Constitution

of the

North Carolina State University

Outing Club

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ARTICLE 1. Title

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- 1.) To explore and study the mountains, foothills, forests, coastal areas and watercourses of the Southeastern United States and neighboring areas.
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ARTICLE 111. Membership

- ${\bf 1.)}$ Membership shall be open to all students, faculty, staff, and alumni of North Carolina State University.
- 2.) There shall be four classes of members:
 - **A.**) Life members shall be all NCSUOC Presidents upon completion of their term of office. Life members retain full privileges but need not pay dues.
 - **B.)** Advisors shall be any member of the faculty of NCSU currently serving as faculty advisor. Advisors retain full privileges but need not pay dues.
 - **C.)** Officers shall be any student, faculty, or staff currently serving as a club officer. Officers need not pay dues.
 - **D.**) Regular members shall be any student, faculty, or staff who has paid his/her dues.

ARTICLE IV. Officers

1.) The officers shall consist of the President, the Vice-President in Charge of Camping Gear, the Vice-President in Charge of Boating Gear, the Secretary, and the Treasurer.

2.) The duties of the officers:

A.) The duties of the President shall be:

1.) to call and preside at all meetings of the general membership and plan programs for the meetings.

2.) to establish appointive positions and designate interested

NCSUOC members to serve in these positions.

3.) to be the official spokesperson and representative of the

NCSUOC.

4.) to approve all plans for trips as proposed for NCSUOC outings or activities.

5.) to enforce all provisions of this constitution.

6.) to perform other duties normally assigned to this office.

B.) The duties of the Vice-Presidents shall be to:

1.) assume the duties of the President in his/her absence and perform those duties normally assigned to this office.

2.) to manage the safe-keeping, maintenance, rental, and storage of all NCSUOC-owned equipment as is further detailed in the bylaws.

The Vice-President in Charge of Camping Gear shall be responsible for all camping gear, or all gear normally stored in the Gymnasium equipment room. The Vice-President in Charge of Boating Gear shall be responsible for all boating gear, or all gear normally stored in the shed.

C.) The duties of the Secretary shall be to:

1.) publicize NCSUOC meetings and other events.

2.) manage all official correspondences and records, and all other duties normally assigned to this office.

3.) secure an adequate location for all meetings.

4.) to edit, publish, and safely store all official NCSUOC documents and archives.

5.) to keep an NCSUOC notebook in an organized condition.

D.) The duties of the Treasurer shall be:

1.) to manage all finances of the NCSUOC and perform other duties normally assigned to this office.

2.) to maintain an accurate record of all dues paid by and waiver forms signed by members.3.) to manage all NCSUOC alumni business, including that of life members.

3.) Qualifications for office

- **A.**) Any voting member in good standing with a current cumulative academic index of at least 2.00 shall be eligible to hold an elective office.
- **B.**) Any member in good standing shall be eligible to hold an appointive position.

4.) Elections

- **A.**) The officers shall be elected annually at the last regularly scheduled meeting in March.
- **B.**) Nominations may be made by any member of the NCSUOC at any time prior to the election.
- **C.**) Each member shall have one vote for each of the offices of President, Secretary, and Treasurer. The election for each of these offices shall be decided by a majority vote.
- **D.**) Each member shall vote for two of the candidates for Vice-President. The two candidates with the largest amount of votes shall be the Vice-Presidents. The two Vice-Presidents and the President shall decide which Vice-President takes Camping Gear and which takes Boating Gear.
- E.) There will be no absentee ballots.

5.) Term of office

- A.) Term of office shall be one year.
- **B.**) New officers assume their responsibilities immediately upon election with the assistance of the outgoing officers in making an orderly transition.
- **6.)** Any officer who does not properly discharge their duties may be removed from office by vote of a majority of voting members.
- 7.) Any vacancy which occurs among the officers is filled by election at a meeting of the membership as soon as possible after such vacancy occurs.

8.) The five officers shall constitute the **Board of Directors** of the NCSUOC and may meet to conduct emergency business, transact minor business, and authorize expenditures of not more than \$20.00. Actions taken at a Board meeting will be reported at the next regular meeting. Other expenditures may be made as a decision of the Board or individual officers as outlined in the by-laws.

