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Re: Foggy Bottom Campus Plan Compliance Report

Office of Zoning:

Enclosed please find a copy of the University's Foggy Bottom Campus Plan report, as required under the 2007 Foggy Bottom Campus Plan (ZC Order No. 06-11/06-12).

This report will also be made publicly available to other interested parties on the University's website at [www.neighborhood.gwu.edu](http://www.neighborhood.gwu.edu).

If you have questions regarding the attached, please feel free to contact me at 202-994-6600 or at [oneila@gwu.edu](mailto:oneila@gwu.edu).

Sincerely,

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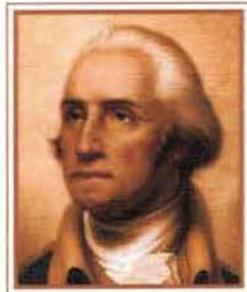
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**Foggy Bottom Campus Plan Compliance Report  
Foggy Bottom Campus Plan (2007)  
Zoning Commission Case Nos. 06-11 and 06-12  
as directed by Condition C-15**

**The George Washington University**

**November 20, 2011**

Foggy Bottom Campus Plan Compliance Report  
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**Condition C-4: Foggy Bottom Campus Student Population**

Condition:

*For the duration of this Plan, Foggy Bottom student headcount shall not exceed 20,000 students, and Foggy Bottom student full-time equivalent shall not exceed 16,553.*

a. *For the purposes of these Conditions,*

i. **“Foggy Bottom student headcount”** shall be defined as the number of GW students in the “Foggy Bottom/Mount Vernon Campus Total Student Body”, minus: study abroad students, continuous enrollment students, students that reside at the Mount Vernon Campus, students that take all of their courses at the Mount Vernon Campus, and Foggy Bottom faculty and staff accounted for pursuant to Condition C-5 herein who are also enrolled in one or more courses at the Foggy Bottom campus.

ii. **“Foggy Bottom student full-time equivalent”** shall be determined by assigning a fraction to part-time students included in the Foggy Bottom student headcount number based on the number of credits they are taking compared to a full-time course load and adding the number of full-time students. Currently, the full-time course load for undergraduates is 12 credits, and the full-time course load for graduate and professional students is 9 credits. Formulas for determining full-time equivalents may change over the term of the proposed Foggy Bottom Campus Plan depending on program requirements or the restructuring of the academic calendar.

b. An audit of the Foggy Bottom student headcount and Foggy Bottom student full-time equivalent reported pursuant to Condition C-15 herein shall be conducted in a manner and by a firm previously approved by the Zoning Administrator and reported to the Advisory Committee. The audit shall be completed by January 10 of the year following each report submitted pursuant to Condition C-15 herein.

c. Compliance with this condition shall be based upon the data reported for the most recent semester in either the Foggy Bottom Campus Plan Compliance Report required in Condition C-15 or in the Interim Foggy Bottom Campus Plan Compliance Report required by Condition C-16.

GW Response:

	Spring 2011	Fall 2011 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Foggy Bottom Student Headcount</b>	17,463	17,862
<b>Foggy Bottom Student Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)</b>	15,426	16,394

For the methodology for calculation of Foggy Bottom campus student populations see Attachment A.

Note 1 – Data as of the GW census date, October 8, 2011.

**Condition C-5: Foggy Bottom Campus Faculty & Staff Population**

Condition:

For the duration of this Plan, the Foggy Bottom faculty and staff population shall not exceed a total of 12,529 on a headcount basis, and 10,550 on a full-time equivalent basis.

- a. For the purposes of these Conditions,
  - i. **"Foggy Bottom faculty and staff headcount"** shall include: regular full-time faculty and staff; regular part-time faculty and staff; wage account staff that are not Foggy Bottom students accounted for pursuant to Condition C-4; temporary part-time faculty (excluding part-time clinical faculty who are not paid employees of the University); affiliated faculty employed by the Medical Faculty Associates; and visiting instructional and research faculty. For the purposes of these Conditions, Foggy Bottom faculty and staff shall not include faculty and staff whose primary office locations are not on the Foggy Bottom campus; employees of non-GW owned or controlled entities which are located on the Foggy Bottom campus; and contractors that provide ancillary campus-related service functions who are not employees of the University.
  - ii. **"Foggy Bottom faculty and staff full-time equivalent"** shall be determined by assigning a fraction to part-time employees included in the Foggy Bottom faculty and staff headcount number based generally on the number of hours worked as compared to the standard full-time 40 hour work week.
- b. Compliance with this condition shall be based upon the data reported for the most recent semester in either the Foggy Bottom Campus Plan Compliance Report required in Condition C-15 or in the Interim Foggy Bottom Campus Plan Compliance Report required by Condition C-16, whichever is the most current.

GW Response:

	Spring 2011	Fall 2011 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Foggy Bottom Faculty &amp; Staff Headcount</b>	6,609	<b>6,699</b>
<b>Foggy Bottom Faculty &amp; Staff Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)</b>	5,140	<b>5,169</b>

For the methodology for calculation of Foggy Bottom campus faculty and staff populations see Attachment B.

Notes:

Note 1– Data as of October 8, 2011.

**Condition C-6 and Condition 15: On-Campus Undergraduate Student Housing**

**Condition:**

*For the duration of the Plan, the University shall make available on-campus beds for full-time Foggy Bottom undergraduate students equivalent to 70% of the full-time Foggy Bottom undergraduate student population up to an enrollment of 8,000, plus one bed per full-time Foggy Bottom undergraduate student over 8,000. Compliance with this condition shall be based upon the data reported for the most recent semester in either the Foggy Bottom Campus Plan Compliance Report required in Condition C-15 or in the Interim Foggy Bottom Campus Plan Compliance Report required by Condition C-16, whichever is the most current.*

- a. *For the purposes of this Condition,*
  - i. *“full-time Foggy Bottom undergraduate students” shall be defined as follows:*
    - A. *Until the fall 2010 semester or until the completion and occupancy of the next University residence hall project proposed in accordance with the Foggy Bottom or Mount Vernon Campus Plans, whichever event first occurs, the term shall mean the number of students in the “Foggy Bottom/Mount Vernon Campus Total Student Body”<sup>1</sup> minus graduate students, first professionals (JDs and MDs), undergraduates taking fewer than 12 credit hours at the Foggy Bottom campus, non-degree students, full-time undergraduate study abroad students, undergraduate continuous enrollment students, and full-time undergraduate students accounted for under the Mount Vernon Campus Plan Order (BZA Order No. 16505), which does not differentiate between resident and non-resident students.*
    - B. *Once either of the above-described events occurs, the terms shall have the same meaning as above, except only full-time undergraduate students who reside on the Mount Vernon Campus plan will be subtracted from the “Foggy Bottom/Mount Vernon Campus Total Student Body.”*
  - ii. *The term “on-campus beds” shall include beds available to full-time Foggy Bottom undergraduate students in any property in which the University has an ownership, leasehold, or contractual interest, or beds otherwise occupied by full-time Foggy Bottom undergraduate students in fraternities, sororities, or other programs recognized by or affiliated with the University and located within the campus plan boundary.*

The University’s efforts with respect to this Condition shall be monitored by the Advisory Committee.

**GW Response:**

	Spring 2011	Fall 2011 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduate Students</b>	7,693	8,442
<b>On-Campus Beds Available to Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates</b>	6,578	6,708 <sup>2</sup>
<b>On-Campus Beds Occupied by Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates</b>	5,751	6,097

<b>University-Supplied Off-Campus Beds WITHIN the FB/WE Area</b>	803	809 <sup>3</sup>
<b>University-Supplied Off-Campus Beds WITHIN the FB/WE Area Occupied by FT Foggy Bottom Undergraduates</b>	353	364
<b>University-Supplied Off-Campus Beds OUTSIDE the Foggy Bottom/West End Area</b>	0	0
<b>University-Supplied Off-Campus Beds OUTSIDE the Foggy Bottom/West End Area Occupied by FT Foggy Bottom Undergraduates</b>	0	0

For the methodology supporting undergraduate student housing numbers see Attachment C.

**Notes:**

**Note 1 – Data as of October 8, 2011.**

**Note 2 - Based on the number of full-time Foggy Bottom Undergraduate Students, GW is required to make available 6,042 beds to full-time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates.**

**Note 3 - Of the university supplied off-campus beds within the Foggy Bottom/West End area, only 381 of these beds were available to undergraduate students in fall 2011 and spring 2011.**

**Evidence of Compliance with Condition C-8 (Off-Campus Housing Information Program)**

**Condition:**

*The University shall maintain a program to provide its students who are eligible to live off-campus with information about housing opportunities outside the Foggy Bottom/West End Area. The University's efforts with respect to this Condition shall be monitored by the Advisory Committee."*

**GW Response:**

Information regarding housing opportunities both within and outside the Foggy Bottom/West End area is provided on the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs website, as well as through the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs located in the Marvin Center.

The off-campus student affairs website can be found at: <http://gwired.gwu.edu/offcampus>.

For screen prints of current data on the Off-Campus Student Affairs website see Attachment D.

**Evidence of Compliance with Condition C-9 (Student Conduct Programs)**

Condition:

*The University shall use disciplinary interventions for acts of misconduct by students living off-campus in the Foggy Bottom/West End Area, even if the students are not in properties owned or controlled by the University. The University shall act on incident reports by residents, ANC 2A, community associations, building management, building association boards, University security officers, and the Metropolitan Police Department. The University shall maintain an outreach program with neighboring apartment buildings to education management companies and tenant associations on the University's disciplinary program and its reporting requirements to facilitate effective use of its programs. The University's efforts with respect to this Condition shall be monitored by the Advisory Committee.*

GW Response:

**All incident reports where students are identified are acted on through the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs and the Office of Civility & Community Standards. Responses ranging from warning letters and conversations to judicial charges and hearings have been implemented. The University's Code of Student Conduct treats off-campus violations with the same seriousness as on-campus violations (i.e., there is no lesser judicial charge for violations off-campus than on-campus). The Code of Conduct holds students to same level of accountability regarding charging and sanctioning regardless of their on or off-campus status.**

**GW representatives from the Office of Government & Community Relations and the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs regularly attend meetings of ANC 2A and community associations as requested. The University hosts "Building Managers Meetings" throughout the academic year in order to keep open the lines of communication between the University and properties where students reside.**

## **Evidence of Compliance with Condition C-10 (24/7 Hotline)**

### Condition:

*The University shall maintain and publicize (through appropriate written and/or electronic publications) a hotline available 24 hours per day, seven days per week to receive calls about student conduct issues and safety and security concerns. The University shall maintain a log of all calls received and all actions taken, including all referrals made. The University shall maintain its Crimes Tips Hotline (presently 994-TIPS), where calls can be made anonymously to a recorded "tip" line. Calls needing a more immediate response shall be directed to the University police (presently 994-6110) 24 hours per day, seven days per week. The University police will aid off-campus complainants in obtaining assistance from the Metropolitan Police Department. Reports of improper off-campus student conduct will also be referred to the appropriate University departments for their attention. This process shall be fully described on the University website, published catalogs, and student handbooks. The University's efforts with respect to this Condition shall be monitored by the Advisory Committee."*

### GW Response:

The 24 Hour Community Concern Hotline (202-994-6110) remains the best way for community members to bring GW-related concerns to our attention. The University is committed to being a good neighbor and working with members of the community to respond to complaints regarding student behavior both on-campus and off-campus. When a GW-related concern is reported by a member of the Foggy Bottom/West End community, the University responds to the report taking into account factors such as the geographic location of the complaint/incident. GW's Police Department ("GWPD") can exercise police power to respond to incidents that occur in/on property owned or leased by the institution and controlled or used by GW for institutional purposes. GWPD enlists the assistance of DC's Metropolitan Police ("MPD") when a police response is required outside of GWPD's jurisdictional boundaries. GW also maintains a good neighbor policy that calls for an active response to noise/behavior issues involving townhouses or streets within specific neighborhood boundaries. For both on-campus and off-campus concerns, the University will follow up with the community member regarding the complaint when contact information is provided. The GW Community Concern Policy was last updated in September 2008. This policy remains in effect and serves as a tool to address misconduct and quality of life issues. The policy is attached.

The Hotline is publicized via our widely-distributed neighborhood resource guide *discover GW* (attached), the neighborhood website [www.neighborhood.gwu.edu](http://www.neighborhood.gwu.edu), the GW Community Calendar of Events (which runs in the *Current Newspapers*), Councilmember Jack Evans newsletter and multiple other outlets.

The University's trash policy allows off-campus trash violations to be processed as violations to the Code of Student Conduct as defined by the Office of Government & Community Relations & Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs.

The Office of Government & Community Relations and the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs upholds a Repetitive Concern Policy that outlines proactive outreach to landlords who own private property near the Foggy Bottom Campus that house GW undergraduates for which the University has received repeated complaints of misconduct from members of the community. The outreach letter is attached.

202-994-TIPS, monitored directly by the GW Chief of Police, continues to be available for anonymous tips.

GW publishes an annual Community Concern Report, which can be found online at the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs ([www.gwired.gwu.edu/offcampus](http://www.gwired.gwu.edu/offcampus)) website as well as the GW Neighborhood website ([www.neighborhood.gwu.edu](http://www.neighborhood.gwu.edu)).

**Attachment E provides various materials evidencing GW's efforts in this area.**

## **Evidence of Compliance with Condition C-11 (Good Neighbor Program)**

### Condition:

*The University will maintain a mandatory program for its students that will address “good neighbor” issues, educating students about appropriate conduct in the off-campus community. This program will especially emphasize objectionable noise both inside and outside of buildings, restricted parking in the Foggy Bottom/West End Area, illegal underage drinking, and respect for personal and real property of the residential and private business communities. The University’s efforts with respect to this Condition shall be monitored by the Advisory Committee”*

### GW Response:

Every student at GW is held accountable through the student judicial process as stated in the Code of Student Conduct, which addresses both on and off-campus behavior. Furthermore, all students who make the transition from on-campus to off-campus housing receive a copy of the GW Guide to Living Off-Campus and an additional copy of the Code of Conduct to reinforce the applicability to off-campus behavior. The Code of Student Conduct is attached.

Each year the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs (OCSA) works with GW and DC partners to host an Off-Campus Student Services Fair. The GW Police Department, Office of Off-Campus Affairs, Office of Student Judicial Services, the Office of Government and Community Relations and Off-Campus Partners were some of the participants during the Spring 2011 OCSA Fair. Students attended the event and were provided with different types of information pertaining to living off campus, including how to be a good neighbor.

Furthermore, each fall the Chief of University Police, Director of Community Relations and the Office of the Dean of Students co-author a “Good Neighbor” letter to students to remind students of the importance of being a good neighbor and to raise awareness of their behavior as Halloween approaches. This letter is sent to on-campus and off-campus students. See letter attached.

The “Quiet Zone” initiative involves placing Quiet Zone signs near the doors of all campus residence halls and reminding students throughout the year that they have a responsibility to be respectable members of the Foggy Bottom/West End community. Additionally, GW officials worked with the DC Department of Transportation to have official yellow and black “Quiet Zone” signs installed on street lamps poles in areas of heavy student pedestrian traffic.

The F-Street Commission was initiated as a forum to discuss concerns that affect the larger community around F Street. Discussions frequently include proactive plans for student behavior related to celebrations such as Halloween, noise issues related to student pedestrians along F Street, and any other potential disruptive behavior that could negatively affect the community. The Commission meets twice every semester, or on a more frequent basis as determined by commission members or the chair. The Commission consists of administrators from the Office of the Dean of Students, Residential Property Management, Facilities, the F-street House, GWPD, Off-Campus Housing, and Community Relations. Student representatives are invited from RHA, 1959 E Street Residential Advisory Council (RAC), Mitchell RAC, Thurston RAC, Potomac RAC, Building JJ RAC, South Hall RAC, Guthridge RAC, and 2109 F Street RAC.

In a proactive effort to reach out to our incoming students, GW has designed (with the help of local neighbors, students, faculty and staff) a good neighbor video to help raise the awareness of our students about the responsibilities of being a good neighbor. The video may be viewed at the following web link: <http://neighborhood.gwu.edu/wearenotalone/>

The University will update the content of these sessions and documents, regularly, to react to emerging issues related to good neighbor issues.

**The Office of Government & Community Relations maintains the “Be a Winning Neighbor Program” which began in Fall 2007. This program is an effort by the university to recognize positive student conduct. Be a Winning Neighbor, the idea of Foggy Bottom residents, is designed to acknowledge and promote neighborly conduct on the part of GW students. Neighbors are encouraged to report positive student conduct to the Office of Community Relations at 202/994-9132, [discover@gwu.edu](mailto:discover@gwu.edu) or via a form at [www.neighborhood.gwu.edu](http://www.neighborhood.gwu.edu). Each Spring semester, all students who receive substantial compliments will be invited to be recognized at the Spring BBQ in May and be rewarded for their efforts.**

**See Attachment F for materials evidencing GW's efforts in this area.**

**Evidence of Compliance With Condition C-12 (Local Address Information)**

**Condition:**

*The University shall gather information about the local addresses of the full-time Foggy Bottom undergraduate population. The University shall compile and report the number of full-time Foggy Bottom undergraduate students residing in (1) Foggy Bottom/West End outside the campus boundaries; (2) the District of Columbia outside both the campus boundaries and the Foggy Bottom/West End Area, organized by postal codes; (3) Maryland; and (4) Virginia.*

**GW Response:**

	Fall 2011 <sup>1</sup>
Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates residing in Foggy Bottom/West End outside the campus boundaries	994
Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates residing in the District of Columbia outside both the campus boundaries and the Foggy Bottom/West End Area	223
Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates residing in Maryland	105
Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates residing in Virginia	260

For detailed data regarding local address information see Attachment G.

**Notes:**

Note 1 – Data as of November 4, 2011.

