SUBJECT: ATHLETICS
Policy 1202.2 – Conference Participation
Effective: November 18, 1999; Issued: December 10, 1999

Board Policy:

A. Intercollegiate athletics at all campuses of the Montana university system should be funded in a manner that will provide a budget sufficient to allow the institutions to be competitive in their respective conferences.

B. The board will consider the budget totals, numbers of scholarships provided and the number of intercollegiate sports being supported by the other institutions in the conference.

C. Such funding may be derived from the following sources in such percentages as deemed advisable, giving due regard to the sources and percentages of support being received by the other participants in the conference:

1. fee waivers granted by the regents for in-state, as well as out-of-state students, up to the maximum conference allowable totals;

2. state funding;

3. other income (defined as gate receipts, guarantees, concessions, programs, TV, radio rentals, etc.).

History: