Recognition
Students at MRC shall have the right to establish a student government herein referred to as a campus student association. Students establishing a campus student association shall develop a constitution for the association. Only currently enrolled students shall be eligible to serve as student representatives or officers. MRC recognizes the campus student association as the official representative of the students, upon receipt of evidence that the student body has approved the constitution. Both the Eveleth and Virginia campuses shall develop policies and procedures to assure representation and participation in a campus student association by students at their constituent campuses.

Students shall have the right to present their views to the Provost and/or the designee on all college matters. Meetings for an exchange of views may be initiated by either the students or the Campus Provost/designee. Meetings shall be at a mutually agreeable time.

The Student Government is the voice of the students and functions as the focal point for student views and involvement. Student Senate representatives are elected by the student body each year. Mesabi Range College currently has Student Senates on both the Eveleth and Virginia campuses. The two associations work cooperatively in addressing the needs and concerns of students on both campuses. Students are encouraged to get involved in student government.

Duties
In addition to the duties listed in MRC and board policies and the campus student association constitution, the campus student association shall have the sole authority to recommend the chartering of student clubs and organizations for approval by MRC Provost.

Appeal
The appeal of decisions made by the campus student association relative to chartering, funding, or providing service to student organizations when such decisions may be in violation of law, policy or procedure shall be conducted in accordance with the existing MRC grievance policy.

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