleming acknowledged that support demands will continue to increase. Senator Kelton suggested an MSU chat line hosted during the off-hours and a possibly cheaper measure to provide more hours of support.
- c. The DVD sunset issue will be discussed at a subsequent meeting.
- d. Legal has developed a new field trip form. It is being reviewed and they will speak at the next meeting.
- e. A pedestrian crossing sign will be posted between the back and front Bond lots. Putting up lights is a more complex issue that is under discussion. Dangerous crossings at Panzer and the train station will be brought to Roger Solomon's attention, as will missing tiles/cobblestones across campus.

**IX. Student Affairs Council Report – (Allen) – No report**

**X. NAL Report (Benfield)**

- a. Some union members volunteered at a food bank
- b. Senator Benfield will be leaving at the end of the year. He has enjoyed the job and it has been an honor to serve.
- c. Statewide negotiations will be beginning soon and preparations are underway.
- d. The 8% increase for Rutgers faculty is a complicated, 4 year deal. They do not negotiate with the state in the same manner as MSU.

**XI. Constitution Committee Report (Mengara) – Motion to Amend the 1995 Constitution – Third Reading**

- a. Senator Mengara distributed a guide of proposed amendments reorganized into substantive and subsidiary amendments. It was a summary of previous discussions, but caused some confusion.
- b. Questions were still raised as to the process of how motions and amendments will be voted on.
- c. A request was made to receive formal motions that include the formal changes in the text and where they are located.
- d. President Collins stated that today's discussion counted as a third reading and the process of voting can begin at the May 13 meeting, which will begin at 2:00.

**XII. New Business**

- a. Three nominations were made for the Honorary degree committee: Senators Alvares, Kelton, and Gardin
- b. Issues from Campus Senators - None
- c. Voices from Campus Community – The adjunct union held its 4<sup>th</sup> annual awards dinner last week, honoring 7 adjuncts, 7ePrslydj1(w)-9i1(c)1v2 1.272-9(r)-Ard9m 6.652r2(m. )Tj-0.0aj-0551 1 Tf0 T9(-3())1-0.00-