**Evidence of Compliance With Condition C-13 (Off-Street Parking Inventory)**

**Condition:**

*The University shall continue to provide at least 2,800 off-street parking spaces, including proposed spaces to be dedicated for university use on Square 54 and all University-owned parking spaces on Square 122 (specifically including the parking lot and garage spaces at Old Main located at 1922 F Street, NW). The number of off-street parking spaces required to be provided may be increased in any subsequent further processing order pursuant to this plan if necessary to mitigate the adverse impact of the approved uses on the University's parking resources. The University shall monitor its utilization of University parking facilities to determine usage patterns and conduct an ongoing assessment of parking needs.*

**GW Response:**

**Number of University-provided off-street parking spaces located in areas covered under this condition: 2,909**

**For detailed information regarding the number of off-campus parking spaces per garage see Attachment H.**

## **Evidence of Compliance With Condition C-14 (Transportation Management Plan)**

### Condition:

*The University shall maintain, and periodically update, its comprehensive Transportation Management Plan ("TMP") addressing traffic and parking associated with events on campus that are attended by a significant number of persons not normally associated with the University and the campus. The transportation management plan shall include the following:*

- a. Measures to schedule events at times that reduce conflicts with other traffic and other demands for parking.*
- b. Measures to discourage travel by private automobile and encourage travel by public transportation.*
- c. Measures to encourage persons who drive to park in commercial or University parking garages.*
- d. Designation of a Transportation Management Coordinator responsible for implementing and monitoring the TMP program.*
- e. Promotion of various technology initiatives (currently including, e.g., the use of video conferencing, podcasts, online library resources, the Bb@GW on-line course management system based on the Blackboard Learning System™, and administrative document management system) to reduce the need for physical movement to and between the Foggy Bottom and other GW campuses.*
- f. Evaluation of opportunities to provide access and links through appropriate website portals to allow members of the University community to purchase transit fare media, including SmarTrip fare cards and bus passes, online.*
- g. As necessary throughout the term of the Campus Plan, when existing parking facilities are being renovated or redeveloped, utilization of attendant parking at various campus parking facilities to ensure that campus parking demands are adequately met.*
- h. Implementation of a Truck Management Plan to avoid adverse impacts on the surrounding neighborhood.*

*These measures and their efficacy and appropriateness given changes in programs, technology, and parking demand shall be regularly reviewed, evaluated, and updated over the twenty-year term of the Campus Plan. The TMP shall be submitted to and reviewed by the Advisory Committee on an annual basis.*

### GW Response:

**The University has had a transportation management plan in place on its Foggy Bottom Campus for a number of years. A variety of measures are used to limit transportation demand and eliminate adverse traffic and parking impacts.**

**Most importantly, the Campus is located adjacent to many public transit opportunities, including Metrorail, and the University encourages the use of public transit for employees and visitors alike. Since 2007, the University has participated in pre-tax Metro SmartBenefits has increased by more than 20%, to 1,175 participants, and the University received Honorable Mention for its marketing of employee transportation alternatives at the Commuter Connections 2009 Employer Recognition Awards.**

**University parking is priced at market rates and employee programs such as pre-tax parking deductions are encouraged. Those faculty, staff and students who drive to campus are encouraged to park in university garages by providing discounted daily parking (as compared to visitor parking or parking in adjacent commercial garages) and also by allowing for parking fees to be paid by payroll deduction (for regular parkers) or via funds deposited to the GWorld card. The University regularly schedules special events, including athletic events and entertainment events at times outside of the peak traffic hours.**

**GW also encourages students, faculty and staff to utilize car sharing to accommodate the occasional requirement for automobile transportation whether for university business or personal matters. Programs such as NuRide and ZipCar have been promoted through flyers and information provided at**

university fairs and events. Since 2007, the University has worked to promote GW affiliated ZipCar memberships and available vehicles on campus.

The University has continued to encourage bike use and currently maintains 21 surface bike racks as well as several secure interior building racks throughout the Foggy Bottom Campus. In total, the University currently provides space for nearly 500 bicycles on campus. Upon completion of the proposed developments on Squares 103, 55, & 39, the University will provide space for nearly 750 bicycles on campus. Furthermore, the University is encouraging bike sharing through Capital Bikeshare, which has recently installed several locations on and near the Foggy Bottom Campus. In addition, with the implementation of the University's Climate Action Plan (CAP) in the spring of 2010, other initiatives are being explored in an effort to reduce single-occupancy-trips and reduce vehicle trips on Campus. For instance, the University is piloting a telecommuting program for GW staff and faculty.

The University currently utilizes technology to limit required trips between its campuses, including online library sources, use of the Bb@GW on-line course management system based on the Blackboard Learning Systems, videoconferencing for administrative meetings, teleconferences and other similar technologies. In cases where transportation between campuses is necessary, GW provides regular shuttle service between its Mount Vernon and Foggy Bottom campuses via The Vern Express as well as regular shuttle service, which has recently been expanded to the Virginia Science & Technology Campus from Foggy Bottom to limit individual vehicle trips.

In the spring of 2010, the University combined the responsibilities for transportation and parking initiatives to allow for a comprehensive approach to campus transportation matters. As such, coordination of all transportation activity on all three of GW's campuses (Foggy Bottom, Mount Vernon and Virginia) is managed through the department of Transportation and Parking Services. Oversight of the Transportation Management Plan is the responsibility of this department.

In order to enhance access to information regarding transportation alternatives, a transportation factsheet is posted online to provide information and campus transportation options (<http://neighborhood.gwu.edu/campusdev/docs/factsheets>). Other online information includes links to commuter connections (to encourage carpooling or public transit use), Metro pass sale information, and other sources of information. This resource is also at key locations on all GW campuses through resource center/kiosks.

Truck Management Plans are currently in place and will be updated as GW carries out new development on its campus.

For information evidencing GW's efforts in this area see Attachment I.

**Foggy Bottom Campus Plan Compliance Report  
Foggy Bottom Campus Plan (2007)  
as directed by Condition C-15**

**ATTACHMENTS**

**ATTACHMENT A – Methodology for Calculation of Student Populations**

**Foggy Bottom Student Headcount**

	Spring 2011	Fall 2011 <sup>1</sup>
Foggy Bottom/Mount Vernon Campus Total Student Body	19,685	19,783
Less (minus):		
Study Abroad Students	635	487
Continuous Enrollment Students	289	261
Students that reside at the Mount Vernon Campus	648	590
Students that take all courses at the Mount Vernon Campus	125	152
Foggy Bottom faculty and staff accounted for under condition C-5 who are also enrolled in one or more courses at the Foggy Bottom campus.	525	405
School Without Walls students	N/A	26
<b>Foggy Bottom student headcount</b>	<b>17,463</b>	<b>17,862</b>

**Foggy Bottom student full-time equivalent**

Determined by assigning a fraction to part-time students included in the Foggy Bottom student headcount number based on the number of credits they are taking compared to a full-time course load and adding the number of full time students. Currently, a full-time course load for undergraduates, graduate and professional students is 12 credits.

**Fall 2011 Foggy Bottom Student Full Time Equivalent (FTE) – 16,394**  
**Spring 2011 Foggy Bottom Student Full Time Equivalent (FTE) – 15,426**

**Notes:**

Note 1 – Data as of the GW census date, October 8, 2011.

**ATTACHMENT B – Methodology for Calculation of Foggy Bottom Campus Faculty & Staff Population**

**Foggy Bottom Faculty and Staff Headcount**

	Spring 2011	Fall 2011 <sup>1</sup>
Summation of:		
Regular full-time faculty and staff	4,148	4,139
Regular part-time faculty and staff	307	304
Wage account staff that are not Foggy Bottom students accounted for pursuant to Condition C-4	639	735
Temporary part-time faculty (excluding part-time clinical faculty who are not paid employees of the University)	1,115	1,103
Affiliated faculty employed by the Medical Faculty Associates	270	272
Visiting instructional and research faculty	130	146
<b>Foggy Bottom Faculty and Staff Headcount</b>	<b>6,609</b>	<b>6,699</b>

**Foggy Bottom Faculty and Staff Full-Time Equivalent**

Determined by assigning a fraction to part-time employees included in the Foggy Bottom faculty and staff headcount number based generally on the number of hours worked as compared to the standard 40-hour work week.

**Fall 2011 Foggy Bottom Faculty and Staff Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) – 5,169**

**Spring 2011 Foggy Bottom Faculty and Staff Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) – 5,140**

**Notes:**

Note 1 – Data as of October 8, 2011.

**ATTACHMENT C – Methodology Supporting Undergraduate Student Housing Condition Numbers**

**Determining Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduate Students**

	Spring 2011	Fall 2011 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Foggy Bottom/Mount Vernon Campus Total Student Body</b>	<b>19,685</b>	<b>19,783</b>
Less (minus):		
Graduate students	7,336	<b>7,111</b>
First professionals (JDs, MDs)	2,401	<b>2,472</b>
Undergraduates taking fewer than 12 credits at the Foggy Bottom campus (and are not accounted for under the Mount Vernon Campus Plan Order, below)	366	<b>229</b>
Non-degree students	592	<b>423</b>
Full-time undergraduate study abroad students	594	<b>478</b>
Undergraduate continuous enrollment students	65	<b>59</b>
Full-time undergraduate students who reside on the Mount Vernon campus	638	<b>569</b>
<b>Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduate Students</b>	<b>7,693</b>	<b>8,442</b>

**On-Campus Beds Available to Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduate Students**

	Spring 2011	Fall 2011 <sup>1</sup>
Summation of:		
Beds available to undergraduate students in GW owned or leased properties within the campus plan boundary	6,563	<b>6,692</b>
Beds available to undergraduate students in fraternities, sororities, or other programs recognized by or affiliated with the University and located within the campus plan boundary	15	<b>21</b>
<b>Total Number of On-Campus Beds Available to Undergraduates</b>	<b>6,578</b>	<b>6,708</b>

**On-Campus Beds Occupied by Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduate Students – 6,097**  
*Based on housing programs records of residence hall occupancy as of October 8, 2011.)*

**Notes:**

Note 1 – Data as of GW Census date, October 8, 2011.

**Number of off-campus University-supplied beds within the Foggy Bottom/West End Area**

<b>Fall 2011 DATA</b> <b>University supplied beds within Foggy Bottom/West End Area</b>	<b>Total Number of Beds Available (Fall 2011)</b>	<b>Available to Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates (Fall 2011)</b>	<b>Occupied by Full-time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates (Fall 2011)</b>
City Hall, 950 24 <sup>th</sup> Street, NW	<b>381</b>	<b>381</b>	<b>364</b>
The Aston, 1129 New Hampshire Avenue, NW	<b>119</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Hall on Virginia Avenue, 2601 Virginia Avenue, NW	<b>192</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
2144 F Street, NW	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
607 21 <sup>st</sup> St., NW	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Columbia Plaza, VA Avenue NW between 23 <sup>rd</sup> & 24 <sup>th</sup> Streets	<b>108</b>	<b>0 units</b>	<b>0 students</b>
<b>Totals</b>	<b>809<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>381<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>364<sup>1</sup></b>

<b>Spring 2011 DATA</b> <b>University supplied beds within Foggy Bottom/West End Area</b>	<b>Total Number of Beds Available (Spring 2011)</b>	<b>Available to Full-Time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates (Spring 2011)</b>	<b>Occupied by Full-time Foggy Bottom Undergraduates (Spring 2011)</b>
City Hall, 950 24 <sup>th</sup> Street, NW	<b>381</b>	<b>381</b>	<b>353</b>
The Aston, 1129 New Hampshire Avenue, NW	<b>119</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Hall on Virginia Avenue, 2601 Virginia Avenue, NW	<b>192</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
2144 F Street, NW	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Columbia Plaza, VA Avenue NW between 23 <sup>rd</sup> & 24 <sup>th</sup> Streets	<b>107 units</b>	<b>0 units</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Totals</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>381</b>	<b>353</b>

**Notes:**

Note 1 – Data as of GW Census date, October 8, 2011.

**University Supplied Beds Outside the Foggy Bottom/West End Area, University Supplied Beds Available to Full-Time Undergraduates Outside the Foggy Bottom/West End Area and University Supplied Beds Outside the Foggy Bottom/West End Area Occupied by Full-Time Undergraduates**

	<b>Spring 2011</b>	<b>Fall 2011<sup>1</sup></b>
University Supplied Beds Outside Foggy Bottom/West End Area	0	0
University Supplied Beds Outside Foggy Bottom/West End Area Occupied by Full-Time Undergraduates	0	0

**Notes:**

Note 1 – Data as of GW Census date, October 8, 2011.

**ATTACHMENT D: Materials Evidencing GW's Efforts related to Off-Campus Housing Opportunities**

# Off-Campus Student Affairs

## TIP OF THE WEEK

As the school year is about to begin, please make sure to update your current local address with the University through the GWeb Info System (<http://my.gwu.edu/>)

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## Where to Look

A wide variety of housing options are available throughout the metropolitan area. Personal preferences are generally the deciding factors in choosing a home. For GW students, proximity to campus may make a difference in where you want to live. No matter where you decide to make your home, close to campus or far away, there are tradeoffs. If cost is a key issue, remember that the farther away from the city, the less expensive the housing. If you rely on public transportation, keep in mind that living in the city requires less travel time. If you own a car, you should know that parking is generally difficult in the city, as street parking is scarce and garages often cost approximately \$15 per day.

As neighborhoods do vary within the city, students are well advised to visit the prospective home and investigate the neighborhood in order to assess the safety of the area.

The District of Columbia is divided into four quadrants, with the US Capitol serving as the center point. The quadrants correspond to the compass directions: Northwest, Southwest, Northeast and Southeast. Below is a brief overview of each quadrant:

- **Northwest**

The Northwest quadrant is home to GW's Foggy Bottom and Foxhall neighborhoods as well as Georgetown and Dupont Circle. It is the largest area of the District and is composed of several contrasting neighborhoods, including older areas and those being modernized and renovated. Most neighborhoods within Northwest, DC are accommodated by both Metro buses and the Metrorail system.

- **Northeast**

This is the area around Howard, Catholic, and Gallaudet Universities and Union Station. As many residents of this area are students, housing options are less expensive and less luxurious. Metro buses travel regularly through all major arteries within Northeast and both the yellow and green lines of the Metrorail system service neighborhoods of this area. Commuting time to campus is approximately 20-40 minutes.

- **Southwest**

This is the downtown area near Washington's waterfront. Southwest includes a wide range of economic and ethnic groups and is the location of many Federal buildings. New apartment complexes are being built in this area at very reasonable rates. Public transportation exists in the way of Metro buses and the Metrorail system. Commuting time to campus is approximately 20-30 minutes.

- **Southeast**

The neighborhood most famous in this area is "Capitol Hill," location of the Library of Congress and most major government offices. The Southeast is a very historic area, consisting of important Federal buildings and residences representing diverse architectural styles. Members of the political set, many Federal employees, and young professionals make their home in Southeast. Due to the diversity of the residents

housing options and prices in the Southeast vary greatly. Public transportation via metro bus and the Metrorail system are available on a frequent basis. Commuting time ranges from 30-40 minutes in rush hour.

The following neighborhoods are considered closest to GW's Foggy Bottom campus: West End, Dupont Circle, Georgetown; Alexandria, Virginia; and Arlington, Virginia. Listed below are brief descriptions of these and some other neighborhoods in and around Washington, DC:

- **Foggy Bottom**

Foggy Bottom is home to GW's largest campus. Housing is convenient but can be very expensive and limited. Advantages to living in this area include a very close proximity to campus as well as the Orange and Blue lines of the Metro and other DC attractions. Housing options include high-rise apartments and townhouses. Dupont Circle West and the West End may also be considered part of the Foggy Bottom, "GW" neighborhood.

- **Dupont Circle**

The Circle is actually the entire area around lower Connecticut Avenue, surrounded by Foggy Bottom to the south, and Adams Morgan/Washington Heights to the north. Dupont Circle is a busy office and luxury shopping area, as well as an urban cultural center populated by young people, artists, and musicians. The streets and avenues that radiate from Dupont Circle offer many types of accommodations at various prices, from older high-rises to smaller apartment buildings and basement apartments or private rooms in homes. Dupont Circle is within walking distance of the University, is a main thoroughfare for metro buses, and is located on the Red Line of the Metrorail. Commuting time to GW ranges from 10-20 minutes.

- **Georgetown**

The Georgetown shopping area caters to students and young adults, but housing in this area is expensive and at a premium. Many apartments do not rent to students, but rather to government and diplomatic employees. Occasionally townhouses are available and are rented to several students who share the cost. Families sometimes rent individual rooms, or basement apartments in their private homes. This area is within 10-15 minutes walking distance of campus or can be reached by any bus on Pennsylvania Avenue.

- **Adams Morgan**

This is an urban area near Dupont Circle and Kalorama, centered around Columbia Road and 18th St. NW. Adams Morgan has a diverse population, both ethnic and economic - foreign and domestic students, young families, diplomatic officials, recent immigrants and longtime residents of the District. The neighborhood is richly diverse with many international restaurants and markets, including Latin Market on Sunday, plus many inexpensive shops and free festivals. Also referred to as Washington Heights and Dupont Circle North, housing options and prices vary enormously.

- **Cleveland Park/ Woodley Park**

Located on Connecticut Avenue, these neighborhoods are within walking distance of the National Zoo, a variety of restaurants, shops and nightspots. Cleveland Park and Woodley Park are elegant neighborhoods with a variety of housing opportunities, including apartments, group houses, and basement apartments in private homes. Approximately a 40 minute walk straight up Connecticut Avenue from GW, this area is situated on a busy Metrobus route, and there are two Metrorail stations. With public transportation, commuting time is approximately 15-25 minutes.