ARTICLE V. Meetings

- 1.) General meetings shall be called at least once a week during the school year.
- **2.)** All meetings shall be conducted in accordance with "Robert's Rules of Order" unless specified otherwise by this constitution.
- 3.) Each voting member shall have one vote.
- 4.) The President shall only vote to break a tie.
- 5.) General meetings shall be open to all interested persons.
- **6.)** A quorum for conducting business shall be 50% + 1 of the membership.

ARTICLE VI. Dues

- 1.) The treasurer shall recommend a schedule of dues and rental rates to the NCSUOC for consideration and approval at the March annual meeting and elections.
- **2.)** Memberships may be paid at any time on a pro-rate basis as prescribed by the schedule of rates.

ARTICLE VII. Policies

- ${\bf 1.)}$ The NCSUOC shall abide by the rules and regulations of the North Carolina State University.
- **2.)** The NCSUOC shall not align itself with any political or religious group, nor back any individual or group in campus elections.
- **3.)** The NCSUOC shall not take part in any campus issue except in cases where the NCSUOC is directly involved.
- **4.)** There shall be no hazing or other initiation acts performed by any member on a fellow member or on any other person.

- **5.)** Non-members shall be eligible to attend any NCSUOC function under those constraints outlined in the by-laws.
- **6.**) All members, guests, and others associated with the NCSUOC during any function shall abide by the following rules:
 - **A.**) There shall be no possession or consumption of alcoholic beverages during NCSUOC functions.
 - **B.**) There shall be no possession or use of narcotics or other illegal or unprescribed drugs at NCSUOC functions.
 - C.) There shall be no firearms present at any NCSUOC function.
- **7.)** Any violations of the above policies shall be grounds for immediate termination of the involved person's affiliation with the NCSUOC.
 - **A.**) The privileges of membership may be removed from a violator by majority vote of NCSUOC members.
 - **B.**) Any person who has had the privilege of membership removed may petition for membership and be readmitted if approval is voted on by a majority of the NCSUOC membership.
- **8.)** The NCSUOC may, on approval by a majority of the voting members, affiliate with such other groups or societies considered to have sufficient mutuality of purpose an interest as shall aid in the fulfillment of the NCSUOC's purposes as described in Article II, providing that such associations do not conflict with the above policies.

ARTICLE VIII. Advisor

- ${\bf 1.)}$ The advisor shall be elected from the faculty of North Carolina State University.
 - **A.**) Nominations shall be received from members and voted on at the election meeting, after the consent of the nominee has been secured.
 - **B.**) The advisor shall be elected annually and serve for one year.
- ${\bf 2.)}$ The advisor shall attend meetings and other NCSUOC functions whenever possible.
- **3.)** The advisor shall have no vote, but shall be encouraged to express his/her opinions.
- 4.) The advisor shall not be required to pay dues or rental fees.

ARTICLE 1X. Ratification

- 1.) This constitution shall become effective when approved by the members, the student government, and the Department of Student Development.
- **2.**) Prior constitutions shall become void upon ratification of any revised constitutions, approved by a majority of the voting members, the Student Government, and the Department of Student Development.

ARTICLE X. Amendments

- 1.) An amendment may be proposed by any member.
- **2.)** Such amendments become effective when approved by a majority of the voting members, the Student Government, and the Department of Student Development.

ARTICLE XI. By-Laws

- 1.) A by-law may be proposed by any member and must be approved by a majority of the voting members.
- 2.) Such by-laws must in no way conflict with this constitution, the constitution of the Student Government, or with University regulations.

Ratified by the Charter members of the N.C. State Outing Club, 2 September 1971.

Revised by the voting members of the NCSUOC, 29 March 1972.

Revised by the voting members of the NCSUOC, 28 April 1976.

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Revised by the voting members of the NCSUOC, 25 August 1993.

By-Laws

SECTION 1. Policy statement on the organization of NCSUOC trips

- **A.**) All NCSUOC members shall have an equal opportunity to participate in NCSUOC sponsored activities.
- **B.**) Any support received by the NCSUOC shall be distributed among the several activities of the NCSUOC.
- $\ensuremath{\mathbf{C}}\xspace.)$ Any NCSUOC member may organize a NCSUOC trip under the following guidelines:
 - 1.) Should make a presentation to the President for approval concerning plans for the outing prior to announcing the trip in a meeting.
 - **2.)** Should place a sign-up sheet in the Outing Club notebook at least one week in advance of departure.
 - 3.) If University equipment is to be used the trip leader must have secured proper approval and should be aware of policies concerning P-cars.
 - **4.)** Should have a knowledge of basic first aid and is responsible for carrying a first aid kit.
- **D.**) Penalty for violation of policy short of expulsion from the NCSUOC may include assessment for the use of NCSUOC equipment at non-Club trip rates and/or payment to the NCSUOC treasury a penalty equal to the value of the support used on the trip, as determined by a vote of the membership.

