

Standards for Evaluating Requests for Use of University Facilities and Grounds

1. The University expects use of University facilities and grounds to advance or promote the academic, educational and/or cultural mission of the University. Priority for the use of University facilities and grounds is given to academic departments and administrative units. Priority among recognized University organizations and groups will be determined on a first-to-schedule basis. Recognized University organizations or groups and members of the campus community have priority over requests for use by groups or organizations not affiliated with the University. The following standards will be considered in scheduling use of University facilities and grounds:
 - a. the University's interest in maintaining order on campus;
 - b. the University's interest in ensuring public safety and security;
 - c. the University's interest in preventing commercial exploitation of students of the University;
 - d. the University's interest in preserving residential tranquility in residence halls and in the surrounding community;
 - e. the University's interest in preserving its facilities and grounds;
 - f. additional factors include: parking limitations, academic schedule, vehicular traffic, scheduling conflicts, size of the event, and staffing needs, and ongoing construction activities.