- **North Arlington, Virginia**

North Arlington's main streets are Lee Highway (Key Bridge), Route 50 (Theodore

Roosevelt Bridge,) and Wilson Blvd, (Theodore Roosevelt Bridge). All are accessible from GW by Metro on the Orange Line at the Rosslyn, Courthouse, Clarendon, and Ballston stations. There are many types of housing in the North Arlington area including townhouses, garden apartments, large high-rises, luxury apartments, duplexes, and individual homes. Rent is typically lower in Virginia. Almost any location in North Arlington can be reached within 15-45 minutes during rush hour.

- **South Arlington, Virginia**

There are many moderately priced accommodations in South Arlington. As in North Arlington, there are varied types of housing. Crystal City is a section of high-rises off of U.S. Route 1 overlooking the Potomac River and is accessible by Metrorail on the Blue Line. Large populations of students, especially graduate students, live here. A new development of apartment complexes has been built at Pentagon City, adjacent to the Fashion Center shopping mall and also accessible on the Blue Line. Commuting time from South Arlington is approximately 30-60 minutes.

- **Alexandria, Virginia**

Alexandria, a historic city, offers a wide price range in housing and a wide variety in types of housing, although many landlords may not advertise in newspapers. Many students, young adults, and historic, established families live in Alexandria. The main thoroughfare, Shirley Highway (I-395) is very crowded during rush hour. A key attraction of Alexandria is Old Town, a restored colonial area with a wide array of shops and other attractions. The Yellow Line on the Metrorail makes several stops in the Alexandria area. Commuting time from Alexandria is 30-60 minutes.



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## Apartment Buildings Near the GW Campus

The following is a list of some of the apartments and their proximity to the GW campus. Please note that inclusion on this list does not signify endorsement by the University.

### Less than 4 blocks from campus

#### **Columbia Plaza Apartments**

2400 Virginia Avenue, NW  
202.293.2000 - <http://www.columbiaplaza.net>

#### **Elise Apartments**

825 New Hampshire Ave NW  
(202) 333-7711

#### **Empire Apartments**

2000 F St NW  
(202) 785-2622

#### **Letterman House**

2030 F Street, NW  
(202) 296-5141

#### **Potomac Park**

510 21st Street, NW  
(202) 337-5252  
[http://www.bernsteinmgmt.com/res\\_dc.html](http://www.bernsteinmgmt.com/res_dc.html)

#### **The President Condominiums**

2141 I Street, NW  
(202) 331-7800

#### **The Statesman**

2020 F Street, NW  
(202) 331-8827  
[www.thestatesmanapt.com](http://www.thestatesmanapt.com)

#### **York Apartments**

532 20th Street, NW  
(202) 337-5252  
[http://www.bernsteinmgmt.com/res\\_dc.html](http://www.bernsteinmgmt.com/res_dc.html)

#### **Circle Arms**

2416 K Street, NW  
(202) 296-0090

**Claridge House Co-Op Inc**

950 25th St NW  
(202) 337-2240

**Savoy**

1101 New Hampshire Ave NW  
(202) 296-1645

**Twenty Four Hundred Penn Ave**

2400 Pennsylvania Ave, NW  
(202) 333-2400

**Winston House Apartments**

2140 L St NW  
(202) 785-2200

**4 to 8 blocks from campus**

**Bristol House Apartments**

1400 20th St NW  
(202) 296-4177

**The Flats at Dupont Circle**

2000 N Street, NW  
(866) 995-6618  
[www.flatsatdupontcircle.com](http://www.flatsatdupontcircle.com)

**Corcoran House**

1616 18th Street, NW  
(866) 995-3102

[www.ArchstoneDupontCircle.com](http://www.ArchstoneDupontCircle.com)

**Hamilton House**

1255 New Hampshire Ave NW  
(202) 223-4530

**Westbrooke Place**

2201 N St NW  
(202) 466-6228

**More than 10 blocks from campus:**

**1500 Massachusetts Ave Apts.**

1500 Massachusetts Ave NW  
(202) 293-1500

**The Albemarle**

4501 Connecticut Ave NW  
(866) 973-1483

[www.TheAlbemarleApt.com](http://www.TheAlbemarleApt.com)

**Barclay/Ravenel**

1610/1616 16th St NW  
(866) 438-9349  
[www.dcaptcs.infobarclayravenel@dcaptcs.info](http://www.dcaptcs.infobarclayravenel@dcaptcs.info)

**Bay State Apartments**

1701 Massachusetts Ave NW  
(202) 462-6494

**Brunswick House Apts.**

1414 17th St NW  
(202) 667-0879  
[Brunswickhouse@verizon.net](mailto:Brunswickhouse@verizon.net)

**The Capital Park Tower**

301 G St SW  
(202) 479-3900

**Dorchester House**

2480 16th St NW  
(202) 667-3312

**Fifteen Hundred Mass Ave**

1500 Massachusetts Ave NW  
(202) 293 -1500

**The Gables at Dupont Circle**

1750 P St NW  
(202) 986-3600

**Harvard Village**

1829 Summit Place NW  
(866) 375-1973  
[www.dcaptcs.infoharvard@dcaptcs.info](http://www.dcaptcs.infoharvard@dcaptcs.info)

**Marbury Plaza**

2300 Good Hope Rd SE  
(202) 678-0700

**Park Plaza**

1629 Columbia Rd NW  
(866) 301-4012  
[www.dcaptcs.infoleasing@dcaptcs.info](http://www.dcaptcs.infoleasing@dcaptcs.info)

**Post Massachusetts Avenue**

1499 Massachusetts Avenue NW  
(202) 234-7678

**Tunlaw Park**

3850 Tunlaw Road NW  
(202) 337-7555

**Webster House Condominiums**

1718 P St NW  
(202) 387-7777

**Westpark**

2130 P St NW  
(202) 452-1230

**Wingate Towers & Garden Apartments**

4660 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave. SW  
(202) 563-2300

**Maryland Apartments**

**Yale Village Townhomes**

1699 Yale Place, Rockville  
(301) 424-6326

**Virginia Apartments**

**Abingdon House**

815 18th Street South (Arlington)  
(703) 979-8661  
[http://www.thebrickcompanies.com/for\\_living/abingdon\\_house/](http://www.thebrickcompanies.com/for_living/abingdon_house/)

**Horizon East and West**

4300 Old Dominions Drive (Arlington)  
(703) 527-2353

**Metropolitan at Pentagon Row**

1401 South Joyce St (Arlington)  
(866) 396-1436  
[metatpentagonrow@KSImanagement.com](mailto:metatpentagonrow@KSImanagement.com)

**The Parc Vista at Pentagon City**

801 15th St South (Arlington)  
(866) 995-8948  
[www.ArchstonePentagonCity.com](http://www.ArchstonePentagonCity.com)

**Post Pentagon Row**

1201 South Joyce St, Suite C-1 (Arlington)  
(703) 486-3700  
[www.postproperties.com](http://www.postproperties.com)

**Lincoln Towers**

850 N. Randolph Street  
Arlington, VA 22203  
703-243-9500  
[www.LincolnTowersApt.com](http://www.LincolnTowersApt.com)

**Randolph Towers**

4001 North Ninth St (Arlington)  
(703) 525-9000  
[www.dittmarcompnay.com](http://www.dittmarcompnay.com)

**Rosslyn Heights**

1804 North Quinn St  
(703) 522-0700  
RosslynHeights.com

**Van Metre Fort Georgetown**

2100 North Pierce St (Arlington)  
(888) 296-4159  
[www.FortGeorgetownApt.com](http://www.FortGeorgetownApt.com)

**Oakwood Falls Church**

501 N. Roosevelt Boulevard (Falls Church, VA)  
703-534-7702  
[www.oakwoodfallschurch.com](http://www.oakwoodfallschurch.com)

**The Park at Arlington Ridge**

1800 S 26th Street  
703-836-1600



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# Contact GW Day or Night

## GW COMMUNITY CONCERN POLICY

If you have a GW related concern regarding violations of the law and or city ordinances, you may contact:  
Metropolitan Police at # 311  
or

**University Police Department**  
**(202) 994-6110**  
(press "0" for dispatcher)  
  
(202) 994-TIPS or (for anonymous calls)  
UDP Website: <http://gwired.gwu.edu/upd/OnlineForms/994TIPSONlineForm/>

### GW Property:

When contacted the University Police Department (UPD) will respond to the concern, investigate, and attempt to resolve the problem. UPD will document its actions and forward a report to the appropriate campus departments.

### Non-GW Property:

When contacted with a GW related concern, UPD will document the concern and forward a report to the appropriate campus departments.

*For both on-campus and off-campus concerns, the University will follow up with the community member regarding the complaint when contact information is provided.*

When appropriate, GW does adjudicate cases involving student behavior on and off campus.

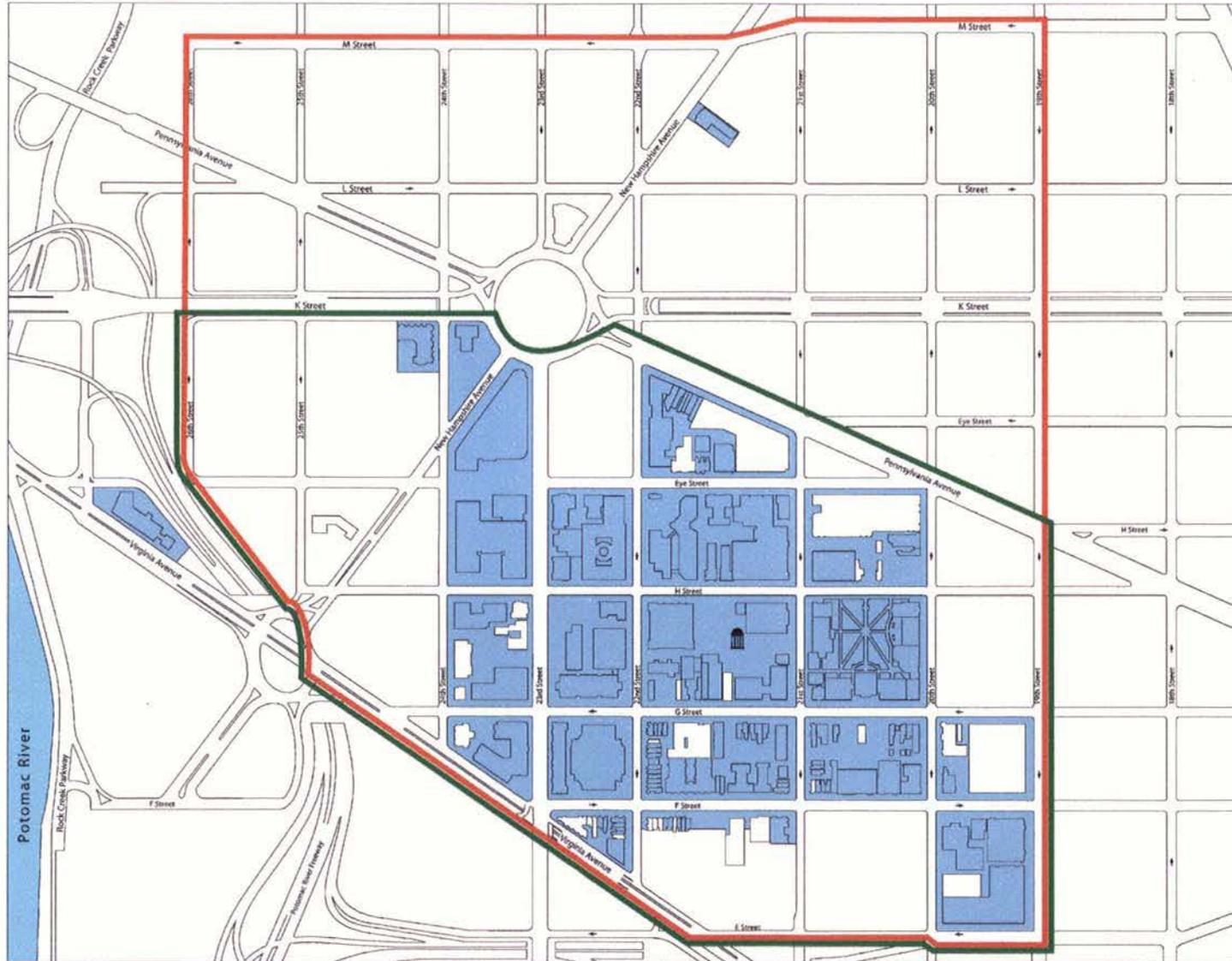
\* UPD's jurisdiction does not extend to off-campus private property. If the concern regards behavior in a private apartment building or residence, please contact building management or the Metropolitan Police Department. Agreements with building management allow for adjudication of off-campus student behavior when appropriate.

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### GW Community Concern Policy Response Boundaries



- Street Noise Response Boundary
- Townhouse Response Boundary
- Areas of UPD Police Authority

# GW Trash Concern Policy



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George Washington University  
[neighborhood.gwu.edu](http://neighborhood.gwu.edu)

As with all issues that can have a negative impact on the quality of life in our neighborhood, GW takes trash concerns very seriously. The University has implemented a progressive strategy for addressing trash problems.

## **1st Offense: Letter regarding Trash Policy from Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs**

The first time a trash-related complaint is received, any GW students that are on-record as residing at the problem property will immediately receive a friendly reminder from the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs. In addition to outlining the city's trash pickup procedures, students will be instructed to promptly resolve the issue at hand.

## **2nd Offense: Warning letter from Office of Student Judicial Services**

A second violation at the same location will result in a written warning letter from the Office of Student Judicial Services.

## **3rd Offense: Student Judicial Process started through Office of Student Judicial Services**

Any future violations will involve an in-person meeting with a University official and the dispensation of appropriate sanctions. Of course, this tiered process can be altered depending on the severity of the trash concern.

In addition to relying on community members to notify us of problems, staff from the Office of Community Relations and the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs will regularly walk the neighborhood to proactively identify areas of concern.

Furthermore, GW is committed to working with the DC government on persistent problem properties. Addresses that have been the subject of repeated complaints will be shared with the Mayor's Office of Community Relations and Services and the Director of Constituent Services for the appropriate Council office (in most instances, Evans) for referral to the appropriate city agency. The combination of GW's follow-up with building occupants and the city's follow-up with owners should allow us to effectively combat persistent violators.

GW-related concerns regarding violations of the law or city ordinances can be reported via the 24-hour GW Community Concern Hotline at (202)994-6110. Alternately, you may send an email to [discover@gwu.edu](mailto:discover@gwu.edu) or contact the Office of Community Relations at (202)994-9132.



## **REMEMBER!!!!**

- \* Trash is collected on Tuesdays and Fridays!
- \* You cannot put your trash on the curb prior to 5pm the night before!
- \* For bulk trash removal **DO NOT** leave it on the street- call the Department of Public works at #311 to arrange for removal!
- \* Your trashcan should be covered, with all of the trash fitting inside of the can!

### **For more information or questions/concerns please visit:**

- [www.dpw.dc.gov](http://www.dpw.dc.gov)
- [neighborhood.gwu.edu](http://neighborhood.gwu.edu)
- <http://gwired.gwu.edu/offcampus>



## Repetitive Concern Policy

In an effort to manage reports of repeated acts of misconduct by GW students residing in non-University properties off campus, GW has adopted a proactive strategy for addressing problem properties.

In addition to imposing sanctions against individual students, GW will add to the Repetitive Concern List any property with four or more reported and verified community concerns within one academic year. As part of the GW Community Concern Policy, concerns about student misconduct can generally be made through the Community Concern Hotline (202) 994-6110 or reported directly through the Office of Community Relations, Off-Campus Student Affairs, or GWPD. For conduct occurring in non-University properties off campus, landlord and property managers will receive a written notification each time a complaint is verified at their respective properties. Properties will be added to the Repetitive Concern List immediately following the fourth such complaint, and the list will be reviewed annually.

Once a property has been added to the Repetitive Concern List, the University will send two sets of letters. The first letter will be sent to the property owner in mid-August. The second letter will be sent to the residents of the property in mid-September. These letters are an attempt to make landlords and residents aware of the on-going issues at this location and express the University's intent to hold our students liable for continued disturbances in the local community.

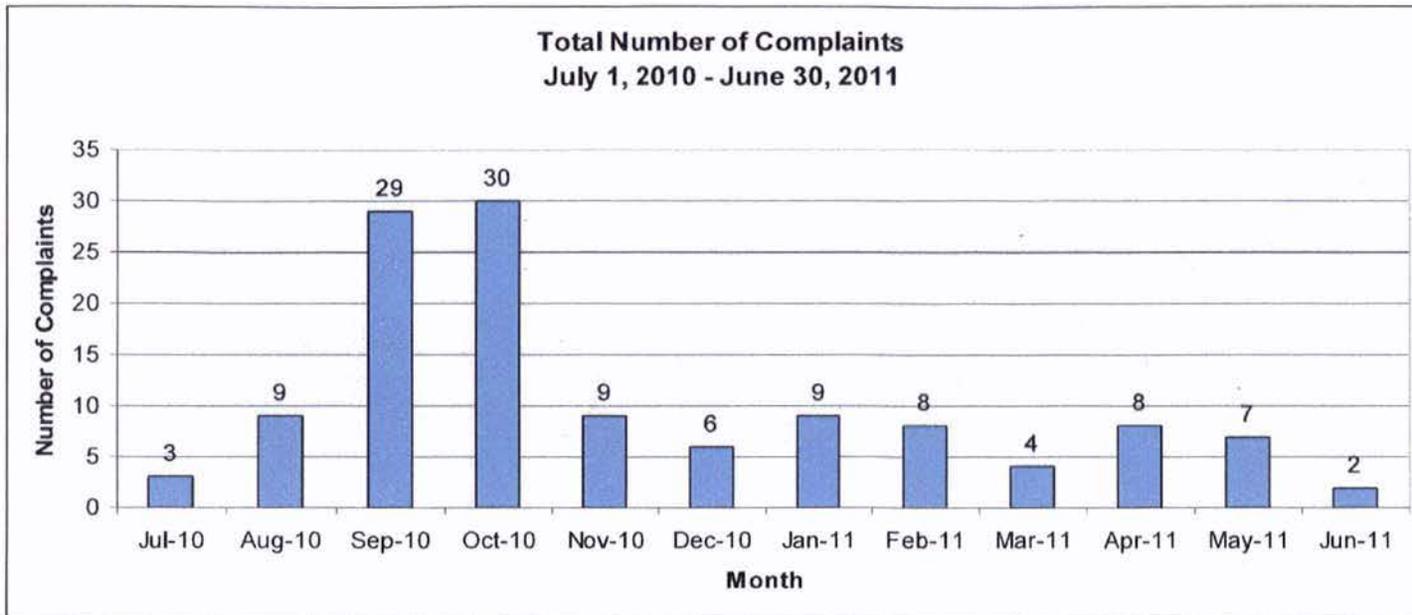
The Repetitive Concern List will be publically available for review by students on an annual basis on the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs' website and at [neighborhood.gwu.edu](http://neighborhood.gwu.edu). Students will be encouraged to inquire about any residence that the University has labeled a "problem property" in the Foggy Bottom community.