SECTION 11. Use of P-Cars

- A.) All rules regarding the use of University cars shall be followed.
- B.) P-cars cannot be used for cloned trips.
- C.) Any trip in which a P-car is to be used must be approved by a vote of the membership.
- **D.**) Transportation in P-cars is limited to persons who have filled out the necessary releases and insurance forms and returned them to the Treasurer.

SECTION 111. Equipment Rental Policy

A.) NCSUOC-owned equipment is for rent for free to current members. Non-members can rent equipment if a predetermined rental fee is paid in advance.

No person will be permitted to pay membership dues during the summer for the sole purpose of obtaining equipment. Such persons will be required to pay the rental rates charged to all non-members.

- **B.**) The members renting equipment assume responsibility for damages incurred. Damage does not include normal wear. Responsibility for damage may be set by a vote of the majority of the members in an open meeting.
- C.) The Vice-Presidents may refuse to rent equipment to any person he feels may be irresponsible using it, or lacks basic skills necessary for the safety of all involved. The renter may be required to demonstrate a knowledge of proper use of the equipment. The Vice-President cannot be held responsible for any malfunction or failure since s/he has no control over proper use of the equipment.
- **D.**) Reservation of equipment will be made through the Vice-Presidents. Outing Club trips have priority over personal trips for equipment use.
- E.) Rental fees will be paid to the Vice-President when the equipment is picked up. Follow-up payment may be made after the trip if it was longer than planned. The Vice-President may charge a \$1.00 per day late fee to any member or non-member who turns in equipment later than the scheduled return date.
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- **G.)** The Treasurer will keep an accounting of moneys received through equipment rental separate from other NCSUOC moneys.

SECTION IV. Trip Fees

Whenever the NCSUOC has a trip or activity arranged through an outfitter (such as Kitty Hawk Kites for hang gliding, Rivers for rafting, and YSI for a ropes course), a trip fee over and above all regular trip costs will be charged to all participants except the trip leader. This trip fee shall be 5% of the total of the regular trip costs rounded to the nearest dollar.

SECTION V. Expenditures

- A.) The Vice-Presidents may spend up to \$200.00 per school year on equipment maintenance without approval of the membership.
- **B.**) The Board may authorize the expenditure of up to \$100.00 per school year for operational expenses without approval of the membership.

C.) The Board may authorize the expenditure of \$50.00 on new equipment without the approval of the membership.

SECTION V. Fundraising Committee

- **A.**) There shall be a fundraising committee to choose, plan, and organize fund-raisers. In order for this committee to be able to make decisions, it must have at least four members on it who are not officers.
- **B.)** The Fundraising Committee and the Board may agree to spend up to \$400.00 to get a fund-raiser started without approval of the membership.

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 - All members shall receive copies of all official NCSUOC publications.
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 - Behave in a manner to bring credit to the N.C. State Outing club.

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- C. The Vice President may refuse to rent equipment to any person he feels may be irresponsible using it, or lacks basic skills necessary for safety of all involved. The renter may be required to demonstrate a knowledge of proper use of the equipment. The vice president cannot be held responsible for any malfunction or failure since he has no control over the proper use of equipment.
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- Membership shall be open to all students, faculty, and other staff.
- 2. There shall be two classes of members:
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 - B. All other members are classified as non-active members and are not eligble to vote on any NCSUOC business.
- All members shall receive copies of all official NCSOC publications. Copies of each official publication shall be sent to the IOCA Archives and to the IOCA Bulletin editor.
- 4. All members shall:
 - A. Agree to abide by this Constitution and University rules which apply to campus organizations.
 - B. Behave in a manner to bring credit to the NCSOC.

ARTICLE IV. Officers.

- The officers shall consist of the President, Vice President, Secretary-Treasurer, and two Program Managers.
- The duties of the officers:
 - A. The duties of the President shall be:
 - He shall call and preside at all metings of the general membership.
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 - (4) He shall be responsible for organizing all NCSOC outings, or for approving all plans for trips as proposed for NCSOC outings or activities.

