WHEREAS, one of the primary duties of the Finance Commission is to hear and deliberate upon Special Allocation requests; and

WHEREAS, special allocation requests must satisfy these following conditions as mandated by our Bylaws: the allocation must be of substantial benefit to the university and/or community, it must be judged to be an extraordinary item, and the request must show an attempt to economize costs; and

WHEREAS, the Eau Claire Triathlon Club serves as the only organization on campus through which a student may collectively train for and compete in Triathlon events; and
WHEREAS, the Triathlon Club has shown substantial efforts of fundraising and collects annual dues of $30.00; and

WHEREAS, the club has contributed a portion of its fundraising earnings to the community; and

WHEREAS, an unexpected cost of $651.00 arose from the purchase of uniforms; and

WHEREAS, the entire trip to Temple, AZ for the six individuals to compete in the race will cost $2,289.65; and

WHEREAS, there will be approximately 120 universities at the Collegiate National Triathlon; and

WHEREAS, the Finance Commission voted 7-0-0 to approve the Special Allocation;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Student Senate allocate $800.00 to the Eau Claire Triathlon Club; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this $800.00 be transferred out of the Special Reserve Account; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that upon passage, President Fish transmit a copy of this bill to Dr. Gilles Bousquet, Interim Chancellor; Dr. Patricia Kleine, Provost/Vice Chancellor; Dr. Beth Hellwig, Vice Chancellor, Student Affairs; Dr. Brian Carlisle, Dean of Students; Dr. Susan Harrison, Chair, University Senate; Dave Gessner, Assistant Chancellor, Budget & Finance; Mark Reeves, Director, Budget & Finance; Dorothy Nelson, Budget Policy Analysis, Budget & Finance; and Jacqueline Kriesel, Accountant, Budget & Finance.