USG Bylaws Committee Report

Goals:
- To amend major provisions in the governing body bylaws to more accurately represent the actions and duties of the body.
- To remove unnecessary language from the bylaws to increase readability.
- To define terms that are unexplained in the bylaws.
- To remove logical inconsistencies in the bylaws while maintaining the current spirit of the document.

Actions:
- The bylaws Committee has met once to discuss future actions and to start moving the editing process forward.
- We have created a “skeleton” of the bylaws that removes all extraneous language so it is easier to edit the content.
- We have received feedback from the governing body writ-large to direct the modifications we make in the future.

Future Expectations:
- Over the winter break, the committee will create a new draft of the bylaws skeleton that reflects the feedback we have received.
- Once the bylaws skeleton is combed over, a full rewriting of the bylaws will take place.
- By early next semester, we expect to have first draft of the bylaws.