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- B. The duties of the Vice President shall be:
 - (1) He shall assume the duties of the President in his absence and perform those duties nomally assigned to this office.
 - (2) He shall be responsible for the safekeeping, maintainence, rental, and storage of all NCSOC owned equipment as is further detailed in the by laws.
- C. The duties of the secretary-treasurer shall be:
 - He shall be responsible for publicizing NCSOC meetings and other events.
 - (2) He shall be responsible for all official correspondences and records, and all other duties normally assigned to this office.
 - (3) He shall be reponsible for securing an adequate location for all meetings.
 - (4) He shall be responsible for the NCSOC archives.
 - (5) He shall be responsible for keeping the Outing Club Notebook in an organized condition.
 - (6) He shall be responsible for safe storage of NCSOC documents when school is not in session, and for distribution of documents to the other officers when school is in session.
 - (7) He shall be responsible for all finances of the NCSOC and perform other duties normally assigned to this office.
 - (8) He shall maintain an accurate record of all dues paid by members.
- D. The duty of the two Program Managers shall be: (1) They shall organize and plan progams for meetings.
- Qualifications for office:
 - A. Any active member in good standing with a current cumalative academic index of at least 2.00 shall be eligible to hold an elective office.
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 - A. The officers shall be elected annually at the last regulary scheduled meeting in march.
 - (1) Nominations may be made by any member of the NCSOC at a meeting at least one week prior to the date of election.
 - (2) Election shall be by majority vote.
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- 5. Removal from office

Any officer who does not properly discharge his responsibilities may be removed from office by a vote of a majority of active club members.

- 6. Term of office
 - A. New officers assume their responsibilities immediately upon election with the assistance of the outgoing officers in making an orderly transition.
 - B. Term of office shall be one year.
- Vacancies

Any vacancy which occurs among the officers shall be filled by election at a meeting of the membership as soon as possible after such vacancy occurs.

- filled out the necessary release and insurance forms and returned them to the secretary.
 - E. Club members have priority for rides in P-cars.

Section 4. Equipment Rental Policy

- A. NCSOC-owned equipment is rented only to members of NCSOC. non-member may rent equipment at non-active member rates through a member under the condition that the member assumes responsibility for that equipment. the equipment manager is not authorized to rent equipment to a person who attempts to pay membership dues immediately before securing equipment solely for the purpose of obtaining that equipment.
- B. The member renting equipment assumes responsibility for damages incurred. Damage does not include normal wear which is expected with useage. Responsibility for damage may be set by a vote of the majority of the majority of the Outing club members in open meetings.
- C. The equipment manager may refuse to rent equipment to any person he feels may be irresponsible in its use or lacks basic skills necessary for the safety of all involved. The receiver may be required to demonstrate a knowlege of proper use of equipment. The equipment manager cannot be held responsible for any malfunction or failure since he has no control over the use of the equipment.
- D. Reservations of equipment will be possible by contacting the equipment manager. Equipment will be considered reserved for a NCSOC trip if the proper sign up sheet has been placed in the Outing Club notebook.
- E. Rental fees will be paid to the equipment manager when the equipment is picked up. Adjustments in fees may be made after the trip for shorter of longer useage than anticipated.
- F. The renter should check equipment for proper operation or damage and point out defects to the equipment manager to insure he will not be responsible for damge. All equipment should be returned to the equipment manager clean, dry and properly packed. No charge is assessed for days during which equipment is being cared for following a trip.
- G. The treasurer will keep an accounting of monies received through equipment rental separately from other NCSOC monies.
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SCA/3/3 October 26, 1979

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE N. C. STATE OUTING CLUB IN ORDER TO PURCHAS NEW EQUIPMENT

FACT:

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At the present time, our club's equipment is not sufficient for the number of members we have. Therefore we request funds for the purchase of a new canoe for our club.

PRINCIPLE:

The Outing Club wishes to teach to students various skills with which the members may enjoy our outdoors. It is impossible for our instructors and leaders to teach without adequate equipment for the member to use and enjoy.

DECLARATION:

The Student Senate shall appropriate \$525.00 to the N. C. State Outing Club for the purchase of a new canoe and paddles.

IMPLEMENTATION:

The Outing Club's current bank balance of \$300.00 will go towards the purchase of a new tent and a new sleeping bag.