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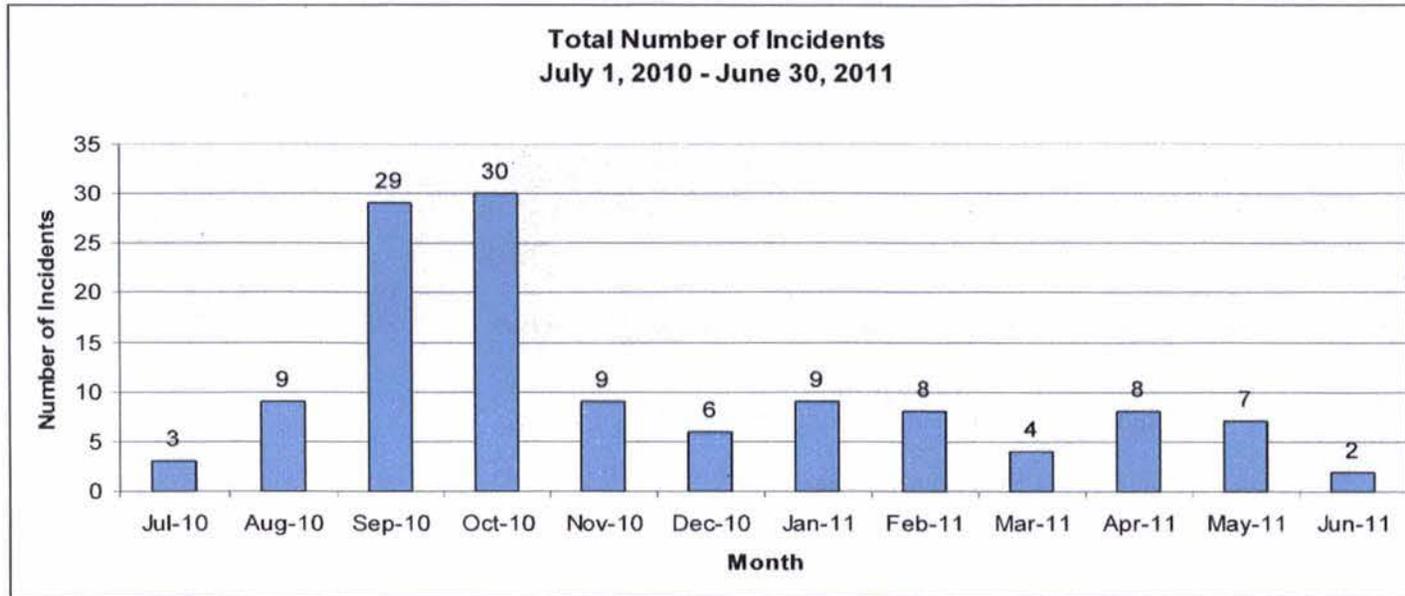


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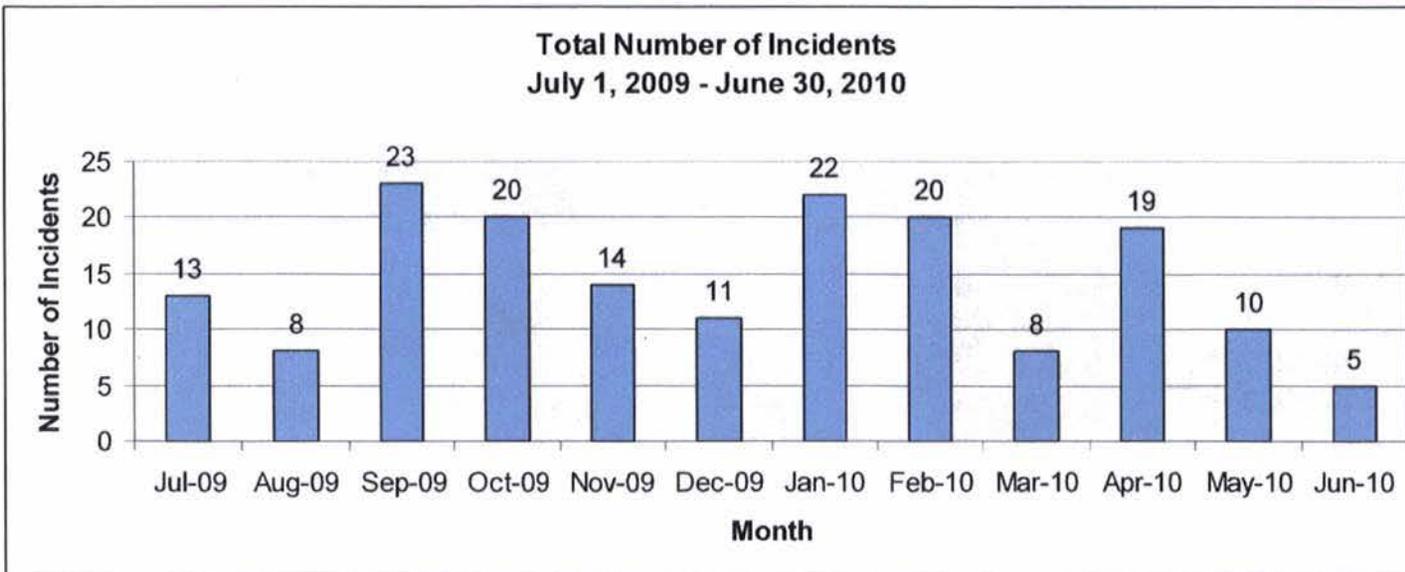


**Total = 184**

*Complaints include reports that are submitted through the Community Concern Line, the George Washington University Police Department and/or the Office of Government & Community Relations. Complaints can include multiple callers reporting the same incident and/or individuals submitting more than one report about an incident.*

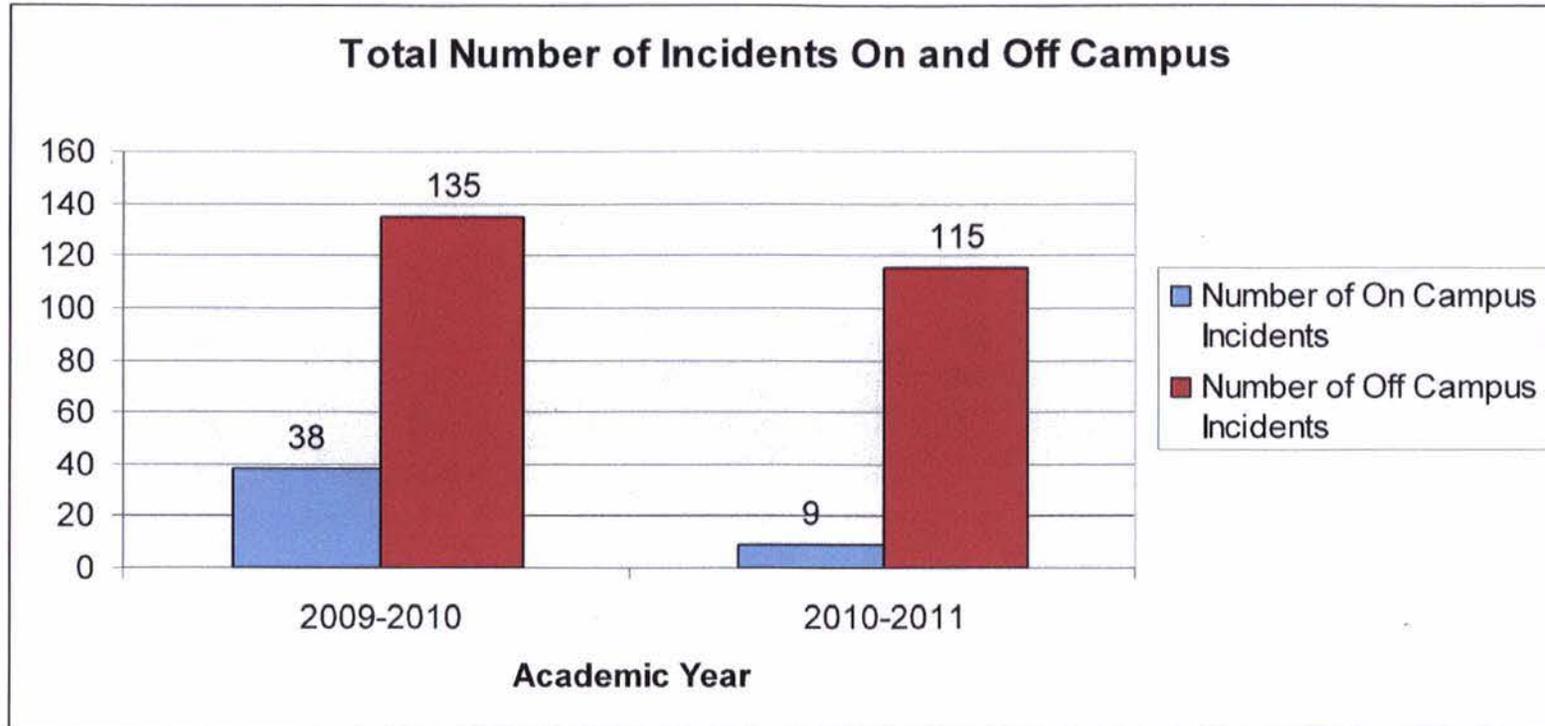


**Total Number of Incidents  
2010 – 2011 = 124**



**Total Number of Incidents  
2009 – 2010 = 173**

*As complaints can include multiple callers reporting the same incident and/or individuals submitting more than one report about an incident, this data reflects the actual number of incidents the George Washington University responded to in the 2010-2011 and 2009-2010 academic years.*



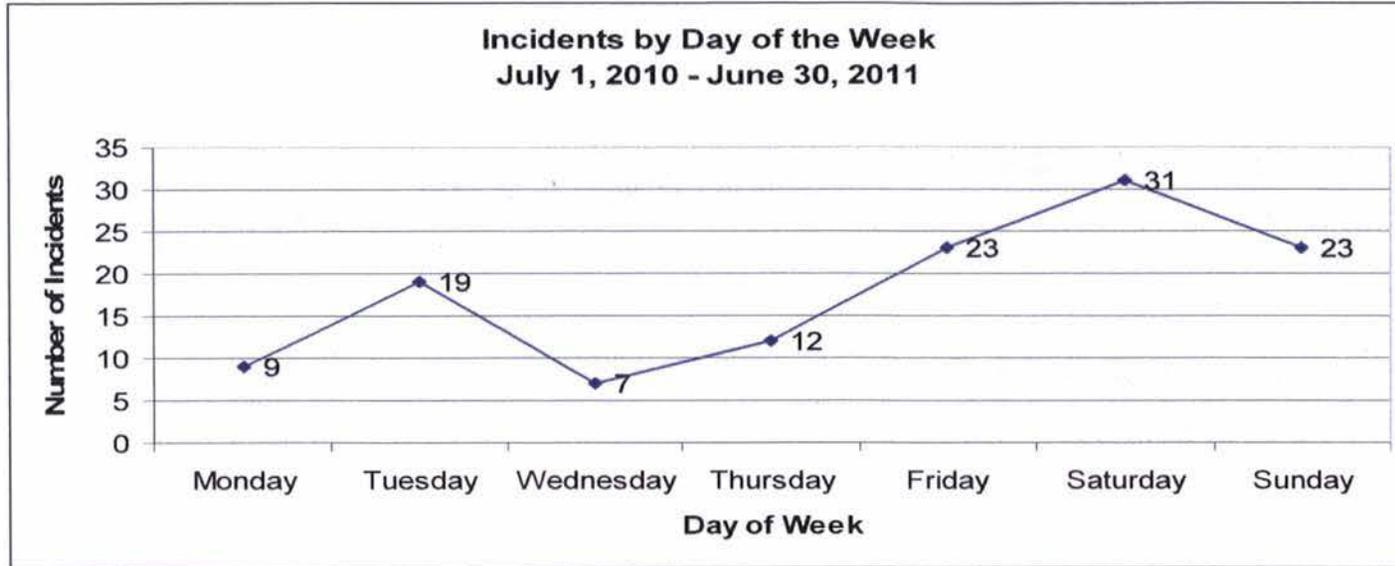
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2010-2011 = 9  
2009 – 2010 = 38

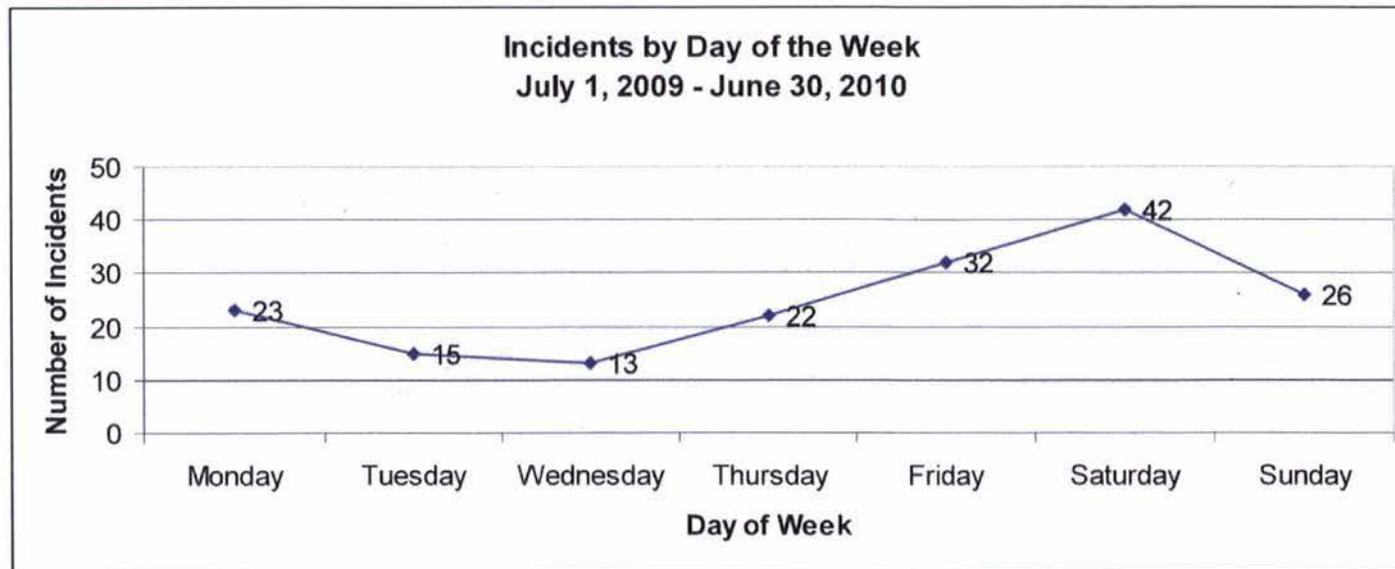
**Total Number of Actual Incidents Off-Campus**

2010-2011 = 115  
2009-2010 = 135

*This data represents the number of on campus and off campus incidents as reported through the Community Concerns Hotline by neighbors as well as GW students, faculty and staff.*



**Total = 124**



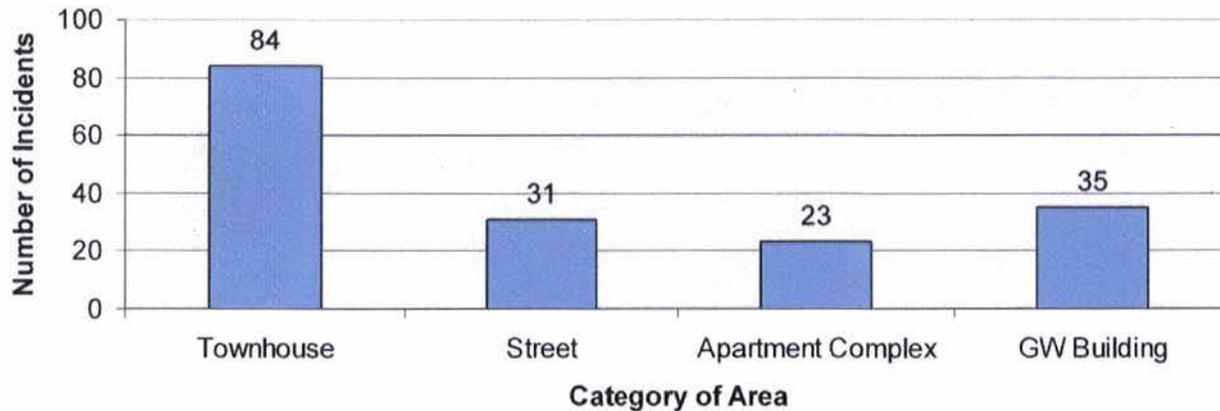
**Total = 173**

**Category of Area  
July 1, 2010 - June 30, 2011**



**Total = 124**

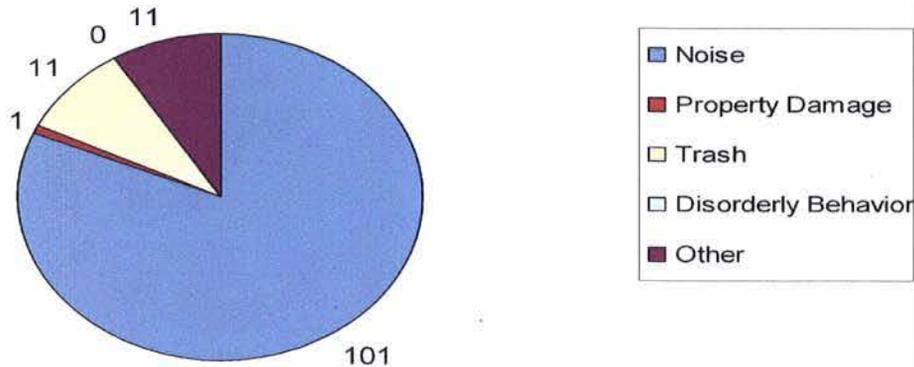
**Category of Area  
July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2010**



