WHEREAS, THE Athletics Department requested $4,850 on behalf of
University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire Men’s and Women’s Intercollegiate Ice
Hockey programs; and

WHEREAS, the Athletics Department’s request meets the four criteria to
qualify for a special allocation; and

WHEREAS, the rising fees of the Hobbs Ice Arena were unknown, thus
unable to be anticipated in the previous budget cycles; and

WHEREAS, the Athletics Department waited for a special allocation request
to ask for more money, because they wanted to be certain that the fee increase
would happen before projecting it in their budget; and

WHEREAS, the Athletics Department has been completely transparent with
the Finance Commission in predicting this unfortunate fee increase; and

WHEREAS, specifically, the increase is $115 per hour for ice rental to $130
per hour for ice rental; and

WHEREAS, funding this Special Allocation Request would provide support to our Hockey programs, which are a crucial part of our Athletics program; and

WHEREAS, the Finance Commission voted 12-0-1 in support of allocating $4,850 to the Athletics Department;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that Student Senate allocates $4,850 to the Athletics Department; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that upon passage, President Lauer transmit a copy of this bill to Dr. Brian Levin-Stankevich, Chancellor; Dr. Marty Wood, Interim Provost/Vice Chancellor; Dr. V. Thomas Dock, Acting Vice Chancellor, Administration, Facilities & Finance; Dr. Beth Hellwig, Vice Chancellor, Student Affairs; Dave Gessner, Director, Business Services; Scott Kilgallon, Director, Athletics Department; and Jodi Thesing-Ritter, Associate Dean of Students, Dean of Students Office.