October 26, 1979

Cost Itemization

1	Timberline Tent	\$	200.00
1	Sleeping Bag		
1	Gruman Canoe		500.00
2	Mohawk Paddles		25.00
	TOTAL	\$	825.00
	Minus Club's Balance		-300.00
	Appropriate Funds	Ś	525.00

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The first vice-president shall appoint an assistant

and other staff, if necessary.

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He shall be responsible for the distribution of the proper club materials to the new officers at the beginning of the fall semester.

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He shall assume the duties of the president in the absense of both the president and the first vice-president and perform other duties normally assigned to this office.

(2) He shall be responsible, in coordination with the club

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He shall be responsible for the club archives.

He shall be responsible for club alumni business, including that of life members.

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- A. Wacancies shall be filled by appointment of the president until a special election is called for filling such office.
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General meetings shall be called at least once a month during the school year and written notice of such meetings shall be sent to all members at least one week in advance.

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- Section 7. Non-members shall be eligible to attend any club function.
 - A. Club outings shall be open to non-members without any additional expense above that of a member during the first six weeks of each academic semester.
 - 8. Non-members attending any club outing after the initial six weeks shall be assessed a nonmember's fee for the outing, the amount to be recommended by the treasurer and approved by the club in accordance with Article VIII, Section 3.
- Section 8. All members, guests and others associated with the club during any club function shall abide by the following rules:
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 - B. There shall be no possession or use of narcotics or other illegal or unprescribed drugs on club functions.
 - C. There shall be no firearms present on club functions.
- Section 9. Any violations of the above policies shall be grounds for immediate termination of the involved member's affiliation with the club.
 - A. The privileges of membership may be removed from the violator by a vote of the majority of the voting members, and upon relinquishing his NCSOC Emblem, he shall be refunded his current membership fee.
 - B. Such removed persons shall not be allowed to attend future club functions as a guest or otherwise.
 - C. To rejoin, a removed member must petition the club and be voted in by a majority of the voting members. If approved to rejoin, the former member shall be eligible to join as a non-voting member and shall receive his NCSOC Emblem only by meeting the requirements again.
 - D. Any guest or other person associated with the club who violates any of the above policies shall not be allowed to attend future club outings.

Section 10. The club may, on approval by a majority of the voting members, affiliate with such other associations or societies considered to have sufficient mutuality of purpose and interest as shall aid in the fulfillment of the club's purposes as described in Article II, providing that such associations or societies do not conflict with the above policies.

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B. The advisor shall be elected annually.

C. He shall serve for one year, beginning upon commencement exercises.

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ARTICLE X. Ratification

Section 1. This constitution shall become effective when approved by the charter members, the Student Body Government and the Department of Student Activities.

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Section 1. An amendment may be proposed by any member.

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ARTICLE XII. By-laws

Section 1. A by-law may be proposed by any member and must be approved by a majority of the voting members.

Section 2. Such by-laws must in no way conflict with this constitution, the constitution of the Student Body Government or with university regulations.

Ratified by the Charter Members of the N. C. State Outing Club, 2 September 1971

Revised by the Voting Members of said Outing Club, 29 March 1972

ARTICLES OF BY-LAWS CONSTITUTION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE OUTING CLUB

ARTICLE 1. The NCSOC Emblem Design

In accordance with Article VI, Section 1, the NCSOC Emblem's design shall be:

- a. a triangular-shaped patch measuring three inches from corner to corner.
- background color shall be bright red twill with a bright yellow embroidered border.
- the lower third of the emblem shall be embroidered in black, reading "N. C. State Outing Club" in lower case mod print.
- the middle third shall be a mountain, embroidered in horid. zontal layers of dark blue, light blue and yellow green, superimposed by a bright red twill hightop climbing boot outlined in black embroidery with a black embroidered Vibram sole, projected upward in a kicking position. superimposed atop the mountain and to the left of the peak

shall be a yellow embroidered, five-pointed star.

NORTH CAROLINA STATE OUTING CLUB P. O. Box 5217 Raleigh, North Carolina 27607

FOUNDED: 26 August 1971

FOUNDERS: Alan Brooks

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CONSTITUTION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE OUTING CLUB

ARTICLE I. Title

The name of this organization shall be the North Carolina State Guting Club, and may be referred to as NUSOC.