**Total = 173**

*Initiatives such as the Quiet Zone Campaign, reminders to residents of University residence halls, proactive neighborhood walks, and meetings with student's residing in townhouses and GW buildings have contributed to the decrease in townhouse and GW building incidents. In addition to continuing these initiatives, OCSA and OGCR will continue to develop new initiatives to address the number of incidents in townhouses.*

**Type of Incident**  
**July 1, 2010 - June 30, 2011**



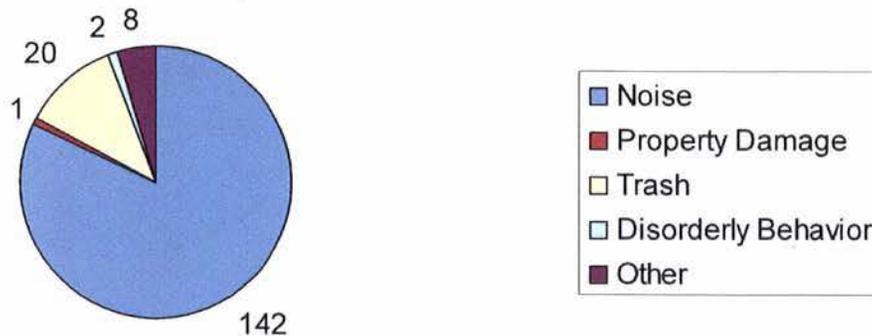
*Noise incidents include loud talking, music, transient noise and parties originating from inside residence hall rooms, private townhouses and private apartments as well as on public streets and sidewalks*

*Property damage incidents involve any theft of or damage to neighborhood property.*

*Disorderly Behavior incidents include public arguments, playing ball in the street, suspected marijuana use and harassment.*

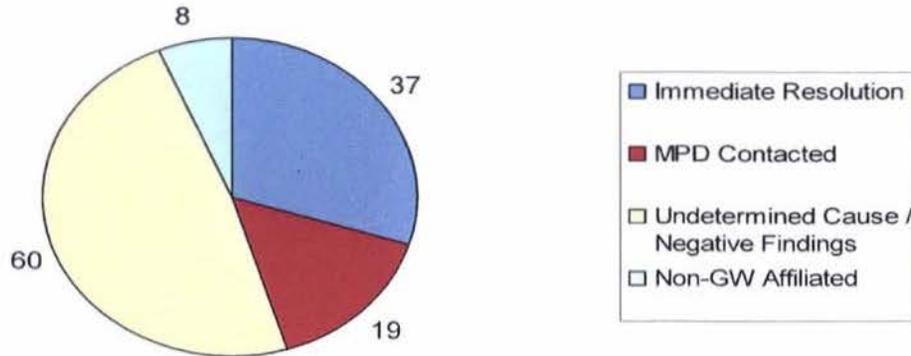
*Other incidents include parking violations, suspicious packages and/or individuals.*

**Type of Incident**  
**July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2010**



*In the last academic year, the overall number of noise incidents saw a significant decrease from 142 in the 2009-2010 academic year to 101 noise incidents in the 2010-2011 academic year.*

**Administrative / Disciplinary Action  
July 1, 2010 - June 30, 2011**



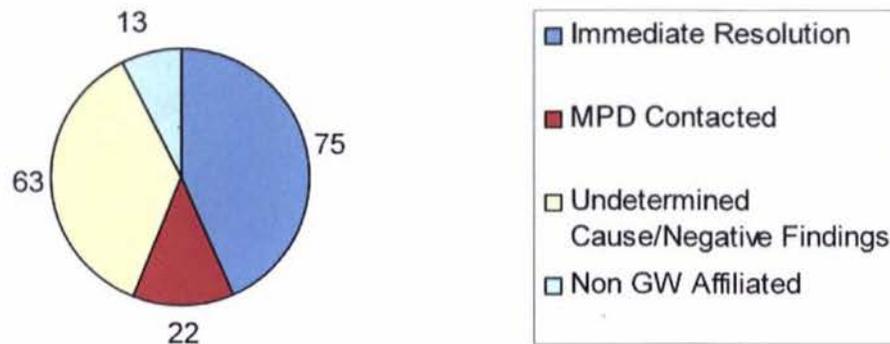
*Immediate Resolution* actions are those situations in which GWPD responded and was able to halt the offending activities on the scene.

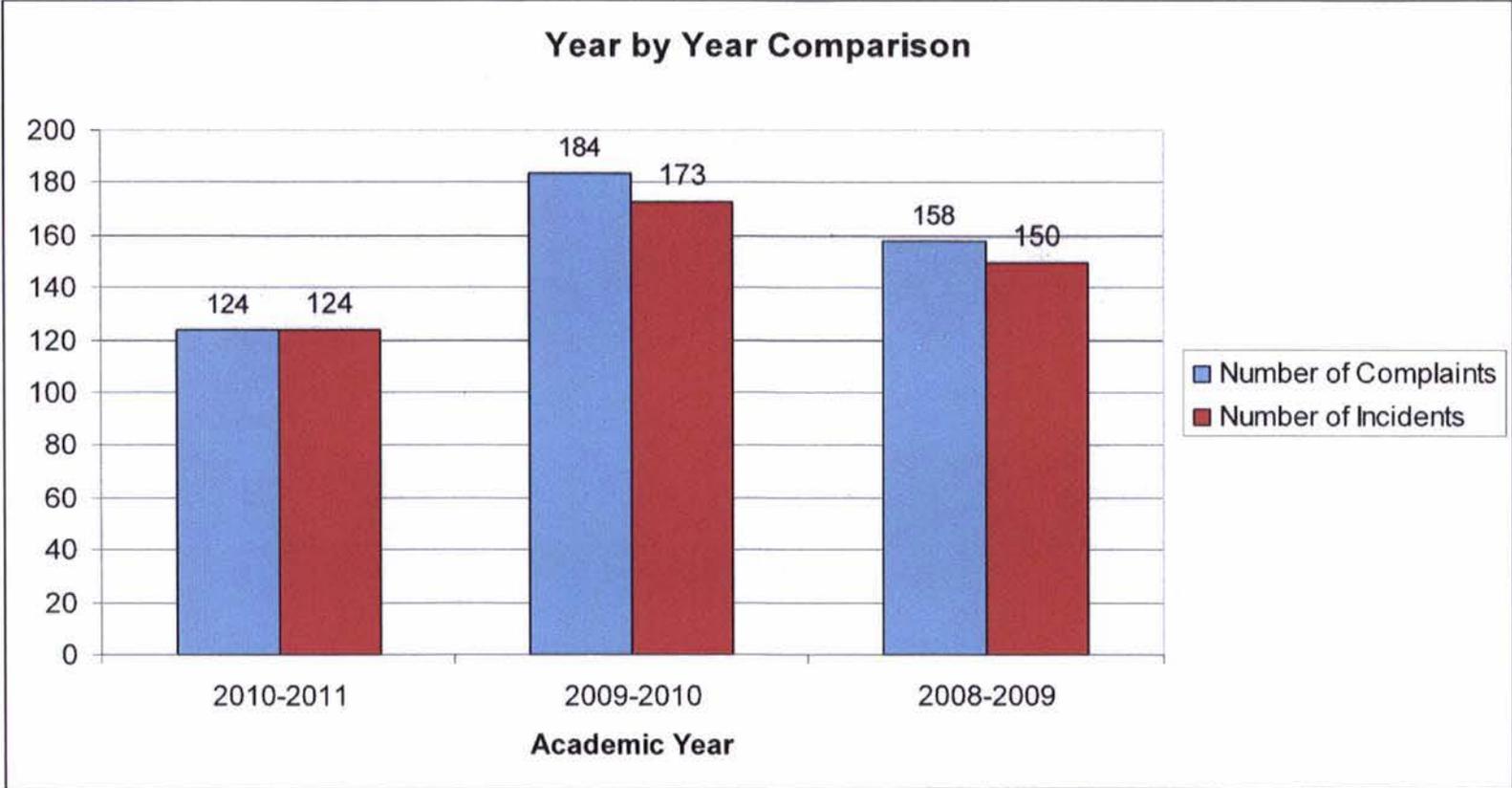
*MPD contacted* includes any time in which MPD was contacted by GWPD or when GWPD was unable to respond because the activity occurred outside their boundaries.

*Undetermined cause/Negative Findings* includes situations in which GWPD responded, but found no activity or evidence supporting complaint.

*The Office of Government & Community Relations* follows up with all community members regarding their complaints when contact information is provided.

**Administrative / Disciplinary Action  
July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2010**





**ATTACHMENT F: Materials Evidencing GW's Efforts related to the Good Neighbor Program**

# CODE OF STUDENT CONDUCT

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# Code of Student Conduct

## Authority for Student Discipline

1. Ultimate authority for student discipline is vested in the Board of Trustees by the University Charter. Disciplinary authority may be delegated to University administrators, faculty members, student committees, and organizations, as set forth in the "Code of Student Conduct" ("Code"), or in other appropriate policies, rules, or regulations adopted by the Board. Students are asked to assume positions of responsibility in the University judicial system so that they may contribute their skills and insights to the resolution of disciplinary cases.

## Rationale

2. The primary purpose for the maintenance of discipline in the University setting is to protect the campus community and to establish clear standards for civil interaction among community members. The University's goal, through maintenance of standards set forth in the "Code", is to help students experience democratic citizenship, and its attendant obligations and responsibilities.

The purpose of a disciplinary proceeding is to establish the factual record of an alleged violation of the "Code". The procedures outlined do not attempt to recreate or approximate a court of law. Procedures shall reflect standards of fundamental fairness; however, minor deviation from procedural guidelines for hearings suggested in this "Code" shall not invalidate a decision or proceeding resulting from a conference or hearing unless significant prejudice to the accused or the University may result, as judged by the Assistant Dean of Students or designee.

## Definitions

3. When used in this "Code",
- "**Distribution**" means any form of sale, exchange, or transfer.
  - "**Group**" means a number of persons who are associated with each other, but who have not complied with University requirements for registration as a student organization.
  - "**Institution**" and "**University**" mean The George Washington University and all of its undergraduate, graduate, and professional schools, divisions, and programs.
  - "**Organization**" means any number of persons who have complied with University requirements for registration with the Student Activities Center as a student organization.
  - "**Student**" means any currently enrolled person, full-time or part-time, or on continuous enrollment, pursuing undergraduate, graduate, or professional studies, whether or not in pursuit of a degree or of any form of certificate of completion.
  - "**University premises**" means buildings or grounds owned or leased by the University, including, but not limited to, buildings or grounds in which students reside and University food service facilities are located; Marvin Center facilities; Columbia Plaza; and facilities operated in the name of any officially registered student organization. This definition is not limited to buildings or grounds owned or leased by the University at the Foggy Bottom Campus.
  - "**University-sponsored activities**" means events and activities initiated by a student, student organization, or University department, faculty member, or employee that

- Are expressly authorized, aided, conducted or supervised by the University; or
- Are funded in whole or in part by the University; or
- Are initiated by an officially registered student organization and conducted or promoted in the name of that student organization and/or the University; or
- Take place on University premises.

## Interpretation of Regulations

4. The purpose of publishing disciplinary regulations is to inform students of prohibited behavior. This "Code" is not written with the specificity of a criminal statute, and any similarity to the language of any criminal statute does not mean that such language or statute or case(s) applies to the University's judicial system or is relevant to the interpretation or application of the "Code".

## Inherent Authority

5. The University reserves the right to take necessary and appropriate action to protect the safety and well being of the campus community. Such action may include taking disciplinary action against those students whose behavior off University premises constitutes a violation of this "Code".

6. Students may be accountable both to civil authorities and to the University for acts that constitute violations of law and of this "Code". Disciplinary action at the University will not be subject to challenge on the grounds that criminal charges involving the same incident have been dismissed or reduced or that no criminal charges have been brought.

## Interim Suspension

7. The Dean of Students or designee, following consultation with the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and the General Counsel or their designees, may evict a student from University housing or suspend a student from the University for an interim period not to exceed 21 days, pending disciplinary proceedings or medical evaluation. The interim eviction/suspension shall become immediately effective without prior notice whenever there is evidence that the continued presence of the student on the campus poses a substantial and immediate threat to himself or herself or to others or to the stability and continuance of normal University functions. Interim suspension shall be considered an excused absence.

8. A student suspended or evicted on an interim basis will be granted a disciplinary hearing or conference as soon as is practical.

## Standards of Classroom Behavior

9. The primary responsibility for managing the classroom environment rests with the faculty. Students who engage in any prohibited or unlawful acts that result in disruption of a class may be directed by the instructor to leave the class for the remainder of the class period. Longer suspensions from a class or dismissal on disciplinary grounds must be preceded by a disciplinary conference or hearing, as set forth in Articles 25 and 26 of this "Code", or in accordance with Articles 7 and 8 above.

The term "prohibited...acts" includes behavior prohibited by the instructor (including, but not limited to, smoking in the classroom, persistently speaking without being recognized or called on, refusing to be seated, disrupting the class by leaving and entering the room without authorization). It must be emphasized that this provision is not designed to be used as a means to punish classroom dissent. The

expression of disagreement with the instructor or classmates is not in itself disruptive behavior.

#### Office of Student Judicial Services

10. The Office of Student Judicial Services within the Dean of Students Office directs the efforts of students and staff members in matters involving student discipline and supports the University's mission of guiding students to become more responsible citizens. The responsibilities of the Office include:

- a. Determining the disciplinary charges to be filed according to this "Code";
- b. Interviewing, advising, and assisting parties involved in disciplinary proceedings and arranging for a balanced presentation before the various judicial boards on a timely basis;
- c. Training and advising the campus judiciary;
- d. Maintaining all student non-academic disciplinary records;
- e. Developing procedures for conflict resolution;
- f. Conducting disciplinary conferences;
- g. Collecting and disseminating research and analysis concerning student conduct;
- h. Resolving cases of student misconduct, including the imposition of sanctions lesser than suspension or expulsion.

#### Prohibited Conduct

11. Violence of any kind will not be tolerated on or off University premises or at University-sponsored activities. Any student, group, or organization found to have committed misconduct is subject to disciplinary action and to the sanctions outlined in this "Code". Attempts to commit any of these acts of misconduct are included in the scope of these definitions. The following are examples of misconduct subject to disciplinary action (subject to the provisions of Article 5):

- a. Sexual Assault - Inflicting any sexual invasion (including but not limited to sexual intercourse) upon any person without that person's consent. "Consent" requires actual words or conduct indicating a freely given agreement to have sexual intercourse, or to participate in sexual activities. The University community should be aware that, depending on the particular circumstances, previous sexual relationships, the current relationship between the persons involved, or silence or lack of protest do not necessarily constitute consent. Further, the degree of impairment of a person's ability to give or withhold consent (including but not limited to incapacity or helplessness caused by alcohol or other drugs) may be introduced as pertinent information at any University disciplinary hearing.
- b. Physical Abuse - Committing physical abuse and/or battery of any person.
- c. Assault - Placing a person in fear of imminent physical danger or injury through the use of electronic, written, verbal, or physical threats.
- d. Sexual Harassment - Committing sexual harassment against another person. "Sexual harassment" means sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature when:

- (1) Submission to such conduct is made explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of academic performance, advancement, or employment; or
- (2) Submission to or rejection of such conduct by a person is used as a basis for a decision relating to the academic performance, advancement, or employment of the person; or
- (3) A person knows or should have known that such conduct is unwelcome and that the conduct has the purpose or effect of

- (a) Substantially interfering with a person's academic or work performance; or
- (b) Limiting participation in University programs or University-sponsored activities; or
- (c) Creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive academic, work, social, or living environment.

- e. Drug / Alcohol Violation - Possession or use of alcohol by persons under 21; intoxication on University premises; possession or use of illegal drugs or controlled substances; possession of paraphernalia containing drug residue; manufacture or distribution of illegal drugs or controlled substances.
- f. Weapon Violation - Use, possession, or storage of any firearms, ammunition, knives, other weapons, or objects that could be construed as weapons. Items that pose a potential hazard to the safety or health of others are also prohibited.
- g. False Alarm/Report - Knowingly or negligently causing or attempting to cause a fire in a University building; initiating or causing to be initiated any false alarm/report, warning, or threat of fire, explosion, or other emergency.
- h. Interfering With University Events - Interfering with any normal University or University-sponsored events, including but not limited to studying, teaching, research, and University administration, fire, police, or emergency services.
- i. Sanction Violation - Violating the terms of any disciplinary sanction imposed in accordance with this "Code".
- j. Dishonesty - Non-academic dishonesty including but not limited to,
  - (1) Furnishing false information to the University or University personnel, including the University Police.
  - (2) Furnishing false information at University disciplinary proceedings.
  - (3) Forgery, unauthorized alteration, or unauthorized use of any University documents, records, or identification cards, including computer records, misuse of computer facilities, and electronic mailing systems. Academic dishonesty violations will be handled according to the Code of Academic Integrity.
- k. Misuse of Fire Safety Equipment - Misuse or damage to fire safety equipment, such as fire extinguishers or exit signs.
- l. Theft - Theft of property or of services or knowing possession of stolen property.
- m. Destruction of Property - Destroying or damaging University property, such as library holdings, or the property of others.

