WHEREAS, THE University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire Student Health Service is imperative to student health and wellness on campus; and

WHEREAS, the Student Senate of the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire believes that student health and wellness is deserving of primary concern and attention; and

WHEREAS, the Student Senate in its 56th Session created the Student Health Services Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Student Health Services Committee was tasked with garnering student input on the future of the Student Health Services; and
WHEREAS, the Student Senate in its 57th Session created the Student Health and Wellness Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Student Health and Wellness Committee was tasked with providing recommendations to the Student Senate regarding issues of student health and wellness; and

WHEREAS, these ad hoc committees were established with similar overacting goals and intentions; and

WHEREAS, both committees were created as special committees per Student Senate Bylaws 9.05 and the Student Senate Constitution 3.04(B); and

WHEREAS, neither committee had a specified ending term of existence per Student Senate Bylaws 9.05 and the Student Senate Constitution 3.04(B); and

WHEREAS, it would be appropriate to combine these committees in an effort to create a more efficient committee system;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Student Senate combine the Student Health and Wellness Committee and the Student Health Services Committee; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this merged committee be named the Student Health and Wellness Committee; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this committee shall be a special committee under Student Senate Bylaws 9.05; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this committee will be tasked with acquiring and understanding information provided to it by Student Health Services and providing student input to the Student Health Services; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this committee shall be tasked with providing recommendations to the Student Senate on issues of student health and
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that matters of student health include, but not limited to, Counseling Services, Dining Services and Recreation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this committee must have at least one non-senator and one senator on it at all times and shall not exceed 11 members; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the committee shall hold meetings at the discretion of the chair; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chairperson of the Student Health and Wellness Committee will be the Student Body President, or their designee with approval by the Senate; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Student Health and Wellness Committee shall exist in perpetuity; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that upon passage, President Fish transmit a copy of this bill to Dr. James Schmidt, Chancellor; Dr. Patricia Kleine, Provost/Vice Chancellor; Dr. Beth Hellwig, Vice Chancellor, Student Affairs; Dr. Joseph Abhold, Dean of Students; Mitch Freymiller, Chair, University Senate; Dr. Martin Hanifin, Vice Chancellor, Administration & Finance; Laura Chellman, Director, Student Health Services; Lynn Wilson, Director, Counseling Services; Troy Terhark, Director, University Sports Facilities and Recreation; Charles Farrell, Director, University Centers; and Christian Wise, Blugold Dining.