

## Resolved to Educate

### Unanimous Agreement II and the College Panhellenic Purpose

Unanimous Agreement II, which refers to the jurisdiction of a College Panhellenic and how it must operate, along with the College Panhellenic purpose, found in the NPC Manual of Information, provides a roadmap for College Panhellenics on how to operate and what to focus their attention on. College Panhellenics cannot take action that infringes on the sovereignty, rights and privileges of any individual NPC sorority or include in its governing documents any language that infringes on the sovereignty, rights or privileges of the individual NPC sororities or contradicts an NPC Unanimous Agreement or NPC policy. **Such language must be removed immediately; no vote is necessary.** If you have questions about these items, please contact your NPC College Panhellenic area advisor.

	What the College Panhellenic Does	What the College Panhellenic Cannot Do
<b>Membership</b>	All chapters involved in the College Panhellenic Association, regardless of their membership class, must be women's-only organizations, including any associate members.	The College Panhellenic cannot expel a chapter of any NPC sorority from its membership <i>AND</i> a NPC sorority cannot withdraw from a College Panhellenic Association.
<b>Business</b>	The College Panhellenic should conduct business via the College Panhellenic Council during the academic year. The College Panhellenic Council is composed only of delegates selected by their chapters. The council conducts business by holding meetings and taking action by vote.	Except in routine matters, the College Panhellenic Council and its officers must act only upon a vote of the delegate body after referral to the member sorority chapters and the College Panhellenic cannot require a chapter's Panhellenic delegate to be a specific chapter officer.
<b>Voting</b>	Each regular member chapter <b>ALWAYS</b> has one vote, via the College Panhellenic delegate. Associate members can vote on any matter except extension, recruitment	College Panhellenic officers may not vote, even in the event of a tie. If there is a tie, the vote fails, assuming a majority is the required

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	(if they do not fully participate) or their own removal.	threshold.
<b>Growth</b>	A College Panhellenic should promote the growth of individual chapters and the sorority community by marketing the experience and sharing membership opportunities.	A College Panhellenic cannot require sorority chapters to maintain a minimum number of members.
<b>Recruitment</b>	A College Panhellenic should organize and sponsor a women's-only membership recruitment program. If the College Panhellenic hosts continuous recruitment, they should still provide chapter support.	A College Panhellenic cannot require a scholastic grade point average as a condition for a woman's participation in the membership recruitment process or as a qualification for pledging or initiation or they cannot require an academic grade point average as a condition for a chapter's participation in membership recruitment. A College Panhellenic can also not lower a chapter's quota as a sanction.
<b>Standards</b>	A College Panhellenic should encourage the highest possible academic, social and moral standards for its member chapters.	A College Panhellenic cannot require its chapters to maintain a specific scholastic grade point average.
<b>Programming and Operations</b>	A College Panhellenic should coordinate activities, establish orderly procedures and provide for programming in addition to recruitment. If appropriate, they should also sponsor a Junior Panhellenic for specialized programming efforts.	A College Panhellenic cannot survey or collect data that reflects a chapter's internal information or require documents that are considered confidential material regarding the chapter's internal operations.

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<b>Adjudication</b>	A College Panhellenic should adjudicate all matters related to the NPC Unanimous Agreements, College Panhellenic bylaws and/or other governing documents, College Panhellenic membership recruitment rules, College Panhellenic code of ethics and College Panhellenic standing rules.	A College Panhellenic Council cannot adjudicate university policies, as those must be addressed by the institution. A College Panhellenic should also not use the peer accountability process to address individual members nor adjudicate member organization policies.
<b>General Operations</b>	A College Panhellenic should: actively support the mission of its host institution; promote good public relations; give service to the community and campus; and promote friendship, harmony and unity among members, chapters, faculty, administrators and campus groups.	

For more information about the Panhellenic purpose and the role of a College Panhellenic, please check out these resources:

- The NPC Manual of Information
- NPC Position Statement [Clarifying the Role of College Panhellenics in Safety and Risk Management](#)

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