ARTICIE II. The purposes of the N.C. State Outing Club shall be:

- 1. To explore and study the mountains, foothills, forests, coastal areas and watercourses of the southeastern United States and neighboring areas.
- 2. To foster and promote education and training in the various aspects of NCSCC activities which require spacial skills so as to make these activities safe, enjoyable, and ecologically acceptable.
- 3. To encourage the preservation of the natural beauty of Southeastern America through legislation and otherwise.
- To encourage a spirit of good fellowship emong all outdoorsmen in the congenial atmosphere of a group which stresses the contribution of the individual.

ARTICLE III. Membership

- 1. Membership shall be open to all students, faculty, other staff and alumni of North Caroline State University.
 - 2. There shall be two classes of members:
 - A. All mashers who have paid their duas are entitled to vote on all NCSOC business.
 - Mafe members shall be all MCSOC presidents upon completion of their term of office. Lafe members retain full privileges but need not pay dues.
- 3. All members shall receive copies of all official MCSOC publications. Copies of each official publication shall be sent to the XCCA Archives and to the <u>XCCA Bullatin</u> editor.
 - 4. All Members shall:
 - Agree to sbide by this Constitution and University rules which apply to campus organizations.
 - 3. Behave in a manner to bring credit to the M.C. State Ouring Club.

ARTICLE IV. Officers

- 1. The officers shall consist of the President, First Vice-Fresident, Second Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer.
 - 2. The duties of the officers:
 - A. The duties of the President shall be:
 - (1) he shall call and preside at all meetings of the general newbership.
 - (2) He shall establish appointive positions and committees and designate interested NCSOC members to serve in these positions.
 - (3) He shall be the official spokesmen and representative of the NCSCC.
 - (4) He shall be responsible for organizing all NCSOC outings, or for approving all plans for trips as proposed for NCSOC outings or activities.
 - (5) He shall enforce all provisions of this constitution.
 - (6) He shall perform other duties normally assigned to this office.
 - B. The duties of the First Vice-President shall be:
 - He shall assume the duties of the President in his absence and perform those duties normally assigned to this office.
 - (2) He shall be the editor and publisher of all official NCSOC documents.
 - (3) He shall be responsible for safe storage of MCSOC documents when school is not in session, and for distribution of documents to the other officers when school is in session.
 - (4) He shall organize and plan programs for MCSOC meetings.

- C. The duties of the Second Vice-President shall be:
 - He shall assume the duties of the President in the absence of both the President and the First Vice-President, and perform other duties normally assigned to this office.
 - (2) He shall be responsible for the safe-keeping, maintainence, rental, and storage of all NCSOC-comed equipment as is further detailed in the by-laws.
- D. The duties of the secretary shall be:
 - (1) He shall be responsible for publicising NCSOC meetings and other events.
 - (2) He shall be responsible for all official correspondences and records, and all other duties normally assigned to this office.
 - (3) He shall be responsible for securing an adequate location for all meetings.
 - (4) He shall be responsible for the MCSOC archives.
 - (5) He shall be responsible for MCSCC alumni business, including that of life members.
 - (6) He shall be responsible for keeping the Cuting Club Notebook in an organized condition.
- E. The duties of the Treasurer shall be:
 - Es shall be responsible for all finances of the NCSOC and perform other duties normally assigned to this office.
 - (2) He shall maintain an accurate record of all duss-paid members.

3. Qualifications for office

- A. Any voting member in good standing with a current emulative meademic index of at least 2.00 shall be eligible to hold an elective office.
- B. Any member, voting or non-voting, in good standing shall be eligible to hold an appointive position.

4. Elections

- A. The officers shall be elected annually at the last regularly-scheduled meeting in March.
 - Mominations may be made by any member of the NCSOC at a meeting at least one week prior to the date of the election.
 - (2) Election shall be by nejority vote.
 - (3) There will be no absentee ballots.
- 5. Removal from office

Any officer who does not properly discharge his responsibilities may be removed from office by a vote of a majority of voting members.

6. Term of office

- A. New officers assume their responsibilities immediately upon election with the assistance of the outgoing officers in making an orderly transition.
- B. Term of office shall be one year.

7. Vacancies

A. Any vacancy which occurs among the officers is filled by election at a meeting of the membership as soon as possible after such vacancy occurs.

S. Board of Directors

The five officers shall constitute the Board of Directors of the MCSOC and may meet to conduct emergency business, transact minor business and authorize empenditores of not more than \$10. Actions taken at a Board meeting will be reported at the next regular MCSOC meeting.