- n. **Non-compliance** - Failure to comply with reasonable directions of University officials, including University Police officers and representatives of the Office of Student Judicial Services acting in performance of their duties. Directives to cooperate in the administration of this "Code" including those to appear and give testimony at a University disciplinary proceeding as well as directives to produce identification are included in the scope of this provision.
- o. **Regulation Violation** - Any violation of other published University regulations including but not limited to The Alcoholic Beverage Consumption and Distribution Policy, regulations governing student organizations, the GWHP Residential Community Conduct Guidelines and Administrative Policies (whether the student lives in residence or not) and other lease agreements with the University, the Code of Computer Usage, and the Gelman Library Rules and Regulations.
- p. **Fireworks Violation** - Use or possession of fireworks.
- q. **Violation of Law** - Violation of federal and/or local law, including, but not limited to, possession of any false, fraudulent, or otherwise illegal identification card or document; manufacture, sale, or distribution of local, state, or federal identification.
- r. **Unauthorized Use of the University's Name** - Any unauthorized commercial use of the University's name, logo, or other representation.
- s. **Disorderly Conduct** - Shouting or making excessive noise either inside or outside a building; verbally abusing University officials acting in performance of their duties; acting in a manner that annoys, disturbs, threatens or harasses others; disrupting obstructing or interfering with the activities of others; or behaving in a lewd or indecent manner.
- t. **Hazing** - Any act of hazing. Hazing is defined as any action taken or situation created, intentionally, with or without consent, whether on or off campus, to produce mental or physical discomfort, embarrassment, harassment, or ridicule. Such activities and situations include but are not limited to paddling in any form; creation of excessive fatigue; physical and psychological shocks; quests, treasure hunts, scavenger hunts, road trips, or any other such activities carried on outside the confines of the house or organization; wearing, publicly, apparel that is conspicuous and not normally in good taste; engaging in public stunts and buffoonery; morally degrading or humiliating games and activities; and any other activities which are not consistent with the academic mission of the University. Groups and organizations will be held responsible for the actions of their members including pledges, associates, and any other pre-initiates.  
  
Persons will be charged, in addition to the group or organization itself, under this, as well as any other applicable violations. See Articles 28 and 29 for further information on this prohibition.
- u. **Discrimination** - Committing any of the above acts because of a person's race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, veteran status, sexual orientation, or gender identify or expression.

#### Sanctions

Articles 12 and 13 represent an attempt to give needed assistance to those who are assessing sanctions. The guidance is directed toward imposing more severe disciplinary sanctions in serious cases.

However, the language concerning "mitigating factors" is broad enough to give considerable discretion to do justice, depending upon the facts in each case. The burden of establishing mitigating factors prior to imposition of sanctions is on the student accused.

12. This "Code" seeks to preserve flexibility in the imposition of sanctions so that each student or group offender is afforded the greatest possibility for appropriate and just treatment.

Significant mitigating or aggravating factors shall be considered, which may include the current demeanor and the presence or lack of a disciplinary or criminal record of the offender, as well as the nature of the offense and the extent of any damage, injury, or harm resulting from it.

- a. **Censure** - An official written reprimand for violation of specified regulations, including a warning that continuation or repetition of prohibited conduct will be cause for additional disciplinary action.
- b. **Disciplinary Probation** - Exclusion from participation in privileged or extracurricular institutional activities for a specified period of time, including athletic and any other team activity or sport. Additional restrictions or conditions may also be imposed. Violations of the terms of disciplinary probation, or any other violation of this "Code" during the period of probation, will normally result in suspension or expulsion from the University.
- c. **Restitution** - Repayment to the University or to an affected party for damages, loss, or injury resulting from a violation of this "Code".
- d. **Eviction from Residence** - Termination of residence contract and exclusion from visiting within certain or all residential facilities as set forth. Any student who is evicted shall not be entitled to a refund of room fees. Evicted students may not reside in other University-owned/controlled housing unless a waiver is granted by the Office of Student Judicial Services.
- e. **Suspension** - Exclusion from classes and other privileges or activities, including access to University premises or University-sponsored activities off campus, as set forth in the notice of suspension, for a specified period of time. Any student who is suspended shall not be entitled to any tuition or fee refund and is barred from University premises.
- f. **Expulsion** - Termination of student status and exclusion from University privileges and activities, including access to University premises or University-sponsored activities off campus, in perpetuity. Any student who is expelled shall not be entitled to any tuition or fee refund and is barred from University premises.
- g. **Other sanctions** - Other sanctions may be imposed instead of, or in addition, to those specified above. For example, students may be subject to restrictions upon or denials of University parking privileges for violations involving the use or registration of motor vehicles on campus. Service projects may also be assigned. Students may be directed to have "no contact" with other students and/or may be forbidden to access specified areas of campus ("persona non grata").

13. The following are recommended minimum sanctions:

- a. **Sexual Assault**: One year suspension and eviction from the residence halls or University-owned or controlled rental properties.

- b. Physical Abuse: One semester suspension and eviction from the residence halls or University-owned or controlled rental properties.
  - c. Assault: Disciplinary probation.
  - d. Sexual Harassment: Disciplinary probation.
  - e. Drug Violation:
    - (1) Possession and/or use:
      - 1st offense: \$50 fine, required participation in a drug abuse education program and eviction from residence halls;
      - 2nd offense: \$100 fine and required evaluation by a certified service at the student's expense;
      - 3rd offense: Conference with the Dean of Students or designee to determine the viability of the student's remaining at the University.
    - (2) Manufacture, distribution, possession with intent to distribute illegal drugs or controlled substances: One year suspension.
    - (3) Violation of the Alcohol Policy:
      - 1st offense: \$50 fine and required participation in an alcohol education program;
      - 2nd offense: \$100 fine and required assessment by a certified service at the student's expense;
      - 3rd offense: Conference with the Dean of Students or designee to determine the viability of the student's remaining at the University.
  - f. Possession or Storage of a Weapon or Object That Could Be Construed as a Weapon: Disciplinary probation and eviction from the residence halls or University-owned or controlled rental properties.
    - (1) Use of weapons, ammunition or objects that could be construed as weapons: One semester suspension.
    - (2) Use of firearms: One year suspension.
  - g. False Alarm/Report: Suspension from the University and/or eviction from the residence halls or University-owned or controlled rental properties.
  - h. Interfering with University Events: Censure.
  - i. Sanction Violation: Disciplinary probation.
  - j. Dishonesty: Disciplinary probation.
  - k. Misuse of Fire/Safety Equipment: Restitution.
  - l. Theft: Restitution.
  - m. Destruction of Property: Restitution for the cost of replacement or repairs; loss of privileges in libraries or computer or other laboratories.
  - n. Non-compliance: Disciplinary probation.
  - o. Regulation Violations: Disciplinary probation, eviction from the residence halls or University-owned or controlled rental properties; denial of computer privileges/access; loss of library privileges. In egregious cases, such as tampering with University computer records, the student may be suspended for no less than one semester.
  - p. Fireworks Violation: Eviction from the residence halls or University-owned or controlled rental properties; restitution for the cost of repairs.
  - q. Violation of Law: Disciplinary probation for acts including but not limited to possession of any falsified means of identification; one semester suspension or, in egregious cases, expulsion for acts including, but not limited to, manufacture, sale, or distribution of local, state, or federal means of identification.
  - r. Unauthorized Use of the University's Name: Disciplinary probation.
  - s. Disorderly Conduct: Disciplinary probation and/or eviction from the residence halls or University-owned or controlled rental properties.
  - t. Hazing: For groups, loss of University registration and all attendant privileges; for individuals, disciplinary probation or any other sanction applicable for additional charges.
  - u. Discrimination: Will not have a separate, minimum sanction since it only will be charged in conjunction with charges or other prohibited conduct as an aggravating circumstance to be considered in imposing sanctions for another violation.
14. Repeated or aggravated violations of any part of this "Code" may also result in expulsion or suspension or any other sanction that may be appropriate.
15. Attempts to commit acts prohibited by this "Code" or encouraging others to commit acts prohibited by this "Code" shall be punished to the same extent as completed violations.
16. Students subject to eviction from the residence halls or University-owned or controlled rental properties or suspension or expulsion from the University will be entitled to a Judicial Board hearing. Students subject to any other sanction will be entitled to an informal disciplinary conference. (See Sections 25 and 26)
- Case Referrals**
17. Any person may refer students or student groups or organizations suspected of violating any part of this "Code" to the Office of Student Judicial Services and the University Police Department. Any person who witnesses a violation in progress should report it immediately to the University Police Department.
18. The Assistant Dean of Students or designee will review the reported allegation to determine whether a sanction of suspension, eviction from housing, or expulsion is warranted. From that determination, a Judicial Board hearing or disciplinary conference will be scheduled based on the terms in Articles 25 and 26. Any student, however, may elect to have a disciplinary conference. If a student entitled to a judicial board hearing elects a disciplinary conference, the full range of sanctions may be imposed, including, eviction, suspension, and expulsion.
19. The Assistant Dean of Students or designee may defer disciplinary proceedings (Judicial Board hearing or disciplinary conference) for alleged violations of this "Code" for a period not to exceed two semesters. Pending charges may be withdrawn thereafter, depending on the conduct of the accused student, or be added to any subsequent charges within the period of deferment.

## Judicial Boards

### 20. Judicial Bodies:

- a. The University Hearing Board hears cases to be resolved in accordance with this "Code". The Board is composed of five full-time students to be selected from the pool. The pool shall consist of at least 10 full-time students selected according to Article 22 of this "Code". If the alleged misconduct may result in suspension or expulsion from the University, whenever possible, a faculty member or administrator will be included; however, the absence of a faculty member or administrator will not prevent the University Hearing Board from hearing a case. Quorum will consist of at least three students.
- b. The Student Parking Violations Board considers appeals of offenses for which a ticket was issued by Parking Services, as well as other parking matters referred by the Office of Parking Services. It may both impose and reduce prescribed fines or suspensions of parking privileges. The Board is composed of three full-time students. Board decisions are subject to administrative review at the discretion of the Assistant Dean of Students or designee, but are otherwise considered final and conclusive. Requests for appeal of parking tickets must be submitted in writing to the Office of Parking Services within thirty business days from the date the ticket was issued. Failure to appeal within this allotted time will render the original decision final and conclusive.
- c. Ad hoc Boards may be appointed by the Assistant Dean of Students or designee if after reasonable effort a board is not able to be constituted, is unable to obtain a quorum, or is otherwise unable to hear a case. Ad hoc Boards may be composed of administrators, faculty members, students, or any combination thereof. Reasonable efforts should be made to arrange for student membership on any ad hoc Board.
- d. The Committee on the Judicial System, appointed by the President for a term of two years, will be composed of the following members: two faculty members to be nominated by the Faculty Senate; two administrators to be nominated by the Dean of Students; and two full-time undergraduate students and one graduate student to be nominated by the President of the Student Association. Quorum will consist of three members with each constituency - administrators, faculty, and students - represented. The chair should be a member of the Faculty Senate. In addition to reviewing appeals, other tasks or assignments may be referred to the Committee at the discretion of the Dean of Students. The Committee on the Judicial System's decisions on appeals are final and conclusive.

21. With the exception of the Student Parking Violations Board, the finding of fact as determined by each Judicial Board will be forwarded to the Assistant Dean of Students or designee for determination and imposition of sanction, if applicable. In case of suspension or expulsion, the Dean of Students or designee, in concurrence with the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs or designee, will impose sanctions.

### Selection and Removal of Judicial Board Members

22. Student members of each Judicial Board and the presiding officer are selected in accordance with procedures developed by the Assistant Dean of Students or designee. Student members of each Judicial Board are appointed by the Dean of Students or designee to serve for a term of one year. Faculty and administrative members of each Judicial Board are nominated by the Faculty Senate and the Dean of Students,

respectively, and are appointed by the President for terms established by the Faculty Senate.

23. Members of any judicial pool who are charged with any violation of this "Code" or with a criminal offense will be suspended from their judicial positions by the Assistant Dean of Students or designee during the pendency of the charges against them. Members found in-violation of any such violation or guilty of a criminal offense will be disqualified from any further participation in the University judicial system. Additional grounds and procedures for removal may be established by the Assistant Dean of Students or designee.

24. Students, faculty and staff appointed as members of any Judicial Board must adhere to absolute confidentiality relative to the matters and names of all persons who participate in the judicial process. Any student who violates this provision will be charged and, if found in violation, will be sanctioned.

### Procedural Guidelines - Disciplinary Conferences

25. When deemed appropriate by violation, when requested by students in place of a Judicial Board hearing, or when used to adjudicate minor violations of residence hall regulations, the following procedural guidelines for a disciplinary conference will be used:

A disciplinary conference will normally consist of an informal, non-adversarial meeting between the accused student and a University administrator or an experienced member of the University Hearing Board as designated by the Assistant Dean of Students or designee, or the Office of Student Judicial Services. Respondents may request the Office of Student Judicial Services to call appropriate and relevant witnesses on their behalf. Accused students who fail to appear after written notice will be deemed not to have contested the allegations against them; however, a student may elect not to speak on his or her own behalf.

The following procedural guidelines are applicable to respondents in disciplinary conferences:

- a. Written notice of the specific charges and date of the scheduled conference at least three days prior to the conference.
- b. Reasonable access to the case file at least three days prior to and during the conference. A case file is part of the student's education record under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974. The personal notes of University staff members are not included in the case file. The case file will be retained in the Office of Student Judicial Services.
- c. The opportunity to respond to the evidence and to call appropriate and relevant student witnesses. It is expected that all witnesses will provide information that is true and correct. Any student who knowingly provides false information during a disciplinary conference will be charged under Article 11, section j of this "Code".
- d. The right to an advisor in accordance with the guidelines in Article 27.
- e. If a student entitled to a Judicial Board hearing elects a disciplinary conference, the full range of sanctions may be imposed, including eviction, suspension, and expulsion.
- f. Notarized affidavits may be accepted or other accommodations made at the discretion of the presiding officer in lieu of live testimony if a witness is out of state or otherwise determined to be unavailable.

## Procedural Guidelines - Disciplinary Hearings

26. The following procedural guidelines shall be applicable in all disciplinary hearings:

- a. Students accused of violations will be given written notice of the hearing date and the specific charges against them within a reasonable amount of time and be given reasonable access to the case file, which will be retained in the Office of Student Judicial Services.
- b. The Office of Student Judicial Services will take steps to compel the attendance of student witnesses whose testimony may help the University Hearing Board establish the factual record. Failure to appear when called will result in charges under this "Code" but will not invalidate the proceedings. Character witnesses will not be heard. It is expected that all witnesses will provide information that is true and correct. Any student who knowingly provides false information during a disciplinary hearing will be charged under Article 11, section j of this "Code".
- c. Accused students who fail to appear after written notice will be deemed not to have contested the allegations against them; however, a student may elect not to speak on his or her own behalf. In such cases, the University Hearing Board's decision will be based solely on witness testimony and other information presented during the proceeding.
- d. Hearings will be closed to the public.
- e. The presiding officer will exercise control over the proceedings to maintain proper decorum, to avoid needless consumption of time, and to achieve an orderly completion of the hearing. Anyone disrupting the hearing may be removed or excluded from the hearing by the presiding officer, the Assistant Dean of Students, or designee. Such disruption is a violation of this "Code", and a person may be charged following his or her disruption and removal.
- f. Hearings will be recorded or transcribed. The method used is at the discretion of the Assistant Dean of Students or designee.
- g. Any party may challenge a Board member on the grounds of personal bias. The decision to disqualify a Board member will be made by the Assistant Dean of Students or designee. This decision is final.
- h. Witnesses will be truthful in giving testimony before the Board. Furnishing false information in such a context is a violation of this "Code" and appropriate sanctions will be applied.
- i. Only the immediate parties (and the respondent's advisor if applicable) to the alleged violation may be present throughout the hearing. All parties will be excluded during Board deliberations.
- j. The Board will question all parties in an effort to establish the factual record. On disputed points, a preponderance of the evidence available, fairly considered, will decide the facts. A "preponderance of the evidence" means that it is "more likely than not" that a fact is true or an event occurred.
- k. Formal rules of evidence will not be applicable in disciplinary proceedings described in this "Code". Confidentiality will be observed.

- l. All parties may question witnesses who testify for any of the parties at the hearing.
- m. Prior to the hearing, the Assistant Dean of Students or designee may appoint a special presiding officer in complex cases.
- n. Reports of the Board shall include a finding of fact and a determination of whether or not the respondent is in violation of the alleged misconduct. If the Board determines the respondent to be in violation, the report will also include a recommendation of sanction. The Board may consider mitigating or aggravating circumstances when making a sanction recommendation. The report will be forwarded to the Assistant Dean of Students or designee for review. If in the judgment of the Assistant Dean of Students or designee the sanction recommended by the Board is significantly at variance with sanctions imposed in closely similar cases, the Assistant Dean of Students or designee may then revise the sanction.
- o. In cases of suspension or expulsion, the Dean of Students or designee, in concurrence with the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs or designee, will impose sanctions. The past disciplinary record of the accused student and applicable mitigating and aggravating circumstances will be taken into account in determining the sanction(s).
- p. The accused student will receive, in writing within a reasonable amount of time, the decision of the Board and the sanction(s) determined.
- q. Accused students have the right to an advisor in accordance with the guidelines in Article 27.
- r. Notarized affidavits may be accepted or other accommodations made at the discretion of the presiding officer in lieu of live testimony if a witness is out of state or otherwise determined to be unavailable.