ARTICLE V. Meetings

- 1. Ceneral meetings shall be called at least once a month during the school year
- 2. All meetings shall be conducted in accordance with Roberts Rules of Order unless specified otherwise by this constitution.

3. Each voting member shall have one vote.

4. The President shall wote only to make or break a tie.

5. General meetings shall be open to all interested persons.

 A quorum for conducting business shall be 50%+1 of the dues-paid membership, or 10 voting members

ARTICLE VI. The MCSOC Embles

1. The design of the NCSOC Emblem shall be recorded as a by-law to the Constitution.

2. Following one semester of membership and active participation in the Outing Club a person may purchase end wear the official MCSOC Emblem.

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1. The Tressurer shall recommend a schedule of does and rental rates to the NCSOC for their consideration and approval at the March annual meeting and elections.

2. Nemberships may be paid at any time on a pro-rate basis as prescribed by the schedule of rates.

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Ratified by the Charter members of the M.C. State Cuting Club, 2 September 1971

Revised by the Voting Members of the MCSOC, 19 March 1972

Revised by the Voting Members of the MCSOC, 28 April 1976

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SECTION 1. Dusign of the NCSOC emblar,

SECTION 2. Policy Statement on the Organization of MCSOC Trips

A. All NCSOC Members shall have an equal opportunity to participate in MCSOC - sponsored activities.

B. Any support received by the MCSOC shall be distributed among the several activities of the MCSOC.

C. Any MCSOC Member way organize a MCSOC trip under the following guidelines:

(1) He should make a presentation to the President for his approval concerning plans for the outing.

(2) He should place a sign-up sheet in the Outing Club Notebook at least one week in advance of departure.

(3) If University squipment is to be used the Trip Leader must have secured proper approvil and should be sware of policies regarding use of P-cars.

(4) He should have a knowlege of basic first aid and is responsible for

cerrying a first aid kir.

D. Panalty for violation of policy short of expulsion f_{χ} en the NCSOC may include assessment for the use of NFAC equipment at non-Club trip rates and/or payment to the NCSOC transvery a panalty equal to the value of the Support used on the trip, as determined by a vote of the membership.

SECTION 3. Use of P -cert

A. All rules regarding the use of University cars shall be followed.

B. P-cars carrot be used for cloud tripp.

C. Any trip is which a P-car is to be used must be approved by a vote of the manufaction.

D. Transportation in Focus is limited to persons who have filled out the necessary release and insurance forms and returned them to the secretary.

E. Club members have priority for rides in P-cere.

SECTION 4. Equipment Montal Policy

A. NCSOC - exted equipment is reated only to members of the NCSOC. However, a non-member way use socipment which has been remind by a NCSOC member under the condition that the member assumes responsibility for that equipment. The equipment manager is not authorized to rent equipment to a person who attempts to pay membership dues immediately before securing equipment soluly for the purpose of obtaining that equipment.

B. The masher renting equipment assumed terrompibility for damages incurred. Desage does not include cornel wear which is expected with useage. Responsibility for damage may be set by a vote of the majority of the Outing Club members in open meeting.

C. The equipment manager may refuse to rent equipment to any person ha feels may be irresponsible in its use or lacks basic skills necessary for the safety of all involved. The rever may be required to descentive a knowledge of proper use of equipment. The equipment manager cannot be held responsible for any unifunction or failure since he had no control over the proper use of the equipment.

D. Reservations of equipment will be possible by contesting the equipment manager. Equipment will be considered reserved for a NCSCC trip if the proper sign-

up sheet has been placed in the Outing Club Notebook.

B. Rect! fore will be paid to the equipment menager when the equipment is picked up. Advertments in fees may be made after the trip for shorter or longer

useago them arricipated.

- F. It renter should check equipment for proper operation or damage and point out defects to the equipment wanager to insure he will be not held responsible for damage. All equipment should be returned to the equipment wanager clean, dry and properly parted. No charge is assessed for days during which equipment is being properly exted for following a trip.
- G. The treasurer will keep an accounting of monies received through equipment rental segmentally from other MESOC monies.