### Representatives and Advisors

27. Representation is not permitted in University disciplinary hearings or conferences. Accused students may be accompanied by an advisor or friendly observer. The role of advisors shall be limited to consultation with respondents; advisors may not address the Board or question hearing participants. Violations of this limitation will result in the advisors being ejected from the hearing at the discretion of the presiding officer. The advisor may be, but may not act as, legal counsel. Accused students must notify the Office of Student Judicial Services if they will have legal counsel at the hearing or conference at least three business days prior to the hearing or conference.

### Student Groups and Organizations

28. Student groups and organizations may be charged with violations of this "Code".
29. A student group or organization may be held collectively responsible and its officers may be held individually responsible when violations of the "Code" by those associated with the group or organization have occurred.

A position of leadership in a student group, organization, or athletic team entails responsibility. Student officers cannot permit, condone, or acquiesce in any violation of this "Code" by the group or organization.

This section of the "Code" is also designed to hold a group, including athletic teams, student organizations, and their officers, accountable for any act of hazing. For example, requiring, expecting, or encouraging

members to consume any drugs, including alcohol, as a condition or prelude to membership or further participation in the organization would constitute a violation of Article 11, sections b, e, h, and t. This is because such an activity may be physically abusive, constitutes an interference with normal University activities, and violates drug or alcohol regulations. The express or implied "consent" of the victim or participant is not a defense. Participants in these activities will be charged; the University community is considered to be the victim.

30. The officers or leaders or any identifiable spokesperson for a student group or organization may be directed by the Assistant Dean of Students or designee to take appropriate action designed to prevent or end violations of this "Code" by the group or organization. Failure to make reasonable efforts to comply with the Assistant Dean of Students or designee's directive shall be considered a violation of this "Code" by the officers, leaders, or spokesperson for the group or organization and by the group or organization itself.

31. Sanctions for group or organization misconduct may include revocation or denial of registration, as well as other appropriate sanctions.

### Appeals

32. Appeals must be based on new information that is relevant to the case, that was not previously presented at the hearing or conference, and that significantly alters the finding of fact.

33. Appeals must be submitted in writing to the Office of Student Judicial Services within five business days from the date of the written sanction notice. These appeals will be reviewed by the Senior Assistant Dean of Students or designee to determine their viability based on new information significantly altering the finding of fact. Only when deemed viable will the appeal be forwarded to the Committee on the Judicial System for its review. Failure to appeal within the allotted time will render the original decision final and conclusive. Decisions to grant or deny the appeal will be based on information supplied in the written appeal and, when necessary, on the record of the original proceedings. Findings and sanctions arising from new hearings or conferences ordered by the Committee on the Judicial System are final and conclusive.

34. The Committee on the Judicial System may

- a. Affirm the finding of the original board or conference;
- b. Remand the case to the original board or conference officer for a new hearing;
- c. Request that a new board or conference officer hear the case.

35. The imposition of sanctions will be deferred during the pendency of appellate proceedings unless, in the judgment of the Dean of Students or designee, the continued presence of the student on campus poses a substantial threat to others, to himself or herself, or to the stability and continuance of normal University functions.

### Transcript Notations

36. An encumbrance may be placed on a student's University records by the Assistant Dean of Students or designee while disciplinary proceedings are pending or sanctions are incomplete.

37. Notation of disciplinary action will be made on the transcript whenever a student is expelled or suspended. Students may petition for removal of the notation of suspension when the suspension period has expired or after three years, whichever comes first. Such petitions may be granted at the discretion of the Assistant Dean of Students or designee. Factors to be considered in reviewing petitions for notation removal include the current demeanor of the student, the student's

conduct subsequent to the violation, and the nature of the violation, including the damage, injury, or harm.

### Disciplinary Files and Records

38. Case referrals may result in the development of a disciplinary file in the name of the student; the file shall be voided if the charge is not substantiated. Voided files will be so marked, shall not be kept with active disciplinary records, and shall not leave any student with a disciplinary record.

39. The files of students found in violation of any prohibited conduct will be retained as a disciplinary record until their graduation. This provision shall not, however, prohibit any program, department, college, or school of the University from retaining records of violations and reporting violations as required by their professional standards; the University may retain, for appropriate administrative purposes, records of all proceedings regarding violations of the "Code of Student Conduct". Disciplinary records may be reported to third parties in accordance with University regulations and law.

40. Disciplinary records may be removed from the student disciplinary files of the Office of the Dean of Students by the Assistant Dean of Students or designee, upon written request of the student, no sooner than one year after the finding of fact for the case. In deciding whether to grant the request, the Assistant Dean of Students or designee will consider such factors as the current demeanor of the student, the student's conduct subsequent to the violation, and the nature of the violation, including the severity of any other student's damage, injury, or harm.

41. Students assigned to complete any sanction as a result of violating any section of this "Code" will have their records encumbered by the Office of Student Judicial Services. The encumbrance will be removed upon completion of all sanctions required by the University.

### Conflicts

42. In event of conflict between the terms of this "Code of Student Conduct" and any other provision of the Guide to Student Rights and Responsibilities, the terms of this "Code" shall govern.

*Approved – October, 1996*

## Additional Conduct Regulations

In addition to the Statement of Student Rights and Responsibilities and the "Code of Student Conduct," the following are the principal regulations governing student conduct. The text below is a summary of the official University document (cited in parenthesis following the title). Please refer to the full text of the policies, which can be found online at <http://policy.gwu.edu>.

### A. Violations of Law, Including Laws Proscribing Certain Drugs (Board of Trustees Resolution -- October 19, 1968)

The University cannot condone violations of law, including violation of those laws that prohibit possession, use, sale, or distribution of certain drugs. Administrative action, which may include dismissal from the residence halls, revocation of other privileges, or suspension or dismissal from the University, may be taken in order to protect the interests of the University and the rights of others.

## **B. Possession of Firearms**

### **(Firearms and Weapons Policy)**

The possession of firearms, explosives, or other weapons by members of the University community on University premises without the explicit authorization of the University, whether or not a federal or state license to possess the same has been issued to the possessor, is prohibited.

<http://my.gwu.edu/files/policies/FirearmsFINAL.pdf>

## **C. Unauthorized Entry/Trespass**

### **(Barring People From Campus Policy)**

The University reserves the right to determine who can and cannot access and/or use property owned, controlled, or leased by the University. The University reserves the right to bar from University property or facilities any person, whether or not affiliated with the University, to whom the University does not wish to allow access.

<http://my.gwu.edu/files/policies/BarringPeopleFINAL.pdf>

## **D. Misuse of University Identification**

### **(GWorld Card Policy)**

The GWorld Card is the official identification card of the University, and it is required for access to certain campus buildings (such as residence halls, libraries, and athletic facilities) and to University events. The card also provides a declining balance account for purchases at on- and off-campus merchants. By accepting the GWorld card, an individual agrees to be bound by the requirements set forth in the GWorld Card Policy. Violations may result in confiscation of the card and disciplinary action up to and including termination of employment or enrollment.

<http://my.gwu.edu/files/policies/GWorldCardFINAL.pdf>

## **E. Animals in Residential Buildings**

### **(Residential Community Conduct Guidelines)**

No animals of any kind, other than properly attended service animals for individuals with disabilities (registered through the Office of Disability Support Services), are permitted in University residence halls. In the event animals, including laboratory specimens, are found in a residence hall, the University reserves the right to have them removed and to bill the student(s) responsible for required extermination and cleaning services. Disciplinary action may be taken against the student(s).

<http://gwired.gwu.edu/osjs/Policies/RCCG/>

## **F. Demonstration**

### **(Demonstrations Policy)**

The University supports the rights of members of the community to dissent and to demonstrate that dissent, provided that such activities do not disrupt normal campus operations, obstruct free access to University buildings, facilities, or spaces or infringe upon the rights of others.

<http://my.gwu.edu/files/policies/DemonstrationsFINAL.pdf>

## **G. Disruption of University Functions**

### **(Board of Trustees Resolution -- January 16, 1969)**

Any member of the University (including as members of the University all persons having a formal connection with the University) who

1. Engages in conduct that unreasonably obstructs teaching, research, and learning, or
2. Unreasonably obstructs free access to members of the University or to University buildings, or
3. Disobeys general regulations of the University, or
4. Damages University property or injures members or guests of the University

may be punished for conduct by dismissal from the University, or by some lesser disciplinary action, through procedures established within the University for the government of its members.

## **H. Political Activities**

### **(Political Activity Policy)**

The University's policy is to comply with Internal Revenue Service regulations that restrict the use of its property and employees in political campaign activities in support of or in opposition to candidates.

<http://my.gwu.edu/files/policies/PoliticalActivityFINAL.pdf>

## **I. Right to Change Rules and Programs**

### **(University Bulletin)**

The University reserves the right to modify or change requirements, rules, and fees. Such regulations shall go into force whenever the proper authorities may determine. The right is reserved by the University to make changes in programs without notice whenever circumstances warrant such changes.

<http://www.gwu.edu/~bulletin/grad/unrg.html>

## **J. Right to Dismiss Students**

### **(University Bulletin)**

The University reserves the right to dismiss or exclude any student from the University, or from any class or classes, whenever, in the interest of the student or the University, the University Administration deems it advisable.

<http://www.gwu.edu/~bulletin/grad/unrg.html>

## **K. Non-Punitive Administrative Actions**

In the course of University administration, faculty and administrators may take actions that have some coloring of punitive action but that, in fact, are not taken with intent to punish the student. Actions of this kind are necessary to the reasonable operation of the University, but care must be exercised that they do not become devices for avoiding the safeguards established to avoid unfair, arbitrary, or capricious invasions of student rights. An example is the refusal to re-enroll a student with unpaid indebtedness to the University. Another example would be the refusal to re-enroll a student with incapacitating psychological disturbances. Another example would be the requirement that a student pay for damage to University property caused by his or her negligence. These examples are illustrative, not a comprehensive description of these inherent administrative powers. These actions are not governed by the disciplinary procedures of the *Statement of Student Rights and Responsibilities* or by the "Code of Student Conduct."



Dear Students,

One of the great benefits of attending The George Washington University is our location in the Foggy Bottom/West End and Foxhall communities. We enjoy numerous cultural activities as well as excellent shopping, restaurants, and entertainment opportunities.

The George Washington University is committed to being a good neighbor in our community. The GW University Police Department, the Office of Community Relations, and the Office of Off-Campus Student Affairs demonstrate this commitment and work in partnership with students and neighbors to address concerns and make a better community for all of us.

We often hear concerns from our neighbors about noise. Our neighborhoods are filled with working professionals, senior citizens and families with young children. The lifestyle of students can be very different from the lifestyle of our neighbors. You may be walking with a group of friends for a fun night out at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday night, just when parents are putting their children to bed. Or, you may be returning at 1:00 a.m. from enjoying a night on the town and families are sound asleep.

To help us all be better members of our community, we are continuing the Quiet Zone initiative for the Fall 2011 semester. We encourage everyone to keep these tips in mind:

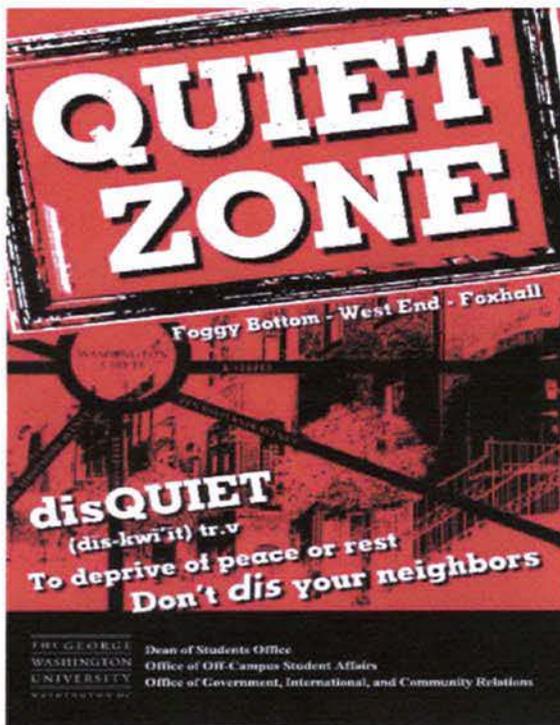
- When walking in a group, please keep your talking and laughing to a moderate level, particularly during late night hours.
- Pay special attention to residential buildings. DC laws make it illegal to shout or make a disturbance outside a building at night.
- Refrain from congregating outside of your on or off campus residence late at night or early in the morning.
- Keep your mobile phone conversations to a reasonable volume.

We encourage you to follow these tips, and your own common sense, in our neighborhoods. Courtesy can reap tremendous benefits for our communities. Please help us all to be better neighbors and encourage others to take part in the Quiet Zone.

Sincerely,

Andrew Goretsky  
Director, Graduate, Distance, and Professional Student Experience  
Off-Campus Student Affairs  
The Center for Student Engagement

Britany Waddell  
Director, Office of Community Relations



One of the great benefits of attending GWU is its location in the Foggy Bottom/West End and Foxhall communities.

The George Washington University is committed to being a good neighbor in our community. One of the concerns we often hear from our neighbors is about noise. The lifestyle of students can be very different from our neighbors. As a friendly reminder to students leaving their residence halls, we offer the following tips:

- *Keep talking and laughing to a moderate level.*
- *Do not make a disturbance outside of a building at night.*
- *Try not to congregate beneath windows of a*

We **HAPPY HALLOWEEN** our own neighborhoods.

**ATTACHMENT G: Detailed Information Regarding Local Address Information**

***Local Address Information for Foggy Bottom Students not living in GW-housing<sup>1</sup>***

<b>Full-Time Foggy Bottom undergraduate Students Residing in Foggy Bottom/West End outside the Campus Plan Boundaries</b>	<b>994</b>
<b>District of Columbia outside the Foggy Bottom Campus Plan boundaries and outside Foggy Bottom/West End</b>  breakdown by zip code: 20001                    27 20002                    9 20003                    7 20004                    2 20005                    18 20006                    0 20007                    28 20008                    8 20009                    36 20010                    11 20011                    5 20012                    2 20015                    3 20016                    14 20017                    5 20018                    2 20019                    1 20020                    0 20024                    5 20027                    0 20032                    0 20036                    19 20037                    21 20056                    0 20071                    0 20076                    0 20078                    0	<b>223</b>
<b>Maryland</b>	<b>105</b>
<b>Virginia</b>	<b>260</b>

Note 1: This data is current as of the GW census date, November 4, 2011 and represents a 84% response rate from the 1,682 full-time Foggy Bottom Undergraduate Students not included in the GW Foggy Bottom housing program.

**ATTACHMENT H: Detailed data regarding the number of off-street parking spaces per garage**

<b>THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY PARKING SERVICES<sup>1</sup></b>				
On Campus Parking			November 2011	
Lot #	Lot Name	Self-Park	Valet Parking	Total Spaces
3	Lot 3	22	45	67
4	Academic Center Garage	226	60	286
5	Elliot School	198	0	198
6	New Hall Garage	59	0	59
7	Ambulatory Care Center G	110	0	110
9	Media & Public Affairs G	64	0	64
10	Warwick Lot	24	0	24
12	Lot 12	23	0	23
43	Kennedy Onassis <sup>3</sup>	0	0	0
14	Ross Hall Garage	139	48	187
15	Old Main	63	0	63
16	Funger Hall Garage	218	46	264
17	Ivory Tower	90	0	90
18	South Hall (Square 80)	180	0	180
20	Dakota	60	0	60
21	Health & Wellness Garage	112	0	112
UPG	University Parking Garage <sup>3</sup>	0	0	0
-	University Parking Garage Addition <sup>3</sup>	0	0	0
MC	Marvin Center Garage	170	126	296
Lot A	Support Building <sup>2</sup>	0	0	0
Square 54	The Avenue	362	100	462
Rear of Westend	Rear of Westend	9	0	9
International House	International House (Formally: Riverside Towers)	5	0	5
Interim Parking	Off-campus leased spaces at the Kennedy Center	350	0	350
<b>Total</b>		<b>2,484</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>2,909</b>

**Note 1:** In 2011 GW demolished the University Parking Garage and implemented an interim parking strategy.

This strategy utilized additional valet parking and the re-striping of garages to maximize the number of spaces. The University also leased additional spaces at the Kennedy Parking Garage so that parking space requirements would be maintained.

**Note 2:** 93 spaces taken out of service in October 2010 for the construction of the Law Learning Garage. Construction is expected to be completed in spring 2012 and will include approximately 450 below-grade and surface parking spaces.

**Note 3:** a total of 1,502 spaces were taken offline in summer 2011 for the construction of the Science & Engineering Hall.

**ATTACHMENT I: Materials Evidencing GW's Efforts related to Transportation Management**

# TRANSPORTATION & PARKING SERVICES

[Parking at GW](#)

[Parking Locations](#)

[Rates & Forms](#)

[Public Transportation](#)

[FAQ](#)

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## DC Transportation Resources

Here are some alternate resources to help you figure out how to get around GW's Campus and the DC Metro area.