H. Schadule of rental rates for MCSOC trips and mon-club trips

ASTELA	NESCE-trip_rate	non-glub kata
Canoe or kayah includes paddles, safety waste, carrier, let aid kit	one day \$2. two days \$3. each add. day \$1.	\$4. \$5. \$1.
Climbing or caving rope	one day \$1.50 each add. day 50d	\$3. 50¢
All hardware (carabiners, nuts, slings)	each day 50¢	50∉
Tont	up to 3 days #\$3 each add. day \$1	\$5 \$1
Beckpack & frame	up to 3 days \$1 each add. day 50d	\$3 \$1
Sleeping dag	weekend \$1.50 each add. day 50¢	\$3 50\$
Carbide Laupe	each day 50é	each add. day 50s
Tarpaulins	each day 50é	50é

All safety equipment including first aid kits, climbing helmets, etc. are free. Certain other items may be used free.

Rental rates for new equipment may be established by a vote of the mambers.

NGSOC-trip rates are applied to those trips meeting the criteris outlined in SECTION 2.

I. Should the MCSCC became inscrive or disband, and a new MCSCC has not been formed within a period of 2 years, all property of the MCSCC shall become property of the N.C. State Student Government and may be disposed of at their discresion.

SECTION 5. Membership dues

A. The schedule of dues for the Outing Club shall be:

Fall Senester \$2.50 Spring Engester \$2.50 let & 2nd Summer Session combined \$2.50

B. Upon paying membership dues each person shall receive a copy of this Constitution and by-laws an also the forms necessary to meet University regulations regarding participation is intramural sports clubs.

SECTION 6. Summer lookesentative

A member of the NCSOC will be selected to serve as the Summer Representative of the organization, assuming the president will not be on campus during the summer months. This person may be one of the other officers or snother member. His duties will be to conduct one or more meetings each summer subsiden to introduce the NCSOC to summer school students, to conduct whatever NCSOC business necessary during the summer, to act as the NCSOC representative during the summer months, and to maintain an active Outing Club pressure on caspus during the summer months.

To: Dean of Student Development From: David E. Malloy, outgoing Outing Club President

> Requirements for N.C. State Intramural Sports Club Program for Spring Semester.

- 1. A list of the new club officers is attached. The phone number of the President, Many Lou Welby, is 787-7477.

 She lives in Redeigh.
- 2. As far as a bridget for next year is concerned, we would like to have some P-car finds available. This semester, none were allocated to us because of money problems in the Intramurals Department. In the past, we've been allotted 200 dollars /senester, which amounts to roughly 4 trips to the mountain. This type of allocation is extremely helpful to those mithout cars and those with financial scarcity. It is difficult to tell what equipment we will be needing. I can forse a need some time next year for a few more canoe paddles and perhaps some life vests of better quality than we have row. These are needly fentative projections, however.
- 3. No equipment you checked out by This club from the Datameral Office or PE Department
- 4. Or roster on file in The Intanual Office will have a few additions of those being members who joined his spring.
- 5. No equipment van purhased by the Intramural Sports Club Program.
 Our equipment purhases stem from allocations from the Student
 Senate. Our latest tind request nos Bill Fi/12/14
 of Nov. 15, 1976.
 - 6. Our Club presently has a the Savings Account with brachoula. 69.29 is now in the account. The treasurer also has 41.05 in his envelop, and the equipment manager has 6.00 to

be given to the treasurer. (equipment rental money).

It amy Burther information is needed or desired, please feel free to contact me on the fresident.

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September 8, 1971

Mr. Alan Brooks, President N. C. State Outing Club Box 4713 N. C. State University Raleigh, N. C. 27607

Dear Mr. Brooks:

We have reviewed the Constitution submitted by your organization and wish to inform you that this document has been accepted and North Carolina State University is pleased to recognize the N. C. State Outing Club.

All student organizations are expected to work within the policies of the University and with the Student Government.

In extending recognition, neither the University nor Student Government accepts responsibility for any injury sustained as a result of your club's activities or any liability, fiscal or otherwise, which may be incurred by your organization, nor does either guarantee that permanent university facilities will be available. The University will, however, endeavor to make meeting rooms available to your group.

I shall be pleased to be of assistance to you and your organization in any way possible.

Sincerely yours

W. F. Weston, Jr. Dean of Men

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cc: Lee McDonald, Program Director, Erdahl-Cloyd Union
Gus Gusler, Student Body President

Dr. Thomas O. Perry, Adviser

Mr. Richard A. Harris, Student Senate President Henry Bowers, Associate Dean of Student Affairs