### Around Campus

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The GW **Main Campus Shuttle**

The GW **Virginia Campus Shuttle**

### Around DC/MD/VA



Maryland Transit Administration



The DC City Pages **Review of Taxi Cab service** in the District

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METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON  
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Transportation options from Washington Dulles International Airport



Virginia Railway Express

**Office of Parking Services, 2211 H St. NW, Washington, DC 20052, (202) 994-PARK (7275).  
Office Hours are Monday - Friday, 8am - 5pm.**

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## Foggy Bottom Campus Public Transportation Options

**M** The Foggy Bottom campus is served by myriad public transit options, including the Foggy Bottom-GWU Metrorail Station (Blue and Orange lines), numerous Metrobus routes and commuter buses from Maryland and Virginia.

■ [www.wmata.com](http://www.wmata.com) has complete information about Metrobus and Metrorail.

■ The DC Circulator ([www.dccirculator.com](http://www.dccirculator.com)) and the Georgetown Metro Connection ([www.georgetowndc.com](http://www.georgetowndc.com)) also offer convenient downtown service.

■ Regional rail services are provided by Virginia Rail Express, Maryland's MARC Train, and Amtrak.

**Advice for new bus riders:** Metrobus names and routes can be confusing at first! Visit the interactive map at [www.goDCgo.com](http://www.goDCgo.com) for full details about the easiest way to take a bus to your destination.

Major bus lines include: **M1** the 30 series (30, 32, 34, 35, 36, 38B); **M2** the D series (D1, 3, 5, 6); **M3** the N series (N2, 3, 4, 6); **M4** the H1 series; **M5** 80 series; **M6** the Y series (Y3, 11, 16) and the **M6** S1 series; as well as the **M7** the L series (L1 & 2). The map to the right shows primary locations of bus stops for each series.

**GW's pre-tax transportation benefits** allow full time and regular part time **GW employees** to set aside up to \$230 per month on a pre-tax basis for the purchase of "Metrocheks" or Metro SmartTrip funds. SmartTrip cards can be used on Metrobus, Metrorail, DASH, Ride-On services and the DC Circulator.

### Bicycles

Bicycle racks and storage facilities are available throughout the Foggy Bottom and Mount Vernon campuses. Outdoor bike racks on the Foggy Bottom Campus can be found at the locations depicted on the map to the right. Mount Vernon Campus bike racks can be found at:

■ UPD gatehouse ■ Lloyd Gym ■ Somers Hall ■ Merriweather Hall

**BICYCLE REGISTRATION ON CAMPUS:** The University Police Department offers free bicycle registration services — find out more at <http://gwired.gwu.edu/upd/services/theftprevention/bikeregistration>

### DDOT's SmartBike Program

DDOT's SmartBike program offers a rental location on 23rd Street in front of the GW Hospital. The program features self-service bike rental kiosks at 10 locations around DC. For more information, go to [www.smartbikedc.com](http://www.smartbikedc.com)

### Shuttle Transportation Options:

**MV The Vern Express**—connects the Mount Vernon and Foggy Bottom Campuses. For more information, visit <http://gwired.gwu.edu/mvd/express/>

**CS The Colonial Express Shuttle**—serves the Foggy Bottom Campus and the surrounding neighborhood. For more information, visit <http://gwired.gwu.edu/upd/transportation/ColonialExpressShuttleBuscopy/>

**VA The Virginia Campus Shuttle**—connects the Foggy Bottom and Virginia Campus (also provides service to the Virginia Campus from West Falls Church Metro during certain times of the day). For more information, visit <http://www.va.gwu.edu/student-services/vanpool.html>

**The West Falls Church Express** bus service connects Metro's West Falls Church Station to the main entrances of Research I and Building II from 6:15 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Monday-Friday. This is a free service for GWorld card-holders and \$1 for general public each way. For more information, visit [www.vatransit.org](http://www.vatransit.org)

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## Transportation Options for GW students, faculty, staff and neighbors



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## ZipCar—[www.zipcar.com/friendsofgw](http://www.zipcar.com/friendsofgw)



Located throughout the Foggy Bottom Campus, ZipCar offers rental vehicles on an hourly basis. A variety of vehicle options are available and gas and insurance are included. Become a ZipCar member and rent a ZipCar at [www.zipcar.com/friendsofgw](http://www.zipcar.com/friendsofgw) or 1-866-494-7227. *GW students, staff and faculty can join at a reduced annual rate of*

*\$25 with no application fee—rentals are charged on a per hour basis.*

## DC Specific Transportation Information

[www.goDCgo.com](http://www.goDCgo.com) links directly to all transportation information relevant to getting you "Straight to the Point" in Washington, DC. The site includes interactive mapping technology allowing you to plot your trip and choose the transportation options that fit your needs. Whether you are a student, employee or neighbor, [www.goDCgo.com](http://www.goDCgo.com) is your "one stop shop" for getting around DC.

## Free Regional Commuter Assistance



### [www.CommuterConnections.org](http://www.CommuterConnections.org)

- **Ridematching**—Are you interested in saving money on parking and gas? Share the ride to work with a fellow GW co-worker! The Commuter Connections Ridematching program allows you to find others who live and work near you, have similar work schedules, and are interested in carpooling and/or vanpooling to and from work. Commuter Connections' ridesharing technology allows you to view an interactive and comprehensive list of all potential ridesharing partners in your area.
- **Guaranteed Ride Home (GRH)**—This program provides up to four free taxi rides home per year for registered commuters who take public transportation, carpool, walk, and bike to work. For more information on these and other programs visit the Commuter Connections website at [www.CommuterConnections.org](http://www.CommuterConnections.org)

## Campus Escort Vans/4RIDE



The University Police Department offers a free vehicle escort service to and from locations on and near the Foggy Bottom Campus. This service is available from 7:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. to enhance the safety and peace of mind for members of the GW community needing to travel between dusk and dawn. To use 4RIDE, call 202-994-RIDE and provide your name, current location and destination to the UPD dispatcher. More information regarding service areas is available online at <http://gwired.gwu.edu/upd>

## DC Taxicabs

DC Taxicabs now operate on a meter system with a \$3.25 initial charge for the first half mile plus \$0.90 for each additional 1/2 of a mile or fraction thereof. More details can be found at [www.dctaxi.dc.gov](http://www.dctaxi.dc.gov)

## NuRide



NuRide is a flexible ridesharing program that encourages and rewards carpooling. The free program serves GW employees at the Foggy Bottom, Mount Vernon and Virginia campuses. You can sign up for one ride or for recurring rides, commuting, errands or other travel needs. Registered "riders" earn reward points for each carpool ride found on the "NuRide" site. Reward points can be redeemed online for retail gift cards, discounts and event tickets.

### To use NuRide:

1. Register your GW email address with NuRide.
2. Find other GW employees who have a similar travel route.
3. Share a ride.
4. Go online to record your trip and earn reward points.
5. Redeem your points for a NuRide reward.

For more information, go to [www.nuride.com](http://www.nuride.com).



## Transportation Options

for GW students, faculty, staff and neighbors



### Information/Contact Us

The DC Zoning Commission's approval of **The 2007 Foggy Bottom Campus Plan** allows GW to implement a "Grow Up, Not Out" strategy so the University can accommodate its academic and student housing space requirements within the existing campus boundaries. To ease traffic and support sustainable practices, GW is increasing its efforts to encourage the use of public transportation and promote smart growth development strategies. This fact sheet aims to provide students, staff, faculty and neighbors of GW's campuses with information about available **transportation options**. We welcome your comments on how we can better serve your transportation needs.

- Send transportation related questions/comments to [gwutrans@gwu.edu](mailto:gwutrans@gwu.edu)
- Visit [www.neighborhood.gwu.edu](http://www.neighborhood.gwu.edu) for more details on the 2007 Foggy Bottom Campus Plan, Square 54 and other campus development projects.

**Flexible Work Arrangements** The University offers flexible work arrangements such as compressed work weeks, flex time and telecommuting in appropriate circumstances. Such arrangements must be approved in advance by an employee's supervisor and the appropriate Vice President.

**Carpooling pays!** Effective January 1, 2009 carpoolers registered with GW's Parking Office pay \$190 monthly instead of standard \$210 monthly fee. A carpool is defined as two or more GW employees sharing the program. Parking fees paid via payroll deduction from each of the carpoolers.



### On-Campus Parking Options

GW's Foggy Bottom Campus offers a number of campus parking lots to accommodate faculty, staff, students and visitors to the campus. Visitors may park at University Parking Garage 24 hours a day/7 days a week (entrance on 22nd Street, between H & Eye Streets). Other visitor lots are located in the Marvin Center (7am-Midnight), 1957 E Street (7am-10pm) and Ambulatory Care Center (7am-8pm). Monthly contract parking is available to students, faculty and staff at a variety of locations throughout the campus.

**For parking rates and locations and information on the GW campuses go to [www.gwu.edu/parking](http://www.gwu.edu/parking)**



### On-Campus Parking Restrictions:

Freshmen and sophomore students are prohibited from bringing vehicles to the Foggy Bottom Campus and the Foggy Bottom/West End area other than in extreme/exceptional circumstances. **To view GW's on-campus parking policy, please visit <http://my.gwu.edu/files/policies/ParkingRestrictionsFINAL.pdf>**

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MONDAY, AUGUST 29 - WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21

## EXPRESS STOPS

Departure times refer to primary pickup and drop-off locations.

### MOUNT VERNON CAMPUS

- » Pickup: The Quad, (across from Somers Hall, primary location)
- » Drop-off: Rear of Academic Building (soccer field) and Eckles Library
- » For ADA arrangements, please contact GWPD at 202.242.6110 or use the telephone in Pelham Commons at West Hall.

### FOGGY BOTTOM CAMPUS

Pickup and Drop-off locations:

- » 23rd and G Streets (in front of Fonger Hall, primary location)
- » 2025 E Street (in front of the Red Cross building)
- » 2601 Virginia Avenue (Hall on Virginia Avenue, across from the Watergate) Exception: Weekdays, 7-10am, TVE does not stop here.
- » For ADA arrangements, please contact GWPD at 202.242.6110.

Exception:

Monday, September 5th (Labor Day), Thursday, November 24th and Friday, November 25th (Thanksgiving break) The Vern Express will operate on a weekend schedule.

## TIME

### MONDAY-FRIDAY

### SATURDAY-SUNDAY

12am	<b>12-7am</b> Departures every 15 minutes (from both campuses at :00, :15, :30 and :45 past the hour)	<b>12am-3pm</b> Departures every 15 minutes (from both campuses at :00, :15, :30 and :45 past the hour)
1am		
2am		
3am		
4am		
5am	<b>7-10am</b> Continuous departures every 5-7 minutes from both campuses (trip may take longer due to rush hour)	
6am		
7am		
8am	<b>10am-3pm</b> Continuous departures every 5-10 minutes from both campuses	
9am		
10am		
11am	<b>3-7pm</b> Continuous departures every 5-7 minutes from both campuses (trip may take longer due to rush hour)	
12pm		
1pm		
2pm	<b>3-10pm</b> Continuous departures every 5-10 minutes from both campuses	
3pm		
4pm		
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11pm		
12am		

Starting this fall you can get real time Vern Express locations by using the GW mobile application.

**SIGN UP** for instant text message updates (powered by Twitter) about The Vern Express (including notice of service interruptions, excessive traffic and stop location moves) at <http://gwired.gwu.edu/mvcl/express>

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## VIRGINIA SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY CAMPUS TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS

### GW'S INTER-CAMPUS SHUTTLE SERVICE

**MONDAY-FRIDAY FOGGY BOTTOM & VIRGINIA CAMPUS SERVICE**  
(UPDATED AS OF AUGUST 29, 2011)

**FROM FOGGY BOTTOM** (Funger Hall on G Street, between 22nd and 23rd Streets, NW)

Departs Foggy Bottom	9:50am	12:00pm	2:30pm	4:45pm	10:15pm*
Arrives at VA Campus	10:45am	12:45pm	3:25pm	5:40pm	10:55pm*

**FROM VA CAMPUS** (Main entrances of Enterprise, Innovation, and Exploration Halls)

Departs Enterprise Hall	8:35am	10:45am	12:50pm	3:30pm	9:00pm
Departs Innovation Hall	8:40am	10:50am	12:55pm	3:35pm	9:05pm
Departs Exploration Hall	8:45am	10:55am	1:00pm	3:40pm	9:10pm
Arrives at Foggy Bottom	9:45am	11:55am	2:00pm	4:40pm	10:10pm

\*Late-night shuttle runs Monday-Thursday **ONLY**. No Friday service.



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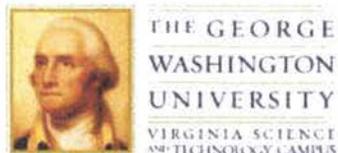
#### MORNING DEPARTURES from West Falls Church and Loudoun County

West Falls Church Metro Station Bus Bay A	6:15	6:45	7:25	7:45	8:15	8:45	9:15	9:45	10:45	11:15
George Washington University Enterprise Hall	6:45	7:15	7:55	8:15	8:45	9:15	9:45	10:15	11:15	11:45
George Washington University Exploration Hall	6:50	7:20	8:00	8:20	8:50	9:20	9:50	10:20	11:20	11:50
HHMI Janelia Farm Research Campus	6:58	7:28	8:08	8:28	8:58	9:28	9:58	10:28	11:28	11:58
INOVA Loudoun Hospital	7:05	7:35	8:15	8:35	9:05	9:35	10:05	10:35	11:35	12:05
Ashburn North Park & Ride	7:15	7:45	—	8:45	9:15	—	10:15	10:45	11:45	12:15
West Falls Church Metro Station Bus Bay A	7:45	8:15	—	9:15	9:45	—	10:45	11:15	12:15	12:45

#### AFTERNOON DEPARTURES from West Falls Church and Loudoun County

West Falls Church Metro Station Bus Bay A	12:15	12:45	1:50	2:20	3:25	3:55	—	—	5:10	5:40	6:55
Ashburn North Park & Ride	12:50	1:20	2:25	2:55	4:00	4:30	—	—	5:45	6:15	7:30
INOVA Loudoun Hospital	1:00	1:30	2:35	3:05	4:20	4:50	5:20	—	6:05	6:35	7:50
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**If schedule problems occur**, contact VRTA Dispatch at **540.338.1610**.

Schedules are available online at <http://gwwirginia.gwu.edu/services/shuttles.htm>.



## GW Pre-Tax Transportation Program- SmartBenefits

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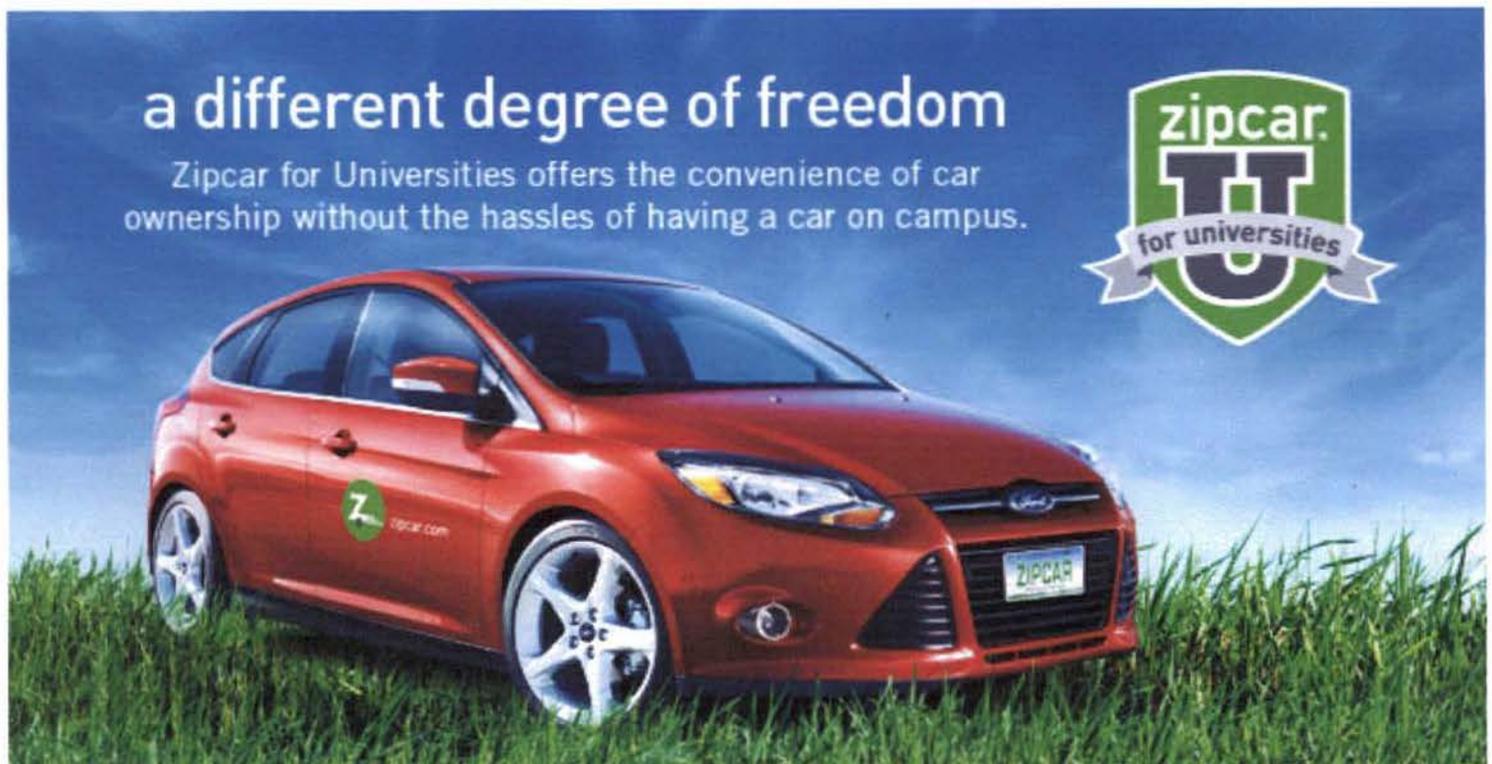
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